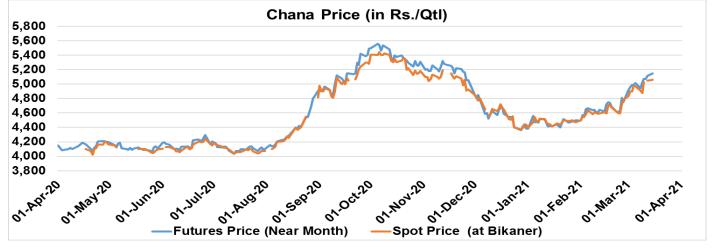




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Price Movement: NCDEX



| Attribute (Price in Rs./Qtl.) | 15-Mar-2021 | 26-Feb-2021 | % Change | 13-Mar-20 | % Change Y-O-Y |
|-------------------------------|-------------|-------------|----------|-----------|----------------|
| Futures Price (Near Month) | 5,147 | 4,749 | 8.4 | 3,893 | 22 |
| Spot Price (at Bikaner) | 5,058 | 4,780 | 5.8 | 3,869 | 24 |

Futures Price on NCDEX

| Expiry Date | Price (in Rs./Qtl) | | | Open Interest | | | |
|-------------|--------------------|-----------|--------|---------------|-----------|--------|--|
| | 15-Mar-21 | 26-Feb-21 | % Chg. | 15-Mar-21 | 26-Feb-21 | % Chg. | |
| 19-Mar-21 | 5,147 | 4,749 | 8 | 8,390 | 27,730 | -70 | |
| 20-Apr-21 | 5,148 | 4,766 | 8 | 73,770 | 32,240 | 129 | |
| 20-May-21 | 5,189 | 4,869 | 7 | 8,530 | 1,440 | 492 | |
| 18-Jun-21 | 5,230 | 4,900 | 7 | 10 | 10 | 0 | |
| 20-Jul-21 | 5,271 | 4,931 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 0 | |
| 20-Aug-21 | 5,312 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | |

Futures Prices are of Ex Basis Center. (Bikaner)

Forward Curve Shift



** Forward curves as on February 26th and March 15th are included to show shift in curve with time. (Source: NCDEX)



ARRIVAL STATE WISE

In the marketing year 2020-21 (Apr-Mar), total arrivals of Chana have decreased 26% so far from the same in the corresponding period a year ago.

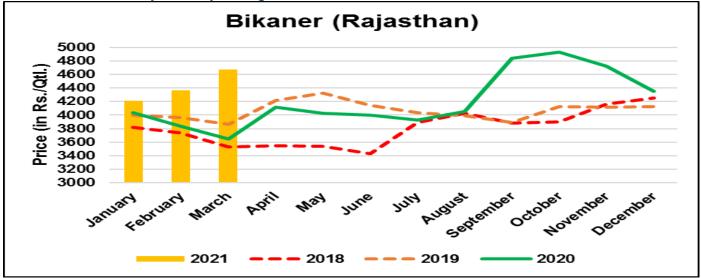
| State-Wise (Qty in MT) | This Year Last Year | | % Change from Last Year | |
|------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-------------------------|--|
| | 01/04/2020-15/03/2021 | 01/04/2019-15/03/2020 | | |
| Madhya Pradesh | 733,895 | 1,363,195 | -46 | |
| Maharashtra | 395,234 | 375,378 | 5 | |
| Rajasthan | 301,257 | 338,778 | -11 | |
| Gujarat | 250,298 | 190,393 | 31 | |
| Uttar Pradesh | 203,098 | 246,663 | -18 | |
| Karnataka | 125,532 | 144,301 | -13 | |
| Chattisgarh | 76,620 | 148,955 | -49 | |
| Telangana | 12,958 | 13,268 | -2 | |
| West Bengal | 7,483 | 11,213 | -33 | |
| India | 2,113,942 | 2,872,050 | -26 | |

Source: Agmarknet

STOCK POSITION: NCDEX As on March 16, 2021

| AS UT MAICH 10,2021 | | | |
|---------------------|--------------|-------------|-------|
| Location Quanti | | | |
| | | Valid Stock | |
| | Unencumbered | Pledged | |
| Akola | 0 | 0 | 152 |
| Bikaner | 2,791 | 0 | 757 |
| Indore | 0 | 0 | 20 |
| Jaipur | 1432 | 0 | 3,062 |
| Total | 4,223 | 0 | 3,991 |

Chana Price Seasonality: Monthly Average Prices



Source: Agmarknet (Modal Prices)

Chana State-Wise Coverage (Area in Lakh ha)

| State-Wise (Qty in MT) | This Year (2020-21) | Last Year (2019-20) | % Change from Last Year | | |
|---|---------------------|---------------------|-------------------------|--|--|
| Madhya Pradesh | 26 | 27 | -6 | | |
| Maharashtra | 25 | 22 | 13 | | |
| Rajasthan | 21 | 21 | -1 | | |
| Gujarat | 8 | 4 | 119 | | |
| India | 112 | 107 | 4 | | |
| Courses Ministry of Agriculture 9, Formers Wolfers (Lest undeted on 20.04.2024) | | | | | |

Source: Ministry of Agriculture & Farmers Welfare (Last updated on 29.01.2021)



CHANA DISPOSAL: NAFED on 16.03.2021, NAFED has disposed Chana in following price range:

| Commodity | State | Season | Price range | |
|-----------|----------------|-----------|-------------|-------|
| | | | Low | High |
| Gram | Madhya Pradesh | Rabi 2020 | 4,801 | 4,857 |
| | Rajasthan | Rabi 2020 | 4,951 | 5,009 |

Major Media News:

- Pulses trade urges Centre to fix import quota soon ((Source <u>Hindu Business Line</u>)
- Rajasthan reports over 33% crop loss from farms attacked by locusts (Source Hindu Business Line)
- Import of pulses to improve availability and check prices (Source PIB)
- Off-season rains boost chana's prospects (Source <u>Hindu Business Line</u>)

Highlights:

- Chana prices up 8% in the fortnight to Mar 15; Up 22% on year as on Mar 15
- NAFED auction range at highest as the 2020 crop season nears end

Legends:

Rs./Qtl- Indian Rupees per Quintal or per 100 Kgs MT: Metric Tonne

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