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TODAY'S PICKS

AGRI BUZZ

- Malaysia's palm oil exports during May 1-25 are estimated slightly higher on month at 1.2 mln tn, data from cargo surveyor AmSpec Agri Malaysia.
- The edible oil industry has asked the government to curb speculative trading in the futures market which has led to a surge in spot prices.
- As of Monday, the government distributed 4.8 mln tn food grain in May to beneficiaries of Pradhan Mantri Garib Kalyan Anna Yojana, an official release said.
- Production of food grain is expected to touch a record 305.4 mln tn in 2020-21 (Jul-Jun), 2.7% higher on year, according to the farm ministry's third advance estimates.
- As of Monday, the government paid farmers nearly 772 bln rupees in the 2021-22 (Apr-Mar) rabi marketing season for procuring wheat, according to an official release.
- The government's decision last week to increase nutrient-based subsidy is likely to push up India's fertiliser subsidy this financial year by 147.75 bln rupees, according to CRISIL.

	Futures	Spot
Contract/spot	JEERA - JUN21	Unjha
Rate	13750	14000
% chg	0.15	-0.12
1 week low	13675	13925
1 week High	14070	14100
	Futures	Spot
Contract/spot	CHANA - JUN21	Bikaner
Rate	5156	5210.45
% chg	-0.87	0.08
1 week low	5129	5200
1 week High	5269	5225.7
	Futures	Spot
Contract/spot	SOYABEAN - JUN21	Indore
Rate	7212	7470
% chg	3.34	2.3
1 week low	6801	7284
1 week High	7900	7619
	Futures	Spot
Contract/spot	CASTOR SEED - JUN21	Deesa
Rate	5092	5191.05
% chg	0.47	0.92
1 week low	4882	5127.1
1 week High	5138	5289.6
	Futures	Spot
Contract/spot	RUBBER - JUN21	Kottayam
Rate	17430	17200
% chg	0.13	0
1 week low	17200	0
1 week High	17200	0

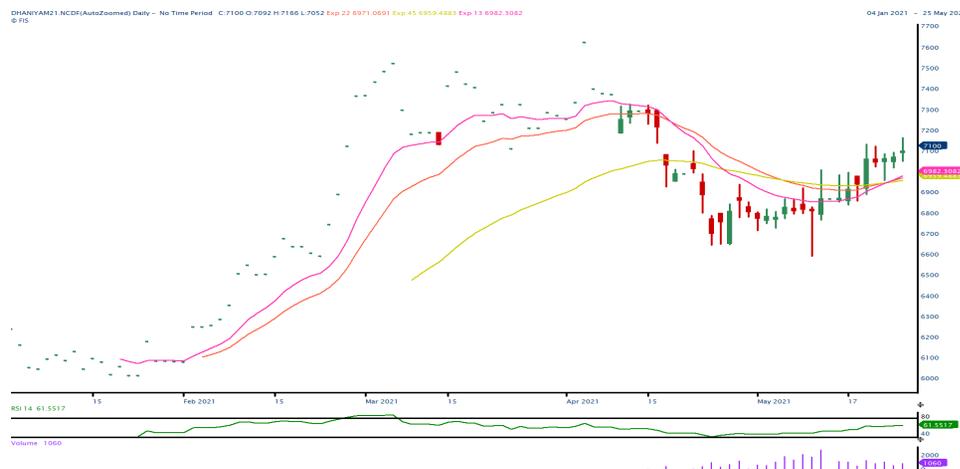
	Futures	Spot
Contract/spot	TURMERIC - JUN21	Nizamabad
Rate	8006	7684.1
% chg	-2.37	-0.5
1 week low	7990	7684.1
1 week High	8326	7725
	Futures	Spot
Contract/spot	GUAR SEED10 - JUN21	Jodhpur
Rate	4275	4300
% chg	0.33	0.7
1 week low	4230	4270
1 week High	4324	4326.25
	Futures	Spot
Contract/spot	REFINED SOYA OIL - JUN21	Kandla
Rate	1408.7	1436.35
% chg	0.44	0.74
1 week low	1370.1	1425
1 week High	1490	1479.5
	Futures	Spot
Contract/spot	KAPAS - NOV21	Rajkot
Rate	1370	1339.1
% chg	0.37	-0.36
1 week low	1363	1336.65
1 week High	1370	1344
	Futures	Spot
Contract/spot	MAIZE - Feed/Industrial Grade	Gulabbagh
Rate	0	1500
% chg	0	0.67
1 week low	0	1490
1 week High	0	1500

	Futures	Spot
Contract/spot	CORIANDER - JUN21	Kota
Rate	7120	7200
% chg	0.71	0.51
1 week low	6960	6988.65
1 week High	7166	7225
	Futures	Spot
Contract/spot	Guar Gum Refined Splits - JUN21	Jodhpur
Rate	6470	6518.2
% chg	0.81	0.5
1 week low	6353	6485.7
1 week High	6564	6529
	Futures	Spot
Contract/spot	RAPE MUSTARD SEEDS - JUN21	Jaipur
Rate	7110	7270.45
% chg	1.83	1.42
1 week low	6850	7168.75
1 week High	7139	7400
	Futures	Spot
Contract/spot	COTTON SEED OIL CAKE AKOLA - JUN21	AKOLA
Rate	2629	2751.45
% chg	-1.28	-0.26
1 week low	2563	2751.45
1 week High	2677	2765.8
	Futures	Spot
Contract/spot	BARLEY - JUN21	Jaipur
Rate	1949	0
% chg	0.59	0
1 week low	1937.5	0
1 week High	1949	0

SPICES COMPLEX

Market Buzz

- Barring turmeric other spices ended on a green turf on NCDEX on Tuesday. Turmeric June futures slipped more than two per cent probably on profit booking. However, it traded firm in the key spot market of Nizamabad on firm demand. Jeera June futures were up on short-covering after the previous day's fall, while decline in arrivals in spot market lifted Coriander June futures.
- Spices Board pegs Apr-Dec 2020 jeera exports 221,000 tons, up 30% on year.
- According to a survey conducted by the Federation of Indian Spice Stakeholders, jeera production in India is likely to be 478520 tons in 2020-21 (Oct-Sep), down by 11 per cent yoy.
- Government estimates 2020-21 jeera output at 887000 tons compared to 912000 tons a year ago.
- According to the second advance estimates released by the Gujarat's farm department, production in jeera is expected to be at 373700 tonnes in 2020-21 compared to 375420 tonnes produced last year (2019-20).
- According to Spices Board, coriander exports for the April-Dec 2020 period rose by 12 per cent to 41000 on year on year basis.
- Government sees 2020-21 coriander output at 720000 tons compared to 701000 tons a year ago.
- Coriander production in Gujarat is expected to rise 55 per cent to 216680 tonnes in 2020-21 season (Jul-Jun) due to sharp rise in acreage according to the state's farm department's second advance estimates.
- Spices Board sees Apr-Dec 2020 turmeric exports 139,000 ton, up 34% on year.
- Government sees 2020-21 turmeric output at 1.11 million tonnes compared to 1.15 million tons a year ago.
- Spices Board pegs Apr-Dec 2020 small cardamom export 4,300 ton, up 196% on YoY basis.
- Government pegs 2020-21 cardamom output at 25000 tons compared to 21000 tons a year ago.
- Spices Board pegs Apr-Dec 2020 spices export at 1.1 million tons, up 26% on year.
- The Spices Board India has suspended e-auctions of small cardamom in Tamil Nadu's Bodinayakanur and Kerala's Puttady from Monday, it said in a circular. Further decisions will be taken as per the directions of the respective district administrations, the board said in a circular.



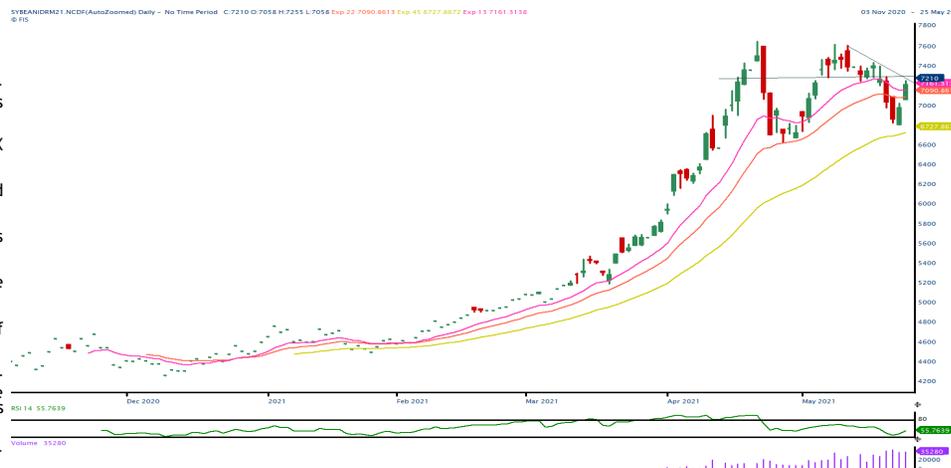
TECHNICAL VIEW

JEERA NCDEX JUN	Pullbacks to 13840/13950 may not be ruled out. However, a direct fall below 13650 may intensify weakness.	
DHANIYA NCDEX JUN	May inch up as long as support at 7050 is held down-side. Sustained trades below 7050 may call for 7000-6930 or more.	
TURMERIC NCDEX JUN	Profit booking may probably stretch towards 7900-7880 ranges before bouncing back. However, slip-page past the same may probably call for 7780.	
CARDAMOM MCX JUN	Choppy trades expected.	

OILSEED COMPLEX

Market Buzz

- All commodities in the oilseed basket witnessed bargain buying. MCX May CPO prices traded higher due to improved buying at lower price levels in the physical markets. Moreover, firmness in BMD Malaysian palm oil prices also supported the gains. NCDEX June refined soy oil prices traded higher on bargain buying.
- NCDEX June soybean prices bounced back on improved buying at lower levels in the spot market. June NCDEX Mustard seed prices also rose on improved demand at lower price levels for mustard oil in the spot markets.
- The government will distribute about 816,000 soybean seed mini-kits free of cost to farmers to ramp up oilseed output in 2021-22 (Jul-Jun) kharif season, an official release said.
- Mozambique has decided not issue a key permit required for soybean exports, a move that will affect the oilseed's supply in India, a major importing country, a government official said.
- India's oilmeal exports jumped nearly three-fold on year to 303,458 tn in April, according to data released by The Solvent Extractors' Association of India.
- India's vegetable oil imports rose 32% on year to nearly 1.1 mln tn in April, The Solvent Extractors' Association of India. During Nov-Apr, the country imported nearly 6.4 mln tn of vegetable oil, up 1.7% from the year-ago period.
- India's soymeal exports jumped nearly three-fold on year to 100,000 tn in April, The Soybean Processors Association of India data showed. In the same month a year ago, exports were at 35,000 tn. Overseas shipments of the oilmeal rose significantly due to strong demand from France, and Germany, traders said. During Oct-Apr, exports jumped to 1.7 mln tn from 458,000 tn a year ago, SOPA data showed.
- Crushing of mustard seed by oil millers jumped 84.6% on year to 1.2 mln tn in April, according to Marudhar Trading Agency. Mills had crushed 650,000 tn of the oilseed during the same period last year.
- India's 2020-21 (Jul-Jun) mustard output is seen rising to 22.6% on year to 8.95 mln tn, according to a joint survey by the Central Organisation for Oil Industry and Trade and the Mustard Oil Producers' Association.
- The US Department of Agriculture has scaled up its estimate for global oilseed production for 2020-21 to 598.0 mln tn from 595.8 mln tn projected in March. The upward revision is due to higher soybean, rapeseed, and peanut production. The rise is, however, limited due to smaller palm kernel, sunflower seed, and cottonseed crops, the agency said. Global soybean output is estimated at 363.2 mln tn, up by 1.4 mln tn, mainly due to higher production in Brazil. Global soybean crush is estimated 2 mln tn lower at 96 mln tn largely because of a smaller crush in China. World soybean exports are estimated 1.2 mln tn higher at 170.9 mln tn due to robust shipments from Brazil, Russia, and the US. The agency has projected world soybean ending stocks 3.1 mln tn higher at 86.9 mln tn, as purchases from China and Brazil are seen rising. The agency maintained its estimate for soybean output in the US at nearly 112.6 mln tn for 2020-21. The US Department of Agriculture has projected global oilseed output for 2021-22 (May-Apr) to rise 5.4% to 632.2 mln tn from 599.6 mln tn recorded last year. The agency attributed the 5.4% increase to robust soybean crop in Brazil and Argentina. The agency has projected world soybean output to rise by 22.6 mln tn to 385.5 mln tn. Brazil's soybean crop is estimated at a record 144 mln tn while Argentina's crop is seen 5 mln tn higher at 52 mln tn. Global output of high-oil content seeds like sunflower seed and rapeseed is projected 6% higher from 2020-21 on a recovery of sunflower seed production for Ukraine, Russia, and the EU and increased canola for Canada. Global oilseed supplies for 2021-22 are projected to rise 3% on year to 732.4 mln tn, with higher prices incentivising the expansion of oilseed area and a bigger sunflower seed crop. The agency expects soybean output in the US to come in at 119.9 mln tn for 2021-22 against 112.6 mln tn a year ago. With lower soybean supplies and higher crush, the US export share of global soybean trade is expected to decline to 33% from 36% in 2020-21. Global vegetable oil ending stocks are projected at 22.4 mln tn, down 3% from 2020-21 and the lowest in 11 years, it said.
- India is likely to produce around 10 mln tn of mustard in 2020-21 (Jul-Jun), up 35% from a year ago, due to higher acreage and favourable weather conditions, according to the Solvent Extractors' Association of India.
- Farmers in the country have sown mustard across 6.9 mln ha, up 10.6% on year, in 2020-21 (Jul-Jun) season so far, data from the farm ministry.
- Indian government slashed import duty of crude palm oil. The government cut import duty on crude palm oil by 10% to 27.5%, in the last week, to cool off soaring edible oil prices in domestic markets.
- The area under major kharif crops so far in 2020-21 (Jul-Jun) was at 111.7 mln ha, up nearly 5% from a year ago, farm ministry data showed. The area under soybean across the country rose 6.4% on year to 12.12 mln ha as of 24th Sep, according to data from the farm ministry. The Union Cabinet approved a hike in minimum support price for 14 major kharif crops. MSP for soybean hiked by Rs.170 to 3880 from 3710 per 100 kg. Soybean output is estimated at 12.2 mln tn in 2019-20, according to the farm ministry's fourth advance estimate.
- India is likely to grow a record 10 mln tn mustard crop in 2020-21 (Jul-Jun), mainly due to the likelihood of a sharp rise in acreage, according to Solvent Extractors' Association of India. The government has targeted an all-time high crop of 12.5 mln tn for this rabi season. The government has fixed the minimum support price at 4,650 rupees per 100 kg for 2020-21 (Apr-Mar) marketing season against 4,425 rupees per 100 kg the previous year.
- According to the first advance estimates for 2020-21 (Jul-Jun), castor seed output is seen at 1.7 mln tn compared with 1.8 mln tn in the fourth advance estimates for 2019-20, according to the data released by the farm ministry. While, according to traders, crop is seen at 1.5-1.6 mln tn. Farmers have sown castor seed across 792,000 ha in 2020-21 (Jul-Jun), down 16% from a year ago.
- India's exports of castor oil rose 18.7% on year to nearly 650,000 tn in 2020-21 (Apr-Mar), said B.V. Mehta, executive president, The Solvent Extractors' Association of India. Exports were at 547,646 tn in 2019-20.
- Malaysia's crude palm oil output rose 7.0% on month to 1.5 mln tn in April, data from the Malaysian Palm Oil Board showed. Total palm oil stocks in the country increased 7.1% on month to 1.5 mln tn. The export of palm oil in April jumped up 12.6% on month to nearly 1.3 mln tn. On the other hand, the export of biodiesel rose sharply over 99.7% on month to 27,640 tn.
- Malaysia's palm oil exports during May 1-25 are estimated slightly higher on month at 1.2 mln tn, data from cargo surveyor AmSpec Agri Malaysia.



TECHNICAL VIEW

SOYBEAN NCDEX JUNE	Short covering rallies is progressing, but required to clear the major hurdle of 7295 to see a major corrective moves towards 7000 regions. Otherwise, could trigger major rallies.	
REF SOY OIL NCDEX JUNE	Bearish sentiments are more likely and unable to move above 1425 except to continue corrective selloffs towards 1390/1360 levels.	
RMSEED NCDEX JUNE	Short covering is on progress and 7125 could see downside moves towards 7000 levels.	
CASTOR NCDEX JUNE	Short covering rally is more likely to see, if prices successfully holds the support of 5100 levels.	
CPO MCX MAY	Inability to move above 1220 could see downside moves targeting 1190/1180 levels.	

COTTON COMPLEX

Market Buzz

- The US Department of Agriculture has pegged global production of cotton in 2021-22 (Aug-Jul) at 119.4 mln bales (1 US bale = 218 kg), compared with its estimate of 113.1 mln bales for 2020-21. The projected output in 2021-22 is higher due to projections of bigger crops in Brazil, Australia, Mali, Pakistan, India, and Turkey, the agency said in its World Agricultural Supply and Demand Estimates report. Global cotton consumption is seen at 121.5 mln bales in 2021-22, the highest in four years, as global income growth remains strong. For 2020-21, global consumption is estimated at 117.4 mln bales. Cotton exports are pegged at 45.5 mln bales, compared with 46.2 mln bales estimated in 2020-21. Global ending stocks in 2021-22 were pegged at 90.9 mln bales, against 93.2 mln bales in 2020-21. The output in India is expected to rise marginally to 29.0 mln bales in 2021-22 from its estimate of 28.5 mln bales for the ongoing year. India is the top producer of cotton. In the US, production is likely to rise to 17 mln bales in 2021-22, compared with the estimate of 14.6 mln bales in 2020-21. US producers intend to plant cotton over 12.04 mln acres in 2021-22, down 0.4% from the previous year. The US is among the major producers of cotton.
- The Cotton Association of India has scaled up its estimate for ending stocks for 2020-21 (Oct-Sep) to 11.6 mln bales (1 bale = 17 kg) from 10.6 mln bales projected a month ago. The rise is mainly attributed to a decline in domestic demand. Domestic consumption is projected at 31.5 mln bales, against 33.0 mln bales estimated the previous month. The association has also raised its estimate for exports to 6.5 mln bales from 6.0 mln bales a month ago. In the current marketing year, India shipped around 5.0 mln bales till April. It has maintained its production and import estimates for the year at 36.0 mln bales and 1.1 mln bales, respectively. Production in the northern region, which includes Punjab, Haryana and Rajasthan, is seen at 6.6 mln bales. In the central zone, which includes Gujarat, Maharashtra and Madhya Pradesh, the output is estimated at 19.5 mln bales. In the southern region, production is pegged at 9.5 mln bales. Of the total crop, around 33.6 mln bales had arrived in markets across India till April.
- The US Department of Agriculture's Foreign Agricultural Service has pegged cotton output in India in 2021-22 (Aug-Jul) at 29.5 mln bales (1 US bale = 218 kg), up 4% on year, the agency said in its April report. Yields are expected to improve by 5% based on the expectation of a normal monsoon forecast by India Meteorological Department. The area under cotton is seen at 12.9 mln ha in 2021-22, compared with an estimated 13.0 mln ha the previous year. The average yield of cotton is expected to rise to 498 kg per ha from 474 kg last year. India's cotton consumption in 2021-22 is projected at 25.3 mln bales, nearly 8% higher on year, as mill consumption is expected to increase. The agency has raised its export estimate to 6.0 mln bales, up 15% on year. As Indian cotton prices are expected to remain at a discount due to a large crop, the price advantage could lead to higher exports than last year as demand recovers across major buying markets. Top cotton export destinations were Bangladesh, China, Vietnam, and Indonesia. Imports for India in the 2021-22 crop year are pegged at 1.0 mln bales. The closing stock of cotton for the country has been pegged at 16.5 mln bales, 5% higher on year.
- The International Cotton Advisory Committee, in its May report, has scaled up its global ending stocks estimate for 2020-21 (Aug-Jul) to 22.1 mln tn from 20.9 mln tn projected in April. The revised estimate for ending stock is mainly due to bigger crop in India and China. India will lead global production at an estimated 6.3 mln tn for 2020-21. China is expected to be the second largest producer with 5.9 mln tn. Global production for the ongoing season is estimated at 24.6 mln tn, against 24.1 mln tn projected a month ago. The committee has marginally raised its global consumption to 24.97 mln tn from 24.54 mln tn a month ago due to rise in demand from China, India and Turkey. Global exports are seen higher at 9.8 ln tn, compared with 9.5 mln tn a month ago. The committee has revised upwards its price forecast for Cotlook A index, a global benchmark for prices of raw cotton, by 1% from the previous month to 80 cents per pound.
- The UK-based Cotton Outlook has scaled up its estimate for global output in 2020-21 (Aug-Jul) by 145,000 tn to 24.2 mln tn. The estimate in the April report has been revised upward largely because production in China, Brazil and Australia is expected to be higher. For the current season, the agency has maintained its crop estimate for at 6.1 mln tn. Production in the US is seen at 3.2 mln tn. Global cotton consumption in 2020-21 is seen at 24.8 mln tn, against 24.9 mln tn projected the previous month. Consumption is seen marginally lower due to a fall in demand from Indonesia. Ending stocks of the fibre for 2020-21 are seen at 624,000 tn, against 814,000 tn projected last month.
- India's cotton exports are likely to be 20% higher at 1.02 mln tn in 2020-21 (Oct-Sep) backed by its competitive pricing in the global markets and an improvement in international cotton consumption, ratings agency CARE Ratings said. Higher exports along with a recovery in domestic cotton demand will help reduce the surplus availability of cotton in the country despite higher supply, the rating agency said in a report.
- The government of Mali will provide more funding to cotton farmers to increase the crop and boost exports. The country's government will provide 8,000 cotton farmers with 20 billion CFA francs (\$37 million) in total to reverse the country's poor cotton harvests in 2020-2021 season, and hit the new target set for the 2021-2022 season, the West African nation's Minister of Economy and Finance Alousseni Sanou said.
- Production of cotton in Haryana is expected to decline by 27% to 1.8 mln bales (1 bale = 170 kg) in the 2020-21 (Jul-Jun) season due to yield loss caused by Parawilt, a senior state government official told Informist. Parawilt is a disease affecting cotton plants, which causes sudden drooping of leaves when irrigation is provided after a long dry spell.
- In the Union Budget for 2021-22 (Apr-Mar), Finance Minister Nirmala Sitharaman proposed customs duty of 5% on cotton and 10% on cotton waste. She also proposed an Agriculture Infrastructure and Development Cess of 5% on cotton, taking the overall customs duty to 10%. Customs duty on raw silk and silk yarn or yarn spun from silk waste has been increased to 15% from 10% earlier.
- The area under major kharif crops so far in 2020-21 (Jul-Jun) was at 111.7 mln ha, up nearly 5% from a year ago, farm ministry data showed. Farmers have sown cotton across 13.04 mln ha in the 2020-21 (Jul-Jun) season, up by 2.1% from a year ago, as of 25th Sept., farm ministry.
- India's cotton output in the 2020-21 (Oct-Sep) marketing year is seen at 38.0 mln bales (1 bale = 170 kg), up 4% on year, according to traders' pegs 2020-21 cotton crop at 37.1 mln bales vs 35.5 mln bales.
- Govt cuts 2019-20 cotton output view to 35.5 mln bales vs 36.0 mln. The government has raised the support price of medium staple cotton by 260 rupees per 100 kg to 5,515 rupees, and that of long staple by 275 rupees to 5,825 rupees.



TECHNICAL VIEW

<p>AGRIDEX NCDEX</p>	<p>If prices unable to surpass above the resistance of 1460 expect a downside corrective moves targeting 1400 levels.</p>	
<p>KAPAS NCDEX APR22</p>	<p>Choppy trading session for the day</p>	
<p>COTTON MCX MAY</p>	<p>As prices broke the resistance of 22300 could see more upside moves targeting 22600/22900 levels.</p>	
<p>COCUDAKL NCDEX JUNE</p>	<p>Inability to move above 2675 could see corrective moves targeting 2600/2575 levels.</p>	

OTHERS

Market Buzz

- Chana June futures on NCDEX stretched losses on Tuesday on tepid demand.
- Govt. pegs 2020-21 chana output to be at 12.6 million tonnes compared to 11.1million tonnes a year ago.
- Govt. aims to increase chana procurement by nearly 55 per cent to 3.25 million tonnes in the marketing year 2021-22 beginning April, under the price support scheme.
- The government has approved procurement of 14350 tons of chana Bihar during 2021-22 rabi marketing season.
- The farm ministry has approved the procurement of 61000 tonnes of chana from Maharashtra in 2021-21 under the price support scheme according to the NAFED.
- The farm ministry has approved the procurement of 51325 tonnes of chana from Telangana in 2021-21 under the price support scheme according to the NAFED.
- India’s guar gum exports improved in the month of March 2021 by over 12% to 20,127 tonnes compared to 17,915 tonnes during February 2021 at an average FoB of US \$ 1659 per tonne in the month of March compared to US \$ 1993 per tonne in the month of February 2021. Further, the gum shipments were up 46% in March 2021 compared to the same period last year. Of the total exported quantity, around 6,235 tonnes is bought US, Germany (3,075 tonnes) and China (2,688 tonnes).
- India’s guar split exports rose in the month of March 2021 by 12.5% to 3,334 tonnes compared to 2,964 tonnes during February 2021 at an average FoB of US \$ 1,025 per tonne in the month of February compared to US \$ 1,013 per tonne in the month of February 2021. However, the guar split shipments were up 8% in March 2021 compared to the same period last year. Of the total exported quantity, around 2,521 tonnes is bought China, US (680 tonnes) and Netherlands and Switzerland (60 tonnes each).
- Rubber June futures on MCX ticked up paring initial losses on Tuesday.
- Kerala state government extended lockdown till May 30.
- Global natural rubber production in April declined to 903000 tonnes from 910,000 ton March, the Association of Natural Rubber Producing Countries said. Demand for the commodity was seen at 1.12 million tonnes compared to 1.23 million tonnes a month ago .



TECHNICAL VIEW

<p>CHANA NCDEX JUN</p>	<p>Pullbacks to 5190/5220 ranges may not be ruled out before resuming declining. Also, a direct fall below 5120 may intensify weakness. Alternatively, short-covering moves stretching beyond 5260 may lessen the prevailing weak bias.</p>	
<p>GUARSEED NCDEX JUN</p>	<p>A range bound move inside 4340-4215 expected.</p>	
<p>GUARGUM NCDEX JUN</p>	<p>May trade sideways to weak unless 6550 is breached convincingly upside.</p>	
<p>RUBBER MCX JUN</p>	<p>Pullbacks to 17650/17800 ranges may not be ruled out as long as support at 17200 is held downside.</p>	

TECHNICAL LEVELS

Commodity	Contract	Open*	High*	Low*	Close*	S3	S2	S1	Pivot	R1	R2	R3
SPICES												
Jeera	JuneNCDEX	13695	13795	13695	13755	13602	13648	13702	13748	13802	13848	13902
Turmeric	JuneNCDEX	8200	8278	7990	8018	7625	7807	7913	8095	8201	8383	8489
Cardamom	JuneMCX	1650	1650	1650	1650	1650	1650	1650	1650	1650	1650	1650
Dhaniya	JuneNCDEX	7092	7166	7052	7100	6932	6992	7046	7106	7160	7220	7274
Menthaoil	MayMCX	912.5	934.0	910.0	914.8	881	896	905	920	929	944	953
PULSES												
Chana	JuneNCDEX	5215	5245	5150	5155	5027	5088	5122	5183	5217	5278	5312
Guarseed	JuneNCDEX	4271	4324	4257	4265	4173	4215	4240	4282	4307	4349	4374
Guargum	JuneNCDEX	6440	6530	6440	6466	6337	6389	6427	6479	6517	6569	6607
OIL & OIL SEEDS												
Soybean	JuneNCDEX	7058	7255	7058	7210	6897	6977	7094	7174	7291	7371	7488
RM seed	JuneNCDEX	7040	7122	7027	7108	6954	6991	7049	7086	7144	7181	7239
CPO	MayMCX	1199.8	1200.0	1190.7	1193.2	1180	1185	1189	1195	1199	1204	1208
Soyoil	JuneNCDEX	1414.0	1423.6	1401.0	1411.1	1378	1401	1400	1412	1423	1423	1445
Castor seed	JuneNCDEX	5090	5100	5060	5090	5027	5043	5067	5083	5107	5123	5147
CEREALS												
Wheat	JuneNCDEX	1896	1896	1896	1896	1896	1896	1896	1896	1896	1896	1896
Barley	JuneNCDEX	1939	1939	1939	1939	1939	1939	1939	1939	1939	1939	1939
OTHERS												
Cocud^	JuneNCDEX	2663	2677	2623	2634	2558	2591	2612	2645	2666	2699	2720
Kapas	Apr22 NCDEX	1261.0	1265.0	1261.0	1262.5	1257	1259	1261	1263	1265	1267	1269
Cotton	MayMCX	22270	22840	22270	22540	21690	21980	22260	22550	22830	23120	23400
Rubber	JuneICEX	17430	17430	17430	17430	17430	17430	17430	17430	17430	17430	17430

Pivot Point: A predictive indicator of the market which is calculated as an average of significant prices from the performance of a market in the prior trading period. An open above the pivot point is generally considered bullish and vice versa.
 S1, S2 & S3 are supports and R1, R2, and R3 are resistances from where a turnaround can be anticipated.
 *Open, High, Low and Close prices of previous trading day / ^ Cottonseed Oil Cake



Strong bias or bullish



Choppy or Sideways



Weak bias or bearish



Mild bullish bias



Mild bearish bias

TRADING SIGNALS

Commodities	Intraday	Overall	Volatility		Short term		Medium term		Long term	
	View	View	1 day	Annualized	3 day EMA	5 day EMA	13 day EMA	22 day EMA	45 day EMA	60 day EMA
Pepper June ICEX	FLAT/CHOPPY	POSITIVE	1.09%	17.4%	FLAT	FLAT	POSITIVE	NEGATIVE	POSITIVE	POSITIVE
Jeera June NCDEX	FLAT/CHOPPY	NEGATIVE	0.91%	14.5%	POSITIVE	NEGATIVE	NEGATIVE	NEGATIVE	NEGATIVE	NEGATIVE
Turmeric June NCDEX	NEGATIVE	NEGATIVE	1.83%	29.0%	NEGATIVE	NEGATIVE	POSITIVE	POSITIVE	NEGATIVE	NEGATIVE
Cardamom June MCX	FLAT/CHOPPY	FLAT/CHOPPY	0.00%	0.0%	FLAT	FLAT	FLAT	FLAT	FLAT	FLAT
Dhaniya June NCDEX	POSITIVE	POSITIVE	0.95%	15.1%	POSITIVE	POSITIVE	POSITIVE	POSITIVE	POSITIVE	NEGATIVE
Chana June NCDEX	NEGATIVE	HIGHLY NEGATIVE	1.41%	22.4%	NEGATIVE	NEGATIVE	NEGATIVE	NEGATIVE	NEGATIVE	NEGATIVE
Guarseed10 June NCDEX	FLAT/CHOPPY	POSITIVE	1.60%	25.5%	POSITIVE	NEGATIVE	NEGATIVE	POSITIVE	POSITIVE	POSITIVE
Guargum June NCDEX	POSITIVE	HIGHLY POSITIVE	1.61%	25.5%	POSITIVE	POSITIVE	POSITIVE	POSITIVE	POSITIVE	POSITIVE
Soybean June NCDEX	POSITIVE	POSITIVE	2.53%	40.2%	POSITIVE	POSITIVE	NEGATIVE	POSITIVE	POSITIVE	POSITIVE
Ref. Soyoil June NCDEX	POSITIVE	POSITIVE	1.48%	23.5%	POSITIVE	POSITIVE	NEGATIVE	POSITIVE	POSITIVE	POSITIVE
RMseed June NCDEX	POSITIVE	POSITIVE	2.30%	36.5%	POSITIVE	POSITIVE	NEGATIVE	NEGATIVE	POSITIVE	POSITIVE
CPO May MCX	FLAT/CHOPPY	FLAT/CHOPPY	1.33%	21.2%	POSITIVE	NEGATIVE	NEGATIVE	NEGATIVE	POSITIVE	POSITIVE
Castor June NCDEX	POSITIVE	FLAT/CHOPPY	1.59%	25.3%	POSITIVE	POSITIVE	NEGATIVE	NEGATIVE	NEGATIVE	POSITIVE
Kapas22 Apr NCDEX	POSITIVE	POSITIVE	0.48%	7.7%	POSITIVE	POSITIVE	POSITIVE	POSITIVE	#N/A	#N/A
Cotton May MCX	POSITIVE	HIGHLY POSITIVE	0.70%	11.1%	POSITIVE	POSITIVE	POSITIVE	POSITIVE	POSITIVE	POSITIVE
Cocudak1 June NCDEX	NEGATIVE	NEGATIVE	1.99%	31.6%	NEGATIVE	NEGATIVE	NEGATIVE	FLAT	NEGATIVE	POSITIVE
Wheat June NCDEX	POSITIVE	POSITIVE	0.86%	13.7%	POSITIVE	POSITIVE	FLAT	NEGATIVE	POSITIVE	POSITIVE
Barley June NCDEX	NEGATIVE	NEGATIVE	1.40%	22.2%	NEGATIVE	NEGATIVE	NEGATIVE	NEGATIVE	POSITIVE	POSITIVE
Menthaoil May MCX	NEGATIVE	HIGHLY NEGATIVE	0.70%	11.1%	NEGATIVE	NEGATIVE	NEGATIVE	NEGATIVE	NEGATIVE	NEGATIVE
Rubber June ICEX	FLAT/CHOPPY	POSITIVE	0.37%	5.8%	FLAT	FLAT	POSITIVE	POSITIVE	POSITIVE	POSITIVE

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