

Monday, Dec 30<sup>th</sup> 2013 – Jan 04<sup>th</sup> 2014

#### **SPICES**

| Spices (Mandi)  | (Spot Rate) | +/-%  |  |  |
|-----------------|-------------|-------|--|--|
| Jeera (Unjha)   | 12704.55    | -1.07 |  |  |
| TMC (Nizamabad) | 5516.65     | 0.52  |  |  |
| Chilli (Guntur) | 6835.7      | -3.91 |  |  |
| Dhaniya (Kota)  | 7246.25     | -4.89 |  |  |
|                 |             |       |  |  |

<sup>\*</sup>Source: <u>www.ncdex.com</u> \* Dated: 27<sup>th</sup> December 2013

## News & Fundamentals float during the week

Jeera: Indian jeera futures fell on this week on prospects of better crop due to higher area under cultivation, and large stocks from the old crop. Jeera sowing is progressing well in the key cultivating areas. Jeera, or cumin seed, is a winter crop sown from October and farmers mainly depend on rains to moisten the land for sowing. Jeera production is expected higher as the area under cultivation has expanded and yields are also likely to be good because of ample rains.

**TMC:** Indian turmeric futures fell due to large stocks and as the approaching new supply season outweighed concerns about the quality of crop in top producer Andhra Pradesh. Turmeric cultivation usually begins in the last week of May and continues until August. A lengthy harvesting process starts from January. Large carry-forward stocks and weak overseas demand are keeping turmeric prices under pressure.



Prices remained extremely downside this week and settled at Rs. 7495 after making high of Rs.8348. In weekly chart a, long black stick is witnessed which is an indication of continuation of bearish mode. Prices have sustaining below short and medium term moving averages indicating downside in the trend. Resistance for the coming week is seen at 7750, while the support is seen at 7560 and the 7226. We recommend selling in Dhaniya for the coming week.

|          | PIVOT LEVELS |          |       |              |              |       |       |       |       |       |
|----------|--------------|----------|-------|--------------|--------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| Spices   | PC           | WoW +/-% | S – 3 | S <b>–</b> 2 | S <b>–</b> 1 | Pivot | R – 1 | R – 1 | R – 1 | Trend |
| Jeera    | 12535        | -3.84    | 11707 | 12038        | 12287        | 12618 | 12867 | 13198 | 13447 | Down  |
| TMC      | 6320         | 3.10     | 5677  | 5873         | 6097         | 6293  | 6517  | 6713  | 6937  | Down  |
| Dhaniya  | 7495         | -7.87    | 5991  | 6633         | 7064         | 7706  | 8137  | 8779  | 9210  | Down  |
| Cardamom | 679.6        | -5.11    | 637.1 | 652.5        | 666.2        | 681.6 | 695.3 | 710.7 | 724.4 | Up    |

### **OIL AND OIL SEEDS**

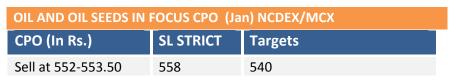
| Oil and oil seeds<br>(Mandi) | (Spot Rate) | +/-%  |
|------------------------------|-------------|-------|
| Soybean (Indore)             | 3870        | -0.92 |
| Soy oil (Indore)             | 695.05      | 0.47  |
| RM Seed (Alwar)              | 3661.5      | 0.00  |
| CPO (Kakinada)               | 540.15      | 0.00  |

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#### Soy-complex:

Soybean futures seen lower next week on expectation of higher global supplies amid reports of improved weather condition in South America and weak buying interest from the domestic oil refineries and plants. Favorable weather condition in South American region will keep the prices under pressure next week. Soy oil futures may trade lower next week on higher supplies of the soft oil and tracking bearish soybean complex. Crude palm oil futures may trade range bound next week after reports showed floods in key palm oil growing areas in Malaysia may hamper supply prospects amid higher imports of the edible oil in the domestic market. RM seed is likely to lower next week as higher sowing acreage coupled with better weather condition has increased the prospects of robust supplies.





Last week CPO remained on the down side and settled at 547.20; against last week closing of 555.20. After making a weekly low of 545. A long Black candle stick again an indication of downside. Prices have settled below the short trem moving average is an indication of weakness in the trend. Resistance for the coming week is seen at 552 and then 557.50, while the support is seen at 545 and the 540. We expect that the CPO prices to remain on the downside for the coming week. However, high risk traders can go short on the higher levels.

| Oil and oil |        | PIVOT LEVELS |              |              |              |       |       |       |       |       |  |  |  |
|-------------|--------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|--|--|--|
| seeds       | PC     | WoW +/-%     | S <b>–</b> 3 | S <b>–</b> 2 | S <b>–</b> 1 | Pivot | R – 1 | R – 1 | R – 1 | Trend |  |  |  |
| Soybean     | 3789.5 | 0.54         | 3576         | 3669         | 3728         | 3821  | 3880  | 3973  | 4032  | Down  |  |  |  |
| Soy oil     | 692.7  | -0.43        | 666.5        | 675.8        | 684.3        | 693.6 | 702.1 | 711.4 | 719.9 | DOWN  |  |  |  |
| RM Seed     | 3535   | -5.71        | 3279         | 3398         | 3467         | 3586  | 3655  | 3774  | 3843  | Down  |  |  |  |
| СРО         | 547.7  | -1.40        | 529.5        | 537.3        | 542.2        | 550.0 | 554.9 | 562.7 | 567.6 | Down  |  |  |  |

## **GRAINS, PULSES & OTHERS**

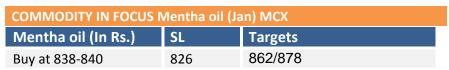
| Grain, Pulses & Others | (Spot Rate) | +/-%  |
|------------------------|-------------|-------|
| Chana                  | 2963.35     | 0.84  |
| Wheat                  | 1660.45     | 0.22  |
| Maize                  | 1268        | -0.45 |
| Cocud                  | 1410.55     | 0.04  |
| Kapas                  | 977.3       | 0.81  |
| Sugar                  | 3079        | -1.14 |
| Guarseed               | 4319.25     | 0.06  |
| Guargum                | 11665.15    | -0.22 |

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Chana: Chana futures are seen range bound next week on expectation of higher output amid anticipation of improved demand for the pea. Prices may rise in anticipation of improved demand ahead of wedding season and festivities. Demand for the pea from consumers may rise as the marriage season and festival of Makar Sankranti will start in January. Good sowing in key regions amid higher stocks in mandis may pressurize the prices. Sowing operations are going on in major states like Madhya Pradesh, Maharashtra, Andhra Pradesh and Karnataka.

Cotton: Cotton futures on Multi-commodity Exchange are likely to extend gains for a second straight week on estimates of lower global output. Cotton prices may rise on tight supplies and weak rupee. The US Department of Agriculture (USDA) in its monthly supply-and-demand lowered global cotton output forecast by 0.3% from its previous estimate to 116.83 million bales. Additionally, cotton acreage is expected to fall to 11.5 million hectares in the 2013-14 cotton seasons as Andhra Pradesh, Maharashtra and Rajasthan planted less the CAB estimated.





Mentha oil prices rebounded this week and settled higher at 847.20 after making a low of 819.50. In the weekly charts, bullish engulf trend reversal candle stick pattern is witnessed along with the volumes signaling trend reversal for the short term. Prices have settled far below short term moving averages is an indication of short term trend reversal. According to the pattern prices are likely to remain bullish and touch the next resistance level of 868 (which is 38.6% Fibonacci retracement of the recent downfall). The view of our technical studies we recommend buying in Mentha oil with strict stop loss for the coming week.

| Grain, Pulses | PIVOT LEVELS |          |              |              |              |       |       |       |       |          |  |
|---------------|--------------|----------|--------------|--------------|--------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|----------|--|
| & Others      | PC           | WoW +/-% | S <b>-</b> 3 | S <b>–</b> 2 | S <b>-</b> 1 | Pivot | R – 1 | R – 1 | R – 1 | Trend    |  |
| Chana         | 3036         | -1.14    | 2847         | 2916         | 2976         | 3045  | 3105  | 3174  | 3234  | Down     |  |
| Wheat         | 1683         | 0.78     | 1651         | 1661         | 1672         | 1682  | 1693  | 1703  | 1714  | Up       |  |
| Cocud         | 1447         | 0.21     | 1413         | 1425         | 1436         | 1448  | 1459  | 1471  | 1482  | Down     |  |
| Sugar         | 2801         | 1.05     | 2697         | 2728         | 2764         | 2795  | 2831  | 2862  | 2898  | Sideways |  |
| Guarseed      | 4350         | -8.42    | 3842         | 4043         | 4197         | 4398  | 4552  | 4753  | 4907  | Down     |  |
| Guargum       | 11730        | -11.20   | 10373        | 10977        | 11353        | 11957 | 12333 | 12937 | 13313 | Down     |  |



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