AGRI PICKS

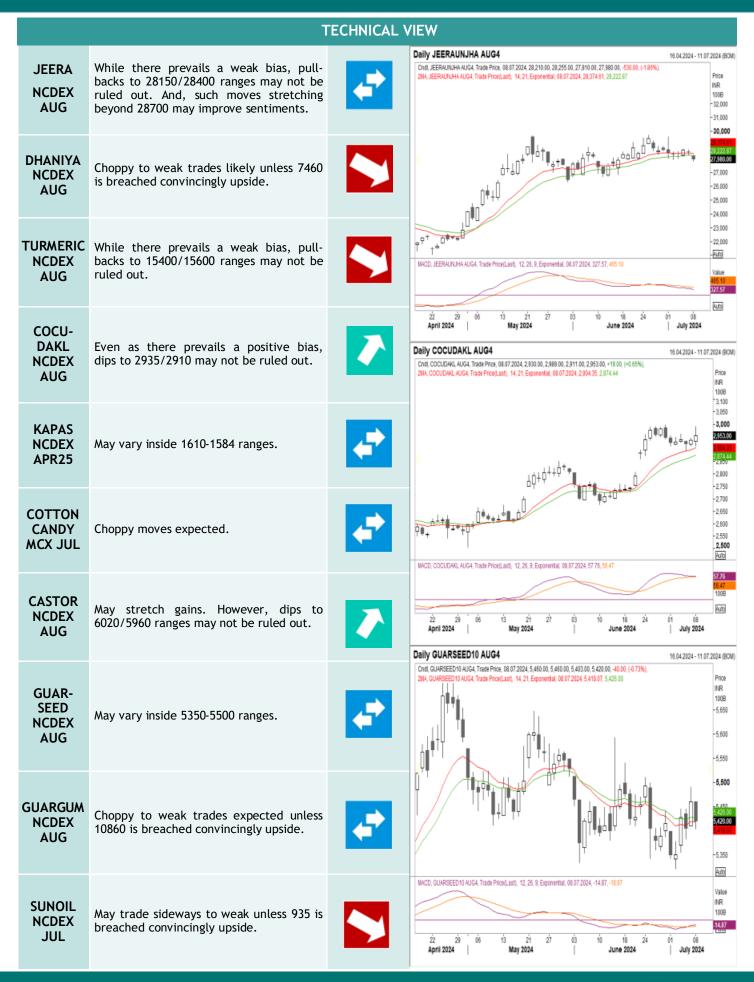
A Daily Report on Agriculture Commodities 09 Jul 2024



MARKET NEWS/UPDATES

- Farmers across the country have sown kharif crops over 37.9 mln ha as of Monday, up 14% from a year ago, data from the farm ministry showed. The sowing of kharif crops has begun well as the southwest monsoon rainfall has picked up after a slow start. The above-normal rainfall so far in the season has boosted the acreage of key crops such as paddy, pulses and oilseeds from the previous year. The area under paddy, one of the main kharif crops, was up 19% from a year ago at 6.0 mln ha as of today. The acreage under pulses was 3.7 mln ha as of today, up 55% from 2.4 mln ha a year ago. Within pulses, acreage under tur surged 409% to 2.1 mln ha from 409,000 ha a year ago, the ministry data showed. The sharp increase in tur acreage is mainly due to the early onset of the monsoon in top tur-producing states such as Karnataka. During the last kharif season, the sowing of kharif crops was delayed due to the erratic monsoon. This also weighed on the production of tur and maize and further delayed the sowing of rabi crops. However, the forecast of an above-normal southwest monsoon this year by the India Meteorological Department bodes well for the agricultural sector this year as most kharif crops are heavily reliant on rainfall. Staggered withdrawal of the monsoon would benefit kharif crops and improve the soil moisture for the rabi season as well. The IMD has forecast that the southwest monsoon rainfall is likely to be above normal at over 106% of the long-period average. During the season so far, India has received a weighted average rainfall of 234.6 mm, 2% above the normal of 230.4 mm for the period, according to the data from the IMD. The government last month raised the minimum support prices of key kharif crops to encourage farmers to sow more pulses and oilseeds. The government increased the minimum support prices of 14 key kharif crops by 1.4-12.7% for the marketing season 2024-25 (Oct-Sep). The minimum support price of tur has been increased by nearly 8% to 7,550 rupees per 100 kg for the upcoming season, and that of urad by 6.5% to 7,400 rupees per 100 kg.
- Farmers in Karnataka have sown crops over 5.09 mln ha, 174% higher than 1.86 mln ha during the corresponding period last year, according to state government sowing data as of Friday. The normal kharif acreage for the period, which is the average of the last five years, is 2.91 mln ha. So far, nearly 62% of the targeted kharif sowing area of 8.2 mln ha has been covered, the report showed. The kharif season starts from mid-June and ends in mid-Oct. The sharp increase is mainly due to the early onset of the monsoon in the state. During last year's kharif season, Karnataka witnessed a drought, which damaged major crops such as tur and maize. So far, the state has received 266.6 mm rainfall, 5% above normal of 252.9 mm, according to the India Meteorological Department. During last year's southwest monsoon, the state received a 25% deficit rainfall. The acreage under maize so far has been 1.22 mln ha, 190% higher than 421,500 ha during the corresponding period of last year. Maize is the largest cereal grown in Karnataka and the state is one of the major maize producers. Paddy has been sown over 103,000 ha so far, up from 51,000 ha a year ago. The acreage for total cereals was 1.51 mln ha, up from 531,900 ha a year ago. Sowing of cereals was done over 1.21 mln ha of rainfed land and 304,200 ha of irrigated land, the data showed. As of Friday, the area under pulses rose to 1.79 mln ha from 397,700 ha a year ago. The acreage under tur was sharply up at 1.25 mln ha, from 221,700 ha a year ago. The acreage of green gram was at 393,000 ha, up from 96,200 ha a year ago. The state reported 619,000 ha under oilseeds as of Friday, higher than 208,900 ha a year ago. The area under groundnut surged to 146,000 ha from 34,800 ha a year ago, while that under soybean rose to 419,000 ha from 134,600 ha last year. Sugarcane sowing so far was at 542,000 ha, up from 491,300 ha a year ago. Cotton acreage rose to 548,000 ha from 157,100 ha a year ago, the data showed.
- The total acreage under kharif crops in Andhra Pradesh was 305,000 ha as of Wednesday, up 26.5% on year, according to data from the state government. Farmers in Andhra Pradesh have sown paddy over 88,000 ha, down 4.3% from a year ago, the data showed. The area under food grains was 157,000 ha compared with 120,000 ha a year ago, while coarse grain cultivation was reported at over 30,000 ha compared with 19,000 ha the previous year. Pulses have been sown over 39,000 ha, up from 9,000 ha a year ago. The area under oilseeds--comprising groundnut, soybean, castor, sunflower and others--was up at 64,000 ha, the data showed. A year ago, the acreage was 57,000 ha. The area under cotton rose to 75,000 ha, from 54,000 ha a year ago, and acreage of sugarcane was at 10,000 ha, up from 8,000 ha the corresponding period a year ago. Of the state's 26 districts, rainfall as of Wednesday was deficient in two since Jun 1. Above -normal showers were recorded in 24 districts and normal showers in two districts. The state has received 164.7 mm rainfall since Jun 1 till Wednesday, against the normal of 107.9 mm. The water level in major reservoirs in the state as of Wednesday was 185.39 bcm, down from 265.25 bcm last year.





TECHNICAL LEVELS												
Commodity	Exchange	Open*	High*	Low*	LTP*	S 3	S 2	S 1	Pivot	R1	R2	R3
JEERAUNJHA AUG4	NCDEX	28210	28255	27810	27980	27330	27570	27775	28015	28220	28460	28665
TMCFGRNZM AUG4	NCDEX	15770	15832	14950	15250	13974	14462	14856	15344	15738	16226	16620
DHANIYA AUG4	NCDEX	7280	7294	7252	7268	7207	7229	7249	7271	7291	7313	7333
CASTORSEED AUG4	NCDEX	5974	6110	5972	6080	5860	5972	5998	6054	6136	6192	6274
GUARSEED10 AUG4	NCDEX	5460	5460	5403	5420	5338	5371	5395	5428	5452	5485	5509
GUARGUM5 AUG4	NCDEX	10752	10752	10582	10616	10378	10480	10548	10650	10718	10820	10888
MENTHAOIL JUL4	MCX	990.5	995.0	975.5	980.0	953	964	972	984	992	1003	1011
COCUDAKL AUG4	NCDEX	2930	2989	2911	2953	2835	2873	2913	2951	2991	3029	3069
KAPAS APR5	NCDEX	1593.0	1600.0	1584.0	1597.0	1571	1578	1587	1594	1603	1610	1619
COTTONCNDY JUL4	MCX	58390	58390	58010	58020	57510	57760	57890	58140	58270	58520	58650
SUNOIL JUL4	NCDEX	924	924	919	920	913	916	918	921	923	926	928

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

TDAD		CNIAIC
- $ -$	N(-)	IGNALS
IIVADI		CITALS

Commune disting	F drawn	Intraday Medium term			RS		Volatility	
Commodities	Exchange	View	13 day EMA	22 day EMA	Condition	Trending	1 day	Annualised
JEERAUNJHA AUG4	NCDEX	NEGATIVE	NEGATIVE	NEGATIVE	Neutral	Strong	1.85%	29.3%
TMCFGRNZM AUG4	NCDEX	NEGATIVE	NEGATIVE	NEGATIVE	Oversold	Strong	2.16%	34.2%
DHANIYA AUG4	NCDEX	NEGATIVE	NEGATIVE	NEGATIVE	Oversold	Strong	0.68%	10.8%
GUARSEED10 AUG4	NCDEX	NEGATIVE	POSITIVE	NEGATIVE	Neutral	Strong	0.77%	12.2%
GUARGUM5 AUG4	NCDEX	NEGATIVE	NEGATIVE	NEGATIVE	Neutral	Strong	0.94%	14.9%
CASTORSEED AUG4	NCDEX	POSITIVE	POSITIVE	POSITIVE	Overbought	Strong	0.54%	8.6%
KAPAS APR5	NCDEX	NEGATIVE	NEGATIVE	POSITIVE	Neutral	Strong	0.42%	6.6%
COTTONCNDY JUL4	MCX	NEGATIVE	NEGATIVE	POSITIVE	Neutral	Weak	0.78%	12.4%
COCUDAKL AUG4	NCDEX	POSITIVE	POSITIVE	POSITIVE	Overbought	Strong	1.15%	18.2%
MENTHAOIL JUL4	MCX	FLAT/CHOPPY	POSITIVE	POSITIVE	Overbought	Strong	1.10%	17.4%
SUNOIL JUL4	MCX	NEGATIVE	NEGATIVE	NEGATIVE	Neutral	Strong	0.80%	12.7%

Trading signals is prepared based on statistical analysis and is purely on technical indicators like exponential moving averages (EMAs), Relative strength Index (RSI) and stochastic, putting altogether provides an idea about intraday, short, medium and long term trend of the commodities. It also signals the risk of an investment in both agricultural and global commodities as well. Based on all listed indicators above, investors were able to fix a daily, near-term and long term trends. However, must be cautious especially for real-time intraday traders/jobbers.

Trading Strategy based on EMA

Trading strategies mentioned in the report is mainly based on 3, 5, 13, 22, 45 & 60 days exponential Moving Averages. 3 and 5 day EMA has taken for developing Intraday trading strategy, 13 days and 22 days EMA for Short term and Medium term, while 45,60 days EMA for Long term. Here, we use EMAs for POSITIVE and NEGATIVE signals. POSITIVE signal is formed when a short-term moving average (eg: 30 day) crosses from below a longer-term average (eg: 60 day), which is considered bullish. Likewise, NEGATIVE signal is formed when a short-term moving average (eg: 30 day) crosses from above a longer-term moving average (eg: 60 day), which is considered bearish.

Allifudilised		Ratings	Risk %	Ratings	Risk %	Ratings	Risk %	Ratings	Risk %	Ratings
Volatility >	> 35%	Very High risk	27 to 34%	High risk	20 to 26%	Moderate risk	11 to 19%	Low risk	1 to 10%	Very Low risk

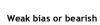
Source: Informist (Cogencis), Reuters, e-News , NCDEX, MCX, and other International exchanges.







Strong bias or bullish







Mild bullish bias



Mild bearish bias



Choppy with positive note

Choppy with negative note



GENERAL DISCLOSURES & DISCLAIMERS:

GENERAL DISCLOSURES & DISCLAIMERS:

CERTIFICATION

I, Anu V Pai, an employee of Geojit Financial Services Limited, a public listed Company with Corporate Identification Number (CIN): L67120KL1994PLC008403 and SEBI Registration Number - Research Entity: INH200000345, having its registered office at 11th Floor, 34/659 - P, Civil Line Road, Padivattom, Kochi - 682024, Kerala, India (hereinafter referred to as "GFSL") and author of this report, hereby certify that all the views expressed in this research report (report) reflect my personal views about any or all of the subject issuer or securities/ commodities.

DISCLAIMER

This report has been prepared by GFSL and the report & its contents are the exclusive property of GFSL and the recipient cannot tamper with the report or its contents in any manner and the said report, shall in no case, be further distributed to any third party for commercial use, with or without consideration.

GFSL has taken steps to ensure that facts in this report are based on reliable information but cannot testify, nor make any representation or warranty, express or implied, to the accuracy, contents or data contained within this report. It is hereby confirmed that wherever GFSL has employed a rating system in this report, the rating system has been clearly defined including the time horizon and benchmarks on which the rating is based.

Descriptions of any Commodity or Commodities mentioned herein are not intended to be complete and this report is not, and should not be construed as an offer or solicitation of an offer, to buy or sell any commodity or other financial instruments. GFSL has not taken any steps to ensure that the commodity/(ies) referred to in this report are suitable for any particular investor. This Report is not to be relied upon in substitution for the exercise of independent judgment. Opinions or estimates expressed are current opinions as of the original publication date appearing on this Report and the information, including the opinions and estimates contained herein, are subject to change without notice. GFSL is under no duty to update this report from time to time.

Registration granted by SEBI, membership of BASL (in case of IAs) and certification from NISM in no way guarantee performance of the intermediary or provide any assurance of returns to investors.

RISK DISCLOSURE

Geojit Financial Services Limited and/or its Affiliates and its officers, directors and employees including the analyst/ authors shall not be in any way be responsible for any loss or damage that may arise to any person from any inadvert-ent error in the information contained in this report. Investors may lose his/her entire investment under certain market conditions so before acting on any advice or recommendation in these material, investors should consider whether it is suitable for their particular circumstances and, if necessary, seek professional advice. This report does not take into account the specific investment objectives, financial situation/circumstances and the particular needs of any specific person who may receive this document. The user assumes the entire risk of any use made of this information. Each recipient of this report should make such investigation as it deems necessary to arrive at an independent evaluation of an investment in the Commodity/(ies) referred to in this report (including the merits and risks involved). The price, volume and income of the investments referred to in this report may fluctuate and investors may realize losses that may exceed their original capital.

The investments or services contained or referred to in this report may not be suitable for all equally and it is recommended that an independent investment advisor be consulted. In addition, nothing in this report constitutes investment, legal, accounting or tax advice or a representation that any investment or strategy is suitable or appropriate to individual circumstances or otherwise constitutes a personal recommendation of GFSL.



REGULATORY DISCLOSURES:

Geojit Financial Services Limited's Associates consists of companies such as Geojit Technologies Private Limited (GTPL - Software Solutions provider), Geojit Credits Private Limited (GCPL- NBFC Services provider). In the context of the SEBI Regulations on Research Analysts (2014), Geojit Financial Services Limited affirms that we are a SEBI registered Research Entity and we issue research reports /research analysis etc that are prepared by our Research Analysts. We also affirm and undertake that no disciplinary action has been taken against us or our Analysts in connection with our business activities.

In compliance with the above mentioned SEBI Regulations, the following additional disclosures are also provided which may be considered by the reader before making an investment decision:

1. Disclosures regarding Ownership:

GFSL confirms that:

It/its associates have no financial interest or any other material conflict in relation to the subject Commodity futures covered herein at the time of publication of this report.

Further, the Research Analyst confirms that:

He, his associates and his relatives have no financial interest in the subject Commodity futures covered herein, and they have no other material conflict in the subject Commodity at the time of publication of this report.

2. Disclosures regarding Compensation:

During the past 12 months, GFSL or its Associates have not received any compensation or other benefits from any entity/ third party in connection with the Commodity futures mentioned in this report.

3. Disclosure regarding the Research Analyst's connection with the Commodity futures:

It is affirmed that I, Anu V Pai, employed as Research Analyst by GFSL and engaged in the preparation of this report have no substantial ownership or financial interest over any Commodity futures mentioned in the report.

4. Disclosure regarding Market Making activity:

Neither GFSL nor its Research Analysts have engaged in market making activities for the subject Commodity futures. Copyright in this report vests exclusively with GFSL

In case you have any grievance, please contact the below mentioned:

Compliance Officer
Ms. Indu K.
Geojit Financial Services Limited,
34/659 P, Civil Lane Road, Padivattom, Kochi - 682024
Tele: 0484 -2901367
Email: compliance@geojit.com

Grievance Officer Mr Nitin K

Geojit Financial Services Limited, 34/659 P, Civil Lane Road, Padivattom, Kochi - 682024

Tele: 0484-2901363

Email: grievances@geojit.com

STANDARD WARNING

Investment in securities market are subject to market risks. Read all the related documents carefully before investing.

