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MARKET NEWS/UPDATES

- The National Commodity and Derivatives Exchange Limited has decided to bring forward by one day the expiry of the October futures contract of crude sunflower oil. The contract will now expire on Oct. 30 instead of earlier announced Oct. 31. This is on account of closure of the physical market of crude sunflower oil at the basis centre Chennai on Oct. 31, the exchange said in a circular.
- The National Commodity and Derivatives Exchange Ltd. announced the relaunch of unprocessed whole raw yellow peas futures contracts. Futures contracts of yellow peas will be available for trading on the NCDEX from Wednesday, the domestic bourse said in a circular late on Monday. Contracts expiring in the months of November, December, January, and February will be launched the same day. The open interest threshold of the yellow pea futures contract is 120,500 tonnes and the contract symbol is YELLOWP, according to the circular.
- India's oilmeal exports in September fell 35% on year to 213,744 tonnes, according to data released by The Solvent Extractors' Association of India on Tuesday. Total oilmeal exports in the first half of 2024-25 (Apr-Mar) were also down nearly 9% to 2.08 million tonnes, the data showed. This is mainly due to a reduction in the export of rapeseed meal and castor seed meal, the Association said. Exports of soymeal in September plunged to 59,818 tonnes from 105,535 tonnes a year ago. However, soymeal exports in Apr-Sept rose to 908,800 tonnes from 586,850 tonnes a year ago. This was due to higher imports of soybean meal by Iran, France, and the UAE, the association said. In September, exports of mustard meal fell to 131,265 tonnes from 189,213 tonnes a year ago. Similarly, during Apr-Sept, exports of rapeseed were down at 1.02 million tonnes from 1.34 million tonnes a year ago. Bangladesh, South Korea, and Thailand are the major importers of rapeseed meal. Exports of castor seed meal fell to 22,092 tonnes in September from 35,306 tonnes a year ago, the Association said. Even during Apr-Sept, exports of castor meal were down at 138,560 tonnes from 181,996 tonnes a year ago. During Apr-Sept, India's oilmeal exports to Bangladesh fell 8.6% on year to 398,068 tonnes. Similarly, exports to Vietnam fell 56.5% to 131,606 tonnes, the data showed. Oilmeal exports to South Korea were at 359,204 tonnes, lower than 462,187 tonnes a year ago, the data showed. "Iran has turned out to be the largest importer of soybean meal from India (including shipment via Dubai) and imported 114,475 tonnes of soybean meal," the SEA said. In the case of rice bran meal, India exported 141 tonnes in September, compared to nil exports last year.
- The Northeast Monsoon commenced over southeast India on Tuesday with a well-marked low pressure area over the central part of the south Bay of Bengal, the India Meteorological Department said in a release. The IMD in its forecast for Oct-Dec said above normal rainfall is likely over many parts of central and south India and some parts of northeast India during Oct-Dec. However, most parts of northwest India and some parts of northeast India and southernmost parts of the country are likely to receive normal to below-normal rainfall during Oct-Dec, the Met department said earlier this month. Meanwhile, the Southwest Monsoon has withdrawn from the entire country Tuesday, the weather bureau said. The Southwest Monsoon started to withdraw from parts of Rajasthan and Gujarat on Sept. 23, against the normal date of Sept. 17. However, private agency Skymet said the Southwest Monsoon is likely to withdraw from the entire India by Oct. 18, and the northeast monsoonis likely to start during the same time.
- Farmers in Andhra Pradesh have sown kharif crops over 2.8 million hectares as of Wednesday, up 12% from the 2.5 million hectares sown in the same period last year, according to a report by the state's agriculture department. So far, the state has overed 82% of the targeted area of 3.4 million hectares, and 86% of the normal area of 3.3 million hectares. Paddy, maize, bajra, jowar, ragi, groundnut, sesamum, blackgram (urad), horsegram, and greengram (moong) are in their harvesting stage, the report said. Cotton is at its first picking stage, while redgram (tur) is at its flowering stage. Sugarcane is at the cane development stage. The acreage under total food grains so far was 2.0 million hectares, up from 1.7 million hectares a year ago, the report showed. The area sown under coarse grains rose to 223,000 hectares from 184,000 hectares last year. Under pulses, the acreage under tur was 362,000 hectares, up from 201,000 hectares a year ago. The acreage under oilseeds was 341,000 hectares against 331,000 hectares a year ago, the report said. Under oilseeds, the area sown under groundnut was 288,000 hectares, up from 255,000 hectares a year ago. Groundnut acreage takes up nearly 85% of the total area sown under all oilseeds. Cotton acreage in the state fell to 399,000 hectares from 407,000 hectares a year ago. Similarly, the area sown under sugarcane fell to 20,000 hectares from 27,000 hectares a year ago.
- The Soybean Processors Association of India Monday said soybean production in the 202425 kharif season has risen by 6% on year to 12.6 million tonnes with an error margin of (+/-)5%, due to high yields and above-average rainfall. "Overall Soybean crop production has shown positive trend due to favourable weather conditions and agricultural practices," D.N. Pathak, executive director, SOPA, said in the first estimate of the soybean crop during the kharif season. During this year, average yield of soybean has risen to 1,063 kilogram per hectare from 1,002 kilogram per hectare, it said. The crop estimates are "preliminary" and are on the basis of the survey by the association during Oct. 2-10. The survey covered 5,021 kilometres in three major soybean growing states Maharashtra, Madhya Pradesh, and Rajasthan, the report said.
- The Cotton Association of India has scaled up its estimate for the country's production in 2023-24 (Oct-Sept) to 32.5 million bales (1 bale = 170 kg) from 32.3 million bales. The association updates its estimates almost every month, based on information received from its members in 11 cotton-growing states and other trade sources. The association has estimated domestic demand in 2023-24 at 31.3 million bales, against 31.1 million bales the previous year. It has pegged exports at 2.85 million bales from 2.80 million bales in the previous estimate. The opening stock for the season starting October was estimated at 2.89 million bales, the association said. The total supply of cotton for the 2023-24 season is estimated at 37.2 million bales, up from 35.5 million bales the previous season. The association has estimated imports in 2023-24 at 1.75 million bales, up 110,000 bales from its previous estimate.





TECHNICAL LEVELS												
Commodity	Exchange	Open*	High*	Low*	LTP*	S 3	S 2	S 1	Pivot	R1	R2	R3
JEERAUNJHA NOV4	NCDEX	25990	26265	24905	25350	23388	24147	24748	25507	26108	26867	27468
TMCFGRNZM DEC4	NCDEX	13844	13858	13706	13854	13602	13654	13754	13806	13906	13958	14058
DHANIYA NOV4	NCDEX	7472	7518	7450	7490	7386	7418	7454	7486	7522	7554	7590
CASTORSEED NOV4	NCDEX	6843	6970	6825	6900	6682	6825	6827	6898	6972	7043	7117
GUARSEED10 NOV4	NCDEX	5664	5675	5501	5559	5308	5404	5482	5578	5656	5752	5830
GUARGUM5 NOV4	NCDEX	11472	11472	11250	11310	10994	11122	11216	11344	11438	11566	11660
MENTHAOIL OCT4	MCX	921.1	921.3	913.1	915.3	904	908	912	917	920	925	928
COCUDAKL DEC4	NCDEX	2951	2951	2903	2921	2851	2877	2899	2925	2947	2973	2995
KAPAS APR5	NCDEX	1575.0	1579.0	1566.0	1566.5	1549	1558	1562	1571	1575	1584	1588
COTTONCNDY NOV4	MCX	56720	56800	56700	56800	56633	56667	56733	56767	56833	56867	56933
SUNOIL OCT4	NCDEX	1202	1204	1200	1204	1197	1199	1201	1203	1205	1207	1209

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

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Commodities	Exchange	Intraday	Mediun	Medium term		RSI		Volatility	
		View	13 day EMA	22 day EMA	Condition	Trending	1 day	Annualised	
JEERAUNJHA NOV4	NCDEX	NEGATIVE	NEGATIVE	NEGATIVE	Oversold	Strong	0.88%	14.0%	
TMCFGRNZM DEC4	NCDEX	POSITIVE	NEGATIVE	NEGATIVE	Neutral	Strong	1.97%	31.2%	
DHANIYA NOV4	NCDEX	POSITIVE	FLAT	POSITIVE	Neutral	Strong	1.05%	16.6%	
GUARSEED10 NOV4	NCDEX	NEGATIVE	NEGATIVE	NEGATIVE	Neutral	Strong	1.32%	20.9%	
GUARGUM5 NOV4	NCDEX	NEGATIVE	NEGATIVE	POSITIVE	Neutral	Strong	1.58%	25.0%	
CASTORSEED NOV4	NCDEX	POSITIVE	POSITIVE	POSITIVE	Neutral	Strong	0.89%	14.1%	
KAPAS APR5	NCDEX	NEGATIVE	NEGATIVE	NEGATIVE	Oversold	Strong	0.44%	7.0%	
COTTONCNDY NOV4	MCX	NEGATIVE	NEGATIVE	NEGATIVE	Neutral	Strong	0.80%	12.6%	
COCUDAKL DEC4	NCDEX	NEGATIVE	NEGATIVE	NEGATIVE	Neutral	Strong	3.67%	58.2%	
MENTHAOIL OCT4	MCX	NEGATIVE	NEGATIVE	NEGATIVE	Neutral	Strong	1.83%	29.1%	
SUNOIL OCT4	MCX	FLAT/CHOPPY	POSITIVE	POSITIVE	Neutral	Strong	1.60%	25.5%	

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.

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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

Weak bias or bearish





Mild bullish bias



Mild bearish bias





Choppy with positive note

Choppy with negative note



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