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**DAILY COTTON MARKET REPORT**

**18<sup>th</sup> May, 2021**

Market	Current Prices	Prices on same date last year`
<b>1. Cot look Index (Cents/lb)</b> (17.05.2021) <b>‘A’ Index</b>	88.00	66.30
<b>II. New York Cotton Market Contract No. 2 (cents/lb)</b> (17.05..2021) <b>‘July’ 2021 Contract</b> <b>‘Oct’ 2021 Contract</b>	82.32 82.29	58.25 57.95
<b>III. China Cotton Index (17.05..2021)</b>  <b>Yuan/M. Ton</b> <b>(Cents/lb.)</b>	15924 112.12	11515 73.72
<b>IV. Indian Cotton Index(17.05..2021)</b>  Shankar-6  <b>Rs. Per Candy</b> <b>(Equivalent Cents/lb.)</b>	46000 80.05	35400 59.69
<b>V. Karachi Cotton Association</b> Ex-gin Price (17.05..2021) <b>Rs. Per 40kgs.</b> <b>Rs. Per maund</b> <b>(Equivalent Cents/lb.)</b>	12,110 11,300 89.87	9,217 8,600 65.04

**Table: 1 NEW YORK COTTON MARKET CLOSING DELIVERY CONTRACT NO. 2 AS ON 17.05.2021**

Contract	Open	High	Low	Previous	Close	Change
<b>July-21</b>	82.70	83.57	82.00	82.43	82.32	-0.11
<b>Oct-21</b>	82.51	82.54	82.51	81.61	82.29	+0.68
<b>Dec-21</b>	81.42	82.21	81.31	81.22	81.71	+0.49
<b>Mar-22</b>	81.02	81.85	81.02	80.90	81.35	+0.45
<b>May-22</b>	81.22	81.59	80.96	80.63	81.10	+0.47

**Table: 2 PROPOSED TARGETS OF COTTON CROP DURING 2021-22 SEASON**

Province	Targets 2021-22		
	Area (Million Hectares)	Production (Million Bales)	Yield (kg/hectares)
<b>Punjab</b>	1.61	6.07	641
<b>Sindh</b>	0.64	4.0	1062
<b>KPK</b>	0.0022	0.00417	323
<b>Balochistan</b>	0.07	0.43	1044
<b>Total</b>	<b>2.3222</b>	<b>10.50417</b>	<b>769</b>

Source: Federal Committee on Agriculture.

**Table: 3 SOWING POSITION OF COTTON CROP 2021-22 SEASON**

(Million Hectares)

Province	Proposed Target 2021-22	Area Sown		% age Against Target	% Change Over Last Year
		2021-22	2020-21		
Punjab (01.05.2021)	1.61	0.239	0.267	14.8%	-10.5
Sindh (23.04.2021)	0.64	0.135	0.151	21.1%	-10.6
<b>Total</b>	<b>2.25</b>	<b>0.374</b>	<b>0.418</b>	<b>16.6%</b>	<b>-10.5</b>

Source: Provincial Agriculture Extension &amp; Crop Reporting Service, Departments .

**Table: 4 COTTON CROP ASSESSMENT FOR 2020-21 SEASON**

(Bales = 170 Kg)

Province	Expected Production (million bales)	
	First Cotton Crop Assessment (02.10.2020)	Second Cotton Crop Assessment (14.12.2020)
Punjab	5.30	4.900
Sindh	3.000	2.500
Khyber PakhtunKhwa	0.0065	0.0065
Balochistan	0.291	0.291
<b>Pakistan</b>	<b>8.597</b>	<b>7.70</b>

Source: Cotton Crop Assessment Committee Meeting.

**Table:5 TARGETS AND ACHIEVEMENTS OF COTTON CROP: 2019-20**

(Bale=170kg)

Province	Area (000 hac.)		Production (million bales)		% age Against Target	
	Target	Achievement	Target	Achievement	Area	Production
<b>Punjab</b>	2145	1889.44	7.90	6.336	88.08	80.20
<b>Sindh</b>	640.0	598.71	4.60	2.746	93.55	59.70
<b>KPK</b>	10.0	0.213	0.02	0.00065	2.13	3.25
<b>Balochistan</b>	100.0	38.63	0.20	0.0958	38.63	47.9
<b>Total</b>	<b>2895.0</b>	<b>2526.993</b>	<b>12.72</b>	<b>9.178</b>	<b>87.29</b>	<b>72.15</b>

Source: Provincial Agriculture Crop Reporting Department. (Final Estimates)

**Table: 6 SEED COTTON ARRIVALS AS ON 01<sup>st</sup> MAY, 2021. (Final)**

(Bales)

Heads	2020-21 (Season)		
	Punjab	Sindh	Total
Arrivals	3,509,798	2,136,169	5,645,967
Sales to Exporters	4,400	65,800	70,200
Sales to Textile Mills	3,466,369	2,068,654	5,535,023
Sales to T.C.P	-	-	-
Unsold Stock	39,029	1,715	40,744
Un-ginned Stock	0	0	0

**Data was not collected last year as on 01.05.2020 due to Covid-19.**

Source: Pakistan Cotton Ginners Association.

**Table: 7 SEED COTTON, RAW COTTON, COTTON SEED AND COTTON SEED CAKE PRICES**

Market	Seed Cotton	Raw Cotton (Lint)	Cotton Seed	Cotton Seed Cake
	(Rs. Per 40Kgs)			
	17.05.2021	17.05.2021	17.05.2021	17.05.2021
Rahim Yar Khan	-	13664	2143	1875
Burewala	-	12057	2036	1929

Source: Market Report.

Note: \*shows market prices, while others are rates of ginning factories.

**Table: 8 PROVISIONAL STATEMENT OF EXPORT AND IMPORT OF COTTON** (Value= Million Rs)

Exports						Imports					
July,19 -June,2020		July,18 - June,2019		% change		July,19-June,2020		July,18-June,2019		% change	
Qty Bales	Value	Qty Bales	Value	Qty	Value	Qty Bales	Value	Qty Bales	Value	Qty	Value
75,153	2,669	76,424	2,709	1.66	1.48	3,157,100	139,628	2,441,335	107,874	29.20	29.44

Source: Pakistan Bureau of Statistics.

**Table: 9 PROVISIONAL STATEMENT OF EXPORT AND IMPORT OF COTTON** (Value= Million Rs)

Exports						Imports					
July,2020- Mar,2021		July,2019 -Mar,2020		% change over last year		July2020 - Mar,2021		July,2019 - Mar,2020		% change over last year	
Qty Bales	Value	Qty Bales	Value	Qty Bales	Value	Qty Bales	Value	Qty Bales	Value	Qty	Value
2,935	98	75,153	2,669	-96.09	-96.33	3,676,147	165,955	1,989,671	86,738	84.76	91.33

Source: Pakistan Bureau of Statistics.

**Table:10 COTTON BALANCE SHEET DURING 2016-17, 2017-18, 2018-19 AND 2019-20** (Bale= 170kg)

Sr. No.	Position	2016-17		2017-18		2018-19*		2019-20*	
		'000' Bales	'000' M/Tons	'000' Bales	'000'M/Tons	'000' Bales	'000'M/Tons	'000' Bales	'000'M/Tons
1.	Carryover	0	0	439	75	949	162	1089	185
2.	Production	10670	1814	11945	2031	9,860	1676	9178	1560
3.	Imports	2976	506	3521	599	2441	415	3157	537
<b>Total</b>		<b>13646</b>	<b>2320</b>	<b>15905</b>	<b>2705</b>	<b>13250</b>	<b>2253</b>	<b>13424</b>	<b>2282</b>
4.	Mill Consumption	13060	2220	14749	2508	12085	2055	13171	2239
5.	Exports	147	25	207	35	76	13	75	13
6.	End Season Stocks	439	75	949	162	1089	185	178	30
<b>Total</b>		<b>13646</b>	<b>2320</b>	<b>15905</b>	<b>2705</b>	<b>13250</b>	<b>2253</b>	<b>13424</b>	<b>2282</b>

Source: i) Textile Commissioners Organization (Mill Consumption Aug, 2017-June 2018), for 2018-19 (Aug,2018 to April,2019) and for 2019-20 (Aug,2019- June,2020).

ii) Pakistan Bureau of Statistics. (Imports &amp;Exports).

iii) Provincial Crop Reporting Department and D.G Agriculture (Extension) Department.(Production)

Note: For exports and imports data covers (July-June.)

\*Provisional.

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Note: Pakistan Central Cotton Committee (PCCC) has started Tele Cotton Information System through SMS Service. All the concerned who intend to receive various information through SMS may send their Name & Address to this Cell No: 0334-1121213.