



MONTHLY REPORT
TOMATO
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1. PRODUCTION

- The major Tomato producing states in the country are Andhra Pradesh, Madhya Pradesh, Karnataka, Gujarat, Bihar, Odisha, West Bengal, Telangana, Chhattisgarh, Haryana, Tamil Nadu, Uttar Pradesh and Maharashtra. These states are account for 91% of the total production of the country
- The production of Tomato during the year 2018-19 (First Advance Estimate) is estimated to be about **3.83% higher** as compared to the previous year. **(Table-1.2)**
- The details regarding seasonality and harvesting period of Tomato crop in the country are given in **Table-1.1**

Table-1.1

TOMATO TRANSPLANTING AND HARVESTING PERIOD

Region	Transplanting	Harvesting Period
Southern & Western States	A-June- July	A- August - September
	B-October - November	B- December - February
	C-January- February	C-March - June
Northern & Eastern States	A- October- November	A- January - March
	B- January - February	B- March - June
Hilly States	A- May- June	A- July - September
	B-October - November	B-December - March

Table-1.2**STATE WISE TOMATO PRODUCTION IN THE COUNTRY****(Production in '000 Tonnes)**

STATE/Uts	Five year Average (2013-14 to 2017-18)		2017-18		2018-19 (1st A.E.)	
	Production	% Share	Production	% Share	Production	% Share
ANDHRA PRADESH	2857.98	15.15	2744.32	13.89	2845.64	13.87
MADHYA PRADESH	2307.82	12.24	2419.28	12.24	2589.89	12.62
KARNATAKA	2029.47	10.76	2081.59	10.53	2185.67	10.65
GUJARAT	1321.30	7.01	1357.52	6.87	1371.10	6.68
BIHAR	1012.07	5.37	941.56	4.77	1325.66	6.46
ODISHA	1335.03	7.08	1312.07	6.64	1312.07	6.40
WEST BENGAL	1198.76	6.36	1265.25	6.40	1268.12	6.18
TELANGANA	1146.26	6.08	1171.50	5.93	1170.07	5.70
CHHATTISGARH	952.29	5.05	1087.33	5.50	1108.22	5.40
HARYANA	673.31	3.57	753.72	3.81	911.43	4.44
TAMIL NADU	564.53	2.99	887.08	4.49	909.32	4.43
UTTAR PRADESH	646.83	3.43	841.61	4.26	844.01	4.11
MAHARASHTRA	1030.04	5.46	1086.56	5.50	781.37	3.81
HIMACHAL PRADESH	457.05	2.42	481.94	2.44	484.10	2.36
ASSAM	412.25	2.19	396.24	2.01	417.86	2.04
JHARKHAND	246.46	1.31	265.26	1.34	266.33	1.30
PUNJAB	196.56	1.04	224.26	1.13	252.63	1.23
UTTARAKHAND	104.03	0.55	103.85	0.53	103.85	0.51
RAJASTHAN	83.90	0.44	88.73	0.45	89.48	0.44
JAMMU & KASHMIR	81.95	0.43	52.96	0.27	87.54	0.43
TRIPURA	50.13	0.27	56.50	0.29	56.50	0.28
MEGHALAYA	41.49	0.22	35.51	0.18	36.53	0.18
MANIPUR	37.10	0.20	33.72	0.17	33.80	0.16
NAGALAND	20.95	0.11	22.47	0.11	22.47	0.11
MIZORAM	10.66	0.06	11.87	0.06	11.87	0.06
SIKKIM	6.90	0.04	8.03	0.04	8.11	0.04
KERALA	20.78	0.11	12.61	0.06	4.82	0.02
ARUNCHAL PRADESH	7.02	0.04	2.15	0.01	2.15	0.01
OTHERS	15.36	0.08	13.84	0.07	14.63	0.07
TOTAL	18860.78	100.00	19759.32	100.00	20515.23	100.00

Source: State Departments of Horticulture & Agriculture

2. CURRENT STATUS

- The harvesting of Rabi tomato continued in Rajasthan, Madhya Pradesh, Uttar Pradesh and Gujarat.
- The area coverage under Rabi tomato is expected to be less by 4% as compared to previous year.
- The crop condition is medium to good

3. MONTHLY ARRIVAL

The All India monthly arrivals of Tomato for five years (2013-2017) along with the monthly arrival of 2018 and 2019 are given in **Table-3.1** and **Figure-3.1**.

Table-3.1

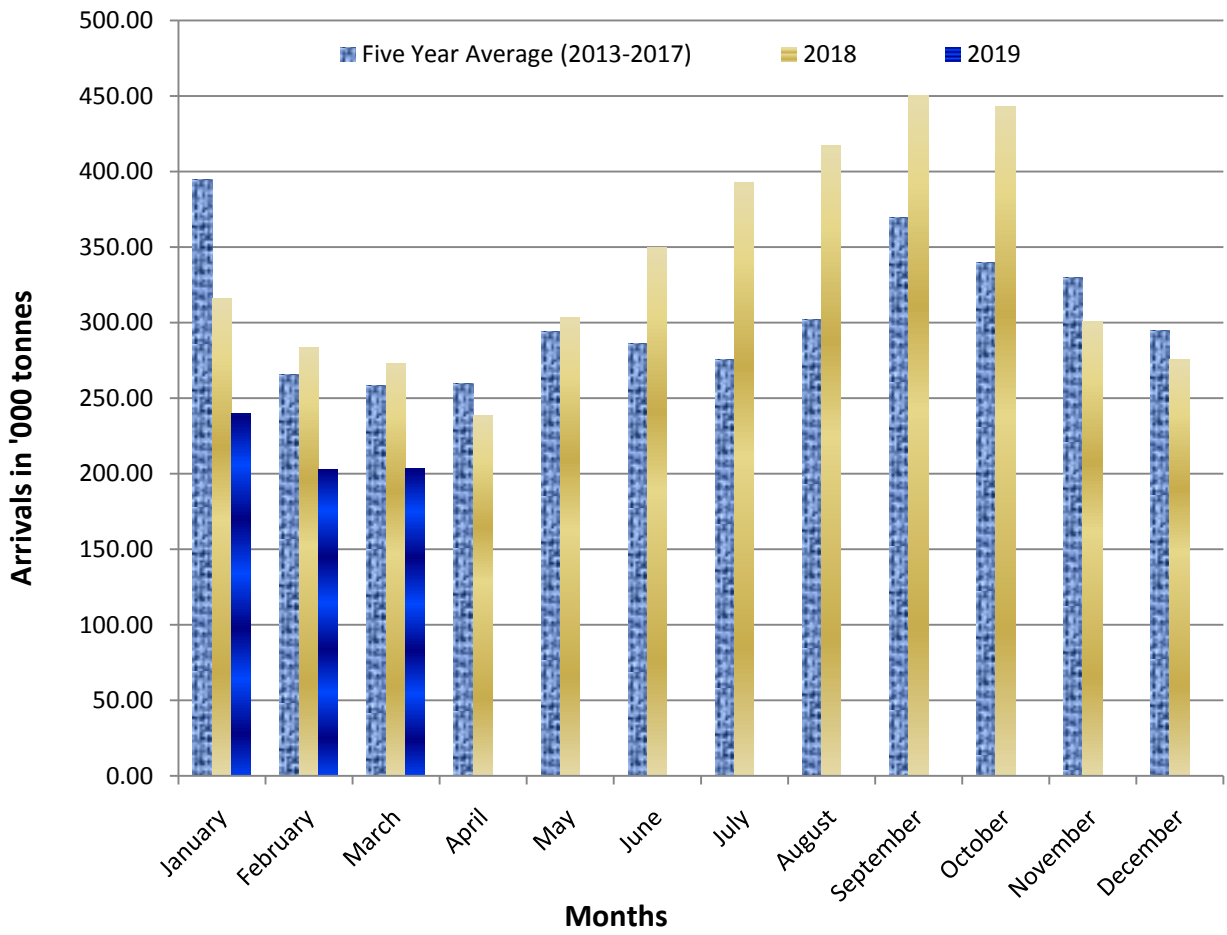
ALL INDIA MONTHLY ARRIVALS OF TOMATO

Arrivals in '000 Tonnes

Month	All India Arrivals		
	Five Year Average (2013-2017)	2018	2019
January	394.95	315.69	239.29
February	265.45	283.79	202.84
March	258.69	271.85	203.67
April	259.97	238.78	
May	294.34	303.30	
June	286.36	349.77	
July	275.44	392.71	
August	301.92	417.35	
September	369.56	450.24	
October	339.87	443.29	
November	329.85	300.57	
December	294.74	275.37	

Source: AGMARKNET

Figure 3.1 : ALL INDIA MONTHLY ARRIVALS FOR TOMATO



4. WHOLESALE PRICES

Table-4.1

STATE WISE AVERAGE WHOLESALE PRICES

State	Monthly Average Wholesale Prices			% variation over month of February, 2019	% variation over month of March, 2018
	(Rs/Quintal)				
	March, 2019	February, 2019	March, 2018		
Andaman and Nicobar	6233.33	NA	NA	NA	NA
Andhra Pradesh	820.04	606.56	338.95	35.20%	141.94%
Arunachal Pradesh	NA	NA	2291.29	NA	NA
Assam	1446.40	779.64	540.29	85.52%	167.71%
Chandigarh	1698.25	1252.84	748.94	35.55%	126.75%
Chhattisgarh	892.83	456.40	403.81	95.62%	121.10%
Gujarat	1360.96	1225.39	462.22	11.06%	194.44%
Haryana	1861.60	1327.51	873.20	40.23%	113.19%
Himachal Pradesh	2669.08	2133.48	1332.57	25.10%	100.30%
Jammu and Kashmir	2757.10	2229.66	1249.35	23.66%	120.68%
Jharkhand	1655.09	1172.05	1953.69	41.21%	-15.28%
Karnataka	979.41	808.96	528.72	21.07%	85.24%
Kerala	1915.77	1688.86	1411.32	13.44%	35.74%
Madhya Pradesh	980.85	715.68	409.37	37.05%	139.60%
Maharashtra	1391.34	1155.40	504.45	20.42%	175.81%
Meghalaya	2730.15	2525.47	1789.90	8.10%	52.53%
Mizoram	4648.88	4617.11	4042.81	0.69%	14.99%
Nagaland	5982.35	6181.82	4361.64	-3.23%	37.16%
NCT of Delhi	1596.54	1141.52	642.50	39.86%	148.49%
Odisha	1375.08	1024.34	887.18	34.24%	54.99%
Punjab	1770.48	1435.36	686.59	23.35%	157.87%
Rajasthan	1619.58	1253.00	723.14	29.26%	123.96%
Telangana	847.56	864.42	400.49	-1.95%	111.63%
Tripura	1235.36	1492.11	1445.64	-17.21%	-14.55%
Uttar Pradesh	1152.88	736.04	644.39	56.63%	78.91%
Uttarakhand	617.06	552.39	547.94	11.71%	12.61%
West Bengal	1306.40	1049.58	940.56	24.47%	38.90%
Average	1982.48	1537.02	1160.04	28.98%	70.90%

Source: AGMARKNET

Table-4.2

MONTHLY AVERAGE WHOLESALE PRICES OF TOMATO IN DELHI

(Prices in Rs/Quintal)

Month	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
January	1443.6	1433.9	562.0	914.5	1072.74
February	1486.8	1093.1	715.2	704.5	1141.52
March	1401.8	838.3	905.8	642.5	1596.50
April	1278.7	675.3	775.9	598.6	
May	1405.7	733.6	541.7	337.0	
June	1172.9	1853.0	1192.1	633.3	
July	1611.9	2491.6	4049.7	1874.6	
August	1375.3	1403.3	3707.2	1381.2	
September	1679.6	1496.8	1931.5	1032.5	
October	1699.5	1306.5	2462.1	1176.2	
November	2161.9	848.6	3390.8	1115.2	
December	1621.7	590.5	1506.2	931.8	

Source: AGMARKNET

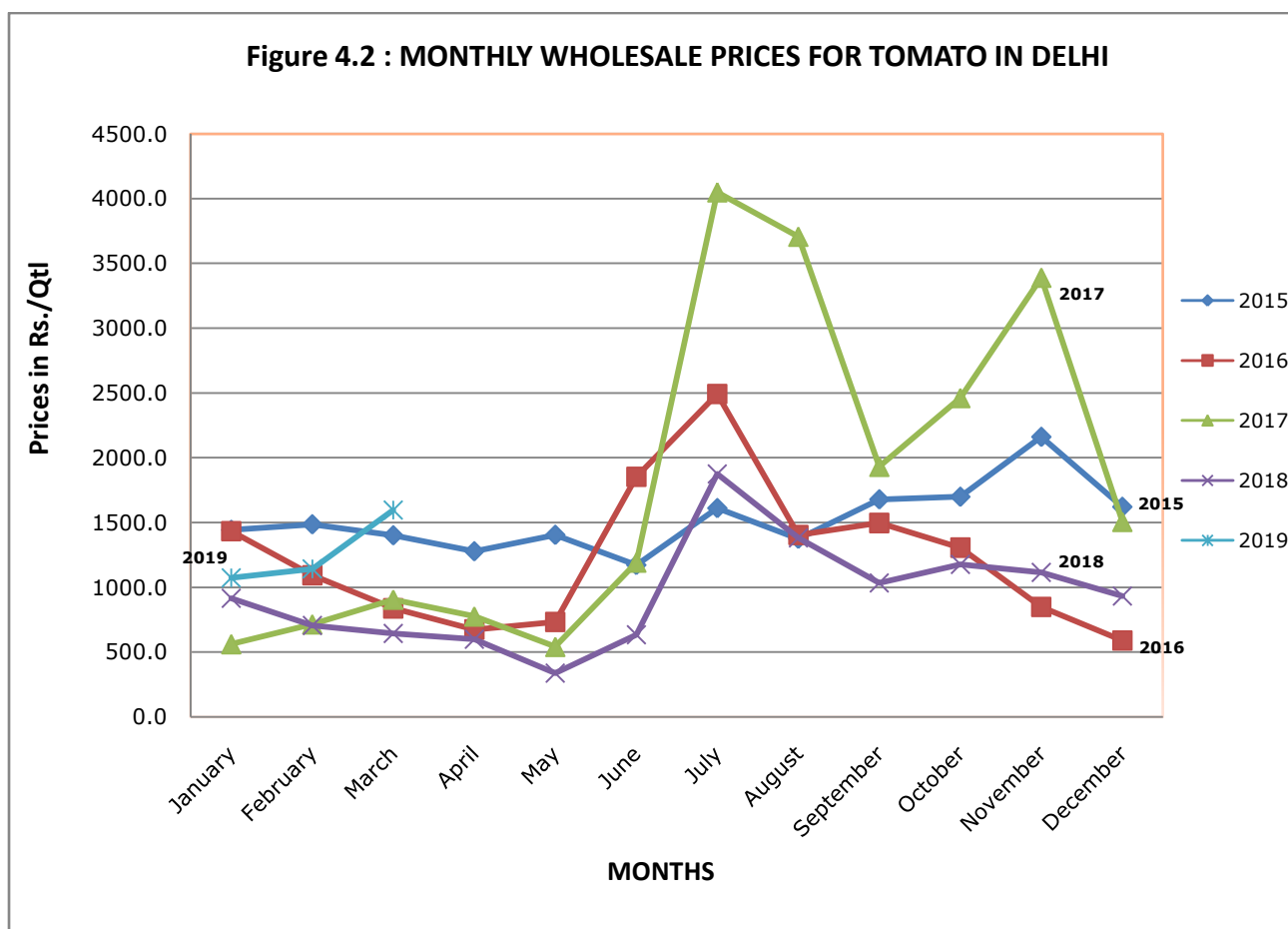


Table-4.3

ALL INDIA MONTHLY AVERAGE WHOLESALE PRICES OF TOMATO

(Prices in Rs./Quintal)

Month	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
January	1555.5	1742.0	1294.4	1343.7	1811.8
February	1302.7	1231.5	1177.4	791.8	1537.0
March	992.4	992.4	1213.1	1160.0	1982.5
April	1239.9	1239.9	1123.9	1004.4	
May	1676.6	2298.6	1520.1	1131.1	
June	1812.6	2995.3	2089.6	1531.0	
July	1987.2	2658.4	3984.7	1938.8	
August	1768.2	1876.0	3927.6	1706.8	
September	1797.4	1797.4	2546.2	1582.1	
October	1841.7	1841.7	2462.1	2238.7	
November	3081.5	1685.8	1507.6	1639.5	
December	1909.7	1182.8	2147.8	1399.2	

Source: AGMARKNET

