

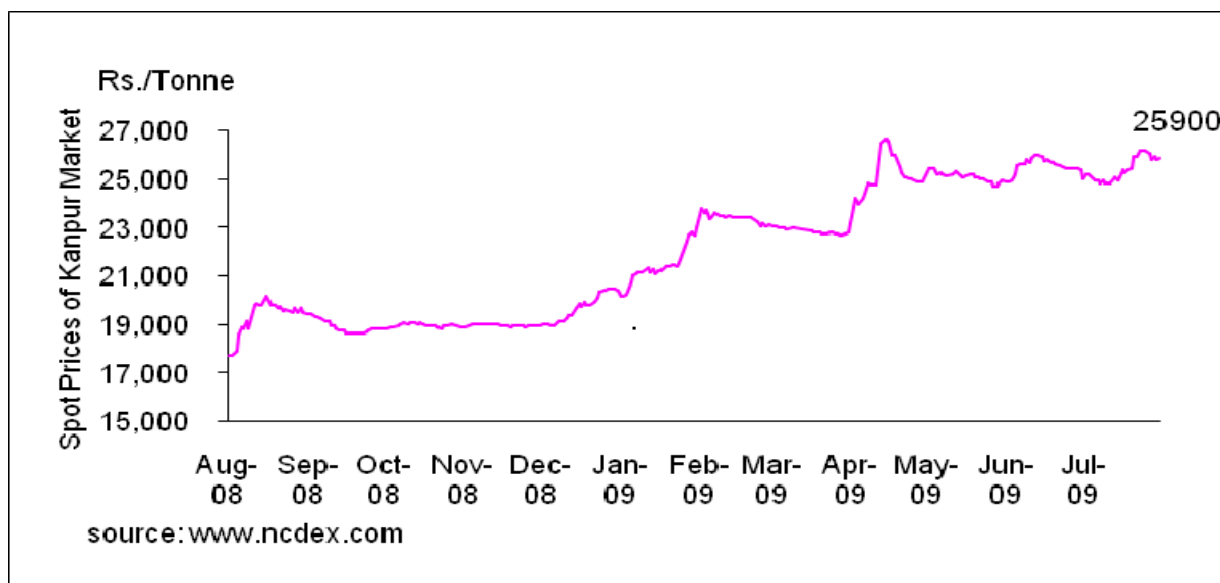
Dalmia Cement (Bharat) Ltd.

Integrated Sugar Unit – Monthly Update

New Delhi, Aug 4, 2009:

Sugar Price Realizations Trend

Region: Central U.P.



Average spot sugar prices of Kanpur market have witnessed marginal decrease in July'09; Rs. 25,435 per ton as compared to Rs. 25,572 per ton in previous month.

Free Sale Quota (FSQ) for the period ended July 31, 2009						
	For the Month			Financial Year To Date		
	July '09	July '08	YoY Growth%	July'09	July'08	YoY Growth%
All India (Lac MT)	15*	16**	(7%)	77	61	26%
Dalmia (MT)	13,456	7,968	69%	63,627	37,727	69%

* Includes processed raw sugar of 0.91 lac MT and buffer stock of 0.89 lac MT

** Includes buffer stock of 4 lac MT (Total buffer stock was of 20 lac MT to be sold between May to Sept'08)

- The Government has allowed **extending duty-free import of raw sugar without export obligation till March, 2010**, which was earlier valid till August 1, 2009.
- The Centre has also **given permission to private trade to import refined sugar at zero duty**, which was so far restricted to public sector trading firms STC, MMTC and PEC. However, 10 lakh quantitative restrictions remain on the import.

About Dalmia Cement (Bharat) Limited

DCBL, with total gross income of around Rs 2000 crores has business interests in two major segments, Cement and Sugar. It has cement plants in Southern States of Tamil Nadu (Dalmiapuram & Ariyalur) and Andhra Pradesh (Kadapa), with capacity of 9 million tonnes per annum. Pioneer in cement manufacturing since 1939, DCBL is a leading multi spectrum Cement player in South India with double digit market share and is a pioneer in super specialty cements like Oil well, Railway sleeper and Air strip.

The Company has three Integrated Sugar Mills in the State of Uttar Pradesh with total installed capacity of 22500 tons of cane crush per day leading to sugar manufacturing of about 300,000 MT per annum, distillery capacity of 80 KL per day & cogeneration facility. It has been ranked among the Top 10 players in the sugar industry within a short span of operations in terms of income.

The company has charted out an ambitious growth plan, which is being executed by a professional management team under the guidance of the experienced promoters of the Group.

The company produces around 160 MW of Power through thermal and renewable energy with an aim to increase the power generation from non-conventional methods.

Over the 7 decades, the company has earned the trust of the employees, distribution chain as well as all its stakeholders. The company is looked upon and respected for being a value-based organization. DCBL is Head Quartered in New Delhi. It has employee strength of more than 3500 people.

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