

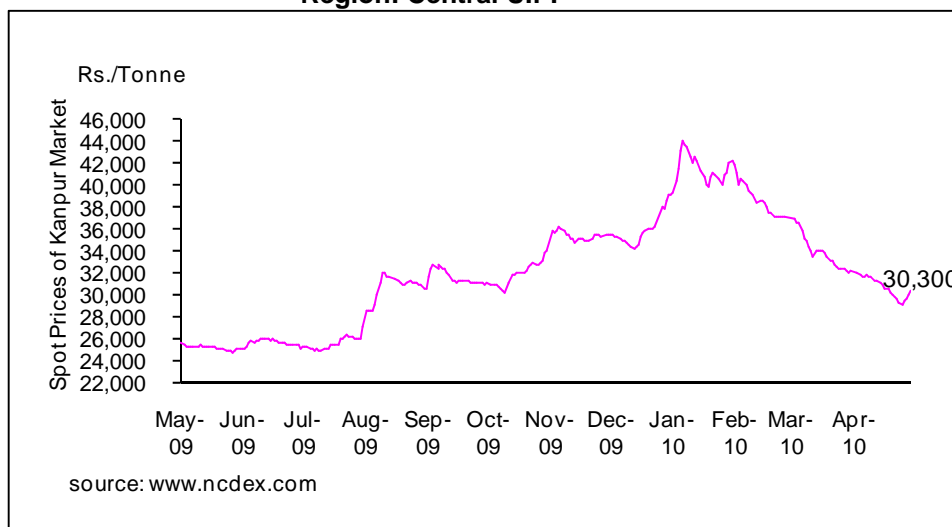
Dalmia Cement (Bharat) Ltd.

Integrated Sugar Unit – Monthly Update

New Delhi, May 4, 2010:

Sugar Price Realizations Trend

Region: Central U.P.



- **Average spot sugar prices** of Kanpur market in Apr'10 has decreased by 9% to Rs 30,647 from Rs 33,846 in Mar'10. The price fall was triggered by expected improvement in domestic sugar production for SY09-10 (18 MnT vs 14-15 MnT, estimated earlier).
- In **last one year** the spot prices have seen a **growth of over 19%**, from Rs.25,494/MT to Rs. 30,300/MT on Apr 30'10.

Free Sale Quota (FSQ) for the period ended Apr 30, 2010						
	For the Month			Financial Year To Date		
	Apr'10	Apr'09	YoY Growth%	Apr'10	Apr'09	YoY Growth%
All India (Lac MT)	16.0*	18.8**	(-15)%	16.0	18.8	(-15)%
Dalmia (MT)	26,932	19,505***	38%	26,932	19,505	38%

* Includes processed raw sugar of 2.2 lac MT and white sugar of 1 lac MT approximately

** Includes buffer stock of 2.3 lac MT

*** Includes a buffer stock of 1,149 MT

- The Government said it would consider imposing import duty on sugar after the current Parliament session to protect the domestic industry, which is facing a price fall in anticipation of production of 25 MnT in SY10-11.
- The validity period for sale and dispatch of April, 2010 non-levy sugar quota has been extended by 15 days.
- The sugar factories shall sell and dispatch entire released non-levy quantity for the month of May, 2010 within the prescribed validity period i.e. upto 31.5.2010.

About Dalmia Cement (Bharat) Limited

DCBL, with a total income of Rs. 1779 crore in FY 09 and an expected total gross income of around Rs 2,500 crore 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 a capacity of 9 million tonnes per annum. A leader in cement manufacturing since 1939, DCBL is a multi spectrum Cement player with double digit market share and a pioneer in super specialty cements used for Oil wells, Railway sleepers and Air strips.

DCBL has a stake of 45.4 % in OCL India Ltd., a major cement Player in the Eastern Region. Dalmia Cement now controls a cement capacity of 14.3 million tonnes & has a strong presence in Southern & Eastern Regions of the Country.

Under the restructuring scheme the cement business of Dalmia Cement (Bharat) Ltd. will stand demerged effective April 1, 2010 and will form part of Avniya Properties Ltd. The process of approval of the restructuring by Madras High Court is underway.

The Company has three integrated Sugar Mills in the state of Uttar Pradesh with total installed capacity of 22,500 tonnes 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 amongst 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 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 has been recognized and awarded Hewitt's Best employer for the year 2009. It has been ranked among the Top Ten in the Manufacturing industry. DCBL is Head Quartered in New Delhi. It has employee strength of more than 3500 people.

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