

Sugar Weekly Report

July 27-31



31-Jul-20												
	31-Jul-20	24-Jul-20	30-Jun-20	Weekly Var.	Monthly Var.		31-Jul-20	24-Jul-20	30-Jun-20	Weekly Var.	Monthly Var.	
NY #11	12.64	11.49	11.84	⬆️	1.15	⬆️	USD Index	93.46	94.35	97.38	⬇️ -0.89	⬇️ -3.93
London #5	381.6	350.3	355.6	⬆️	31.3	⬆️	USDBZL	5.22	5.23	5.46	⬇️ -0.01	⬇️ -0.24
NY#16	27.40	27.05	26.00	⬆️	0.35	⬆️	USDINR	74.91	74.75	75.54	⬆️ 0.17	⬇️ -0.62
Front White Premium	102.9	97.0	94.6	⬆️	5.9	⬆️	EURUSD	1.18	1.17	1.12	⬆️ 0.01	⬆️ 0.05

Market Situation at a Glance

International Prices			
	31-Jul-20	24-Jul-20	Weekly Var.
Sugar			
NY #11	12.64	11.49	↑ 1.15 cts/lb
Front Spread	-0.56	-0.69	↑ 0.13 cts/lb
London #5	381.60	350.30	↑ 31.30 \$/mt
Front Spread	4.60	2.90	↑ 1.70 \$/mt
White Premium	102.94	96.99	↑ 5.95 \$/mt
USD Index	93.46	94.35	↓ -0.89
USDBZL	5.22	5.23	↓ -0.01 R\$/
USDINR	74.91	74.75	↑ 0.17 RUP/\$
RUBUSD	74.40	71.67	↑ 2.73 RUB/\$
EURUSD	1.18	1.17	↑ 0.01 \$/EUR
S&P500	3,271	3,216	↑ 55.49
DJ Industrial Avg	26,314	26,652	↓ -338.68
Light Crude Oil	40.4	41.3	↓ -0.91 \$/Barrel
Corn	315.0	327.0	↓ -12.00 cts/Bushel
Wheat	530.8	540.3	↓ -9.50 cts/Bushel
Coffee (Arabic)	118.6	108.2	↑ 10.40 cts/lb

Domestic Markets

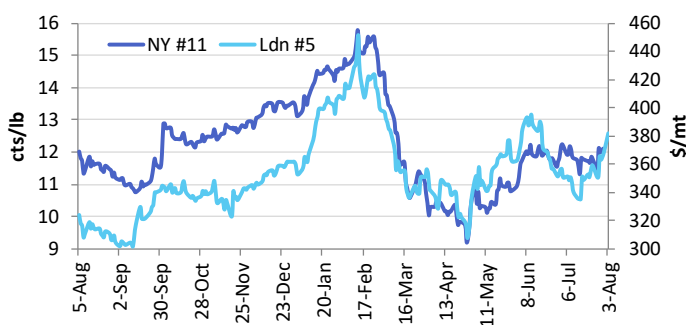
	31-Jul-20	24-Jul-20	Weekly Var.	Unit
Brazil				
NY Front Month in BZL	66.00	60.13	↑ 5.87	R\$ cts/lb
Domestic:				
Esalq Sugar (R\$)	78.46	78.49	↓ -0.03	R\$/50kg
Esalq Sugar (US\$)	15.03	15.00	↑ 0.03	cts/lb
Hydrous Ethanol (NY#11 equiv.)	10.26	10.08	↑ 0.18	cts/lb
Anhydrous Ethanol (NY#11 equiv.)	10.95	10.79	↑ 0.16	cts/lb

Ethanol/Gasoline in S. Paolo				
	31-Jul-20	24-Jul-20	Weekly Var.	Unit
Ethanol	2,553	2,551	↑ 2	R\$/l
Gasoline	4,009	3,967	↑ 42	R\$/l
Ethanol/Gasoline Parity	63.7%	64.3%	↓ -1%	
Anhydrous from US Parity	-99.38	-108.69	↑ 9.31	USD/M3
Anhydrous to US Parity	-79.12	-69.60	↓ -9.52	USD/M3

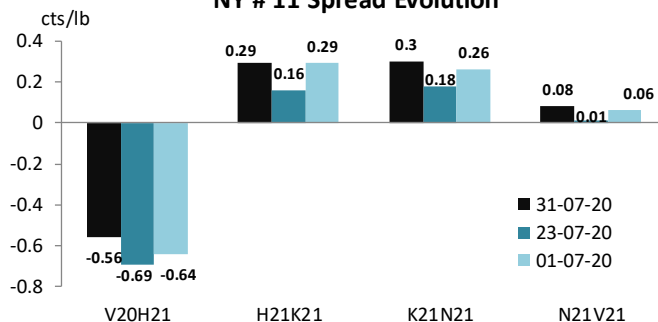
India				
	31-Jul-20	24-Jul-20	Weekly Var.	Unit
S-Grade (Kolhapur)*	32,000	32,400	↓ -400	RUP/mt
M-Grade (Kolkatta)*	34,762	35,048	↓ -286	RUP/mt

* price does not include GST of 5%

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NY # 11 Spread Evolution



China				
	31-Jul-20	24-Jul	Weekly Var.	Unit
ZCE Front Month	5,006	5,101	↓ -95	RMB/mt
ZCE Front Spread	-156	-160	↑ 4	RMB/mt
Northern Spot Cash	Rizhao 5,420	5,520	↓ -100	RMB/mt
Southern Spot Cash	Liuzhou 5,340	5,380	↓ -40	RMB/mt

USA				
	31-Jul-20	24-Jul-20		
No #16	27.40	27.05	↑ 0.35	cts/lb
#16/11 Spread	14.76	15.56	↓ -0.80	cts/lb

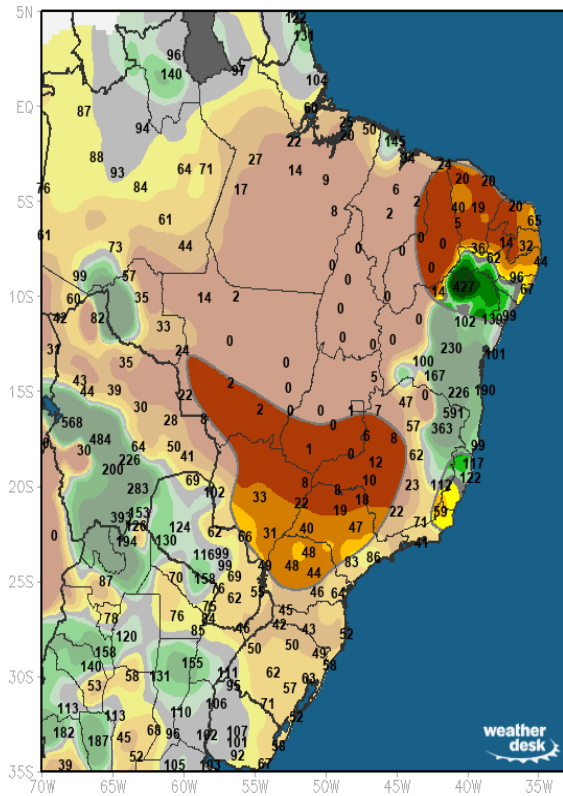
EU				
EU 45s containers	20	20	↑ 0.0	\$/mt ov Ldn

Russia				
Price in Krasnodar	402	423	↓ -20.7	\$/m3

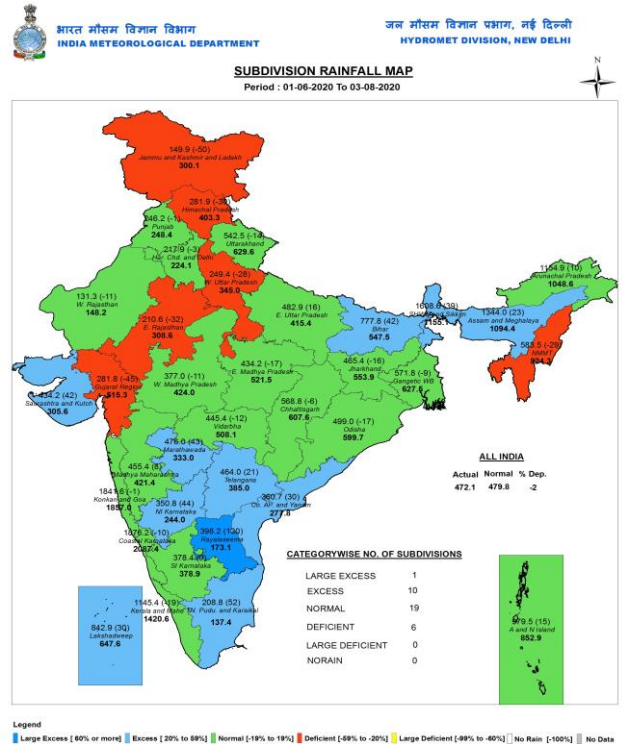
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Brazil rains 15 days forecast - % of normal rains



Indian monsoon rains



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- **NY Flat price:** Market rallied last week; October contract reached the highs of 12.72 cts/lb, closing Friday at 12.53 cts/lb, up from 11.49 a week earlier.
- **NY spreads:** October/March spread strengthened last week, closing Friday at 56 points carry up from 69 points carry a week earlier.
- **London market:** October White Premium strengthened to over \$100/mt, closing Friday at \$98.3/mt. October/December spread has been trading in a small inverse during the past 2 weeks, closing Friday at \$4.6/mt.
- **COT report:** Specs increased net-long positions to 94.3k ha, up 13k lots week on week. Index funds traders kept positions almost unchanged week on week at 242.8k lots of net-longs. Commercials positions increased by 13.4k lots week on week to 337k lots of net-shorts.



BULL

- ▶ The line-up in CS Brazil is still the strongest it has been since 2017.
- ▶ EU yields could be impacted by the drought and beet diseases, leading to a drop in domestic exports of up to 1 million mt.
- ▶ The Thai crop could fall 600k mt year on year to 7.5 million mt.



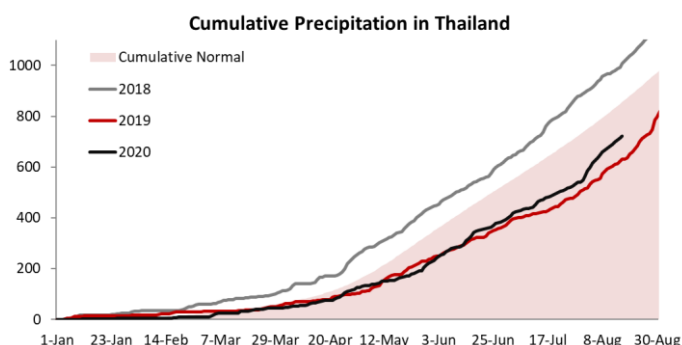
BEAR

- ▶ Ethanol could continue to pay less than sugar in CS Brazil.
- ▶ The OTTO cycle decline for the rest of the year in CS Brazil, has been reviewed and could further reduce fuel and ethanol demand.

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Thailand: Rains Update

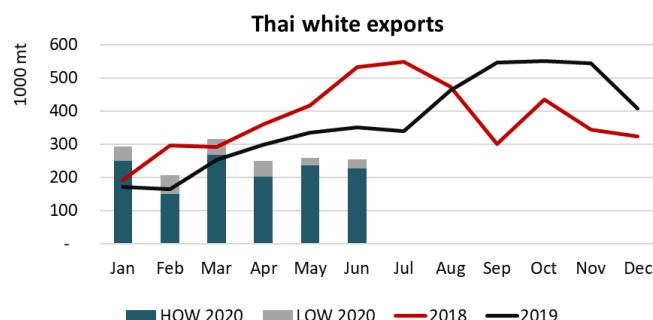


- ▶ In July rains overall were good in Thailand, however all regions still received below average rainfall.
- ▶ Average Thai rains in July were 76% of normal rainfall.
- ▶ In Eastern and Northern regions rains were 69/70% of normal.
- ▶ In North-East and Central regions, the 2 biggest cane regions in the country, rains were 85% and 78% of normal respectively.
- ▶ Cumulative precipitation so far has been above last season, but still below normal.
- ▶ We reduced the cane projections for Thailand to 69 million mt and sugar production was revised to 7.5 million mt.

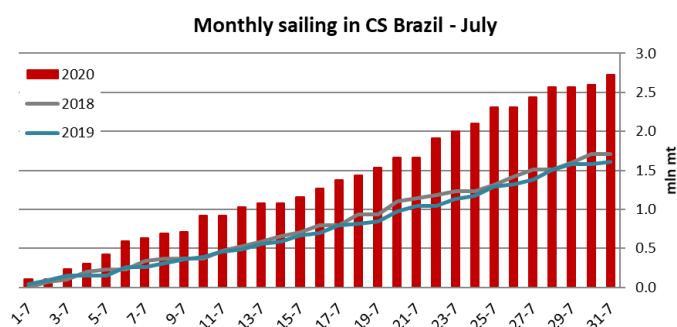
Thailand: Exports Update

- ▶ Official exports from Thailand for white sugar showed a total of 254k mt was exported, similar to May and 100k lower year on year.
- ▶ LQWs exports stood at 26k mt and refined exports stood at 228k mt.

- ▶ The main destination for refined sugar exports was Vietnam where 84k mt were exported.
- ▶ Cambodia took 27k mt from Thai refined in June, up from 11k in May (Myanmar/Korea/Taiwan) - smuggling has been very limited during the past months.
- ▶ Cumulative exports from Jan to June were at 1.6 million mt, same as last season.



CS Brazil: July Exports Update



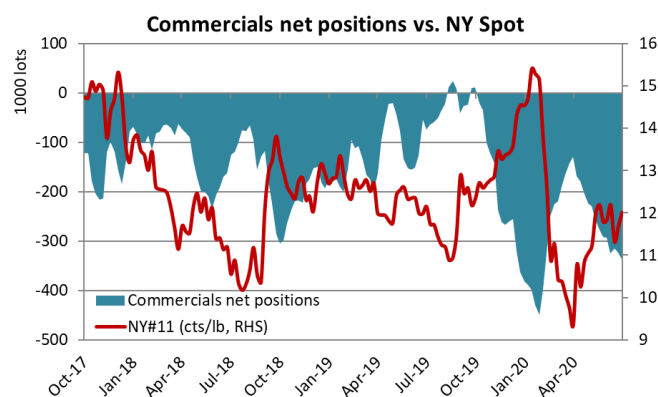
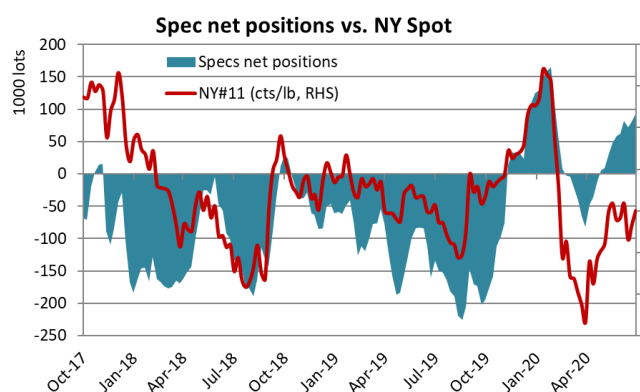
- ▶ CS Brazil exported 2.7 million mt in July, up from 2.1 million mt in June.
- ▶ With COFCO terminal beginning operations in August the export capacity could increase to 2.9 million mt if the weather permits.

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COT RECAP

Date	Spot Price	Specs net positions (i)-(ii)	Specs gross longs (i)	Specs gross shorts (ii)	Index traders net positions	Commercials net positions (iii)-(iiii)	Commercials gross longs (iii)	Commercial gross shorts (iiii)	OI
09-06-20	12	31,019	185,837	154,818	223,778	-254,797	516,253	771,050	1,194,992
16-06-20	12.19	47,118	184,781	137,663	229,872	-276,990	485,886	762,876	1,119,741
23-06-20	11.79	58,272	189,118	130,846	234,091	-292,363	479,725	772,088	1,114,976
30-06-20	11.84	61,446	181,804	120,358	231,176	-292,623	446,788	739,411	1,076,778
07-07-20	12.18	82,059	188,207	106,148	242,751	-324,810	434,744	759,554	1,085,330
14-07-20	11.32	71,627	191,092	119,465	243,184	-314,812	432,813	747,625	1,099,047
21-07-20	11.67	81,322	192,047	110,725	242,266	-323,588	430,233	753,821	1,099,448
28-07-20	12.01	94,254	196,221	101,967	242,756	-337,009	438,262	775,271	1,127,746
Lastet Change	0.34	12,932	4,174	-8,758	490	-13,421	8,029	21,450	28,298



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