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**Bullet Points on Price Forecast of Important Crops – October 2021**

1. Paddy-Grade-A and Common varieties could trade in price ranges of Rs. 1900-2000 and Rs. 1700-1900 per quintal during the month of October, 2021 due to increased export demand for the Indian rice.
2. Maize may trade at a price range of Rs. 1700-1900 per quintal in month of October, 2021 with an expectation of increase in domestic and export demand.
3. Redgram may trade at a price range of Rs. 6300 - 6600 per quintal in October, 2021 with a slightly firm tone because of balanced supply and demand as of now.
4. Black gram may trade at a price range of Rs. 6200-6500 per quintal in month of October, 2021 as there were losses due to heavy rains.
5. Greengram may trade at a price range of Rs. 6000 - 6300 per quintal in October, 2021.
6. Groundnut may trade at a price range of Rs. 5200-5500 per quintal in October 2021.
7. Soyabean may trade at a price range of Rs. 5500-6000 per quintal in October, 2021 month as the market remained volatile amid soymeal import.
8. Castor could trade at a price range of Rs. 5000 - 5300 per quintal in October, 2021.
9. Cotton may trade at a price range of Rs. 6500-7000 per quintal in October, 2021 due to high demand for Indian cotton as it is available at lower prices than international prices.
10. Chilli may trade at a price range of Rs. 12500-14500 per quintal in October, 2021 as the buyers reported inactive at current higher prices due to overflow of chilli cold storage stocks in major growing states and also increased sowing area in the current season.
11. Turmeric may trade at a price range of Rs. 6400 – 6700 per quintal in October, 2021.