

SESAMESEED CONTRACT

Asset Code	SESAMS
Product Code	SESAMSF
Series Code	SESMMMYYYY
Trading System	NMCE's Derivatives Trading and Settlement System
Trading Hours	Monday to Friday :10:00 am to 5:00 pm Saturday :10:00 am to 2:00 pm
Unit of Trading	1 MT
Delivery Unit	1 MT
Quotation/Base Value	20 Kgs
Tick Size	10 paise
Price Band*	Daily price fluctuation limit will be +/-2 %. Limit on daily price fluctuation will be reckoned with reference to the previous close price. If trade hits this price limit, trade would stop for 15 minutes, where after price would be extended by another +/-2%. No trade would be permitted during the day beyond then revised price limit of +/- 4%
Quality Specification	Quality Specifications as per Grade 'Special' in Schedule I of Sesame seeds Grading and Marking Rules, 1982 [Agmark] Special: 1. Foreign Matters= 0.5% 2. Immature, shriveled and Dead Seeds = 1% 3. Damaged & Discoloured = Nil 4. Total Impurities= 1.5% 5. Admixture of other varieties (admixture of brown/ black and other coloured sesame seeds in white and vice versa) = 5% 6. Moisture content= 5%
No. of delivery Contracts in a year	Maximum 12 monthly or minimum 2 monthly contracts running concurrently.
Delivery Centers	Ahmedabad
Opening of Contracts	Trading in any contract month will open on the 16th day of the month, 12 months prior to the contract month.
Due Date	15th day of the delivery months if 15th happens to be holiday then previous working day.
Closing of Contract	Squaring up of positions will be permitted between 12 th and 15 th of delivery month. No fresh positions building will be allowed. From 12 th to 15 th of delivery month, seller can tender Warehouse Receipt for settlement and Warehouse Receipt will be accepted for settlement at closing price of the previous day.
Delivery Logic	Compulsory Delievery
Limit on open position**	Client - 3,000 MT Member - 9,000 MT or 15% of total market open position in the commodity whichever is higher Near Month Limit: Client - 600 MT Member - 1,800 MT or 15% of the total near month position in the commodity, whichever is higher

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