

INDIAN CASHEW MARKET POST COVID 19

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STATUS PRE COVID

- Largest And Fastest Growing Consuming Market
- Largest Consumer Of Cashew Brokens- Growing Ingredient Segment
- Indian Gdp Per Capita @Usd 2150
- Per Capita Consumption Of Cashew- 240g
- Manufacturing Growth- From 9 States To 16 States- Pan India
- Non Traditional Processing Areas- New Big Mechanical Plants
- Raw Cashew Nuts Expansion- 742,000 Mt For 2019-20



WHAT HAPPENED DURING COVID

- Raw Cashew Production Disruption- 690,000 Mt
- Drop In Imports To 8,00,000 Mt
- Processing Disruption Major Lockdown For 90 Days In 2 Waves-rural India / Non-Mechanized Plants Impacted
- Wholesale Mandi's And Retail Chain Stores Operated For Limited Hours For Essentials Only
- Per Capita Consumption Of Cashew: 150g Down From 240g
- Closure of HoReCa segment Major crash in prices of broken grades



KEY DRIVERS POST COVID

- The Rise In E.Com BUSINESS :3-X GROWTH IN MOST PLATFORMS
- Flipkart, Amazon, Big Basket, Reliance Jio Marts To Cover Over 200 Cities With Partnership With Over 400,000 Stores
- Udaan..B2b Platform For Small & Medium Businesses In 1000 Towns
- Market Dynamics Disrupted
- Major Impact On General Trade
- Consumer Budget Has Decreased
- Shift In Consumption Pattern And Behavior.. Premium Nuts, No Longer A Fancy



KEY DRIVERS

- Myth On Cashew Finally Broken... Dry Fruits More Preferred For Health Post Covid
- Almond Prices Impacting Cashew Pricing.. Kaju Badam, aek Daam! (Cashew Almond, same Price!)
- Manufacturers Shifting To Retail Consumer Packs. Hygienic, safer And Easier To Market
- Post Covid Focus Shifts To Food Industries. New Gen Start-ups
- Cashew Industry Center Of Attraction- 150 Industries With 40 Mt/Day Capacity On The Anvil
- Processing Capacity Expansion: 150,000 Mt For 2022.



PROSPECTS

- Lower Domestic Production & Imports 2021- Carry Over Stocks Drawn Down
- Global Supply Chain Disruption-delay In Shipments, Ocean Freights Will Have Dire Consequences On Industry
- Congestions In African Ports...Adding To The Woes
- Early Decisions On Key Government Policies On Exports -Critical
- Industry Will Need To Absorb 0.4 MLN Mt In The Next 12 Weeks
- Global Retail Inflation To Impact Credit Costs



PROSPECTS 2022

- Delayed But Normal Crops In All Origins
- Indian Economy Bouncing Back With Surge In Pent Up Demand Post Covid
- Low Cashew Kernel Inventory- Both With Traders And Industry
- Covid To Be Endemic By March 2022:-
- Normalcy In Festival Celebrations
- The Big Fat Indian Weddings-2.5 Million In The Next 2 Months
- Consumption Will Bounce Back...and Grow By at least 5%.







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