



New Products

Low micro Onion Powder (Egypt)
 Kibbled Onion, 1-3mm cut onion
 Gram Flour (from Natco Foods)
 Asafoetida
 Ground Rice
 Tamarind Powder (and paste)
 Freeze Dried Lime Leaves
 Lime Leaf Powder
 Garlic Puree
 Ginger Puree

Why not try us for:

- If you need a Curry Powder or say a Garam Masala developed, we can meet up and discuss.
- Natco Foods / Buckingham has a new Steam Sterilizer. Let us know if you require any contract work. See [HERE](#).
- Need to source an ingredient? Need new ideas? Let us assist you.

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Cumin Seed **UP!!!** ▲

Prices have remained volatile and relatively high over the last 6 months. Syrian, Iranian and Turkish material are all over \$3600 pmt C+F, as crops this year are small. Indian cumin is being offered at around \$3100 C+F, some 25% + below other origins. Prices are likely to remain high and firming for the rest of the year, unless the Chinese new crop is bigger than expected this month.



Coriander Seed **UP!!!** ▲

Prices have been at record levels for a year now. So we can reflect, 3 years ago, Bulgarian Coriander was trading at \$350 pmt C+F, whereas today the price is more like \$1750 pmt C+F. New crops are being harvested in all origins (other than India) this month and crops do look reasonable. Anticipating a good amount of stock coming onto the market, we expect opening prices for new crop at the end of July to be around \$1350 C+F, a good 30% below current levels. Indian coriander is at all time highs (poor crop) and we expect the world price of coriander to start low (this month), but ease up as the year goes by.



Ginger

This is one of the few spices that does not seem to have been caught up in the bull run in commodities. Nigerian, with its hot taste, is being offered at around \$1000 C+F with Aflatoxin guarantees. Chinese is around \$2000 C+F for a good quality with SO2 guarantees.

Pepper **DOWN** ▼

Markets have eased right back in the past 3 months from the highs in the later part of 2007. There are as ever, many arguments justifying which way traders think the market will pan out. Some claim technically there is a world shortage, so prices will ultimately have to go back up again. Others say that the Vietnam economic situation will continue to see traders selling cheap and thus pulling the world market down. We are maybe believing the market may be on a plateau, or a very gradual slide downwards. In any event, now is a lot.

Chilli Powder **UP!!!** ▲

The heavy rains in India earlier this year, just before harvest, caused serious mould (Aflatoxin) problems. So although there is plenty of Chilli around, there is only a very limited quantity of suitable material (with Aflatoxin within EC limits), so prices have been firm.

Paprika **UP!!!** ▲

Prices are firming as the stock of pods worldwide (Peru, African, Spain) is lower than last year. Peru is becoming a major player for milled paprika. Two new plants in South Africa are coming on stream this year.



Nutmeg **UP!!!** ▲

Look out for big price hikes as the year goes by! Material that meets EC Aflatoxin limits is in serious short supply.