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Fertilizer Financial Markets Commentary/Curves

NOLA FUTURES & SWAPS

HDEA

Values were slightly softer in NOLA today with offers coming down quite a bit in the Q1 timeframe. February and March futures were off \$1-\$3 today on heavier selling sentiment, trading at \$233 twice for each contract month. This comes from last week's trading in the high \$230's. Later in the day Q1 traded at \$230 which seems to have garnered traders' attention as half seem to think that's undervalued and half think it's overvalued. Although we did not see any trades interest is still there for the nearby months with November and December quotes tightening up.

UAN

NOLA UAN futures today were slightly up for the Q1 timeframe with bids moving up to the mid \$130s after \$136.50 traded yesterday. Overall values are mostly unchanged.

DAP

NOLA DAP futures are softer for the deferred with offers coming down a touch on the full Q1 strip. Overall, the tone on physical remains stable but not seeing much volume trade this week.

INTERNATIONAL FUTURES

AG urea paper was stable today, if not slightly firmer. We are seeing a touch more interest on the buy side, with India likely to tender again before the end of the month and sentiment more positive into the end of Q4. However, bids are yet to start moving up significantly. Egypt paper on the other hand was softer, offered down to \$250 for the November and December contracts. Brazil urea appears stable for now around \$260 mark, if not a touch softer on sentiment in the physical market.

DOMESTIC

| NOLA UREA | | | | | |
|-----------|-----|-----|-----|-------------|--|
| | BID | ASK | MID | Δ | |
| NOV | 221 | 225 | 223 | ▼ -1 | |
| DEC | 224 | 227 | 226 | ▼ -1 | |
| JAN | 227 | 232 | 230 | ▼ -2 | |
| FEB | 230 | 234 | 232 | ▼ -1 | |
| MAR | 230 | 234 | 232 | ▼ -3 | |

| NOLA UAN | | | | | |
|----------------------|-----|-----|-----|------------|--|
| BID ASK MID Δ | | | | | |
| NOV | 121 | 128 | 125 | — 0 | |
| Q1 | 135 | 137 | 136 | <u> </u> | |
| Q2 | 131 | 141 | 136 | — 0 | |

| NOLA DAP | | | | | |
|----------|-----|-----|-----|-------------|--|
| | BID | ASK | MID | Δ | |
| NOV | 348 | 354 | 351 | — 0 | |
| DEC | 343 | 349 | 346 | -2 | |
| JAN | 343 | 348 | 346 | — 0 | |
| Q1 | 343 | 350 | 347 | ▼ -3 | |
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INTERNATIONAL

| AG UREA | | | | | |
|---------|-----|-----|-----|------------|--|
| | BID | ASK | MID | Δ | |
| NOV | 257 | 262 | 260 | 1 | |
| DEC | 250 | 255 | 253 | <u>^</u> 2 | |
| JAN | 247 | 255 | 251 | 1 | |
| FEB | 245 | 253 | 249 | — 0 | |
| MAR | 245 | 253 | 249 | — 0 | |

| EGYPT UREA | | | | | |
|------------|-----|-----|-----|-------------|--|
| | BID | ASK | MID | Δ | |
| NOV | 247 | 250 | 249 | ▼ -3 | |
| DEC | 247 | 250 | 249 | ▼ -2 | |
| JAN | 248 | 253 | 251 | — 0 | |

| BRAZIL UREA | | | | | |
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| | BID | ASK | MID | Δ | |
| NOV | 258 | 263 | 261 | 1 | |
| DEC | 258 | 264 | 261 | <u>^</u> 2 | |
| JAN | 255 | 265 | 260 | 3 | |
| Q1 | 250 | 265 | 258 | — 0 | |
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