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Fertilizer Derivatives End of Day Report

FUTURES MARKET COMMENTARY

NOLA

Active day on CME for NOLA. Early in th morning, May urea futures traded at \$295 for 1.5kt. Later in the afternoon, June, July, Aug strip traded at \$280 for 2.5kt total. Then, July also traded at \$280 for 4.5kt. Further, Sept traded at \$290 for 500 tons, Oct traded at \$300 for 1kt and Nov traded at \$305 for 500 tons. On the physical side, urea trades have also been active. Prompt barges traded at \$315, FH May barges traded at \$305-\$308 range and full May traded at \$291.

In the agriculture markets, new crop corn closed 2 cents lower at \$4.485 after trading higher for 3 conseccutive days. ZSX24 closed ¾ cents higher today at \$11.7475 per bushel. In wheat, ZWN24 traded higher again, up 11.25 cents today at \$6.14 a bushel. The latest crop progress report indicated corn progress for Illinois at 16%, Indiana at 7%, Iowa at %9, Minnesota at 1%, and Nebraska at 8%. In the energy market, crude oil experienced somewhat of a pullback, ith CLN24 down 45 cents a barrel at \$82.11. In natural gas, after closing higher the last few days, NGM24 dropped 5.49% today to 1.979 as I'm writing this. Natural gas had closed higher outside of the top end of the Bollinger Band yesterday before declining today.

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The international market kicked off early today as July AG traded at \$305. Later in the day, May Egypt traded at \$302. The market is still in contango, and was illustrated by the spread interest as the further down the curve was always seen as a premium to the nearby.

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NOLA UREA						
BID ASK MID Δ						
MAY	290	300	295	— 0		
JUNE	275	285	280	— 0		
JULY	273	283	278	— 0		
AUG	273	283	278	— 0		

NOLA UAN						
BID ASK MID Δ						
MAY	225	245	235	— 0		
JUNE	210	230	220	— 0		
JULY	190	210	200	— 0		

NOLA DAP						
BID ASK MID Δ						
MAY	470	480	475	— 0		
JUNE	470	480	475	— 0		
JULY	455	485	470	— 0		

INTERNATIONAL

AG UREA					
BID ASK MID Δ					
MAY	290	300	295	— 0	
JUNE	290	300	295	- 5	
JULY	300	315	308	▼ -3	

EGYPT UREA					
	BID	ASK	MID	Δ	
MAY	295	305	300	3	
JUNE	295	310	303	▼ -3	
JULY	300	315	320	— 0	

BRAZIL UREA					
BID ASK MID Δ					
MAY	305	320	313	▼ -3	
JUNE	305	325	315	-3	
JULY	305	330	318	▼ -3	

BRAZIL MAP					
BID ASK MID Δ					
MAY	560	580	570	— 0	
JUNE	560	580	570	— 0	
JULY	560	580	570	— 0	

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