

**Online Seminar on  
'Almond Futures: Tool to Manage Price Risk and as Investment Avenue'**  
November 11, 2021 from 4:00 p.m. to 5:30 pm.

**Dear Sir/ Madam,**

IMC Chamber of Commerce and Industry in association with BSE is organizing a webinar as per following details:

**Topic: 'Almond Futures: Tool to Manage Price Risk and as Investment Avenue'**

**Day and Date: Thursday November 11, 2021**

**Time: 4:00 p.m. to 5:30 p.m.**

**Online Platform: Zoom**

Among various edible nuts, Almonds occupy a significant place for delivering nutrition and health benefits. No wonder, demand for almonds in various forms is rising rapidly. India is a large importer and consumer of almonds (Badaam in Hindi). With evolving food habits and renewed health consciousness, demand for healthy foods including almonds is sure to expand. In India, participants in the Almond value chain include importers, processors, institutional consumers and households. The almond market is impacted by a host of factors including global production, currency movement, government policy and demand.

Like any commodity market, the Almond market too is generally volatile with price fluctuations. Therefore, market participants face price risk. They can manage / hedge their inherent price risk by using the Almond Futures Contract launched by BSE. Apart from price risk management for value chain participants, Almond Futures contracts can be used as an investment avenue by those with some risk appetite.

To manage price risks, it is necessary to create awareness, impart training and educate stakeholders about the dynamics of the Almond market and highlight the benefits of Futures trading to help them make informed trading decisions.

There is NO Participation Fee; but registration is necessary. On receiving a registration request, VC details will be provided. For registration and other details please contact Ms. Anita Naik at [anita.naik@imcnet.org](mailto:anita.naik@imcnet.org) or visit IMC website <https://www.imcnet.org/events-1323>

We look forward to your valued participation.

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Director General**