

No. 21: Wholesale Price Index

(Base: 2004-05 = 100)

Commodities	Weight	2015-16	2015		2016	
			May	Mar.	Apr. (P)	May (P)
			1	2	3	4
1 ALL COMMODITIES	100.000	176.7	178.0	175.3	177.0	179.4
1.1 PRIMARY ARTICLES	20.118	249.6	244.2	246.1	249.3	255.3
1.1.1 Food articles	14.337	262.1	251.3	259.5	263.8	271.1
1.1.1.1 Food Grains	4.090	253.0	240.0	259.7	258.9	266.4
1.1.1.1.1 Cereals	3.373	235.2	230.5	241.3	237.4	241.1
1.1.1.1.2 Pulses	0.717	336.7	284.6	346.5	360.4	385.8
1.1.1.2 Fruits & Vegetables	3.843	254.0	238.8	226.2	241.8	257.1
1.1.1.2.1 Vegetables	1.736	268.5	224.8	212.4	221.9	253.9
1.1.1.2.2 Fruits	2.107	242.0	250.3	237.5	258.3	259.8
1.1.1.3 Milk	3.238	250.6	249.7	253.9	254.6	255.6
1.1.1.4 Eggs, Meat & Fish	2.414	288.0	277.9	300.8	300.5	305.0
1.1.1.5 Condiments & Spices	0.569	342.6	313.2	347.3	347.7	353.8
1.1.1.6 Other Food Articles	0.183	245.1	247.0	236.5	251.5	243.8
1.1.2 Non-Food Articles	4.258	219.5	216.7	219.8	225.6	226.4
1.1.2.1 Fibres	0.877	207.2	208.9	208.9	213.6	220.6
1.1.2.2 Oil Seeds	1.781	214.9	216.2	211.6	219.4	222.1
1.1.2.3 Other Non-Food Articles	1.386	233.8	230.0	239.2	242.8	241.0
1.1.2.4 Flowers	0.213	215.7	166.3	206.9	214.4	191.3
1.1.3 Minerals	1.524	216.2	254.3	192.9	179.5	186.2
1.1.3.1 Metallic Minerals	0.489	286.3	332.1	254.0	239.3	250.1
1.1.3.2 Other Minerals	0.135	203.8	211.8	195.4	197.5	195.9
1.1.3.3 Crude Petroleum	0.900	180.0	218.5	159.3	144.4	150.0
1.2 FUEL & POWER	14.910	179.8	192.1	172.4	175.4	180.3
1.2.1 Coal	2.094	189.9	189.9	189.9	189.9	189.9
1.2.2 Mineral Oils	9.364	179.5	200.4	168.5	173.3	181.1
1.2.3 Electricity	3.452	174.3	170.5	172.3	172.3	172.3
1.3 MANUFACTURED PRODUCTS	64.972	153.4	154.3	154.1	155.0	155.7
1.3.1 Food Products	9.974	174.2	172.3	179.6	183.4	185.3
1.3.1.1 Dairy Products	0.568	206.7	208.3	204.3	203.9	206.5
1.3.1.2 Canning, Preserving & Processing of Food	0.358	165.1	167.4	166.5	166.2	168.7
1.3.1.3 Grain Mill Products	1.340	178.7	173.2	183.3	183.5	183.5
1.3.1.4 Bakery Products	0.444	150.5	152.4	149.9	150.0	150.3
1.3.1.5 Sugar, Khandsari & Gur	2.089	167.1	165.5	183.0	192.7	198.1
1.3.1.6 Edible Oils	3.043	148.6	147.1	149.7	152.4	152.4
1.3.1.7 Oil Cakes	0.494	250.4	242.1	255.5	263.3	263.3
1.3.1.8 Tea & Coffee Processing	0.711	192.8	195.3	196.6	199.1	203.7
1.3.1.9 Manufacture of Salt	0.048	201.5	209.7	199.8	199.8	199.8
1.3.1.10 Other Food Products	0.879	207.9	203.4	216.5	220.4	222.6
1.3.2 Beverages, Tobacco & Tobacco Products	1.762	206.5	205.9	211.8	216.2	219.0
1.3.2.1 Wine Industries	0.385	137.5	136.1	145.1	145.1	145.2
1.3.2.2 Malt Liquor	0.153	181.3	180.3	186.4	185.0	194.8
1.3.2.3 Soft Drinks & Carbonated Water	0.241	167.7	168.0	170.4	170.9	183.4
1.3.2.4 Manufacture of Bidi, Cigarettes, Tobacco & Zarda	0.983	247.0	246.5	252.0	260.1	260.4
1.3.3 Textiles	7.326	140.2	141.1	139.9	139.9	140.6
1.3.3.1 Cotton Textiles	2.605	156.6	158.3	155.8	156.1	157.6
1.3.3.1.1 Cotton Yarn	1.377	166.2	169.2	164.6	165.2	167.2
1.3.3.1.2 Cotton Fabric	1.228	145.8	146.0	145.8	145.8	146.8
1.3.3.2 Man-Made Textiles	2.206	131.3	134.0	129.1	128.6	128.8
1.3.3.2.1 Man-Made Fibre	1.672	130.1	134.2	127.2	126.6	126.8
1.3.3.2.2 Man-Made Fabric	0.533	134.9	133.5	134.8	134.9	135.0
1.3.3.3 Woollen Textiles	0.294	153.3	161.1	151.6	151.6	151.6
1.3.3.4 Jute, Hemp & Mesta Textiles	0.261	219.2	200.2	238.1	239.0	241.4
1.3.3.5 Other Misc. Textiles	1.960	115.8	115.4	116.3	116.4	116.3
1.3.4 Wood & Wood Products	0.587	195.7	196.5	197.0	198.0	197.0
1.3.4.1 Timber/Wooden Planks	0.181	164.5	162.5	165.8	165.6	163.0
1.3.4.2 Processed Wood	0.128	193.9	192.5	195.3	195.3	195.3
1.3.4.3 Plywood & Fibre Board	0.241	227.3	231.7	228.0	231.0	230.6
1.3.4.4 Others	0.038	150.0	149.3	154.4	152.0	150.8

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1.3.5 Paper & Paper Products	2.034	154.5	153.3	155.8	155.3	155.4
1.3.5.1 Paper & Pulp	1.019	151.3	151.5	151.1	151.0	151.3
1.3.5.2 Manufacture of boards	0.550	135.6	134.4	136.5	133.9	134.0
1.3.5.3 Printing & Publishing	0.465	184.3	179.8	189.3	189.9	190.1
1.3.6 Leather & Leather Products	0.835	144.9	144.1	145.8	145.7	145.7
1.3.6.1 Leathers	0.223	116.1	118.1	115.7	114.7	114.5
1.3.6.2 Leather Footwear	0.409	160.6	159.4	161.5	161.7	161.9
1.3.6.3 Other Leather Products	0.203	144.9	141.7	147.4	147.4	147.4
1.3.7 Rubber & Plastic Products	2.987	147.2	149.1	145.3	145.7	146.0
1.3.7.1 Tyres & Tubes	0.541	176.8	177.0	176.1	176.5	177.2
1.3.7.1.1 Tyres	0.488	177.5	177.7	176.4	176.5	176.7
1.3.7.1.2 Tubes	0.053	170.6	170.6	173.3	176.8	182.0
1.3.7.2 Plastic Products	1.861	136.3	138.9	133.5	133.8	134.1
1.3.7.3 Rubber Products	0.584	154.6	155.9	154.3	155.2	155.1
1.3.8 Chemicals & Chemical Products	12.018	150.5	151.3	149.6	149.9	150.1
1.3.8.1 Basic Inorganic Chemicals	1.187	155.3	155.8	154.5	154.9	154.4
1.3.8.2 Basic Organic Chemicals	1.952	140.2	143.5	137.8	138.8	139.2
1.3.8.3 Fertilisers & Pesticides	3.145	155.0	153.6	155.9	155.9	156.0
1.3.8.3.1 Fertilisers	2.661	158.2	156.7	158.9	159.0	159.1
1.3.8.3.2 Pesticides	0.483	137.7	136.2	139.0	139.0	139.2
1.3.8.4 Paints, Varnishes & Lacquers	0.529	152.2	152.4	152.0	151.5	151.5
1.3.8.5 Dyestuffs & Indigo	0.563	141.9	141.7	142.0	142.6	142.9
1.3.8.6 Drugs & Medicines	0.456	129.6	130.2	128.6	128.6	128.7
1.3.8.7 Perfumes, Cosmetics, Toiletries etc.	1.130	163.2	162.9	163.2	163.9	163.8
1.3.8.8 Turpentine, Plastic Chemicals	0.586	154.1	154.1	153.7	153.6	153.3
1.3.8.9 Polymers including Synthetic Rubber	0.970	146.0	147.6	144.4	144.8	145.0
1.3.8.10 Petrochemical Intermediates	0.869	150.1	156.4	144.0	144.7	145.4
1.3.8.11 Matches, Explosives & other Chemicals	0.629	153.9	154.7	152.6	153.0	153.0
1.3.9 Non-Metallic Mineral Products	2.556	177.3	176.1	178.4	179.3	178.7
1.3.9.1 Structural Clay Products	0.658	198.4	196.4	198.5	198.9	200.0
1.3.9.2 Glass, Earthenware, Chinaware & their Products	0.256	141.5	140.4	142.7	142.6	142.9
1.3.9.3 Cement & Lime	1.386	173.6	172.3	175.7	176.9	175.4
1.3.9.4 Cement, Slate & Graphite Products	0.256	179.2	179.6	177.0	178.5	177.4
1.3.10 Basic Metals, Alloys & Metal Products	10.748	154.6	160.2	153.4	153.9	154.9
1.3.10.1 Ferrous Metals	8.064	141.7	148.4	139.3	140.0	141.2
1.3.10.1.1 Iron & Semis	1.563	139.4	147.8	136.3	137.0	138.2
1.3.10.1.2 Steel: Long	1.630	148.8	156.7	146.9	147.6	149.4
1.3.10.1.3 Steel: Flat	2.611	132.5	140.6	130.8	131.6	133.8
1.3.10.1.4 Steel: Pipes & Tubes	0.314	127.8	132.3	123.8	124.1	125.8
1.3.10.1.5 Stainless Steel & alloys	0.938	160.6	163.8	157.6	158.1	157.0
1.3.10.1.6 Castings & Forgings	0.871	144.0	145.9	140.2	140.8	139.8
1.3.10.1.7 Ferro alloys	0.137	149.8	150.9	148.2	149.5	152.4
1.3.10.2 Non-Ferrous Metals	1.004	164.2	166.7	163.1	163.0	163.5
1.3.10.2.1 Aluminium	0.489	137.3	141.7	135.1	135.0	136.0
1.3.10.2.2 Other Non-Ferrous Metals	0.515	189.7	190.6	189.7	189.6	189.5
1.3.10.3 Metal Products	1.680	210.4	212.8	215.8	215.5	215.8
1.3.11 Machinery & Machine Tools	8.931	135.0	135.0	135.1	135.0	135.5
1.3.11.1 Agricultural Machinery & Implements	0.139	149.1	149.5	149.3	149.0	149.6
1.3.11.2 Industrial Machinery	1.838	153.5	153.1	153.5	153.4	154.0
1.3.11.3 Construction Machinery	0.045	141.5	141.5	141.5	141.5	141.5
1.3.11.4 Machine Tools	0.367	167.6	165.8	175.8	175.8	175.8
1.3.11.5 Air Conditioner & Refrigerators	0.429	120.8	120.7	121.2	121.2	121.2
1.3.11.6 Non-Electrical Machinery	1.026	127.6	127.6	128.0	127.6	128.4
1.3.11.7 Electrical Machinery, Equipment & Batteries	2.343	138.2	137.9	138.0	138.1	139.2
1.3.11.8 Electrical Accessories, Wires, Cables etc.	1.063	155.5	157.4	152.9	153.2	152.6
1.3.11.9 Electrical Apparatus & Appliances	0.337	121.8	121.7	122.0	121.8	123.8
1.3.11.10 Electronics Items	0.961	89.2	89.3	89.5	89.4	89.4
1.3.11.11 IT Hardware	0.267	91.7	91.7	91.7	91.7	91.7
1.3.11.12 Communication Equipments	0.118	99.0	98.5	99.6	98.5	98.1
1.3.12 Transport, Equipment & Parts	5.213	138.1	137.7	139.0	139.1	139.3
1.3.12.1 Automotives	4.231	137.1	136.6	138.3	138.4	138.6
1.3.12.2 Auto Parts	0.804	140.3	140.4	140.1	140.2	140.1
1.3.12.3 Other Transport Equipments	0.178	151.0	152.6	150.4	150.4	150.9

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