

15. Index Numbers of Wholesale Prices
(Base : 1981-82 = 100)

<i>Item / Week ended</i>	1998		1999		Percentage Variation over			
	Weight	Nov. 14	Sep. 18*	Nov. 13#	Week	Month	End March	Year
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
ALL COMMODITIES	100.00	358.6	366.9	369.8	-0.1	0.2	4.7	3.1
Primary Articles	32.30	395.2	402.7	401.8	-0.4	0.2	7.2	1.7
(i) Fruits and Vegetables	4.09	535.1	469.0	482.8	-1.2	4.5	17.6	-9.8
Fuel, Power, Light and Lubricants	10.66	382.1	408.4	437.1	—	0.7	11.9	14.4
Manufactured Products	57.04	333.5	338.9	339.1	0.1	0.1	1.5	1.7
(i) Sugar, Khandsari and Gur	4.06	311.5	319.2	315.1	0.4	-1.4	9.4	1.2
(ii) Edible Oils	2.45	357.9	310.3	300.3	-0.3	-1.7	-15.1	-16.1
(iii) Cement, Lime & Plaster	0.92	300.2	302.0	294.2	—	-0.8	1.8	-2.0
(iv) Iron & Steel	2.44	318.5	322.0	323.5	0.4	0.4	0.2	1.6

* : Latest available final figures.

Source : Office of the Economic Adviser, Ministry of Industry, Government of India.