

15. Index Numbers of Wholesale Prices (Base : 1993 - 94 = 100)

Items / Week ended	Weight	2000	2001		Percentage Variation over			Year
		Mar. 18	Jan. 20*	Mar. 17#	Week	Month	End March	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
ALL COMMODITIES	100.00	149.2	158.6	158.9	0.1	0.3	5.3	6.5
Primary Articles	22.02	159.4	161.4	162.0	0.7	0.2	1.8	1.6
(i) Fruits and Vegetables	2.92	147.7	158.0	163.1	2.9	-3.2	13.6	10.4
Fuel, Power, Light and Lubricants	14.23	180.6	220.2	223.2	-	0.8	15.4	23.6
Manufactured Products	63.75	138.6	143.9	143.5	-0.2	0.1	3.5	3.5
(i) Sugar, Khandsari and Gur	3.93	158.2	149.7	146.9	-2.8	-0.9	-7.2	-7.1
(ii) Edible Oils	2.76	111.1	100.6	103.4	0.7	3.2	-7.0	-6.9
(iii) Cement	1.73	126.8	155.2	152.8	-	-0.7	20.5	20.5
(iv) Iron & Steel	3.64	135.6	137.6	137.7	0.1	0.1	1.5	1.5

* : Latest available final figures.

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