

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

Item/Week ended	Weight	1997	1998		Percentage Variation over			
		August 30	July 4*	August 29#	Week	Month	End March	Year
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
<b>ALL COMMODITIES</b>	100.00	325.7	350.5	354.3	0.3	0.7	5.1	8.8
<b>Primary Articles</b>	32.30	334.4	376.3	382.3	0.4	0.9	9.9	14.3
<b>(i) Fruits and Vegetables</b>	4.09	351.2	513.4	497.8	1.3	-0.3	36.6	41.7
<b>Fuel, Power, Light and Lubricants</b>	10.66	349.3	380.2	379.9	-	-	-1.1	8.8
<b>Manufactured Products</b>	57.04	316.4	330.3	333.7	0.4	0.7	3.5	5.5
<b>(i) Sugar, Khandsari and Gur</b>	4.06	316.2	317.6	339.3	1.0	3.2	12.3	7.3
<b>(ii) Edible Oils</b>	2.45	296.7	336.8	363.0	6.2	8.1	18.1	22.3
<b>(iii) Cement, Lime &amp; Plaster</b>	0.92	292.0	300.4	306.4	-0.3	1.7	12.0	4.9
<b>(iv) Iron &amp; Steel</b>	2.44	313.0	321.4	321.4	-	0.1	0.4	2.7

\* : Latest available final figures.  
Source : Office of the Economic Adviser, Ministry of Industry, Government of India.