

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

<i>Items / Week ended</i>	Weight	2001		2002		Percentage Variation over		
		Oct. 20	Aug. 24*	Oct. 19#	Week	Month	End March	Year
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
ALL COMMODITIES	100.00	162.6	167.4	167.3	0.1	-0.2	3.4	2.9
Primary Articles	22.02	171.0	175.7	174.4	-0.3	-1.3	3.9	2.0
(i) Fruits and Vegetables	2.92	209.8	202.7	203.1	-0.5	-2.0	10.3	-3.2
Fuel, Power, Light and Lubricants	14.23	230.5	237.6	241.2	0.6	0.6	4.3	4.6
Manufactured Products	63.75	144.5	148.8	148.4	—	—	2.9	2.7
(i) Sugar, Khandsari and Gur	3.93	146.9	138.2	136.1	-0.5	-0.9	-5.8	-7.4
(ii) Edible Oils	2.76	112.7	141.8	138.9	0.9	0.7	17.2	23.2
(iii) Cement	1.73	147.0	143.3	145.3	2.3	2.3	-0.1	-1.2
(iv) Iron & Steel	3.64	136.0	144.5	144.5	—	—	5.1	6.3

*: Latest available final figures.

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