

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

<i>Items / Week ended</i>	Weight	2001		2002		Percentage Variation over		
		Oct. 27	Aug. 31*	Oct. 26#	Week	Month	End March	Year
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
ALL COMMODITIES	100.00	162.4	167.5	167.3	—	0.1	3.4	3.0
Primary Articles	22.02	170.3	176.5	174.5	0.1	-0.2	3.9	2.5
(i) Fruits and Vegetables	2.92	203.1	203.4	206.1	1.5	2.7	11.9	1.5
Fuel, Power, Light and Lubricants	14.23	230.5	237.6	241.2	—	0.6	4.3	4.6
Manufactured Products	63.75	144.4	148.7	148.3	-0.1	—	2.8	2.7
(i) Sugar, Khandsari and Gur	3.93	146.9	138.1	135.2	-0.7	-1.4	-6.4	-8.0
(ii) Edible Oils	2.76	113.1	141.0	139.6	0.5	1.5	17.8	23.4
(iii) Cement	1.73	147.4	142.5	145.3	—	2.6	-0.1	-1.4
(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.