

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

<i>Items / Week ended</i>	2002		2003		Percentage Variation over			
	Weight	Oct. 12	Aug. 16*	Oct. 11#	Week	Month	End March	Year
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
ALL COMMODITIES	100.00	167.6	173.8	175.9	—	0.5	2.1	5.0
Primary Articles	22.02	175.7	178.2	182.7	-0.1	1.1	2.5	4.0
(i) Fruits and Vegetables	2.92	212.6	184.0	221.0	1.3	11.2	21.4	4.0
Fuel, Power, Light and Lubricants	14.23	240.4	249.5	254.8	0.7	0.8	-0.6	6.0
Manufactured Products	63.75	148.5	155.4	156.0	-0.2	0.2	3.0	5.1
(i) Sugar, Khandsari and Gur	3.93	136.6	141.2	141.9	-0.5	0.2	9.7	3.9
(ii) Edible Oils	2.76	137.9	154.8	155.7	-0.3	0.5	3.1	12.9
(iii) Cement	1.73	142.0	143.9	143.4	—	0.1	-2.5	1.0
(iv) Iron & Steel	3.64	144.5	186.4	186.4	—	—	24.1	29.0

*: Latest available final figures.

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