

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

<i>Item / Week ended</i>	Weight	1997		1998		Percentage Variation over			
		Nov. 29	Oct. 3*	Nov. 28#	Week	Month	End March	Year	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
ALL COMMODITIES	100.00	332.4	358.4	358.5	-0.1	-0.3	6.3	7.9	
Primary Articles	32.30	339.5	391.3	395.4	0.1	—	13.7	16.5	
(i) Fruits and Vegetables	4.09	363.5	579.6	523.9	-4.0	-8.1	43.8	44.1	
Fuel, Power, Light and Lubricants	10.66	377.4	381.7	381.7	—	0.5	-0.6	1.1	
Manufactured Products	57.04	320.0	335.0	333.3	-0.2	-0.6	3.4	4.2	
(i) Sugar, Khandsari and Gur	4.06	303.7	336.4	310.0	-1.9	-4.7	2.6	2.1	
(ii) Edible Oils	2.45	296.9	365.9	357.1	-0.8	-4.0	16.2	20.3	
(iii) Cement, Lime & Plaster	0.92	275.8	304.4	294.6	-1.9	-2.8	7.7	6.8	
(iv) Iron & Steel	2.44	320.9	318.5	318.5	—	-0.3	-0.5	-0.7	

* : Latest available final figures.

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