

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

<i>Items / Week ended</i>	Weight	2003		2004		Percentage Variation over		
		May 3	Mar. 6*	May 1#	Week	Month	End Year	March
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
ALL COMMODITIES	100.00	173.8	179.4	181.1	—	0.3	0.6	4.2
Primary Articles	22.02	181.4	180.6	183.9	-0.2	0.3	1.5	1.4
(i) Fruits and Vegetables	2.92	200.7	175.2	200.8	-0.9	2.7	12.9	—
Fuel, Power, Light and Lubricants	14.23	249.5	262.4	264.2	0.2	0.2	0.4	5.9
Manufactured Products	63.75	154.3	160.5	161.6	—	0.4	0.4	4.7
(i) Sugar, Khandsari and Gur	3.93	130.2	148.9	152.1	1.5	2.6	2.8	16.8
(ii) Edible Oils	2.76	154.8	161.9	159.7	0.4	-1.1	-1.2	3.2
(iii) Cement	1.73	148.2	152.4	151.7	—	1.1	1.8	2.4
(iv) Iron & Steel	3.64	163.4	198.7	201.9	—	0.1	0.1	23.6

*:Latest available final figures.

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