

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

<i>Item / Week ended</i>	<b>Weight</b>	<b>1998</b>		<b>1999</b>		<b>Percentage Variation</b>	
		<b>Feb. 28</b>	<b>Jan. 2*</b>	<b>Feb. 27#</b>	<b>Week</b>	<b>Month</b>	<b>End March</b>
<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>8</b>
<b>ALL COMMODITIES</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>336.3</b>	<b>355.2</b>	<b>354.0</b>	—	—	<b>5.0</b>
Primary Articles	32.30	348.2	382.3	381.0	-0.3	-0.6	9.5
(i) Fruits and Vegetables	4.09	350.2	418.8	411.4	0.1	-0.6	12.9
Fuel, Power, Light and Lubricants	10.66	379.9	382.1	376.2	—	0.6	-2.1
Manufactured Products	57.04	321.4	334.8	334.5	0.1	0.3	3.8
(i) Sugar, Khandsari and Gur	4.06	304.4	296.7	291.1	0.6	-0.4	-3.7
(ii) Edible Oils	2.45	302.3	364.6	351.3	-0.6	-0.4	14.3
(iii) Cement, Lime & Plaster	0.92	277.6	300.9	293.9	-0.3	-0.6	7.5
(iv) Iron & Steel	2.44	320.5	314.7	314.7	—	-0.9	-1.7

\* : Latest available final figures.

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