

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

<i>Items / Week ended</i>	2003		2004		Percentage Variation over		Year	
	Weight	Sep. 20	Jul. 24*	Sep. 18#	Month	End March		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
ALL COMMODITIES	100.00	175.6	186.9	189.3	0.1	0.7	5.0	7.8
Primary Articles	22.02	180.9	190.3	192.7	-0.6	—	6.4	6.5
(i) Fruits and Vegetables	2.92	200.2	192.7	215.1	-2.8	-0.3	24.3	7.4
Fuel, Power, Light and Lubricants	14.23	254.5	274.7	281.6	—	0.9	7.2	10.6
Manufactured Products	63.75	156.1	166.2	167.6	0.4	1.0	3.7	7.4
(i) Sugar, Khandsari and Gur	3.93	141.3	156.3	164.3	0.3	2.2	10.9	16.3
(ii) Edible Oils	2.76	155.3	157.2	160.0	-0.4	-0.3	-0.6	3.0
(iii) Cement	1.73	142.9	151.2	150.7	-0.1	0.3	1.1	5.5
(iv) Iron & Steel	3.64	186.4	241.0	237.2	—	-2.3	17.4	27.3

*:Latest available final figures.

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