

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

<i>Items / Week ended</i>	Weight	2003		2004		Percentage Variation over		
		Oct. 4	Aug. 7*	Oct. 2#	Week	Month	End March	Year
<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>9</b>
<b>ALL COMMODITIES</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>176.3</b>	<b>187.8</b>	<b>189.0</b>	<b>-0.1</b>	<b>-0.1</b>	<b>4.8</b>	<b>7.2</b>
Primary Articles	22.02	183.4	191.2	191.6	0.1	-1.4	5.8	4.5
(i) Fruits and Vegetables	2.92	221.9	199.1	221.9	4.7	-0.7	28.3	—
Fuel, Power, Light and Lubricants	14.23	253.9	278.7	281.0	-0.2	-0.2	6.9	10.7
Manufactured Products	63.75	156.6	166.4	167.6	—	0.5	3.7	7.0
(i) Sugar, Khandsari and Gur	3.93	142.4	157.1	163.0	-0.4	-0.7	10.1	14.5
(ii) Edible Oils	2.76	155.9	158.9	158.9	-0.6	-1.1	-1.2	1.9
(iii) Cement	1.73	142.4	150.9	150.9	0.2	0.1	1.3	6.0
(iv) Iron & Steel	3.64	187.5	242.9	237.2	—	—	17.4	26.5

\*:Latest available final figures.

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