

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

<i>Items / Week ended</i>	2003		2004		Percentage Variation over			Year
	Weight	Dec. 13	Oct. 16*	Dec. 11#	Week	Month	End March	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
ALL COMMODITIES	100.00	176.8	188.8	188.7	-0.2	-0.7	4.7	6.7
Primary Articles	22.02	181.2	190.2	186.0	-1.0	-2.9	2.7	2.6
(i) Fruits and Vegetables	2.92	194.9	222.4	197.1	-4.7	-13.9	13.9	1.1
Fuel, Power, Light and Lubricants	14.23	255.9	282.4	288.8	-0.1	-1.0	9.9	12.9
Manufactured Products	63.75	157.6	167.4	167.3	0.1	0.3	3.5	6.2
(i) Sugar, Khandsari and Gur	3.93	140.6	163.2	164.4	1.2	0.7	11.0	16.9
(ii) Edible Oils	2.76	161.0	158.6	156.6	-2.1	-1.7	-2.7	-2.7
(iii) Cement	1.73	148.0	150.4	150.0	0.5	1.8	0.7	1.4
(iv) Iron & Steel	3.64	188.9	237.3	237.7	—	0.2	17.6	25.8

*:Latest available final figures.

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