

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

<i>Item / Week ended</i>	1998		1999		Percentage Variation over			
	Weight	May 30	Apr. 3*	May 29#	Week	Month	End March	Year
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
ALL COMMODITIES	100.00	344.6	354.8	357.9	0.1	0.6	1.3	3.9
Primary Articles	32.30	363.8	379.5	385.7	—	1.3	2.9	6.0
(i) Fruits and Vegetables	4.09	477.1	445.8	452.5	0.5	-1.0	10.2	-5.2
Fuel, Power, Light and Lubricants	10.66	380.4	390.5	390.5	—	—	—	2.7
Manufactured Products	57.04	327.0	334.2	336.0	0.1	0.3	0.5	2.8
(i) Sugar, Khandsari and Gur	4.06	312.1	288.2	303.7	-1.4	1.5	5.4	-2.7
(ii) Edible Oils	2.45	322.0	352.6	340.0	0.2	-2.4	-3.9	5.6
(iii) Cement, Lime & Plaster	0.92	297.5	290.0	296.1	0.4	1.2	2.4	-0.5
(iv) Iron & Steel	2.44	321.2	322.6	322.7	—	0.1	—	0.5

* : Latest available final figures.

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