

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

<i>Item / Week ended</i>	Weight	1998		1999	Percentage Variation over			
		Jan. 24	Nov. 28*	Jan. 23#	Week	Month	End March	Year
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
ALL COMMODITIES	100.00	338.0	358.1	353.9	0.3	-0.3	5.0	4.7
Primary Articles	32.30	353.7	394.8	383.0	0.4	-0.5	10.1	8.3
(i) Fruits and Vegetables	4.09	366.5	511.6	425.6	0.5	-6.7	16.8	16.1
Fuel, Power, Light and Lubricants	10.66	377.4	382.1	374.1	—	-2.1	-2.6	-0.9
Manufactured Products	57.04	321.8	332.8	333.6	0.2	0.3	3.5	3.7
(i) Sugar, Khandsari and Gur	4.06	305.5	296.6	293.8	-0.1	0.2	-2.8	-3.8
(ii) Edible Oils	2.45	303.6	356.6	356.0	-0.1	0.1	15.8	17.3
(iii) Cement, Lime & Plaster	0.92	279.4	294.6	294.1	-0.9	-2.2	7.5	5.3
(iv) Iron & Steel	2.44	319.7	318.5	318.5	—	—	-0.5	-0.4

* : Latest available final figures.

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