

Wholesale Price Index and Rates of Inflation (Base Year: 2011-12=100)								
Commodities/Major Groups/Groups/Sub-Groups	Weight	WPI	Latest month over month		Build up from March		Year on year	
		Aug-19	2018-19	2019-20	2018-19	2019-20	2018-19	2019-20
ALL COMMODITIES	100.00	121.40	0.17	0.17	3.27	1.25	4.62	1.08
PRIMARY ARTICLES	22.62	143.80	-0.07	1.27	5.46	6.99	-0.07	6.43
Food Articles	15.26	155.90	0.00	1.43	5.46	7.89	-4.04	7.67
Cereals	2.82	162.40	1.42	1.31	3.53	3.11	5.05	8.48
Paddy	1.43	160.80	0.39	0.56	1.97	2.68	4.78	3.34
Wheat	1.03	156.50	2.48	2.02	5.24	0.64	8.39	5.32
Pulses	0.64	145.10	3.49	0.28	1.96	7.24	-14.12	16.36
Vegetables	1.87	198.10	0.46	2.64	52.08	38.63	-20.00	13.07
Potato	0.28	177.90	-2.71	0.28	73.18	32.96	71.21	-21.28
Onion	0.16	217.20	-3.37	19.41	3.81	101.11	-25.94	33.01
Fruits	1.60	159.20	-1.19	2.51	-12.61	13.31	-16.40	19.70
Milk	4.44	145.40	0.35	1.25	2.13	1.54	2.86	1.18
Eggs, Meat & Fish	2.40	143.80	-3.16	0.07	1.35	2.06	0.00	6.60
Non-Food Articles	4.12	129.90	0.40	0.85	3.25	5.01	2.65	4.76
Oil Seeds	1.12	151.70	1.45	1.07	1.01	4.26	10.23	8.28
Minerals	0.83	153.40	-4.29	0.00	-6.44	11.16	7.12	18.55
Crude Petroleum	1.95	75.50	0.00	0.53	19.62	-3.82	53.47	-14.59
FUEL & POWER	13.15	100.70	0.48	0.10	7.04	-1.76	17.73	-4.00
LPG	0.64	69.90	4.75	-11.18	13.98	-18.63	46.08	-27.94
Petrol	1.60	85.10	0.56	0.00	6.63	-1.05	16.56	-5.55
HSD	3.10	93.60	0.21	0.43	7.66	-3.21	19.90	-3.51
MANUFACTURED PRODUCTS	64.23	117.80	0.08	-0.25	1.73	-0.42	4.43	0.00
Food Products	9.12	132.40	0.47	1.15	1.33	3.12	1.73	2.16
Vegetable And Animal Oils and Fats	2.64	113.70	-1.16	1.25	1.54	0.00	11.76	-4.29
Sugar	1.06	118.00	-0.17	2.16	-0.34	3.33	-11.15	1.37
Tobacco Products	0.51	153.90	0.54	0.20	-0.07	0.07	0.33	2.46
Textiles	4.88	118.30	0.51	-0.84	3.59	-0.25	4.05	0.00
Wearing Apparel	0.81	136.30	0.14	-0.58	0.80	-1.45	1.98	-1.80
Leather and Related Products	0.54	119.30	-1.78	0.85	0.91	-1.08	1.84	-1.81
Wood And of Products of Wood and Cork	0.77	134.10	0.68	-0.07	1.45	-0.74	0.83	0.60
Paper and Paper Products	1.11	121.50	0.00	-0.65	1.66	-1.86	3.56	-0.65
Chemicals and Chemical Products	6.47	118.30	0.42	-0.42	2.86	-1.09	6.93	-0.42
Rubber and Plastics Products	2.30	108.20	0.00	-0.92	1.77	-1.73	1.77	-1.19
Other Non-Metallic Mineral Products	3.20	117.50	-0.09	0.00	1.58	0.77	3.95	1.47
Cement, Lime and Plaster	1.64	119.70	-1.05	-0.58	-0.44	2.05	0.09	5.84
Basic Metals	9.65	104.80	-0.45	-2.33	1.82	-5.67	13.30	-6.09
Mild Steel - Semi Finished Steel	1.27	93.70	-0.10	-1.37	1.43	-4.49	8.03	-5.83
Fabricated Metal Products, Except Machinery and Equipment	3.15	114.10	0.44	-0.61	3.04	-2.31	8.56	-1.13
Other Transport Equipment	1.65	117.60	-0.27	1.03	0.45	3.80	1.65	6.04

Source: Ministry of Commerce & Industry, Gol.

Trend of Rate of Inflation for some important items during last six months							
Month of August, 2019							
Commodities/Major Groups/Groups/Sub-Groups	Weight (%)	Rate of Inflation for the last six months					
		Aug-19	Jul-19	Jun-19	May-19	Apr-19	Mar-19
ALL COMMODITIES	100	1.08	1.08	2.02	2.79	3.24	3.10
PRIMARY ARTICLES	22.62	6.43	5.03	6.42	6.77	6.58	4.91
Food Articles	15.26	7.67	6.15	7.33	7.34	6.44	5.24
Cereals	2.82	8.48	8.60	7.93	7.90	8.43	8.92
Paddy	1.43	3.34	3.16	2.92	2.20	2.41	2.62
Wheat	1.03	5.32	5.79	5.38	6.35	7.52	10.13
Pulses	0.64	16.36	20.08	23.06	18.45	14.32	10.63
Vegetables	1.87	13.07	10.67	24.83	36.59	31.34	24.05
Potato	0.28	-21.28	-23.63	-24.27	-23.16	-16.22	2.53
Onion	0.16	33.01	7.63	16.63	15.89	-3.26	-31.34
Fruits	1.60	19.70	15.38	1.87	-3.64	-6.88	-7.69
Milk	4.44	1.18	0.28	2.11	1.13	1.42	1.78
Eggs, Meat & Fish	2.40	6.60	3.16	5.64	5.64	7.85	5.86
Non-Food Articles	4.12	4.76	4.29	5.06	5.99	6.06	3.00
Oil Seeds	1.12	8.28	8.69	9.25	7.26	6.79	4.90
Minerals	0.83	18.55	13.46	24.51	18.36	12.70	-0.22
Crude Petroleum	1.95	-14.59	-15.05	-14.46	-8.41	2.11	6.22
FUEL & POWER	13.15	-4.00	-3.64	-2.11	1.95	3.84	4.59
LPG	0.64	-27.94	-15.01	6.84	13.38	11.11	0.94
Petrol	1.60	-5.55	-5.02	-5.84	-0.34	1.86	1.78
HSD	3.10	-3.51	-3.72	-2.67	1.26	3.24	7.33
MANUFACTURED PRODUCTS	64.23	0.00	0.34	1.02	1.45	1.89	2.16
Food Products	9.12	2.16	1.47	1.79	2.12	1.17	0.39
Vegetable And Animal Oils and Fats	2.64	-4.29	-6.57	-6.80	-5.92	-4.45	-2.82
Sugar	1.06	1.37	-0.94	3.84	11.61	5.11	-2.23
Tobacco Products	0.51	2.46	2.81	2.12	2.27	3.23	2.33
Textiles	4.88	0.00	1.36	2.75	3.37	3.92	3.85
Commodities/Major Groups/Groups/Sub-Groups	0.81	-1.80	-1.08	-1.22	-1.07	-1.07	0.44
Leather and Related Products	0.54	-1.81	-4.37	-3.66	-2.53	-1.63	0.17
Wood And of Products of Wood and Cork	0.77	0.60	1.36	1.36	0.97	1.21	2.82
Paper and Paper Products	1.11	-0.65	0.00	0.99	1.15	2.57	2.91
Chemicals and Chemical Products	6.47	-0.42	0.42	1.19	2.04	3.10	3.55
Rubber and Plastics Products	2.30	-1.19	-0.27	0.37	0.83	1.11	2.32
Other Non-Metallic Mineral Products	3.20	1.47	1.38	2.69	2.51	1.73	2.28
Cement, Lime and Plaster	1.64	5.84	5.34	7.31	7.17	4.62	3.26
Basic Metals	9.65	-6.09	-4.28	-3.72	-2.32	0.09	1.37
Mild Steel - Semi Finished Steel	1.27	-5.83	-4.62	-4.56	-3.11	-0.81	0.00
Fabricated Metal Products, Except Machinery and Equipment	3.15	-1.13	-0.09	1.84	3.91	4.75	4.29
Other Transport Equipment	1.65	6.04	4.68	5.79	5.89	3.44	2.63

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