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Subject: Sensitive Price Indicator (SPI) for the week ended on 04.05.2017

The weekly SPI with base 2007-08=100 covering 17 urban centres and 53 essential items for all income groups/quintiles and combined has been computed.

2. For the week ended on May 04, 2017, the SPI and percentage changes by income groups/quintiles and combined are given below:

SPI (53 items) 2007-08=100

Income Group (Quintile)	SPI for week ended on			% change over	
	04-05-17	27-04-17	05-05-16	27-04-17	05-05-16
Q1 (Upto Rs. 8000)	209.11	209.15	204.58	-0.02	2.21
Q2 (Rs. 8001-12000)	217.09	217.16	212.28	-0.03	2.27
Q3 (Rs. 12001-18000)	218.56	218.64	213.42	-0.04	2.41
Q4 (Rs. 18001-35000)	223.88	223.99	218.12	-0.05	2.64
Q5 (Above Rs. 35000)	221.93	222.04	215.44	-0.05	3.01
Combined	220.01	220.10	214.31	-0.04	2.66

3. The trend of weekly SPI with base 2007-08=100 during the last 10 weeks as compared to the respective previous as well as corresponding weeks of last year is as under:

SPI (53 items) 2007-08=100

Week ended on	SPI for lowest income group	% change over		Combined SPI	% change over	
		Pr. Week	Cor. Week		Pr. Week	Cor. Week
02-03-2017	210.73	0.40	2.07	220.83	0.53	2.96
09-03-2017	212.00	0.60	2.82	222.28	0.66	3.75
16-03-2017	213.14	0.54	3.23	223.36	0.49	4.08
24-03-2017	215.47	1.09	4.03	226.02	1.19	4.82
30-03-2017	214.96	-0.24	3.46	225.60	-0.19	4.12
06-04-2017	213.94	-0.47	3.04	224.51	-0.48	3.63
13-04-2017	211.95	-0.93	2.45	222.67	-0.82	3.02
20-04-2017	210.19	-0.83	1.90	220.99	-0.75	2.43
27-04-2017	209.15	-0.49	1.82	220.10	-0.40	2.42
04-05-2017	209.11	-0.02	2.21	220.01	-0.04	2.66

4. A statement showing citywise prices of essential items pertaining to 17 urban centres is placed at Appendix-A.

5. The comparative changes in prices i.e. increase, decrease and unchanged for the week ended on 04-05-2017 over previous and corresponding weeks ended on 27-04-2017 and 05-05-2016 respectively are as follows:

Sr.	Items	Units	Prices in Rs. on		%change col. 3 over		Weight of income group in %		Impact of income group in % points	
			04.05.17	27.04.17	27.04.17	05.05.16	Lowest	Combined	Lowest	Combined
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
i. Average prices of the following 10 items registered INCREASE.										
1	Potatoes	1 kg	32.57	29.19	11.58	74.73	1.6735	1.2501	0.1777	0.1261
2	Eggs Hen, Farm	Dozen	86.03	81.64	5.38	15.51	0.6588	1.1923	0.0280	0.0481
3	Bananas	Dozen	84.72	82.67	2.48	7.73	0.9748	1.3930	0.0270	0.0366
4	Match Box, Regular	Each	2.21	2.18	1.38	5.74	0.1329	0.1183	0.0021	0.0018
5	Onions	1 kg	30.75	30.51	0.79	-12.17	1.7622	1.4179	0.0124	0.0095
6	Lawn Printed, Gul Ahmed / Al-Karam, (SN)	1 mtr	254.60	252.62	0.78	1.80	1.4477	1.4684	0.0111	0.0107
7	Pulse Gram, Washed	1 kg	131.07	130.15	0.71	-6.88	0.8699	0.6180	0.0085	0.0058
8	Pulse Mash, Washed	1 kg	192.57	191.94	0.33	-30.13	0.6088	0.5492	0.0026	0.0022
9	Pulse Masoor, Washed	1 kg	127.33	127.07	0.20	-15.50	0.5529	0.4892	0.0010	0.0008
10	Red Chilly Powder, Loose	1 kg	263.61	263.46	0.06	-4.56	0.6191	0.4447	0.0003	0.0002
TOTAL							9.3006	8.9411	0.2706	0.2418
ii. Average prices of the following 11 items registered DECREASE.										
1	Chicken Farm, Broiler, Live	1 kg	153.74	163.08	-5.73	-12.52	2.4935	3.5588	-0.1335	-0.1811
2	Garlic	1 kg	230.87	239.27	-3.51	12.53	0.3990	0.3599	-0.0347	-0.0297
3	LPG Cylinder, 11kg	Each	1055.29	1075.88	-1.91	16.58	0.2835	0.2712	-0.0042	-0.0038
4	Tomatoes	1 kg	28.20	28.65	-1.57	26.57	1.1881	1.1768	-0.0090	-0.0084
5	Wheat	10 kg	328.46	331.10	-0.80	0.93	1.6049	0.9101	-0.0120	-0.0065
6	Sugar, Refined	1 kg	59.27	59.58	-0.52	-6.94	3.7994	2.7340	-0.0202	-0.0138
7	Wheat Flour, Bag	10 kg	373.05	374.41	-0.36	0.27	17.4548	10.9014	-0.0621	-0.0368
8	Gur, Average Quality	1 kg	83.11	83.34	-0.28	-4.32	0.1879	0.0576	-0.0006	-0.0002
9	Pulse Moong, Washed	1 kg	128.74	129.07	-0.26	-19.06	0.8244	0.6114	-0.0025	-0.0017
10	Firewood Whole	40 kg	609.09	610.56	-0.24	1.71	2.5384	0.5960	-0.0081	-0.0018
11	Kerosene Oil	1 Ltr	78.81	78.88	-0.09	5.26	0.0415	0.0150	0.0000	0.0000
TOTAL							30.8154	21.1922	-0.2869	-0.2839
iii. Average prices of the following 32 items remained UNCHANGED										
1	Rice Basmati Broken, (AQ)	1 kg	67.48	67.48	0.00	13.39	2.6713	1.9032	0.0000	0.0000
2	Rice Irri-6 (Punjab/Sindh)	1 kg	49.67	49.67	0.00	7.65	0.5103	0.1934	0.0000	0.0000
3	Bread Plain, Medium Size	Each	41.12	41.12	0.00	0.73	0.2055	1.2284	0.0000	0.0000
4	Beef With Bone, Average quality	1 kg	332.36	332.36	0.00	4.51	3.9344	4.2660	0.0000	0.0000
5	Mutton, Average Quality	1 kg	681.38	681.38	0.00	6.56	0.3616	2.0953	0.0000	0.0000
6	Milk, Fresh, Unboiled	1 Ltr	81.19	81.19	0.00	2.50	17.0616	16.8368	0.0000	0.0000
7	Curd (Dahi)	1 kg	95.86	95.86	0.00	3.19	0.9482	1.3491	0.0000	0.0000
8	Powdered Milk, Nido, Polybag	400 gm	372.26	372.26	0.00	-2.25	0.0752	0.1235	0.0000	0.0000
9	Mustard Oil, Average Quality	1 kg	181.34	181.34	0.00	1.48	0.1668	0.2492	0.0000	0.0000
10	Cooking Oil, Tin, (SN)	2.5 Ltr	466.94	466.94	0.00	2.77	1.3472	2.2953	0.0000	0.0000
11	Vegetable Ghee, Tin, (SN)	2.5 kg	460.18	460.18	0.00	3.38	4.8228	2.7110	0.0000	0.0000
12	Vegetable Ghee, Loose/Pouch, (SN)	1 kg	145.21	145.21	0.00	4.28	4.8228	2.7110	0.0000	0.0000
13	Salt Powder, Loose, Lahori	1 kg	10.71	10.71	0.00	2.29	0.1937	0.1636	0.0000	0.0000
14	Tea, Lipton Yellow Label, Packet	200 gm	203.70	203.70	0.00	29.01	2.2005	2.1456	0.0000	0.0000
15	Cooked Beef, Average Hotel	Plate	93.51	93.51	0.00	3.47	0.0965	0.3596	0.0000	0.0000
16	Cooked Daal, Average Hotel	Plate	56.94	56.94	0.00	3.45	0.2085	0.4413	0.0000	0.0000
17	Tea Prepared, Average Hotel	Cup	20.75	20.75	0.00	6.03	0.4048	0.7913	0.0000	0.0000
18	Cigarettes, K-2, 20's	Packet	67.35	67.35	0.00	12.03	0.8822	1.5930	0.0000	0.0000
19	Long Cloth, 57", Gul Ahmed/Al-Karam, (SN)	1 mtr	206.18	206.18	0.00	0.44	1.9718	1.8511	0.0000	0.0000
20	Shirting, Average Quality, (SN)	1 mtr	165.26	165.26	0.00	0.58	0.5195	0.6499	0.0000	0.0000
21	Georgette, Average Quality, (SN)	1 mtr	124.98	124.98	0.00	0.68	0.4174	0.6340	0.0000	0.0000
22	Gents Sandal, Bata	Pair	699.00	699.00	0.00	0.00	0.3910	0.4931	0.0000	0.0000
23	Gents Chappal Spng, Bata	Pair	179.09	179.09	0.00	0.00	0.2702	0.2649	0.0000	0.0000
24	Ladies Sandal, Bata	Pair	502.39	502.39	0.00	0.00	0.6773	0.8130	0.0000	0.0000
25	Electricity Charges, Upto 50 Units	Unit	2.00	2.00	0.00	0.00	9.3636	11.5128	0.0000	0.0000
26	Gas Charges, Upto 3.3719 MMBTU	MMBTU	128.70	128.70	0.00	0.29	3.2199	4.1239	0.0000	0.0000
27	Electric Bulb, Energy Saver, 14 W	Each	167.79	167.79	0.00	0.00	0.2003	0.2369	0.0000	0.0000
28	Washing Soap, 200-250 g, (SN)	Cake	25.91	25.91	0.00	3.52	0.9514	0.7716	0.0000	0.0000
29	Petrol, Super	1 Ltr	74.85	74.85	0.00	14.94	0.4649	5.1188	0.0000	0.0000
30	Hi Speed Diesel (HSD)	1 Ltr	83.97	83.97	0.00	14.34	0.0090	0.2767	0.0000	0.0000
31	Telephone Local Call Charges, 3 Minutes	P/Call	3.94	3.94	0.00	0.00	0.1647	1.3095	0.0000	0.0000
32	Soap, LifeBuoy	Each	39.12	39.12	0.00	9.73	0.3491	0.3539	0.0000	0.0000
TOTAL							59.8840	69.8667	0.0000	0.0000

6. Monthly Sensitive Price Indicator (SPI).

PERIOD	SPI (lowest income group)	Percentage change over previous month	Percentage Change over corresponding month of previous year
2015-16			
July	206.04	0.34	-0.48
August	205.64	-0.19	-1.49
September	206.58	0.45	-1.29
October	209.02	1.18	-0.14
November	211.12	1.00	2.06
December	209.62	-0.71	2.91
January	208.21	-0.67	3.12
February	207.13	-0.52	3.61
March	206.81	-0.15	3.45
April	206.55	-0.13	2.91
May	204.57	-0.96	0.61
June	206.86	1.12	0.74

2016-17

July	209.59	1.32	1.72
August	210.07	0.23	2.15
September	210.31	0.11	1.81
October	211.71	0.67	1.29
November	212.40	0.33	0.61
December	210.74	-0.78	0.53
January	209.06	-0.80	0.41
February	209.50	0.21	1.15
March	213.26	1.79	3.12
April	211.31	-0.91	2.30

7. Quarterly Sensitive Price Indicator (SPI).

PERIOD	SPI (lowest income group)	Percentage change over previous quarter	Percentage Change over corresponding quarter of previous year
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2015-16

1st quarter (Jul-Sep)	206.09	1.46	-1.09
2nd quarter (Oct-Dec)	209.92	1.86	1.61
3rd quarter (Jan-Mar)	207.38	-1.21	3.39
4th quartet (April-Jun)	205.99	-0.67	1.41

2016-17

1st quarter (Jul-Sep)	209.99	1.94	1.89
2nd quarter (Oct-Dec)	211.62	0.77	0.81
3rd quarter (Jan-Mar)	210.61	-0.48	1.55

8. Half yearly Sensitive Price Indicator (SPI).

PERIOD	SPI (lowest income group)	Percentage change over previous Half year	Percentage Change over corresponding Half year of previous year
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2015-16

1st half (Jul-Dec)	208.00	3.05	0.26
2nd half (Jan-June)	206.69	-0.63	2.39

2016-17

1st half (Jul-Dec)	210.80	1.99	1.35
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9. Yearly Sensitive Price Indicator (SPI) with base 2007-08=100

Period July to June	SPI	Percentage Change over Previous Year
2008-09	121.14	21.14
2009-10	136.80	12.93
2010-11	159.47	16.57
2011-12	170.77	7.08
2012-13	184.04	7.77
2013-14	201.15	9.30
2014-15	204.66	1.74
2015-16	207.35	1.31

10. Consumer Price Index (CPI) with base 2007-08=100 by income groups

PERIOD	Combined	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q5	Combined	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q5
	INDEX NUMBER						PERCENTAGE CHANGE 2016-17 (JUL-APR) OVER 2015-16 (JUL-APR)					
2016-17 (JUL-APR)	211.57	211.87	214.32	213.63	214.58	209.57	4.09	3.83	3.86	3.91	4.02	4.23

PERIOD	INDEX NUMBER						PERCENTAGE CHANGE OVER PREVIOUS MONTH					
JUL,15	201.76	202.17	204.79	204.63	204.60	199.64	0.43	0.33	0.65	0.32	0.45	0.51
AUG,15	202.25	203.14	205.48	204.75	205.26	199.93	0.24	0.48	0.34	0.06	0.32	0.15
SEP,15	202.04	203.10	205.31	204.46	205.20	199.71	-0.10	-0.02	-0.08	-0.14	-0.03	-0.11
OCT,15	203.03	204.60	206.58	205.58	206.18	200.55	0.49	0.74	0.62	0.55	0.48	0.42
NOV,15	204.22	206.11	208.02	206.98	207.54	201.53	0.59	0.74	0.70	0.68	0.66	0.49
DEC, 15	203.06	204.05	206.23	205.42	206.20	200.79	-0.57	-1.00	-0.86	-0.75	-0.65	-0.37
JAN, 16	203.49	203.73	206.16	205.50	206.47	201.57	0.21	-0.16	-0.03	0.04	0.13	0.39
FEB, 16	202.98	203.20	205.58	204.89	205.81	201.15	-0.25	-0.26	-0.28	-0.30	-0.32	-0.21
MAR, 16	203.28	203.69	206.21	205.26	206.13	201.36	0.15	0.24	0.31	0.18	0.16	0.10
APR, 16	206.43	206.64	209.20	208.50	209.46	204.42	1.55	1.45	1.45	1.58	1.62	1.52
MAY, 16	205.99	205.59	208.32	207.77	208.89	204.26	-0.21	-0.51	-0.42	-0.35	-0.27	-0.08
JUN, 16	207.30	207.36	210.02	209.39	210.39	205.28	0.64	0.86	0.82	0.78	0.72	0.50
JUL, 16	210.08	211.23	213.48	212.64	213.40	207.61	1.34	1.87	1.65	1.55	1.43	1.14
AUG,16	209.46	210.52	212.75	211.89	212.64	207.09	-0.30	-0.34	-0.34	-0.35	-0.36	-0.25
SEP,16	209.88	210.90	213.11	212.24	213.01	207.56	0.20	0.18	0.17	0.17	0.17	0.23
OCT,16	211.57	212.69	214.88	214.01	214.72	209.21	0.81	0.85	0.83	0.83	0.80	0.79
NOV,16	212.01	213.21	215.37	214.47	215.18	209.63	0.21	0.24	0.23	0.21	0.21	0.20
DEC, 16	210.57	210.69	213.16	212.51	213.50	208.70	-0.68	-1.18	-1.03	-0.91	-0.78	-0.44
JAN,17	210.94	210.39	213.03	212.50	213.64	209.45	0.18	-0.14	-0.06	0.00	0.07	0.36
FEB, 17	211.54	210.80	213.52	213.05	214.26	210.09	0.28	0.19	0.23	0.26	0.29	0.31
Mar,17	213.32	212.79	215.54	215.06	216.23	211.66	0.84	0.94	0.95	0.94	0.92	0.75
Apr,17	216.30	215.46	218.35	217.97	219.25	214.70	1.40	1.25	1.30	1.35	1.40	1.44

11. A review of the current average prices of Cement collected for the week ended on 04.05.2017 shows a decrease of 0.32% over previous week and an increase of 5.43% over corresponding week of the last year. Average retail prices of Fertilizers and Cement are given at Appendix-B.