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Subject: Sensitive Price Indicator (SPI) for the week ended on 15-12-2016.

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 December 15, 2016, 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	
	15-12-16	08-12-16	17-12-15	08-12-16	17-12-15
Q1 (Upto Rs. 8000)	210.44	211.71	209.35	-0.60	0.52
Q2 (Rs. 8001-12000)	217.76	219.02	216.66	-0.58	0.51
Q3 (Rs. 12001-18000)	218.80	220.05	217.71	-0.57	0.50
Q4 (Rs. 18001-35000)	223.43	224.63	222.41	-0.53	0.46
Q5 (Above Rs. 35000)	220.21	221.23	219.56	-0.46	0.30
Combined	219.43	220.58	218.53	-0.52	0.41

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
13-10-2016	211.54	0.13	1.37	219.90	0.14	1.52
20-10-2016	211.86	0.15	1.44	220.35	0.20	1.66
27-10-2016	212.18	0.15	1.31	220.59	0.11	1.51
03-11-2016	212.74	0.26	0.77	221.00	0.19	0.75
10-11-2016	212.24	-0.24	0.41	220.45	-0.25	0.32
17-11-2016	212.47	0.11	0.51	220.70	0.11	0.51
24-11-2016	212.15	-0.15	0.74	220.57	-0.06	0.80
01-12-2016	213.23	0.51	1.58	222.08	0.68	1.69
08-12-2016	211.71	-0.71	0.80	220.58	-0.68	0.80
15-12-2016	210.44	-0.60	0.52	219.43	-0.52	0.41

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 15-12-2016 over previous and corresponding weeks ended on 08-12-2016 and 17-12-2015 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	
			15.12.16	08.12.16	08.12.16	17.12.15	Lowest	Combined	Lowest	Combined
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
i. Average prices of the following 15 items registered INCREASE.										
1	Match Box, Regular	Each	2.12	2.09	1.44	6.53	0.1329	0.1183	0.0020	0.0017
2	Eggs Hen, Farm	Dozen	129.92	128.62	1.01	25.70	0.6588	1.1923	0.0082	0.0142
3	Bananas	Dozen	67.18	66.52	0.99	8.01	0.9748	1.3930	0.0086	0.0118
4	Cigarettes, K-2, 20's	Packet	65.59	65.00	0.91	11.28	0.8822	1.5930	0.0154	0.0266
5	Sugar, Refined	1 kg	63.35	62.84	0.81	12.82	3.7994	2.7340	0.0328	0.0226
6	Tea, Lipton Yellow Label, Packet	200 gm	176.53	175.29	0.71	-6.81	2.2005	2.1456	0.0193	0.0180
7	Vegetable Ghee, Tin, (SN)	2.5 kg	454.24	451.29	0.65	1.45	4.8228	2.7110	0.0215	0.0116
8	Cooking Oil, Tin, (SN)	2.5 Ltr	462.29	459.94	0.51	1.22	1.3472	2.2953	0.0047	0.0077
9	Vegetable Ghee, Loose/Pouch, (SN)	1 kg	144.01	143.29	0.50	5.09	4.8228	2.7110	0.0151	0.0082
10	Soap, LifeBuoy	Each	37.00	36.82	0.49	2.78	0.3491	0.3539	0.0017	0.0017
11	Garlic	1 kg	303.96	302.93	0.34	47.76	0.3990	0.3599	0.0042	0.0036
12	Firewood Whole	40 kg	608.53	608.24	0.05	2.31	2.5384	0.5960	0.0016	0.0004
13	Gur, Average Quality	1 kg	86.49	86.45	0.05	0.55	0.1879	0.0576	0.0001	0.0000
14	Curd (Dahi)	1 kg	94.10	94.05	0.05	1.93	0.9482	1.3491	0.0006	0.0009
15	Wheat	10 kg	345.49	345.34	0.04	-2.21	1.6049	0.9101	0.0007	0.0004
TOTAL							25.6689	20.5201	0.1365	0.1294
ii. Average prices of the following 12 items registered DECREASE.										
1	Tomatoes	1 kg	44.87	64.56	-30.50	-23.06	1.1881	1.1768	-0.3877	-0.3686
2	Potatoes	1 kg	34.07	38.81	-12.21	21.94	1.6735	1.2501	-0.2462	-0.1765
3	Pulse Mash, Washed	1 kg	222.11	227.89	-2.54	-11.13	0.6088	0.5492	-0.0233	-0.0202
4	Chicken Farm, Broiler, Live	1 kg	131.23	133.67	-1.83	-13.22	2.4935	3.5588	-0.0345	-0.0472
5	LPG Cylinder, 11kg	Each	1153.53	1172.35	-1.61	-6.55	0.2835	0.2712	-0.0037	-0.0034
6	Pulse Masoor, Washed	1 kg	144.70	146.99	-1.56	-1.41	0.5529	0.4892	-0.0084	-0.0071
7	Pulse Moong, Washed	1 kg	140.79	142.93	-1.50	-12.93	0.8244	0.6114	-0.0158	-0.0113
8	Onions	1 kg	27.74	28.05	-1.11	-43.20	1.7622	1.4179	-0.0158	-0.0122
9	Powdered Milk, Nido, Polybag	400 gm	380.95	382.44	-0.39	0.87	0.0752	0.1235	-0.0004	-0.0006
10	Rice Irri-6 (Punjab/Sindh)	1 kg	47.80	47.90	-0.21	4.32	0.5103	0.1934	-0.0008	-0.0003
11	Red Chilly Powder, Loose	1 kg	274.46	274.71	-0.09	1.09	0.6191	0.4447	-0.0005	-0.0003
12	Pulse Gram, Washed	1 kg	170.13	170.23	-0.06	38.03	0.8699	0.6180	-0.0009	-0.0006
TOTAL							11.4614	10.7042	-0.7380	-0.6484
iii. Average prices of the following 26 items remained UNCHANGED										
1	Wheat Flour, Bag	10 kg	385.35	385.35	0.00	-3.27	17.4548	10.9014	0.0000	0.0000
2	Rice Basmati Broken, (AQ)	1 kg	62.11	62.11	0.00	2.26	2.6713	1.9032	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	324.30	324.30	0.00	2.26	3.9344	4.2660	0.0000	0.0000
5	Mutton, Average Quality	1 kg	653.94	653.94	0.00	4.21	0.3616	2.0953	0.0000	0.0000
6	Milk, Fresh, Unboiled	1 Ltr	80.37	80.37	0.00	2.80	17.0616	16.8368	0.0000	0.0000
7	Mustard Oil, Average Quality	1 kg	181.19	181.19	0.00	0.38	0.1668	0.2492	0.0000	0.0000
8	Salt Powder, Loose, Lahori	1 kg	10.59	10.59	0.00	1.15	0.1937	0.1636	0.0000	0.0000
9	Cooked Beef, Average Hotel	Plate	92.61	92.61	0.00	7.62	0.0965	0.3596	0.0000	0.0000
10	Cooked Daal, Average Hotel	Plate	56.91	56.91	0.00	6.97	0.2085	0.4413	0.0000	0.0000
11	Tea Prepared, Average Hotel	Cup	20.16	20.16	0.00	3.01	0.4048	0.7913	0.0000	0.0000
12	Long Cloth, 57", Gul Ahmed/AI-Karam, (SN)	1 mtr	205.57	205.57	0.00	1.38	1.9718	1.8511	0.0000	0.0000
13	Shirting, Average Quality, (SN)	1 mtr	164.30	164.30	0.00	1.46	0.5195	0.6499	0.0000	0.0000
14	Lawn Printed, Gul Ahmed / AI-Karam, (SN)	1 mtr	251.21	251.21	0.00	3.37	1.4477	1.4684	0.0000	0.0000
15	Georgette, Average Quality, (SN)	1 mtr	124.13	124.13	0.00	0.84	0.4174	0.6340	0.0000	0.0000
16	Gents Sandal, Bata	Pair	699.00	699.00	0.00	0.00	0.3910	0.4931	0.0000	0.0000
17	Gents Chappal Spng, Bata	Pair	179.09	179.09	0.00	0.05	0.2702	0.2649	0.0000	0.0000
18	Ladies Sandal, Bata	Pair	502.39	502.39	0.00	0.68	0.6773	0.8130	0.0000	0.0000
19	Electricity Charges, Upto 50 Units	Unit	2.00	2.00	0.00	0.00	9.3636	11.5128	0.0000	0.0000
20	Gas Charges, Upto 3.3719 MMBTU	MMBTU	128.70	128.70	0.00	0.00	3.2199	4.1239	0.0000	0.0000
21	Kerosene Oil	1 Ltr	77.74	77.74	0.00	-7.53	0.0415	0.0150	0.0000	0.0000
22	Electric Bulb, Energy Saver, 14 W	Each	167.79	167.79	0.00	0.70	0.2003	0.2369	0.0000	0.0000
23	Washing Soap, 200-250 g, (SN)	Cake	25.91	25.91	0.00	4.73	0.9514	0.7716	0.0000	0.0000
24	Petrol, Super	1 Ltr	67.04	67.04	0.00	-13.13	0.4649	5.1188	0.0000	0.0000
25	Hi Speed Diesel (HSD)	1 Ltr	76.10	76.10	0.00	-10.21	0.0090	0.2767	0.0000	0.0000
26	Telephone Local Call Charges, 3 Minutes	P/Call	3.94	3.94	0.00	0.00	0.1647	1.3095	0.0000	0.0000
TOTAL							62.8697	68.7757	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
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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

7. Quarterly Sensitive Price Indicator (SPI).			
PERIOD	SPI (lowest income group)	Percentage change over previous quarter	Percentage Change over corresponding quarter of previous year

2014-15

1st quarter (Jul-Sep)	208.36	2.84	5.48
2nd quartet (Oct-Dec)	206.58	-0.85	1.52
3rd quartet (Jan-Mar)	200.59	-2.90	-0.19
4th quartet (April-Jun)	203.12	1.26	0.26

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
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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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2014-15

1st half (Jul-Dec)	207.47	2.82	3.47
2nd half (Jan-June)	201.86	-2.71	0.03

2015-16

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

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-NOV) OVER 2015-16 (JUL-NOV)					
2016-17 (JUL-NOV)	210.60	211.71	213.92	213.05	213.79	208.22	3.92	3.87	3.83	3.79	3.90	3.97

PERIOD	INDEX NUMBER						PERCENTAGE CHANGE OVER PREVIOUS MONTH					
JUL,14	198.05	199.88	201.43	201.47	201.00	195.34	1.70	1.93	1.85	1.80	1.74	1.59
AUG, 14	198.70	201.42	202.59	202.39	201.70	195.70	0.33	0.77	0.58	0.46	0.35	0.18
SEP, 14	199.40	201.98	203.06	202.88	202.18	196.62	0.35	0.28	0.23	0.24	0.24	0.47
OCT, 14	199.81	202.07	203.28	203.13	202.48	197.19	0.21	0.04	0.11	0.12	0.15	0.29
NOV, 14	198.79	201.16	202.37	202.38	201.65	195.96	-0.51	-0.45	-0.45	-0.37	-0.41	-0.62
DEC, 14	196.79	198.08	199.68	199.94	199.42	194.43	-1.01	-1.53	-1.33	-1.21	-1.11	-0.78
JAN,15	196.95	197.84	199.57	199.91	199.46	194.80	0.08	-0.12	-0.06	-0.02	0.02	0.19
FEB,15	195.13	195.84	197.56	197.89	197.41	193.19	-0.92	-1.01	-1.01	-1.01	-1.03	-0.83
MAR,15	195.57	196.44	198.13	198.44	197.92	193.53	0.23	0.31	0.29	0.28	0.26	0.18
APR,15	198.16	198.65	200.48	200.90	200.53	196.23	1.32	1.13	1.19	1.24	1.32	1.40
MAY,15	199.66	200.35	202.18	202.59	202.20	197.54	0.76	0.86	0.85	0.84	0.83	0.67
JUN,15	200.89	201.50	203.46	203.98	203.68	198.63	0.62	0.57	0.63	0.69	0.73	0.55
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

11. A review of the current average prices of Cement collected for the week ended on 15.12.2016 shows an increase of 0.06% over previous week and an increase of 5.87% over corresponding week of the last year. Average retail prices of Fertilizers and Cement are given at Appendix-B.

Encl.(2 appendices)

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