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Subject: Sensitive Price Indicator (SPI) for the week ended on 11-09-2014.

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 September 11, 2014, 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	
	11-09-14	04-09-14	12-09-13	04-09-14	12-09-13
Q1 (Upto Rs. 8000)	209.28	208.00	197.90	0.62	5.75
Q2 (Rs. 8001-12000)	215.19	213.96	203.65	0.57	5.67
Q3 (Rs. 12001-18000)	217.84	216.62	202.03	0.56	7.83
Q4 (Rs. 18001-35000)	219.56	218.41	203.15	0.53	8.08
Q5 (Above Rs. 35000)	217.76	216.80	202.94	0.44	7.30
Combined	217.06	215.96	202.31	0.51	7.29

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
10-07-2014	205.97	0.24	5.25	215.24	0.23	6.95
17-07-2014	206.68	0.34	5.81	215.70	0.21	7.59
24-07-2014	207.07	0.19	5.65	216.03	0.15	7.52
28-07-2014	210.03	1.43	7.28	219.02	1.38	9.06
07-08-2014	209.08	-0.45	5.34	217.66	-0.62	7.00
13-08-2014	209.20	0.06	4.67	217.61	-0.02	6.24
21-08-2014	208.52	-0.33	4.39	216.82	-0.36	6.00
28-08-2014	208.26	-0.12	4.84	216.22	-0.28	6.47
04-09-2014	208.00	-0.12	4.81	215.96	-0.12	6.29
11-09-2014	209.28	0.62	5.75	217.06	0.51	7.29

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 11-09-2014 over previous and corresponding weeks ended on 04-09-2014 and 12-09-2013 respectively are as follows:

Sr.	Items	Units	Prices in Rs. on		%change		Weight of income		Impact of income	
			11.09.14	04.09.14	col. 3 over	col. 4 over	Lowest	Combined	Lowest	Combined
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
i. Average prices of the following 18 items registered INCREASE.										
1	Tomatoes	1 kg	66.74	51.12	30.56	8.49	1.1881	1.1768	0.3131	0.2987
2	Onions	1 kg	42.50	37.83	12.34	-7.59	1.7622	1.4179	0.2430	0.1883
3	LPG Cylinder, 11kg	Each	1395.76	1345.76	3.72	-9.24	0.2835	0.2712	0.0102	0.0094
4	Tea, Lipton Yellow Label, Packet	200 gm	125.94	123.84	1.70	-26.70	2.2005	2.1456	0.0332	0.0312
5	Potatoes	1 kg	66.46	65.36	1.68	105.44	1.6735	1.2501	0.0581	0.0418
6	Red Chilly Powder, Loose	1 kg	254.44	251.21	1.29	17.21	0.6191	0.4447	0.0065	0.0045
7	Gur, Average Quality	1 kg	83.90	83.01	1.07	-6.77	0.1879	0.0576	0.0024	0.0007
8	Sugar, Refined	1 kg	60.67	60.06	1.02	12.71	3.7994	2.7340	0.0399	0.0277
9	Eggs Hen, Farm	Dozen	105.08	104.07	0.97	6.47	0.6588	1.1923	0.0065	0.0113
10	Pulse Moong, Washed	1 kg	149.38	148.25	0.76	21.49	0.8244	0.6114	0.0085	0.0061
11	Pulse Gram, Washed	1 kg	73.44	73.00	0.60	0.67	0.8699	0.6180	0.0041	0.0028
12	Pulse Masoor, Washed	1 kg	128.16	127.48	0.53	13.88	0.5529	0.4892	0.0025	0.0022
13	Beef With Bone, Average quality	1 kg	301.48	300.30	0.39	7.62	3.9344	4.2660	0.0181	0.0189
14	Cooked Beef, Average Hotel	Plate	82.19	82.00	0.23	8.93	0.0965	0.3596	0.0003	0.0010
15	Mutton, Average Quality	1 kg	588.97	587.79	0.20	6.77	0.3616	2.0953	0.0009	0.0048
16	Firewood Whole	40 kg	554.14	553.65	0.09	6.79	2.5384	0.5960	0.0027	0.0006
17	Kerosene Oil	1 Ltr	117.52	117.46	0.05	-5.86	0.0415	0.0150	0.0000	0.0000
18	Pulse Mash, Washed	1 kg	156.25	156.18	0.04	21.22	0.6088	0.5492	0.0003	0.0002
TOTAL							22.2014	20.2899	0.7505	0.6503
ii. Average prices of the following 8 items registered DECREASE.										
1	Chicken Farm, Broiler, Live	1 kg	136.65	140.68	-2.86	-2.83	2.4935	3.5588	-0.0579	-0.0796
2	Garlic	1 kg	132.57	134.62	-1.52	6.35	0.3990	0.3599	-0.0085	-0.0074
3	Bananas	Dozen	79.52	80.42	-1.12	28.18	0.9748	1.3930	-0.0119	-0.0164
4	Wheat	10 kg	349.12	351.62	-0.71	-4.15	1.6049	0.9101	-0.0115	-0.0063
5	Wheat Flour, Bag	10 kg	403.12	403.90	-0.19	-1.13	17.4548	10.9014	-0.0358	-0.0215
6	Vegetable Ghee, Loose/Pouch, (SN)	1 kg	157.51	157.79	-0.18	-0.11	4.8228	2.7110	-0.0060	-0.0032
7	Petrol, Super	1 Ltr	108.08	108.17	-0.08	-2.53	0.4649	5.1188	-0.0003	-0.0037
8	Hi Speed Diesel (HSD)	1 Ltr	109.88	109.95	-0.06	-3.54	0.0090	0.2767	0.0000	-0.0002
TOTAL							28.2237	25.2297	-0.1320	-0.1384
iii. Average prices of the following 27 items remained UNCHANGED										
1	Rice Basmati Broken, (AQ)	1 kg	74.12	74.12	0.00	-0.07	2.6713	1.9032	0.0000	0.0000
2	Rice Irri-6 (Punjab/Sindh)	1 kg	54.58	54.58	0.00	1.41	0.5103	0.1934	0.0000	0.0000
3	Bread Plain, Medium Size	Each	40.68	40.68	0.00	7.39	0.2055	1.2284	0.0000	0.0000
4	Milk, Fresh, Unboiled	1 Ltr	75.61	75.61	0.00	10.61	17.0616	16.8368	0.0000	0.0000
5	Curd (Dahi)	1 kg	89.21	89.21	0.00	11.00	0.9482	1.3491	0.0000	0.0000
6	Powdered Milk, Nido, Polybag	400 gm	347.94	347.94	0.00	18.30	0.0752	0.1235	0.0000	0.0000
7	Mustard Oil, Average Quality	1 kg	185.42	185.42	0.00	0.88	0.1668	0.2492	0.0000	0.0000
8	Cooking Oil, Tin, (SN)	2.5 Ltr	540.29	540.29	0.00	0.55	1.3472	2.2953	0.0000	0.0000
9	Vegetable Ghee, Tin, (SN)	2.5 kg	511.76	511.76	0.00	0.29	4.8228	2.7110	0.0000	0.0000
10	Salt Powder, Loose, Lahori	1 kg	9.87	9.87	0.00	8.11	0.1937	0.1636	0.0000	0.0000
11	Cooked Daal, Average Hotel	Plate	47.57	47.57	0.00	5.85	0.2085	0.4413	0.0000	0.0000
12	Tea Prepared, Average Hotel	Cup	18.59	18.59	0.00	13.77	0.4048	0.7913	0.0000	0.0000
13	Cigarettes, K-2, 20's	Packet	45.12	45.12	0.00	20.03	0.8822	1.5930	0.0000	0.0000
14	Long Cloth, 57", Gul Ahmed/Al-Karam, (SN)	1 mtr	199.39	199.39	0.00	16.48	1.9718	1.8511	0.0000	0.0000
15	Shirting, Average Quality, (SN)	1 mtr	156.76	156.76	0.00	11.64	0.5195	0.6499	0.0000	0.0000
16	Lawn Printed, Gul Ahmed / Al-Karam, (SN)	1 mtr	239.15	239.15	0.00	26.00	1.4477	1.4684	0.0000	0.0000
17	Georgette, Average Quality, (SN)	1 mtr	123.10	123.10	0.00	11.54	0.4174	0.6340	0.0000	0.0000
18	Gents Sandal, Bata	Pair	699.00	699.00	0.00	7.70	0.3910	0.4931	0.0000	0.0000
19	Gents Chappal Spng, Bata	Pair	179.00	179.00	0.00	0.00	0.2702	0.2649	0.0000	0.0000
20	Ladies Sandal, Bata	Pair	499.00	499.00	0.00	0.00	0.6773	0.8130	0.0000	0.0000
21	Electricity Charges, Upto 50 Units	Unit	2.00	2.00	0.00	0.00	9.3636	11.5128	0.0000	0.0000
22	Gas Charges, Upto 3.3719 MMBTU	MMBTU	124.18	124.18	0.00	0.00	3.2199	4.1239	0.0000	0.0000
23	Electric Bulb, Energy Saver, 14 W	Each	165.15	165.15	0.00	2.28	0.2003	0.2369	0.0000	0.0000
24	Washing Soap, 200-250 g, (SN)	Cake	24.35	24.35	0.00	5.46	0.9514	0.7716	0.0000	0.0000
25	Match Box, Regular	Each	1.65	1.65	0.00	27.91	0.1329	0.1183	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
27	Soap, LifeBuoy	Each	36.00	36.00	0.00	0.00	0.3491	0.3539	0.0000	0.0000
TOTAL							49.5749	54.4804	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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2013-14

July	195.49	2.27	9.80
August	198.48	1.53	10.06
September	198.61	0.07	8.81
October	200.93	1.17	10.54
November	207.40	3.23	14.07
December	202.14	-2.54	11.12
January	199.67	-1.22	7.70
February	199.49	-0.09	7.52
March	203.77	2.15	8.98
April	203.91	0.07	9.37
May	200.84	-1.51	7.65
June	203.07	1.11	6.24

2014-15

July	207.04	1.95	5.91
August	208.77	0.83	5.18

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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2013-14

1st quarter (Jul-Sep)	197.53	5.04	9.55
2nd quarter (Oct-Dec)	203.49	3.02	11.91
3rd quarter (Jan-Mar)	200.98	-1.23	8.07
4th quarter (Apr-Jun)	202.61	0.81	7.74

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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2013-14

1st half (Jul-Dec)	200.51	7.22	10.74
2nd half (Jan-Jun)	201.79	0.64	7.90

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

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 2014-15 (JUL-AUG) OVER 2013-14 (JUL-AUG)					
2014-15 (JUL-AUG)	198.38	200.65	202.01	201.93	201.35	195.52	7.44	6.35	6.37	7.51	7.71	7.61

PERIOD	INDEX NUMBER						PERCENTAGE CHANGE OVER PREVIOUS MONTH					
JUL, 13	183.58	187.26	188.63	186.63	185.83	180.78	2.02	2.30	2.21	2.20	2.13	1.86
AUG, 13	185.71	190.09	191.19	189.01	188.06	182.62	1.16	1.51	1.36	1.28	1.20	1.02
SEP, 13	185.18	189.41	190.41	188.23	187.33	182.31	-0.29	-0.36	-0.41	-0.41	-0.39	-0.17
OCT, 13	188.82	192.11	192.97	192.61	191.77	185.70	1.97	1.43	1.34	2.33	2.37	1.86
NOV, 13	191.21	196.12	196.43	195.68	194.41	187.41	1.27	2.09	1.79	1.59	1.38	0.92
DEC, 13	188.68	191.73	192.62	192.28	191.49	185.75	-1.32	-2.24	-1.94	-1.74	-1.50	-0.89
JAN,14	189.60	191.73	192.98	192.88	192.33	186.99	0.49	0.00	0.19	0.31	0.44	0.67
FEB,14	189.00	191.06	192.29	192.18	191.63	186.50	-0.32	-0.35	-0.36	-0.36	-0.36	-0.26
MAR,14	190.82	193.62	194.66	194.39	193.63	187.93	0.96	1.34	1.23	1.15	1.04	0.77
APR,14	194.06	196.65	197.83	197.59	196.89	191.22	1.70	1.56	1.63	1.65	1.68	1.75
MAY, 14	193.55	194.91	196.54	196.60	196.23	191.18	-0.26	-0.88	-0.65	-0.50	-0.34	-0.02
JUN,14	194.74	196.10	197.77	197.90	197.56	192.28	0.61	0.61	0.63	0.66	0.68	0.58
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

11. A review of the current average prices of cement collected for the week ended on 11.09.2014 recorded an increase of 0.25% over previous week and 5.32% 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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