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Subject: Sensitive Price Indicator (SPI) for the week ended on 09-01-2020.

The weekly SPI with base 2015-16=100 covering 17 urban centres and 51 essential items for all expenditure groups/quintiles and combined has been computed.

2. For the week ended on January 09, 2020, the SPI and percentage changes by Consumption groups/quintiles and combined are given below:

Expenditure Group (Quintile)	SPI (51 items) 2015-16=100			% change over	
	SPI for week ended on			02-01-20	10-01-19
	09-01-2020	02-01-20	10-01-19		
Q1 (Upto Rs. 17,732)	135.82	135.21	113.99	0.45	19.15
Q2 (Rs. 17,733 - 22,888)	131.51	130.94	109.55	0.44	20.05
Q3 (Rs. 22,889 - 29,517)	133.21	132.65	108.59	0.42	22.67
Q4 (Rs. 29,518 - 44,175)	130.28	129.75	106.87	0.41	21.91
Q5 (Above Rs. 44,175)	134.22	133.82	112.76	0.30	19.03
Combined	132.32	131.84	110.20	0.36	20.07

3. The trend of weekly SPI with base 2015-16=100 during the last 10 weeks as compared to the respective previous as well as corresponding weeks of last year is as under:

Week ended on	SPI for lowest expenditure group	% change over		Combined SPI	% change over	
		Pr. Week	Cor. Week		Pr. Week	Cor. Week
07-11-2019	135.29	0.80	19.28	131.10	0.57	19.03
14-11-2019	137.56	1.68	20.43	132.53	1.09	19.62
21-11-2019	138.04	0.35	20.96	132.82	0.22	19.86
28-11-2019	136.80	-0.90	19.95	131.87	-0.72	18.96
05-12-2019	135.18	-1.18	18.99	130.77	-0.83	18.57
12-12-2019	133.99	-0.88	18.07	130.06	-0.54	17.98
19-12-2019	133.67	-0.24	17.86	130.02	-0.03	17.94
26-12-2019	134.01	0.25	17.89	130.87	0.65	18.51
02-01-2020	135.21	0.90	18.99	131.84	0.74	19.84
09-01-2020	135.82	0.45	19.15	132.32	0.36	20.07

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 09-01-2020 over previous and corresponding weeks ended on 02-01-2020 and 10-01-2019 respectively are as follows:

Sr.	Items	Units	Prices in Rs.			%change col. 3 over		Weight of expenditure group in %		Impact of expenditure group in % points	
			09.01.20	02.01.20	10.01.19	02.01.20	10.01.19	Lowest	Combined	Lowest	Combined
1		2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
i. Average prices of the following 27 items registered INCREASE.											
1	Pulse Gram	1 Kg	159.93	147.84	125.41	8.18	27.53	0.7967	0.4711	0.0761	0.0462
2	Bananas (Kela) Local	1 Dozen	72.98	68.54	66.07	6.48	10.46	0.7124	0.9413	0.0241	0.0326
3	Pulse Mash (Washed)	1 Kg	225.60	213.31	150.98	5.76	49.42	0.2855	0.3269	0.0145	0.0170
4	Tomatoes	1 Kg	148.66	140.85	44.46	5.54	234.37	1.4395	0.9816	0.0118	0.0083
5	Pulse Moong (Washed)	1 Kg	229.86	218.01	124.42	5.44	84.75	0.8715	0.4816	0.0621	0.0352
6	Eggs Hen (Farm)	1 Dozen	134.76	129.82	118.88	3.81	13.36	1.1780	1.4424	0.0495	0.0622
7	Potatoes	1 Kg	46.45	44.76	23.14	3.78	100.73	2.2955	1.2157	0.0637	0.0346
8	Garlic (Lehsun)	1 Kg	290.43	281.46	162.76	3.19	78.44	0.6807	0.5795	0.0172	0.0151
9	Gur (Average Quality)	1 Kg	118.22	114.56	84.60	3.19	39.74	0.2341	0.1075	0.0045	0.0021
10	Wheat Flour Bag	20 Kg	943.77	918.09	788.33	2.80	19.72	6.1372	3.9725	0.0754	0.0501
11	Match Box	Each	2.56	2.50	2.36	2.40	8.47	0.3495	0.1969	0.0082	0.0047
12	Pulse Masoor (Washed)	1 Kg	144.19	141.45	118.84	1.94	21.33	0.6545	0.4608	0.0073	0.0053
13	Sufi Washing Soap 250 gm Cake	Each	45.37	44.65	41.42	1.61	9.54	1.1178	0.5917	0.0036	0.0019
14	Chicken Farm Broiler (Live)	1 Kg	160.56	158.10	136.49	1.56	17.63	2.9269	3.8681	0.0428	0.0580
15	Sugar Refined	1 Kg	74.33	73.45	58.61	1.20	26.82	5.1148	3.1584	0.0595	0.0376
16	Powdered Milk NIDO 390 gm Polybag	Each	447.99	443.16	395.62	1.09	13.24	0.0803	0.3817	0.0001	0.0005
17	Mustard Oil (Average Quality)	1 Kg	213.10	210.91	186.85	1.04	14.05	0.0216	0.0341	0.0001	0.0002
18	Vegetable Ghee DALDA/HABIB or Other super	Each	224.10	221.81	181.94	1.03	23.17	3.2833	1.4648	0.0339	0.0155
19	LPG 11.67 kg Cylinder	Each	1905.91	1888.61	1632.23	0.92	16.77	0.6145	1.4370	-0.0070	-0.0168
20	Vegetable Ghee DALDA/HABIB 2.5 kg Tin	Each	573.97	571.32	491.76	0.46	16.72	3.2833	1.4648	0.0140	0.0064
21	Cooked Beef at Average Hotel	Per Plate	134.48	133.89	113.31	0.44	18.68	0.5033	1.0497	0.0027	0.0059
22	Toilet Soap LIFEBOUY 115 gm	Each	45.10	44.94	40.67	0.36	10.89	0.8529	0.6784	0.0001	0.0001
23	Cooking Oil DALDA or Other Similar Brand (SN	Each	1179.36	1177.02	1001.10	0.20	17.81	2.1480	3.1260	0.0039	0.0058
24	Georgette (Average Quality)	1 mtr	147.05	146.87	131.92	0.12	11.47	0.7584	0.9024	0.0041	0.0049
25	Beef with Bone (Average Quality)	1 Kg	428.98	428.74	393.57	0.06	9.00	2.4988	3.3533	0.0072	0.0099
26	Rice Basmati Broken (Average Quality)	1 Kg	81.88	81.83	76.25	0.06	7.38	2.9610	1.2636	0.0089	0.0039
27	Rice IRRI-6/9 (Sindh/Punjab)	1 Kg	61.40	61.39	54.70	0.02	12.25	0.5922	0.1671	0.0005	0.0002
TOTAL								42.3922	34.1189	0.5889	0.4474
ii. Average prices of the following 1 items registered DECREASE.											
1	Onions	1 Kg	62.00	65.06	27.82	-4.70	122.86	2.6815	1.6822	-0.1349	-0.0868
TOTAL								2.6815	1.6822	-0.1349	-0.0868
iii. Average prices of the following 23 items remained UNCHANGED											
1	Bread plain (Small Size)	Each	48.52	48.52	43.17	0.00	12.39	0.1041	0.5698	0.0000	0.0000
2	Mutton (Average Quality)	1 Kg	888.10	888.10	807.75	0.00	9.95	0.5498	2.4387	0.0000	0.0000
3	Milk fresh (Un-boiled)	1 Ltr	93.76	93.76	85.86	0.00	9.20	17.5449	18.3937	0.0000	0.0000
4	Curd (Dahi) Loose	1 Kg	107.78	107.78	101.13	0.00	6.58	0.7366	1.8181	0.0000	0.0000
5	Salt Powdered (NATIONAL/SHAN) 800 gm Packet	Each	30.00	30.00	29.73	0.00	0.91	0.2844	0.2279	0.0000	0.0000
6	Chilies Powder NATIONAL 200 gm Packet	Each	150.29	150.29	144.54	0.00	3.98	1.3896	0.8454	0.0000	0.0000
7	Tea Lipton Yellow Label 190 gm Packet	Each	229.25	229.25	207.86	0.00	10.29	3.1478	2.3913	0.0000	0.0000
8	Cooked Daal at Average Hotel	Per Plate	68.37	68.37	61.23	0.00	11.66	1.3118	1.3014	0.0000	0.0000
9	Tea Prepared Ordinary	Per Cup	25.76	25.76	22.22	0.00	15.93	2.5003	2.3564	0.0000	0.0000
10	Cigarettes Capstan 20'S Packet	Each	81.21	81.21	59.77	0.00	35.87	1.6170	1.0931	0.0000	0.0000
11	Long Cloth 57" Gul Ahmed/AI Karam	1 mtr	302.84	302.84	232.56	0.00	30.22	4.2221	3.9577	0.0000	0.0000
12	Shirting (Average Quality)	1 mtr	201.23	201.23	173.99	0.00	15.66	0.0317	0.1010	0.0000	0.0000
13	Lawn Printed Gul Ahmed/AI Karam	1 mtr	354.82	354.82	276.09	0.00	28.52	2.3442	2.1473	0.0000	0.0000
14	Gents Sandal Bata	Pair	899.00	899.00	899.00	0.00	0.00	0.6350	0.5122	0.0000	0.0000
15	Gents Sponge Chappal Bata	Pair	199.00	199.00	199.00	0.00	0.00	0.2110	0.1640	0.0000	0.0000
16	Ladies Sandal Bata	Pair	599.00	599.00	599.00	0.00	0.00	0.9919	1.0148	0.0000	0.0000
17	Electricity Charges for Q1	Per Unit	4.19	4.19	3.80	0.00	10.26	8.3627	12.9291	0.0000	0.0000
18	Gas Charges upto 3.3719 MMBTU	MMBTU	141.57	141.57	141.57	0.00	0.00	2.0674	3.0667	0.0000	0.0000
19	Firewood Whole	40 Kg	671.83	671.83	633.07	0.00	6.12	5.0813	1.1969	0.0000	0.0000
20	Energy Saver Philips 14 Watt	Each	188.84	188.84	174.25	0.00	8.37	0.2495	0.3374	0.0000	0.0000
21	Petrol Super	Per Litre	117.59	117.59	91.95	0.00	27.88	1.4673	6.7018	0.0000	0.0000
22	Hi-Speed Diesel	Per Litre	128.25	128.25	107.61	0.00	19.18	0.0114	0.0874	0.0000	0.0000
23	Telephone Call Charges	Per Minu	1.55	1.55	1.55	0.00	0.00	0.0645	0.5468	0.0000	0.0000
TOTAL								54.9263	64.1989	0.0000	0.0000

6. Monthly Sensitive Price Indicator (SPI).

PERIOD	SPI - Q1 (lowest Consumption Quintile)	Percentage change over previous month	Percentage Change over corresponding month of previous year
2017-18			
July	108.21	0.00	0.91
August	109.36	1.06	2.24
September	111.61	2.06	4.13
October	112.66	0.94	4.61
November	112.89	0.20	4.11
December	111.90	-0.88	4.51
January	110.20	-1.52	3.96
February	108.92	-1.16	2.32
March	107.93	-0.91	-1.33
April	108.86	0.86	0.22
May	109.63	0.71	1.31
June	111.22	1.45	2.78

2018-19			
July	112.77	1.39	4.21
August	112.54	-0.20	2.91
September	112.07	-0.42	0.41
October	114.61	2.27	1.73
November	113.82	-0.69	0.82
December	113.53	-0.25	1.46
January	113.94	0.36	3.39
February	116.73	2.45	7.17
March	119.22	2.13	10.46
April	119.79	0.48	10.04
May	120.48	0.58	9.90
June	121.56	0.90	9.30

2019-20			
July	122.81	1.03	8.90
August	126.15	2.72	12.09
September	128.51	1.87	14.67
October	131.93	2.66	15.11
November	136.83	3.71	20.22
December	134.13	-1.97	18.14

7. Quarterly Sensitive Price Indicator (SPI).

PERIOD	SPI - Q1 (lowest Consumption Quintile)	Percentage change over previous quarter	Percentage Change over corresponding quarter of previous year
2017-18			
1st quarter (Jul-Sep)	109.73	1.27	2.43
2nd quarter (Oct-Dec)	112.48	2.51	4.41
3rd quarter (Jan-Mar)	109.02	-3.08	1.62
4th quarter (Apr-Jun)	109.90	0.81	1.43
2018-19			
1st quarter (Jul-Sep)	112.46	2.33	2.49
2nd quarter (Oct-Dec)	113.99	1.36	1.34
3rd quarter (Jan-Mar)	116.63	2.32	6.98
4th quarter (Apr-Jun)	120.61	3.41	9.74
2019-20			
1st quarter (Jul-Sep)	125.82	4.32	11.88
2nd quarter (Oct-Dec)	134.30	6.74	17.82

8. Half yearly Sensitive Price Indicator (SPI).

PERIOD	SPI - Q1 (lowest Consumption Quintile)	Percentage change over previous Half year	Percentage Change over corresponding Half year of previous year
2017-18			
1st half (Jul-Dec)	111.11	3.05	3.42
2nd half (Jan-June)	109.46	-1.48	1.53
2018-19			
1st half (Jul-Dec)	113.22	3.44	1.91
2nd half (Jan-June)	118.62	4.77	8.37
2019-20			
1st half (Jul-Dec)	130.06	9.64	14.87

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