



Monthly Review on Price Indices



**April, 2016
(Base 2007-08)**

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Inflation in Brief

1. CPI inflation General increased by 4.2% on year-on-year basis in April 2016 as compared to an increase of 3.9% in the previous month and 2.1% in April 2015. On month-on-month basis, it increased by 1.6% in April 2016 as compared to increase of 0.2% in the previous month and an increase of 1.3% in April 2015.
2. Core inflation measured by non-food non-energy CPI (Core NFNE) increased by 4.4% on (YoY) basis in April 2016 as compared to increase of 4.7% in the previous month and 5.4% in April 2015. On (MoM) basis, it increased by 1.1% in April 2016 as compared to increase of 0.2% in previous month and increase of 1.4% in April 2015.
3. Core inflation, measured by 20% weighted trimmed mean CPI (Core Trimmed) increased by 3.8% on (YoY) basis in April 2016 as compared to 3.8% in the previous month and by 3.1% in April 2015. On (MoM) basis, it increased by 0.6% in April 2016 as compared to an increase of 0.2% in the previous month and 0.6% in April 2015.
4. SPI inflation on YoY increased by 2.9% in April 2016 as compared to an increase of 3.5% a month earlier and decrease of 1.6% in April 2015. On MoM basis, it decreased by 0.1% in April 2016 as compared to a decrease of 0.2% a month earlier and an increase of 0.4% in April 2015.
5. WPI inflation on YoY basis increased by 0.6% in April 2016 as compared to an increase of 0.2% a month earlier and a decrease of 2.9% in April 2015. WPI inflation on MoM basis increased by 1.3% in April 2016 as compared to decrease of 0.4% a month earlier and an increase of 0.9% in April 2015.
6. Figures 1 and 2 show graphically the data of Table 1. Table 1.1 shows “Period Average” and “YoY” percent changes in indices of three years.

Table 1: Inflation (%) (Base 2007-08)

| Period | CPI | | | | | | Core Inflation | | | | SPI** | | WPI | |
|--------|---------|------|------|------|----------|------|----------------|------|---------|------|-------|------|------|------|
| | General | | Food | | Non-food | | NFNE* | | Trimmed | | YoY | MoM | YoY | MoM |
| | YoY | MoM | YoY | MoM | YoY | MoM | YoY | MoM | YoY | MoM | YoY | MoM | YoY | MoM |
| Mar 15 | 2.5 | 0.2 | 0.5 | 0.5 | 3.9 | 0.0* | 5.9 | 0.1 | 3.8 | 0.0* | -1.9 | 0.0* | -3.7 | 0.0* |
| Apr 15 | 2.1 | 1.3 | 0.0* | 1.4 | 3.7 | 1.3 | 5.4 | 1.4 | 3.1 | 0.6 | -1.6 | 0.4 | -2.9 | 0.9 |
| May 15 | 3.2 | 0.8 | 3.0 | 1.8 | 3.3 | 0.0* | 4.9 | 0.0* | 3.9 | 0.1 | 1.2 | 1.3 | -1.8 | 1.1 |
| Jun-15 | 3.2 | 0.6 | 3.2 | 1.2 | 3.2 | 0.2 | 4.6 | 0.1 | 3.8 | 0.2 | 1.1 | 1.0 | -2.0 | 1.2 |
| Jul-15 | 1.9 | 0.4 | 0.6 | 0.1 | 2.8 | 0.6 | 4.1 | 0.6 | 2.9 | 0.5 | -0.5 | 0.3 | -2.9 | -0.4 |
| Aug-15 | 1.8 | 0.2 | 0.4 | 0.3 | 2.8 | 0.2 | 4.0 | 0.1 | 2.8 | 0.1 | -1.5 | -0.2 | -2.9 | -0.5 |
| Sep-15 | 1.3 | -0.1 | -0.1 | -0.4 | 2.4 | 0.1 | 3.4 | 0.1 | 2.8 | 0.1 | -1.3 | 0.5 | -3.5 | -0.4 |
| Oct 15 | 1.6 | 0.5 | 0.5 | 0.4 | 2.4 | 0.5 | 3.4 | 0.6 | 2.8 | 0.4 | -0.1 | 1.2 | -2.7 | 0.5 |
| Nov 15 | 2.7 | 0.6 | 2.2 | 1.2 | 3.2 | 0.2 | 4.0 | 0.1 | 2.9 | 0.2 | 2.1 | 1.0 | -1.7 | 0.0 |
| Dec 15 | 3.2 | -0.6 | 2.7 | -1.6 | 3.6 | 0.2 | 4.1 | 0.2 | 2.7 | 0.2 | 2.9 | -0.7 | -0.4 | -0.7 |
| Jan 16 | 3.3 | 0.2 | 2.5 | -0.6 | 3.9 | 0.8 | 4.3 | 0.9 | 3.0 | 0.6 | 3.1 | -0.7 | 0.1 | -0.5 |
| Feb 16 | 4.0 | -0.3 | 3.7 | -0.7 | 4.2 | 0.0* | 4.5 | 0.2 | 3.6 | 0.1 | 3.6 | -0.5 | 0.6 | -0.6 |
| Mar 16 | 3.9 | 0.2 | 3.7 | 0.5 | 4.1 | -0.1 | 4.7 | 0.2 | 3.8 | 0.2 | 3.5 | -0.2 | 0.2 | -0.4 |
| Apr 16 | 4.2 | 1.6 | 4.7 | 2.4 | 3.8 | 1.0 | 4.4 | 1.1 | 3.8 | 0.6 | 2.9 | -0.1 | 0.6 | 1.3 |

*NFNE is non-food non-energy, ** SPI for quintile 1. Digits 0.0* are due to rounding off.

Table 1.1 : Period Average and YoY % Changes of Indices (Base 2007-08)

| Index | Averages July-April % Changes | | | April over April % Changes | | |
|-------|-------------------------------|---------|---------|----------------------------|---------|---------|
| | 2015-16 | 2014-15 | 2013-14 | 2015-16 | 2014-15 | 2013-14 |
| CPI | 2.79 | 4.81 | 8.69 | 4.17 | 2.11 | 9.18 |
| SPI | 1.44 | 1.86 | 9.78 | 2.91 | -1.57 | 9.37 |
| WPI | -1.29 | 0.03 | 8.28 | 0.59 | -2.94 | 6.96 |

Figure 1: CPI Inflation YoY, Special Indices

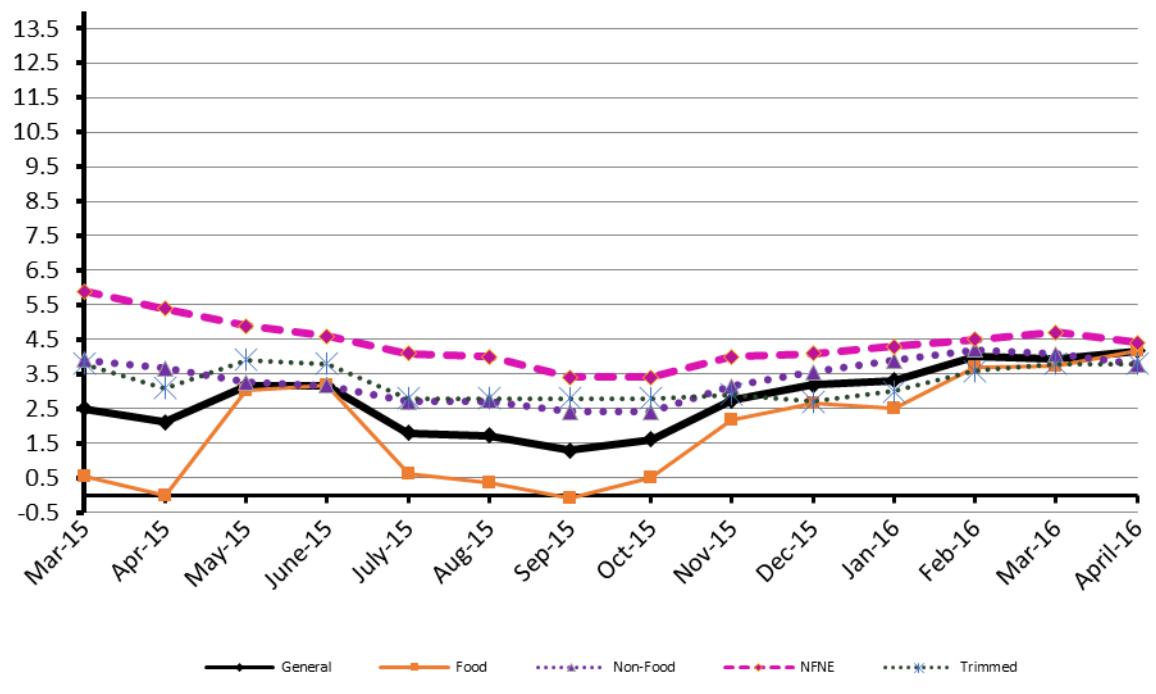
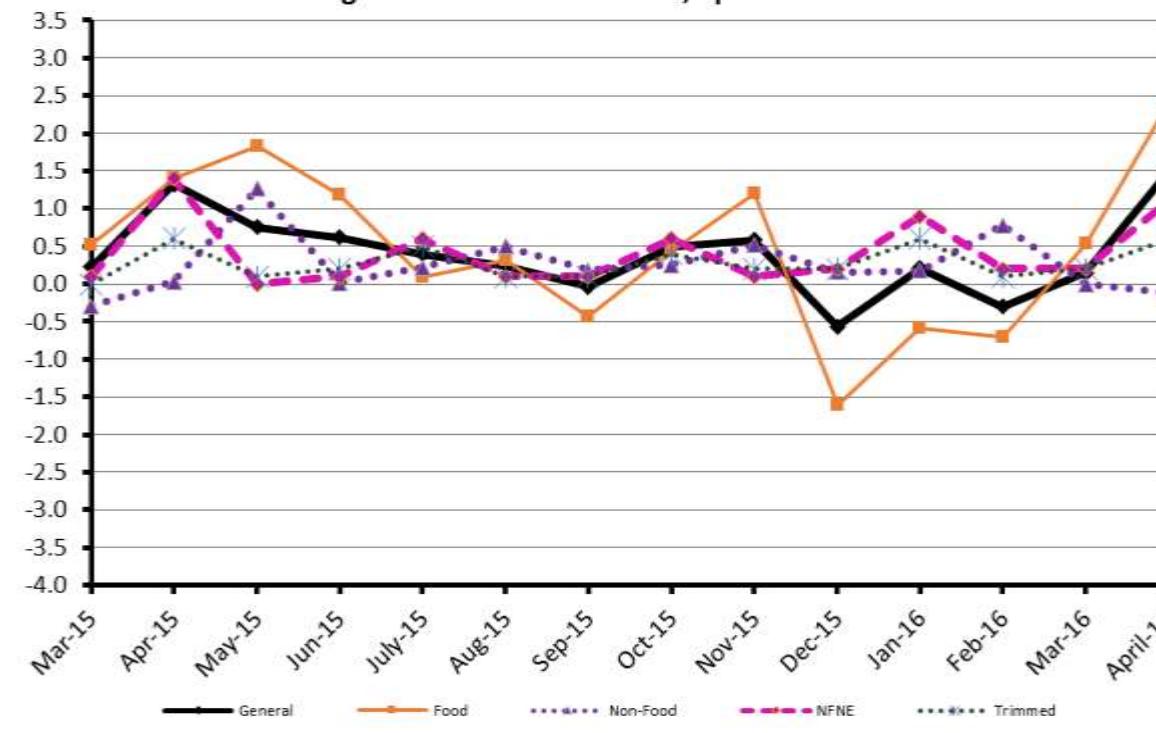


Figure 2: CPI Inflation MoM, Special Indices



II. Consumer Price Index (CPI)

The Consumer Price Index of April 2016, has increased by 1.55% over March 2016 and by 4.17% over corresponding month of the last year i.e. April 2015.

Table 2 : Consumer Price Index by Group of Commodities and Services (Base 2007-08)

| No | Group | Group Weight (%) | Indices | | | % Change April 2016 Over | | Impact (In % points) April 2016 Over | |
|-----|--|------------------|------------|------------|------------|--------------------------|------------|--------------------------------------|------------|
| | | | April 2016 | March 2016 | April 2015 | Mar 2016 | April 2015 | Mar 2016 | April 2015 |
| | General | 100.00 | 206.43 | 203.28 | 198.16 | 1.55 | 4.17 | 1.55 | 4.17 |
| 1. | Food & Non-alcoholic Bev. | 34.83 | 221.59 | 216.13 | 214.18 | 2.53 | 3.46 | 0.94 | 1.30 |
| | <i>Non-perishable Food Items</i> | 29.84 | 221.60 | 219.27 | 214.02 | 1.06 | 3.54 | 0.34 | 1.14 |
| | <i>Perishable Food Items</i> | 4.99 | 221.58 | 197.35 | 215.16 | 12.28 | 2.98 | 0.59 | 0.16 |
| 2. | Alcoholic Bev.& Tobacco | 1.41 | 344.10 | 338.77 | 266.65 | 1.57 | 29.05 | 0.04 | 0.55 |
| 3. | Clothing & Footwear | 7.57 | 227.87 | 226.40 | 217.17 | 0.65 | 4.93 | 0.06 | 0.41 |
| 4. | Housing, Water, Electricity, Gas & Fuels | 29.41 | 187.08 | 185.48 | 177.73 | 0.86 | 5.26 | 0.23 | 1.39 |
| 5. | Furnishing & Household Equipment Maintenance | 4.21 | 220.09 | 219.50 | 211.06 | 0.27 | 4.28 | 0.01 | 0.19 |
| 6. | Health | 2.19 | 187.29 | 185.68 | 178.21 | 0.87 | 5.10 | 0.02 | 0.10 |
| 7. | Transport | 7.20 | 169.33 | 168.25 | 176.70 | 0.64 | -4.17 | 0.04 | -0.27 |
| 8. | Communication | 3.22 | 130.77 | 130.74 | 130.29 | 0.02 | 0.37 | 0.00 | 0.01 |
| 9. | Recreation & Culture | 2.02 | 195.68 | 194.71 | 192.74 | 0.50 | 1.53 | 0.01 | 0.03 |
| 10. | Education | 3.94 | 221.48 | 210.99 | 209.17 | 4.97 | 5.89 | 0.20 | 0.24 |
| 11. | Restaurants & Hotels | 1.23 | 261.89 | 261.80 | 247.74 | 0.03 | 5.71 | 0.00 | 0.09 |
| 12. | Miscellaneous | 2.76 | 232.97 | 232.54 | 224.00 | 0.18 | 4.00 | 0.01 | 0.12 |

Main contributors to month-on-month and year-on-year percentage changes are given below and detail is given in Annexure A.

1. **Month-on-month** Top few commodities which varied from previous month i.e. March 2016 are given below:-

Food Items Increased: Tomatoes (60.41%), Chicken (30.75), Fresh Vegetables (14.32%), Fresh Fruit (13.42%), Gram Whole (5.71%), Pulse Mash washed (3.65%), Pulse Gram (3.58%), Besan (2.95%).

Decreased: Eggs (6.58%), Onion (5.72%) and Wheat (4.31%).

Non-food Items Increased: Education (4.97%), Medical Equipments (2.34%), Cotton Cloth (2.11%), Doctor (MBBS) Clinic Fee (2.05%), Sewing Needle (1.56%), Kerosene Oil (1.4%), Motor Fuel (1.33%) and House Rent (1.22%).

Decreased: Motor Vehicle Accessories (1.75%).

2. **Year-on-Year:** Top few commodities which varied from previous year i.e. April 2015 are given below:-

Food Items Increased: Pulse Gram (59.94%), Pulse Mash (56.19%), Besan (51.73%), Gram Whole (31.68%), Cigarettes (29.24%), Chicken (17.12%), Betel Leaves and Nuts (14.1%) Tea (13.47%) , Sugar (10.38%) and Pulse Masoor (8.76%).

Decreased: Rice (12.75%), Onion (10.54%), Cooking Oil (10.09%), Eggs (10.01%), and Vegetable Ghee (4.29%).

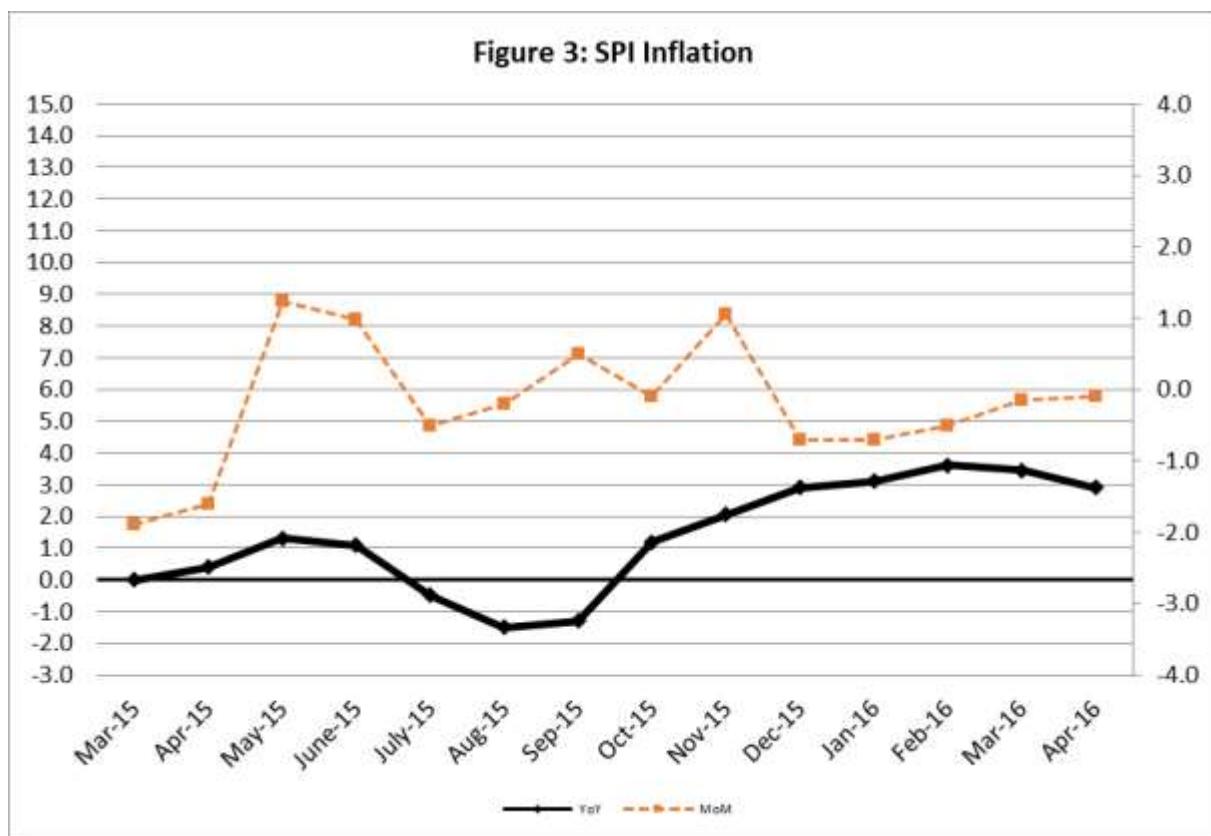
Non-food Items Increased: Gas (9.92%), Tailoring (8.39%), Household Servants (7.8%), Construction Wage Rates (7.66%), Doctor (MBBS) Clinic Fee (7.64%), Water Supply (7.46%) , Readymade Garments (6.44%) and Cleaning & Laundry (6.16%).

Decreased: Motor Fuel (10.01%), Kerosene Oil (7.08%), Motor Vehicle Accessories (4.35%) and Transport Services (2.13%).

III. Sensitive Price Indicator

Quintile-wise percentage changes YoY and MoM are given below in Table 3. The series from March 2015 to April 2016 is also graphed below in Figure 3.

| Quintiles | Indices | | | % Change April 2016 over | |
|-----------|------------|------------|------------|--------------------------|------------|
| | April 2016 | March 2016 | April 2015 | March 2016 | April 2015 |
| 1 | 206.56 | 206.81 | 200.70 | -0.12 | 2.92 |
| 2 | 214.12 | 213.97 | 206.77 | 0.07 | 3.55 |
| 3 | 215.20 | 214.76 | 209.95 | 0.20 | 2.50 |
| 4 | 219.78 | 219.04 | 211.37 | 0.34 | 3.98 |
| 5 | 216.71 | 215.46 | 208.40 | 0.58 | 3.99 |
| Combined | 215.89 | 215.13 | 208.42 | 0.35 | 3.58 |



IV. Wholesale Price Index

The Wholesale Price Index for April, 2016 is increased by 1.30% over March, 2016. It is increased by 0.59% over the corresponding month of the last year. YoY and MoM movements, from March, 2015 to April, 2016 are also graphed below in Figure 4.

Table 4 : Wholesale Price Index by Group of Commodities (Base 2007-08)

| No. | Group | Group Weight (%) | Indices | | | % Change April, 2016 over | | Impact (in %age points) April, 2016 over | |
|------|--|------------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------------------|-------------|--|-------------|
| | | | April 2016 | March 2016 | April 2015 | March 2016 | April 2015 | March 2016 | April 2015 |
| | General | 100.00 | 206.87 | 204.22 | 205.65 | 1.30 | 0.59 | 1.30 | 0.59 |
| 1. | Agriculture, Forestry & Fishery Products | 25.77 | 229.78 | 221.02 | 219.00 | 3.96 | 4.92 | 1.10 | 1.35 |
| 2. | Ores & Minerals, Electricity, Gas & Water | 12.04 | 244.59 | 245.22 | 245.66 | -0.26 | -0.44 | -0.04 | -0.06 |
| 3. | Food Products, Beverages & Tobacco, Textiles, Apparel & Leather Products | 31.11 | 214.90 | 214.66 | 205.98 | 0.11 | 4.33 | 0.04 | 1.35 |
| i. | Food Products, Bev. & Tobacco | 20.07 | 228.66 | 228.30 | 217.28 | 0.16 | 5.24 | 0.03 | 1.11 |
| ii. | Textiles and Apparel | 10.33 | 189.28 | 189.28 | 184.70 | 0.00 | 2.47 | 0.00 | 0.23 |
| iii. | Leather Products | 0.71 | 198.73 | 198.39 | 196.20 | 0.17 | 1.29 | 0.00 | 0.01 |
| 4. | Other Transportable Goods except Metal Products, Machinery & Equipment | 22.37 | 162.91 | 161.42 | 181.06 | 0.92 | -10.02 | 0.16 | -1.97 |
| 5. | Metal Products, Machinery & Equipment | 8.72 | 171.22 | 170.45 | 172.88 | 0.45 | -0.96 | 0.03 | -0.07 |

Main contributors to month-on-month and year-on-year percentage changes are given below and detail is given in Annexure B.

1. **Month-on-month** Top few commodities which varied from previous month i.e. March, 2016 are given below:-

Increased: Poultry (34.04%), Vegetables (32.29%), Furnace oil (13.90%), Fish (10.03%), Fresh Fruits (9.03%), Other cereal flour (6.22%), Maize (5.98%), Pulses (4.89%), Steel bars & sheets (3.40%), Jowar (2.89%), Medicines (2.69%), Motor spirit (2.40%) and Vegetable ghee (2.09%).

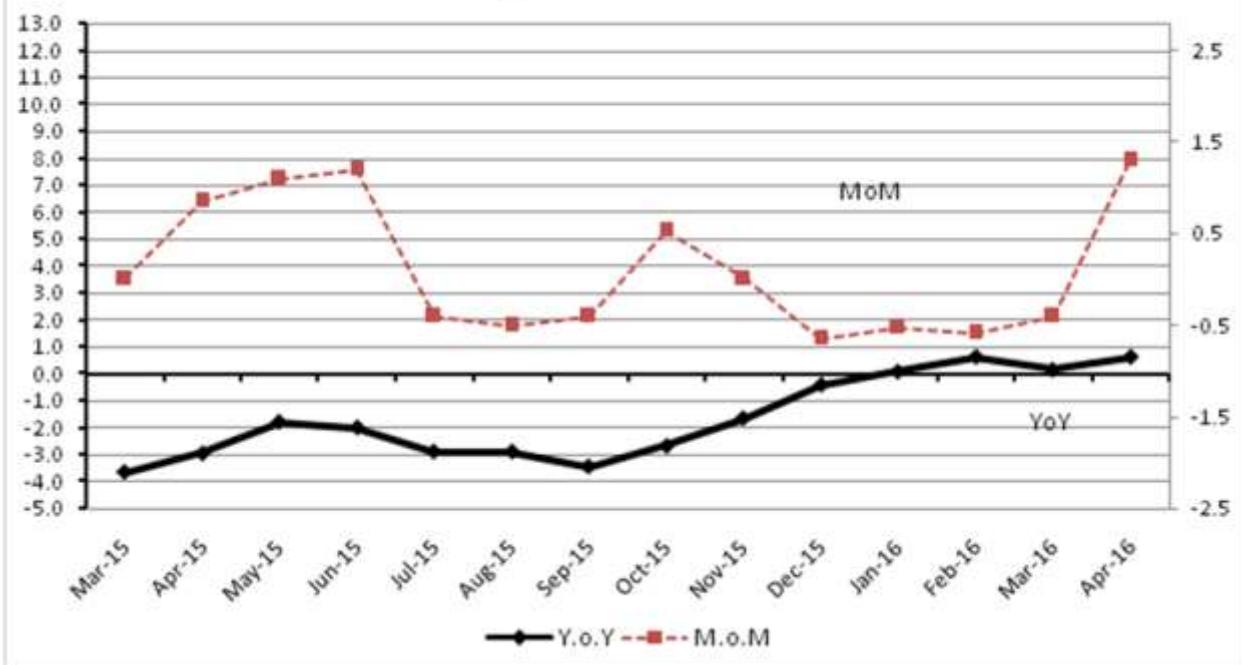
Decreased: Potatoes (7.67%), Eggs (6.47%), Wheat (5.29%), Coal (4.44%) and Wheat flour (2.48%).

2. **Year-on-year** Top few commodities which varied from previous year i.e. April, 2015 are given below:-

Increased: Other Cereal Flour (62.75%), Woolen carpets (37.39%), Tobacco Products (34.25%), Fish (30.07%), Pulses (23.86%), Poultry (22.26%), Cotton Seeds (18.25%), Sugar Confectionary (16.18%), Coffee & Tea (15.09%), Matches (13.56%), Oil Cakes (11.35%) and Medicines (10.88%).

Decreased: Furnace oil (38.14%), Kerosene oil (35.67%), Coal (24.56%), Diesel oil (23.57%), Stimulant & Spice Crops (18.30%), Motor spirit (13.49%), Rice (12.71%) and Eggs (11.56%).

Figure 4: WPI Inflation



Annexure A: Consumer Price Index Numbers by Commodity Groups & Commodities (2007-08=100)

| Item and Specification | Weight | Index Numbers | | | % Change in Apr 2016 over | | |
|--------------------------------------|-----------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------------------|----------------|--|
| | | Apr 16 | Mar 16 | Apr 15 | Mar 2016 | Apr 2015 | |
| General | 100.0000 | 206.43 | 203.28 | 198.16 | + 1.55 | + 4.17 | |
| Food and non-alcoholic Bevera | 34.8343 | 221.59 | 216.13 | 214.18 | + 2.53 | + 3.46 | |
| 01 Wheat | 0.3477 | 199.84 | 208.84 | 201.58 | - 4.31 | - 0.86 | |
| 02 Wheat Flour | 4.1648 | 213.80 | 216.95 | 213.53 | - 1.45 | + 0.13 | |
| 03 Wheat Product | 0.0959 | 214.44 | 212.36 | 212.35 | + 0.98 | + 0.98 | |
| 04 Besan | 0.1500 | 266.21 | 258.58 | 175.45 | + 2.95 | + 51.73 | |
| 05 Rice | 1.5821 | 155.53 | 157.09 | 178.25 | - 0.99 | - 12.75 | |
| 06 Cereals | 0.1563 | 248.02 | 248.03 | 239.89 | + 0.00 | + 3.39 | |
| 07 Bakery & Confectionary | 1.1550 | 212.32 | 212.37 | 207.72 | - 0.02 | + 2.21 | |
| 08 Nimco | 0.4574 | 245.22 | 244.62 | 238.93 | + 0.25 | + 2.63 | |
| 09 Meat | 2.4303 | 260.33 | 260.17 | 246.33 | + 0.06 | + 5.68 | |
| 10 Chicken | 1.3596 | 221.51 | 169.42 | 189.13 | + 30.75 | + 17.12 | |
| 11 Fish | 0.2970 | 220.79 | 216.71 | 215.34 | + 1.88 | + 2.53 | |
| 12 Milk Fresh | 6.6800 | 260.36 | 259.52 | 250.46 | + 0.32 | + 3.95 | |
| 13 Milk Products | 0.6338 | 251.36 | 251.48 | 243.32 | - 0.05 | + 3.30 | |
| 14 Milk Powder | 0.1129 | 235.13 | 235.07 | 225.93 | + 0.03 | + 4.07 | |
| 15 Eggs | 0.4555 | 157.99 | 169.12 | 175.57 | - 6.58 | - 10.01 | |
| 16 Mustard Oil | 0.0952 | 153.28 | 155.95 | 153.75 | - 1.71 | - 0.31 | |
| 17 Cooking Oil | 1.7538 | 132.28 | 132.58 | 147.12 | - 0.23 | - 10.09 | |
| 18 Vegetable Ghee | 2.0714 | 137.14 | 136.29 | 143.28 | + 0.62 | - 4.29 | |
| 19 Dry Fruits | 0.2543 | 263.06 | 261.11 | 250.60 | + 0.75 | + 4.97 | |
| 20 Fresh Fruits | 1.8649 | 251.28 | 221.54 | 232.24 | + 13.42 | + 8.20 | |
| 21 Pulse Masoor | 0.2712 | 204.86 | 202.97 | 188.36 | + 0.93 | + 8.76 | |
| 22 Pulse Moong | 0.2336 | 300.71 | 298.42 | 311.10 | + 0.77 | - 3.34 | |
| 23 Pulse Mash (Washed) | 0.2098 | 361.70 | 348.96 | 231.57 | + 3.65 | + 56.19 | |
| 24 Pulse Gram | 0.2361 | 276.99 | 267.42 | 173.18 | + 3.58 | + 59.94 | |
| 25 Gram Whole | 0.1616 | 234.94 | 222.26 | 178.42 | + 5.71 | + 31.68 | |
| 26 Beans | 0.0269 | 233.02 | 231.25 | 232.45 | + 0.77 | + 0.25 | |
| 27 Potatoes | 0.4889 | 124.66 | 125.41 | 128.90 | - 0.60 | - 3.29 | |
| 28 Onion | 0.5530 | 234.53 | 248.77 | 262.15 | - 5.72 | - 10.54 | |
| 29 Tomatoes | 0.4609 | 150.00 | 93.51 | 145.03 | + 60.41 | + 3.43 | |
| 30 Fresh Vegetables | 1.6232 | 232.56 | 203.43 | 225.41 | + 14.32 | + 3.17 | |
| 31 Sugar | 1.0445 | 226.87 | 223.13 | 205.53 | + 1.68 | + 10.38 | |
| 32 Gur | 0.0220 | 264.70 | 267.43 | 256.44 | - 1.02 | + 3.22 | |
| 33 Honey | 0.0446 | 307.78 | 307.12 | 303.39 | + 0.21 | + 1.45 | |
| 34 SweetMeat | 0.2483 | 239.96 | 239.96 | 234.89 | + 0.00 | + 2.16 | |
| 35 Beverages | 1.1990 | 217.77 | 215.86 | 207.94 | + 0.88 | + 4.73 | |
| 36 Jam, Tomato Ketchup & Pickles | 0.2454 | 213.44 | 211.82 | 207.59 | + 0.76 | + 2.82 | |
| 37 Condiments | 0.2656 | 263.03 | 261.12 | 257.07 | + 0.73 | + 2.32 | |
| 38 Spices | 0.5441 | 239.67 | 238.67 | 234.74 | + 0.42 | + 2.10 | |
| 39 Tea | 0.8377 | 257.15 | 261.29 | 226.62 | - 1.58 | + 13.47 | |
| Alcoholic Beverages, Tobacco | 1.4135 | 344.10 | 338.77 | 266.65 | + 1.57 | + 29.05 | |
| 40 Cigarettes | 1.3906 | 345.88 | 340.48 | 267.63 | + 1.59 | + 29.24 | |
| 41 Betel Leaves & Nuts | 0.0229 | 236.22 | 234.38 | 207.03 | + 0.79 | + 14.10 | |
| Clothing and footwear | 7.5708 | 227.87 | 226.40 | 217.17 | + 0.65 | + 4.93 | |
| 42 Cotton Cloth | 1.7286 | 223.11 | 218.51 | 211.44 | + 2.11 | + 5.52 | |
| 43 Woolen Cloth | 0.8759 | 243.14 | 243.45 | 234.13 | - 0.13 | + 3.85 | |
| 44 Readymade Garments | 0.9739 | 234.60 | 232.44 | 220.40 | + 0.93 | + 6.44 | |
| 45 Woolen Readymade Garments | 0.3964 | 252.74 | 252.77 | 240.86 | - 0.01 | + 4.93 | |
| 46 Hosiery | 0.5094 | 240.25 | 239.97 | 229.28 | + 0.12 | + 4.78 | |
| 47 Dopatta | 0.4412 | 239.49 | 240.45 | 232.30 | - 0.40 | + 3.10 | |
| 48 Cleaning and Laundry | 0.2110 | 252.29 | 252.25 | 237.64 | + 0.02 | + 6.16 | |
| 49 Tailoring | 0.8840 | 292.96 | 292.19 | 270.28 | + 0.26 | + 8.39 | |
| 50 Footwear | 1.5504 | 166.17 | 165.51 | 164.53 | + 0.40 | + 1.00 | |
| Housing, water, Elec., Gas an | 29.4149 | 187.08 | 185.48 | 177.73 | + 0.86 | + 5.26 | |
| 51 House Rent | 21.8149 | 176.44 | 174.32 | 166.88 | + 1.22 | + 5.73 | |
| 52 Construction Input Items | 0.5623 | 242.89 | 241.67 | 238.88 | + 0.50 | + 1.68 | |
| 53 Construction Wage Rates | 0.3331 | 226.24 | 225.24 | 210.14 | + 0.44 | + 7.66 | |
| 54 Water Supply | 0.4971 | 161.10 | 161.10 | 149.92 | + 0.00 | + 7.46 | |
| 55 Electricity | 4.3985 | 238.10 | 238.10 | 231.52 | + 0.00 | + 2.84 | |
| 56 Gas | 1.5756 | 158.08 | 158.08 | 143.81 | + 0.00 | + 9.92 | |
| 57 Kerosene Oil | 0.0057 | 194.05 | 191.37 | 208.84 | + 1.40 | - 7.08 | |

Annexure A:Consumer Price Index Numbers by Commodity Groups & Commodities (2007-08=100)

| Item and Specification | Weight | Index Numbers | | | % Change in Apr 2016 over | | |
|-------------------------------|---|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------------------|---------------|---------------|
| | | Apr 16 | Mar 16 | Apr 15 | Mar 2016 | Apr 2015 | |
| 58 Firewood Whole | 0.2277 | 283.25 | 283.78 | 274.81 | - 0.19 | + 3.07 | |
| | <i>Furnishing and household equi</i> | 4.2082 | 220.09 | 219.50 | 211.06 | + 0.27 | + 4.28 |
| 59 Furniture | 0.3315 | 210.33 | 210.00 | 202.69 | + 0.16 | + 3.77 | |
| 60 Household Textiles | 0.6489 | 219.15 | 219.62 | 207.73 | - 0.21 | + 5.50 | |
| 61 Household Equipment | 0.5936 | 177.64 | 176.51 | 173.79 | + 0.64 | + 2.22 | |
| 62 Utensils | 0.3212 | 222.55 | 221.38 | 212.94 | + 0.53 | + 4.51 | |
| 63 Plastic Products | 0.2547 | 206.90 | 206.73 | 201.48 | + 0.08 | + 2.69 | |
| 64 Washing Soaps & Detergents | 0.7893 | 226.13 | 225.20 | 225.12 | + 0.41 | + 0.45 | |
| 65 Sewing Needle & Dr Cell | 0.1496 | 208.24 | 205.05 | 198.97 | + 1.56 | + 4.66 | |
| 66 Household Servant | 1.0432 | 246.17 | 245.77 | 228.35 | + 0.16 | + 7.80 | |
| 67 Marriage Hall Charges | 0.0762 | 238.96 | 238.96 | 231.83 | + 0.00 | + 3.08 | |
| | <i>Health</i> | 2.1868 | 187.29 | 185.68 | 178.21 | + 0.87 | + 5.10 |
| 68 Drugs & Medicines | 1.2667 | 152.83 | 152.54 | 148.33 | + 0.19 | + 3.03 | |
| 69 Medical Equipments | 0.0080 | 232.59 | 227.28 | 225.36 | + 2.34 | + 3.21 | |
| 70 Doctor (MBBS) Clinic Fee | 0.5904 | 260.45 | 255.23 | 241.97 | + 2.05 | + 7.64 | |
| 71 Medical Tests | 0.3217 | 187.54 | 187.50 | 177.69 | + 0.02 | + 5.54 | |
| | <i>Transport</i> | 7.2023 | 169.33 | 168.25 | 176.70 | + 0.64 | - 4.17 |
| 72 Motor Vehicles | 0.6630 | 165.22 | 165.19 | 163.41 | + 0.02 | + 1.11 | |
| 73 Motor Vehicle Accessories | 0.2439 | 216.66 | 220.51 | 226.51 | - 1.75 | - 4.35 | |
| 74 Motor Fuel | 3.0269 | 135.46 | 133.68 | 150.53 | + 1.33 | - 10.01 | |
| 75 Mechanical Service | 0.4552 | 223.78 | 223.78 | 212.78 | + 0.00 | + 5.17 | |
| 76 Motor Vehicle Tax | 0.1099 | 210.18 | 210.18 | 210.18 | + 0.00 | + 0.00 | |
| 77 Transport Services | 2.7034 | 193.15 | 191.93 | 197.35 | + 0.64 | - 2.13 | |
| | <i>Communication</i> | 3.2198 | 130.77 | 130.74 | 130.29 | + 0.02 | + 0.37 |
| 78 Postal Services | 0.0662 | 238.97 | 237.90 | 227.44 | + 0.45 | + 5.07 | |
| 79 Communication & Apparatus | 3.1536 | 128.50 | 128.49 | 128.25 | + 0.01 | + 0.19 | |
| | <i>Recreation and culture</i> | 2.0227 | 195.68 | 194.71 | 192.74 | + 0.50 | + 1.53 |
| 80 Recreation & Culture | 0.8634 | 129.09 | 128.83 | 128.25 | + 0.20 | + 0.65 | |
| 81 Text Books | 0.5706 | 292.33 | 290.62 | 290.10 | + 0.59 | + 0.77 | |
| 82 Newspapers | 0.1934 | 175.49 | 175.49 | 175.42 | + 0.00 | + 0.04 | |
| 83 Stationery | 0.3953 | 211.49 | 209.56 | 201.55 | + 0.92 | + 4.93 | |
| | <i>Education</i> | 3.9431 | 221.48 | 210.99 | 209.17 | + 4.97 | + 5.89 |
| 84 Education | 3.9431 | 221.48 | 210.99 | 209.17 | + 4.97 | + 5.89 | |
| | <i>Restaurants and hotels</i> | 1.2286 | 261.89 | 261.80 | 247.73 | + 0.03 | + 5.72 |
| 85 Readymade Food | 1.2286 | 261.89 | 261.80 | 247.73 | + 0.03 | + 5.72 | |
| | <i>Misc. goods and services</i> | 2.7550 | 232.97 | 232.55 | 223.99 | + 0.18 | + 4.01 |
| 86 Personal Care | 1.4935 | 213.72 | 213.45 | 207.29 | + 0.13 | + 3.10 | |
| 87 Cosmetics | 0.3853 | 199.01 | 198.43 | 190.49 | + 0.29 | + 4.47 | |
| 88 Blades | 0.0322 | 195.05 | 195.05 | 185.88 | + 0.00 | + 4.93 | |
| 89 Personal Equipments | 0.8440 | 284.00 | 283.36 | 270.30 | + 0.23 | + 5.07 | |

Annexure B:Wholesale Price Indices by Major Groups & Commodities (2007-08=100)

| Item and Specification | Weight | Index Numbers | | | % Change in Apr 2016 over | | |
|--|-----------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------------------|---------------|--|
| | | Apr 16 | Mar 16 | Apr 15 | Mar 2016 | Apr 2015 | |
| General | 100.0000 | 206.87 | 204.22 | 205.65 | + 1.30 | + 0.59 | |
| Agriculture Forestry & Fisher | 25.7674 | 229.78 | 221.02 | 219.00 | + 3.96 | + 4.92 | |
| 001 Wheat | 0.6297 | 207.11 | 218.68 | 206.14 | - 5.29 | + 0.47 | |
| 002 Maize | 0.6764 | 205.56 | 193.96 | 188.60 | + 5.98 | + 8.99 | |
| 003 Rice | 2.4413 | 142.90 | 143.85 | 163.71 | - 0.66 | - 12.71 | |
| 004 Sorghum / Jowar | 0.0214 | 286.45 | 278.40 | 292.62 | + 2.89 | - 2.11 | |
| 005 Millet / Bajra | 0.0374 | 187.00 | 184.22 | 172.47 | + 1.51 | + 8.42 | |
| 006 Vegetables | 1.2441 | 277.16 | 209.51 | 262.99 | + 32.29 | + 5.39 | |
| 007 Fresh Fruits | 1.5144 | 267.02 | 244.90 | 242.95 | + 9.03 | + 9.91 | |
| 008 Dry Fruits | 0.2478 | 248.97 | 248.22 | 237.25 | + 0.30 | + 4.94 | |
| 009 Cotton Seeds | 1.1511 | 254.81 | 253.39 | 215.48 | + 0.56 | + 18.25 | |
| 010 Other Oil Seeds | 0.0722 | 159.83 | 156.93 | 157.14 | + 1.85 | + 1.71 | |
| 011 Edible Roots / Potatoes | 0.2540 | 104.08 | 112.72 | 115.50 | - 7.67 | - 9.89 | |
| 012 Stimulant & Spice Crops | 0.1634 | 234.41 | 235.21 | 286.93 | - 0.34 | - 18.30 | |
| 013 Pulses | 0.4901 | 259.57 | 247.46 | 209.56 | + 4.89 | + 23.86 | |
| 014 Sugar Crops | 1.0725 | 286.29 | 286.29 | 286.29 | + 0.00 | + 0.00 | |
| 015 Fibre Crops | 5.3169 | 174.57 | 172.25 | 172.53 | + 1.35 | + 1.18 | |
| 016 Unmanufactured Tobacco | 0.0742 | 230.61 | 230.02 | 217.50 | + 0.26 | + 6.03 | |
| 017 Poultry | 0.5633 | 231.81 | 172.94 | 189.61 | + 34.04 | + 22.26 | |
| 018 Raw Milk from Bovine Animals | 7.0279 | 256.11 | 255.42 | 251.69 | + 0.27 | + 1.76 | |
| 019 Eggs | 0.5034 | 150.83 | 161.26 | 170.54 | - 6.47 | - 11.56 | |
| 020 Raw Animal Materials / Wool | 0.0351 | 175.99 | 176.96 | 177.10 | - 0.55 | - 0.63 | |
| 021 Hides & Fur Skins, Raw | 0.4834 | 151.73 | 150.63 | 159.72 | + 0.73 | - 5.00 | |
| 022 Fuel Wood in Logs | 0.0179 | 264.77 | 266.30 | 259.53 | - 0.57 | + 2.02 | |
| 023 Fish Live Fresh or Chilled | 1.7295 | 369.26 | 335.61 | 283.89 | + 10.03 | + 30.07 | |
| Ores/Minerals, Elec., Gas & W | 12.0389 | 244.59 | 245.22 | 245.66 | - 0.26 | - 0.44 | |
| 024 Coal not Agglomerated | 0.7508 | 168.63 | 176.47 | 223.53 | - 4.44 | - 24.56 | |
| 025 Natural Gas Liquified | 5.7385 | 208.04 | 208.35 | 200.74 | - 0.15 | + 3.64 | |
| 026 Salt & Pure Sodium Chloride | 0.0584 | 252.31 | 252.31 | 248.84 | + 0.00 | + 1.39 | |
| 027 Electrical Energy | 5.4912 | 293.09 | 293.09 | 295.61 | + 0.00 | - 0.85 | |
| Food,Beverages,Tobacco,Textil | 31.1122 | 214.90 | 214.66 | 205.98 | + 0.11 | + 4.33 | |
| Food Products, Beverages & | 20.0718 | 228.66 | 228.30 | 217.28 | + 0.16 | + 5.24 | |
| 028 Meat of Animals | 3.4559 | 269.28 | 268.99 | 260.64 | + 0.11 | + 3.31 | |
| 029 Vegetables & Fruit Juice | 0.0058 | 202.69 | 201.36 | 199.28 | + 0.66 | + 1.71 | |
| 030 Dried Fruits & Nuts | 0.1733 | 245.68 | 250.38 | 228.25 | - 1.88 | + 7.64 | |
| 031 Fruit Juices | 0.3880 | 176.37 | 175.99 | 174.06 | + 0.22 | + 1.33 | |
| 032 Vegetable Oils Refined | 1.9242 | 150.87 | 148.47 | 155.23 | + 1.62 | - 2.81 | |
| 033 Vegetable Ghee | 1.5632 | 121.50 | 119.01 | 124.33 | + 2.09 | - 2.28 | |
| 034 Oil Cakes | 0.9611 | 222.77 | 224.87 | 200.07 | - 0.93 | + 11.35 | |
| 035 Processed Liquid Milk | 4.4437 | 248.90 | 247.57 | 251.52 | + 0.54 | - 1.04 | |
| 036 Milk & Cream in Solid Form | 0.0316 | 219.24 | 219.09 | 221.70 | + 0.07 | - 1.11 | |
| 037 Ice Cream | 0.0047 | 229.62 | 225.40 | 219.91 | + 1.87 | + 4.42 | |
| 038 Dairy Products N.E.C | 0.0117 | 247.85 | 248.13 | 243.80 | - 0.11 | + 1.66 | |
| 039 Wheat Flour | 2.3034 | 195.65 | 200.63 | 194.97 | - 2.48 | + 0.35 | |
| 040 Other Cereal Flour | 0.0604 | 239.21 | 225.20 | 146.98 | + 6.22 | + 62.75 | |
| 041 Sugar Refined | 1.7975 | 240.36 | 237.73 | 220.03 | + 1.11 | + 9.24 | |
| 042 Chocolate | 0.0139 | 101.06 | 101.06 | 99.19 | + 0.00 | + 1.89 | |
| 043 Sugar Confectionary | 0.0738 | 118.83 | 118.83 | 102.28 | + 0.00 | + 16.18 | |
| 044 Coffee & Tea | 0.7303 | 234.40 | 238.86 | 203.67 | - 1.87 | + 15.09 | |
| 045 Spices | 0.1449 | 189.67 | 189.77 | 189.90 | - 0.05 | - 0.12 | |
| 046 Other Food Products | 0.0336 | 292.52 | 292.52 | 294.23 | + 0.00 | - 0.58 | |
| 047 Mineral Water | 0.0207 | 194.37 | 194.37 | 187.86 | + 0.00 | + 3.47 | |
| 048 Beverages | 0.6303 | 172.44 | 172.44 | 171.62 | + 0.00 | + 0.48 | |
| 049 Tobacco Products | 1.2998 | 390.01 | 387.30 | 290.52 | + 0.70 | + 34.25 | |
| Textiles & Apparels | 10.3289 | 189.28 | 189.28 | 184.71 | + 0.00 | + 2.47 | |
| 050 Cotton Yarn | 5.2491 | 173.67 | 174.54 | 170.12 | - 0.50 | + 2.09 | |
| 051 Nylon Yarn | 0.1719 | 147.08 | 147.08 | 150.22 | + 0.00 | - 2.09 | |
| 052 Blended Yarn | 0.1689 | 176.66 | 175.44 | 182.72 | + 0.70 | - 3.32 | |
| 053 Woven Fabrics | 0.0128 | 275.66 | 275.66 | 258.39 | + 0.00 | + 6.68 | |

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(2007-08=100)

| | Item and Specification | Weight | Index Numbers | | | % Change in Apr 2016 over | | |
|-----|--|----------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------------------|----------------|--|
| | | | Apr 16 | Mar 16 | Apr 15 | Mar 2016 | Apr 2015 | |
| 054 | Cotton Fabrics | 0.6343 | 206.45 | 204.95 | 201.34 | + 0.73 | + 2.54 | |
| 055 | Other Fabrics | 1.1016 | 220.25 | 218.24 | 212.61 | + 0.92 | + 3.59 | |
| 056 | Silk & Reyon Fabrics | 0.7350 | 188.44 | 186.80 | 181.33 | + 0.88 | + 3.92 | |
| 057 | Towels | 0.1235 | 267.20 | 267.20 | 265.62 | + 0.00 | + 0.59 | |
| 058 | Blankets | 0.0029 | 243.93 | 243.93 | 235.86 | + 0.00 | + 3.42 | |
| 059 | Bed Sheets | 0.0913 | 256.29 | 256.29 | 256.29 | + 0.00 | + 0.00 | |
| 060 | Quilts | 0.0019 | 198.00 | 201.47 | 196.84 | - 1.72 | + 0.59 | |
| 061 | Woolen Carpets | 0.0383 | 181.55 | 181.55 | 132.14 | + 0.00 | + 37.39 | |
| 062 | Synthetic Carpets | 0.0566 | 129.25 | 129.25 | 126.27 | + 0.00 | + 2.36 | |
| 063 | Hosiery Products | 0.8832 | 222.52 | 222.52 | 218.08 | + 0.00 | + 2.04 | |
| 064 | Readymade Garments | 1.0576 | 193.27 | 193.27 | 186.77 | + 0.00 | + 3.48 | |
| | Leather Products | 0.7115 | 198.73 | 198.39 | 196.20 | + 0.17 | + 1.29 | |
| 065 | Leather Without Hair | 0.2973 | 221.97 | 221.97 | 215.06 | + 0.00 | + 3.21 | |
| 066 | Other Leather N.E.C | 0.2567 | 207.31 | 207.31 | 212.39 | + 0.00 | - 2.39 | |
| 067 | Footwears | 0.1575 | 140.89 | 139.36 | 134.22 | + 1.10 | + 4.97 | |
| | Other Transportable Goods | 22.3659 | 162.91 | 161.42 | 181.06 | + 0.92 | - 10.02 | |
| 068 | Timber | 0.0165 | 220.36 | 220.36 | 202.05 | + 0.00 | + 9.06 | |
| 069 | Printing Paper | 0.4279 | 161.82 | 161.82 | 162.72 | + 0.00 | - 0.55 | |
| 070 | Hard Board | 0.1579 | 197.92 | 197.92 | 197.92 | + 0.00 | + 0.00 | |
| 071 | Coke | 0.2797 | 163.45 | 163.45 | 163.45 | + 0.00 | + 0.00 | |
| 072 | Motor Spirit | 1.5336 | 108.54 | 106.00 | 125.47 | + 2.40 | - 13.49 | |
| 073 | Diesel Oil | 5.2664 | 136.30 | 134.76 | 178.33 | + 1.14 | - 23.57 | |
| 074 | Kerosine Oil | 0.2151 | 115.11 | 115.11 | 178.93 | + 0.00 | - 35.67 | |
| 075 | Furnace Oil | 3.2664 | 58.58 | 51.43 | 94.70 | + 13.90 | - 38.14 | |
| 076 | Mobil Oil | 0.7114 | 196.00 | 196.00 | 200.74 | + 0.00 | - 2.36 | |
| 077 | Chemicals | 1.7720 | 182.61 | 182.47 | 195.03 | + 0.08 | - 6.37 | |
| 078 | Dyeing Material | 0.1539 | 146.55 | 146.55 | 146.55 | + 0.00 | + 0.00 | |
| 079 | Fertilizers | 2.8657 | 262.47 | 264.83 | 272.54 | - 0.89 | - 3.69 | |
| 080 | Pesticides | 0.2763 | 312.37 | 312.37 | 293.74 | + 0.00 | + 6.34 | |
| 081 | Insecticides | 0.1276 | 135.79 | 133.20 | 143.34 | + 1.94 | - 5.27 | |
| 082 | Paints & Varnishes | 0.1916 | 295.36 | 295.36 | 291.69 | + 0.00 | + 1.26 | |
| 083 | Medicines | 1.1428 | 160.98 | 156.79 | 145.19 | + 2.67 | + 10.88 | |
| 084 | Soaps & Detergents | 0.8168 | 182.24 | 182.03 | 178.14 | + 0.12 | + 2.30 | |
| 085 | Auto Tyres | 0.2703 | 184.65 | 184.65 | 191.36 | + 0.00 | - 3.51 | |
| 086 | Plastic Products | 0.4550 | 226.58 | 226.58 | 222.47 | + 0.00 | + 1.85 | |
| 087 | Glass sheets | 0.2089 | 231.30 | 231.30 | 228.76 | + 0.00 | + 1.11 | |
| 088 | Other Glass Articles | 0.1635 | 243.63 | 243.63 | 243.63 | + 0.00 | + 0.00 | |
| 089 | Ceramics & Sanitary Fixture | 0.0244 | 227.51 | 227.51 | 219.25 | + 0.00 | + 3.77 | |
| 090 | Bricks, Blocks & Tiles | 0.1566 | 217.83 | 217.05 | 209.76 | + 0.36 | + 3.85 | |
| 091 | Cement | 1.8145 | 205.87 | 206.40 | 206.86 | - 0.26 | - 0.48 | |
| 092 | Bed Foam | 0.0006 | 167.67 | 167.67 | 156.67 | + 0.00 | + 7.02 | |
| 093 | Matches | 0.0505 | 162.62 | 162.62 | 143.20 | + 0.00 | + 13.56 | |
| | Metal Product, Machinery & Eq | 8.7156 | 171.22 | 170.45 | 172.88 | + 0.45 | - 0.96 | |
| 094 | Pig Iron | 0.0593 | 128.97 | 128.97 | 128.97 | + 0.00 | + 0.00 | |
| 095 | Steel Bar & Sheets | 1.4022 | 127.90 | 123.70 | 140.03 | + 3.40 | - 8.66 | |
| 096 | Pipe Fittings | 0.0780 | 193.06 | 193.06 | 191.94 | + 0.00 | + 0.58 | |
| 097 | Steel Products | 0.3879 | 176.99 | 176.80 | 173.88 | + 0.11 | + 1.79 | |
| 098 | Engines & Motors | 0.0046 | 109.24 | 109.24 | 109.07 | + 0.00 | + 0.16 | |
| 099 | Vacuum Pumps | 0.0155 | 114.95 | 114.95 | 115.39 | + 0.00 | - 0.38 | |
| 100 | Air Conditioners | 0.0049 | 201.18 | 201.18 | 197.69 | + 0.00 | + 1.77 | |
| 101 | Cultivators | 0.0551 | 219.76 | 219.76 | 219.76 | + 0.00 | + 0.00 | |
| 102 | Chuff Cutter | 0.1293 | 149.20 | 149.20 | 149.20 | + 0.00 | + 0.00 | |
| 103 | Tractors | 0.0028 | 205.43 | 205.43 | 214.54 | + 0.00 | - 4.25 | |
| 104 | Lathe Machines | 0.0525 | 208.81 | 208.81 | 208.81 | + 0.00 | + 0.00 | |
| 105 | Concrete Mixture | 0.0107 | 138.83 | 138.83 | 138.83 | + 0.00 | + 0.00 | |
| 106 | Fridge,WashM,SewM,Fans,Iron | 1.1645 | 200.02 | 199.37 | 198.20 | + 0.33 | + 0.92 | |
| 107 | Electric Wires | 0.0912 | 195.19 | 195.19 | 190.87 | + 0.00 | + 2.26 | |
| 108 | Lighting Equipments | 1.4431 | 167.30 | 167.30 | 168.19 | + 0.00 | - 0.53 | |
| 109 | Radio & Television | 0.1843 | 126.49 | 126.49 | 126.49 | + 0.00 | + 0.00 | |
| 110 | Motor Vehicles | 0.0244 | 185.25 | 185.25 | 183.03 | + 0.00 | + 1.21 | |
| 111 | Motorcycles | 0.2570 | 125.89 | 125.89 | 125.89 | + 0.00 | + 0.00 | |
| 112 | Bicycles | 3.3483 | 185.63 | 185.63 | 185.63 | + 0.00 | + 0.00 | |