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Subject: Sensitive Price Indicator (SPI) for the week ended on 25-07-2019.

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 July 25, 2019, 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	
	25-07-19	18-07-19	26-07-18	07-19	26-07-18
Q1 (Upto Rs. 8000)	244.42	243.85	216.76	0.23	12.76
Q2 (Rs. 8001-12000)	257.15	256.60	225.25	0.21	14.16
Q3 (Rs. 12001-18000)	259.42	258.89	227.14	0.20	14.21
Q4 (Rs. 18001-35000)	268.69	268.20	232.26	0.18	15.69
Q5 (Above Rs. 35000)	273.55	273.15	231.47	0.15	18.18
Combined	264.88	264.40	229.16	0.18	15.59

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
23-05-2019	233.31	0.38	12.10	254.39	0.33	13.96
30-05-2019	233.89	0.25	12.29	255.09	0.28	14.16
03-06-2019	235.50	0.69	12.85	256.83	0.68	14.70
13-06-2019	236.88	0.59	11.13	257.63	0.31	13.12
20-06-2019	236.68	-0.08	9.42	257.41	-0.09	11.87
27-06-2019	236.95	0.11	9.28	257.50	0.03	11.83
04-07-2019	239.14	0.92	10.54	259.63	0.83	12.83
11-07-2019	242.74	1.51	12.45	263.13	1.35	15.01
18-07-2019	243.85	0.46	12.88	264.40	0.48	15.62
25-07-2019	244.42	0.23	12.76	264.88	0.18	15.59

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 25-07-2019 over previous and corresponding weeks ended on 18-07-2019 and 26-07-2018 respectively are as follows:

Sr.	Items	Units	Prices in Rs.			%change col.3 over		Weight of income		Impact of income	
			25.07.19	18.07.19	26.07.18	18.07.19	26.07.18	Lowest	Combined	Lowest	Combined
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
i. Average prices of the following 19 items registered INCREASE.											
1	Tomatoes	1 kg	55.74	46.95	76.41	18.72	-27.05	1.1881	1.1768	0.1503	0.1373
2	Potatoes	1 kg	36.57	35.61	33.49	2.70	9.20	1.6735	1.2501	0.0433	0.0298
3	Onions	1 kg	51.37	50.46	35.81	1.80	43.45	1.7622	1.4179	0.0404	0.0300
4	Vegetable Ghee, Tin, (SN)	2.5 kg	520.00	514.71	473.65	1.03	9.79	4.8228	2.7110	0.0334	0.0173
5	Gur, Average Quality	1 kg	107.51	106.50	81.45	0.95	32.00	0.1879	0.0576	0.0024	0.0007
6	Pulse Mash, Washed	1 kg	179.70	178.30	148.05	0.79	21.38	0.6088	0.5492	0.0049	0.0041
7	Garlic	1 kg	238.06	236.26	120.38	0.76	97.76	0.3990	0.3599	0.0064	0.0053
8	Shirting, Average Quality, (SN)	1 mtr	198.19	196.72	178.63	0.75	10.95	0.5195	0.6499	0.0044	0.0051
9	Cooking Oil, Tin, (SN)	2.5 Ltr	541.18	537.24	479.47	0.73	12.87	1.3472	2.2953	0.0069	0.0108
10	Milk, Fresh, Unboiled	1 Ltr	92.09	91.50	85.20	0.64	8.09	17.0616	16.8368	0.1356	0.1234
11	Powdered Milk, Nido, Polybag	400 gm	442.30	439.69	385.12	0.59	14.85	0.0752	0.1235	0.0006	0.0008
12	Soap, LifeBuoy	Each	42.48	42.30	39.88	0.43	6.52	0.3491	0.3539	0.0015	0.0014
13	Rice Basmati Broken, (AQ)	1 kg	82.89	82.59	75.46	0.36	9.85	2.6713	1.9032	0.0087	0.0057
14	Vegetable Ghee, Loose/Pouch, (SN)	1 kg	171.11	170.58	149.62	0.31	14.36	4.8228	2.7110	0.0097	0.0050
15	Pulse Gram, Washed	1 kg	128.86	128.47	115.46	0.30	11.61	0.8699	0.6180	0.0031	0.0020
16	Pulse Moong, Washed	1 kg	170.10	169.69	114.13	0.24	49.04	0.8244	0.6114	0.0026	0.0018
17	Wheat	10 kg	362.60	362.45	331.69	0.04	9.32	1.6049	0.9101	0.0006	0.0003
18	Curd (Dahi)	1 kg	107.95	107.93	101.67	0.02	6.18	0.9482	1.3491	0.0002	0.0003
19	Mutton, Average Quality	1 kg	864.74	864.57	781.32	0.02	10.68	0.3616	2.0953	0.0001	0.0006
TOTAL								42.0980	37.9800	0.4549	0.3817
ii. Average prices of the following 10 items registered DECREASE.											
1	Bananas	Dozen	83.95	87.76	79.61	-4.34	5.45	0.9748	1.3930	-0.0430	-0.0567
2	Chicken Farm, Broiler, Live	1 kg	153.00	156.96	141.08	-2.52	8.45	2.4935	3.5588	-0.0486	-0.0639
3	LPG Cylinder, 11kg	Each	1242.83	1267.51	1333.24	-1.95	-6.78	0.2835	0.2712	-0.0043	-0.0038
4	Wheat Flour, Bag	10 kg	422.15	424.88	386.33	-0.64	9.27	17.4548	10.9014	-0.1069	-0.0616
5	Eggs Hen, Farm	Dozen	94.06	94.65	96.59	-0.62	-2.62	0.6588	1.1923	-0.0032	-0.0054
6	Pulse Masoor, Washed	1 kg	125.41	125.84	113.18	-0.34	10.81	0.5529	0.4892	-0.0014	-0.0011
7	Sugar, Refined	1 kg	72.61	72.86	55.38	-0.34	31.11	3.7994	2.7340	-0.0140	-0.0093
8	Mustard Oil, Average Quality	1 kg	197.40	197.99	187.67	-0.30	5.18	0.1668	0.2492	-0.0003	-0.0005
9	Rice Irri-6 (Punjab/Sindh)	1 kg	60.33	60.38	53.62	-0.08	12.51	0.5103	0.1934	-0.0004	-0.0001
10	Red Chilly Powder, Loose	1 kg	345.10	345.20	348.13	-0.03	-0.87	0.6191	0.4447	-0.0002	-0.0001
TOTAL								27.5139	21.4272	-0.2221	-0.2024
iii. Average prices of the following 24 items remained UNCHANGED											
1	Bread Plain, Medium Size	Each	46.70	46.70	42.56	0.00	9.73	0.2055	1.2284	0.0000	0.0000
2	Beef With Bone, Average quality	1 kg	418.94	418.94	372.92	0.00	12.34	3.9344	4.2660	0.0000	0.0000
3	Salt Powder, Loose, Lahori	1 kg	12.42	12.42	11.59	0.00	7.16	0.1937	0.1636	0.0000	0.0000
4	Tea, Lipton Yellow Label, Packet	200 gm	219.51	219.51	203.39	0.00	7.93	2.2005	2.1456	0.0000	0.0000
5	Cooked Beef, Average Hotel	Plate	126.81	126.81	112.19	0.00	13.03	0.0965	0.3596	0.0000	0.0000
6	Cooked Daal, Average Hotel	Plate	65.70	65.70	61.38	0.00	7.04	0.2085	0.4413	0.0000	0.0000
7	Tea Prepared, Average Hotel	Cup	24.49	24.49	21.48	0.00	14.01	0.4048	0.7913	0.0000	0.0000
8	Cigarettes, K-2, 20's	Packet	75.94	75.94	51.18	0.00	48.38	0.8822	1.5930	0.0000	0.0000
9	Long Cloth, 57", Gul Ahmed/Al-Karam, (SN)	1 mtr	300.44	300.44	231.81	0.00	29.61	1.9718	1.8511	0.0000	0.0000
10	Lawn Printed, Gul Ahmed / Al-Karam, (SN)	1 mtr	338.46	338.46	287.59	0.00	17.69	1.4477	1.4684	0.0000	0.0000
11	Georgette, Average Quality, (SN)	1 mtr	143.88	143.88	132.08	0.00	8.93	0.4174	0.6340	0.0000	0.0000
12	Gents Sandal, Bata	Pair	699.00	699.00	699.00	0.00	0.00	0.3910	0.4931	0.0000	0.0000
13	Gents Chappal Spng, Bata	Pair	199.00	199.00	199.00	0.00	0.00	0.2702	0.2649	0.0000	0.0000
14	Ladies Sandal, Bata	Pair	599.00	599.00	599.00	0.00	0.00	0.6773	0.8130	0.0000	0.0000
15	Electricity Charges, Upto 50 Units	Unit	2.00	2.00	2.00	0.00	0.00	9.3636	11.5128	0.0000	0.0000
16	Gas Charges, Upto 3.3719 MMBTU	MMBTU	246.29	246.29	128.70	0.00	91.37	3.2199	4.1239	0.0000	0.0000
17	Kerosene Oil	1 Ltr	131.27	131.27	122.37	0.00	7.27	0.0415	0.0150	0.0000	0.0000
18	Firewood Whole	40 kg	652.29	652.29	626.25	0.00	4.16	2.5384	0.5960	0.0000	0.0000
19	Electric Bulb, Energy Saver, 14 W	Each	175.00	175.00	171.18	0.00	2.23	0.2003	0.2369	0.0000	0.0000
20	Washing Soap, 200-250 g, (SN)	Cake	32.00	32.00	27.79	0.00	15.15	0.9514	0.7716	0.0000	0.0000
21	Match Box, Regular	Each	2.47	2.47	2.32	0.00	6.47	0.1329	0.1183	0.0000	0.0000
22	Petrol, Super	1 Ltr	113.74	113.74	96.22	0.00	18.21	0.4649	5.1188	0.0000	0.0000
23	Hi Speed Diesel (HSD)	1 Ltr	127.83	127.83	113.92	0.00	12.21	0.0090	0.2767	0.0000	0.0000
24	Telephone Local Call Charges, 3 Minutes	P/Call	4.65	4.65	3.94	0.00	18.02	0.1647	1.3095	0.0000	0.0000
TOTAL								30.3881	40.5928	0.0000	0.0000

6. Monthly Sensitive Price Indicator (SPI).

PERIOD	SPI - Q1 (lowest income group)	Percentage change over previous month	Percentage Change over corresponding month of previous year
2017-18			
July	208.76	-0.45	-0.40
August	209.88	0.54	-0.09
September	214.35	2.13	1.92
October	216.20	0.86	2.12
November	216.93	0.34	2.13
December	215.47	-0.67	2.24
January	213.22	-1.04	1.99
February	210.63	-1.21	0.54
March	209.37	-0.60	-1.82
April	210.31	0.45	-0.47
May	210.00	-0.15	0.28
June	213.74	1.78	1.92
2018-19			
July	216.24	1.17	3.58
August	216.72	0.22	3.26
September	216.60	-0.06	1.05
October	219.09	1.15	1.34
November	219.66	0.26	1.26
December	219.71	0.02	1.97
January	221.05	0.61	3.67
February	224.32	1.48	6.50
March	227.82	1.56	8.81
April	229.84	0.89	9.29
May	232.70	1.24	10.81
June	236.50	1.63	10.65

7. Quarterly Sensitive Price Indicator (SPI).

PERIOD	SPI - Q1 (lowest income group)	Percentage change over previous quarter	Percentage Change over corresponding quarter of previous year
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
4th quarter (Apr-Jun)	210.15	-0.22	2.02
2017-18			
1st quarter (Jul-Sep)	211.00	0.40	0.48
2nd quarter (Oct-Dec)	216.20	2.47	2.17
3rd quarter (Jan-Mar)	211.07	-2.37	0.22
4th quarter (Apr-Jun)	211.35	0.13	0.57
2018-19			
1st quarter (Jul-Sep)	216.52	2.45	2.62
2nd quarter (Oct-Dec)	219.49	1.37	1.52
3rd quarter (Jan-Mar)	224.40	2.24	6.31
4th quarter (Apr-Jun)	233.01	3.84	10.25

8. Half yearly Sensitive Price Indicator (SPI).

PERIOD	SPI - Q1 (lowest income group)	Percentage change over previous Half year	Percentage Change over corresponding Half year of previous year
2017-18			
1st half (Jul-Dec)	213.60	1.53	1.33
2nd half (Jan-June)	211.21	-1.12	0.40
2018-19			
1st half (Jul-Dec)	218.00	3.22	2.06
2nd half (Jan-June)	228.71	4.91	8.28

9. Yearly Sensitive Price Indicator (SPI) with base 2007-08=100

Period July to June	SPI (Q1)	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
2016-17	210.59	1.56
2017-18	212.44	0.88

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 IN 2018-19 OVER 2017-18					
2018-19 (JUL-June)	236.81	230.11	234.06	234.21	238.89	239.16	7.34	5.44	5.70	5.90	7.27	8.66

PERIOD	INDEX NUMBER						PERCENTAGE CHANGE OVER PREVIOUS MONTH					
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
May,17	216.33	214.88	217.96	217.71	219.15	215.02	0.01	-0.27	-0.18	-0.12	-0.05	0.15
June, 17	215.45	213.80	216.94	216.60	217.97	214.37	-0.41	-0.50	-0.47	-0.51	-0.54	-0.30
July, 17	216.19	214.52	217.67	217.28	218.43	215.17	0.34	0.34	0.34	0.31	0.21	0.37
August, 17	216.61	215.47	218.41	217.88	218.88	215.41	0.19	0.44	0.34	0.28	0.21	0.11
Sep, 17	217.98	217.99	220.44	219.65	220.39	216.36	0.63	1.17	0.93	0.81	0.69	0.44
Oct, 17	219.61	219.48	221.92	221.11	222.08	218.13	0.75	0.68	0.67	0.66	0.77	0.82
Nov, 17	220.42	219.97	222.48	221.77	222.85	219.09	0.37	0.22	0.25	0.30	0.35	0.44
Dec, 17	220.20	219.18	221.92	221.30	222.54	219.10	-0.10	-0.36	-0.25	-0.21	-0.14	0.00
Jan,18	220.27	217.98	221.09	220.75	222.33	219.77	0.03	-0.55	-0.37	-0.25	-0.09	0.31
Feb,18	219.58	216.40	219.79	219.65	221.48	219.49	-0.31	-0.72	-0.59	-0.50	-0.38	-0.13
Mar,18	220.25	215.93	219.66	219.76	221.92	220.68	0.31	-0.22	-0.06	0.05	0.20	0.54
Apr, 18	224.25	219.49	223.43	223.65	225.90	224.81	1.82	1.65	1.72	1.77	1.79	1.87
May,18	225.40	220.40	224.48	224.79	227.10	225.99	0.51	0.41	0.47	0.51	0.53	0.52
June, 18	226.68	221.93	225.96	226.23	228.50	227.10	0.57	0.69	0.66	0.64	0.62	0.49
July, 18	228.80	224.62	228.31	228.41	230.50	229.15	0.94	1.21	1.04	0.96	0.88	0.90
Aug, 18	229.27	225.44	228.96	228.94	230.92	229.55	0.21	0.37	0.28	0.23	0.18	0.17
Sep, 18	229.14	225.07	228.61	228.64	230.69	229.59	-0.06	-0.16	-0.15	-0.13	-0.10	0.02
Oct, 18	234.49	228.12	231.96	232.03	236.71	236.82	2.33	1.36	1.47	1.48	2.61	3.15
Nov, 18	234.75	227.72	231.74	231.94	236.83	237.40	0.11	-0.18	-0.09	-0.04	0.05	0.24
Dec, 18	233.78	226.15	230.34	230.66	235.67	236.75	-0.41	-0.69	-0.60	-0.55	-0.49	-0.27
Jan, 19	236.11	227.60	231.87	232.15	238.20	239.74	1.00	0.64	0.66	0.65	1.07	1.26
Feb, 19	237.61	229.45	233.62	233.88	239.81	241.05	0.64	0.81	0.75	0.75	0.68	0.55
Mar, 19	240.99	233.55	237.55	237.67	243.43	244.01	1.42	1.79	1.68	1.62	1.51	1.23
Apr, 19	244.03	236.12	240.28	240.50	246.40	247.08	2.70	2.91	2.85	2.83	2.75	2.50
May, 19	245.94	238.12	242.21	242.37	248.31	248.98	0.78	0.85	0.80	0.78	0.78	0.77
June, 19	246.82	239.34	243.21	243.29	249.15	249.82	0.36	0.51	0.41	0.38	0.34	0.34

11. A review of the current average prices of Cement collected for the week ended on 25.07.2019 shows a decrease of 3.20% over previous week and an increase of 2.25% over corresponding week of the last year. Average retail prices of Fertilizers and Cement are given at Appendix-B.