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Subject: Sensitive Price Indicator (SPI) for the week ended on 07-01-2016.

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 January 07, 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	
	07-01-16	31-12-15	08-01-15	31-12-15	08-01-15
Q1 (Upto Rs. 8000)	208.82	209.50	202.58	-0.32	3.08
Q2 (Rs. 8001-12000)	216.18	216.89	208.76	-0.33	3.55
Q3 (Rs. 12001-18000)	217.24	217.99	211.96	-0.34	2.49
Q4 (Rs. 18001-35000)	221.99	222.76	213.49	-0.35	3.98
Q5 (Above Rs. 35000)	219.22	219.95	210.62	-0.33	4.08
Combined	218.12	218.86	210.53	-0.34	3.61

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
05-11-2015	211.11	0.80	1.89	219.35	0.94	2.44
12-11-2015	211.37	0.12	1.98	219.74	0.18	2.36
19-11-2015	211.39	0.01	2.09	219.59	-0.07	2.17
26-11-2015	210.60	-0.37	2.31	218.81	-0.36	2.25
03-12-2015	209.91	-0.33	2.66	218.39	-0.19	2.97
10-12-2015	210.03	0.06	3.27	218.82	0.20	3.58
17-12-2015	209.35	-0.32	2.90	218.53	-0.13	3.22
23-12-2015	209.31	-0.02	2.85	218.38	-0.07	3.01
31-12-2015	209.50	0.09	3.15	218.86	0.22	3.59
07-01-2016	208.82	-0.32	3.08	218.12	-0.34	3.61

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 07-01-2016 over previous and corresponding weeks ended on 31-12-2015 and 08-01-2015 respectively are as follows:

Sr.	Items	Units	Prices in Rs.		%change over		Weight of income group		Impact of income group	
			on 07.01.16	31.12.15	col. 3 08.01.15	col. 3 31.12.15	in % Lowest Combined		in % points Lowest Combined	
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
i. Average prices of the following 11 items registered INCREASE.										
1	Bananas	Dozen	64.97	62.82	3.42	8.45	0.9748	1.3930	0.0282	0.0386
2	Sugar, Refined	1 kg	58.34	57.00	2.35	7.90	3.7994	2.7340	0.0870	0.0600
3	Garlic	1 kg	234.34	229.21	2.24	65.19	0.3990	0.3599	0.0212	0.0183
4	Cooked Beef, Average Hotel	Plate	87.52	86.05	1.71	5.27	0.0965	0.3596	0.0020	0.0073
5	Pulse Mash, Washed	1 kg	255.14	252.83	0.91	58.17	0.6088	0.5492	0.0094	0.0081
6	Firewood Whole	40 kg	598.33	596.27	0.35	3.66	2.5384	0.5960	0.0113	0.0025
7	Pulse Gram, Washed	1 kg	124.78	124.34	0.35	58.15	0.8699	0.6180	0.0041	0.0028
8	Mutton, Average Quality	1 kg	632.61	630.44	0.34	6.65	0.3616	2.0953	0.0016	0.0088
9	Red Chilly Powder, Loose	1 kg	272.53	272.09	0.16	2.30	0.6191	0.4447	0.0009	0.0006
10	Gur, Average Quality	1 kg	86.47	86.39	0.09	6.42	0.1879	0.0576	0.0002	0.0001
11	Wheat Flour, Bag	10 kg	399.73	399.54	0.05	1.36	17.4548	10.9014	0.0087	0.0052
TOTAL							27.9102	20.1087	0.1746	0.1522
ii. Average prices of the following 13 items registered DECREASE.										
1	Tomatoes	1 kg	48.63	61.53	-20.97	-20.81	1.1881	1.1768	-0.2567	-0.2434
2	Potatoes	1 kg	22.92	24.93	-8.06	-24.83	1.6735	1.2501	-0.1055	-0.0754
3	Kerosene Oil	1 Ltr	79.39	84.07	-5.57	-15.73	0.0415	0.0150	-0.0021	-0.0007
4	Chicken Farm, Broiler, Live	1 kg	151.09	157.77	-4.23	-9.75	2.4935	3.5588	-0.0953	-0.1303
5	Hi Speed Diesel (HSD)	1 Ltr	82.35	84.75	-2.83	-5.34	0.0090	0.2767	-0.0003	-0.0074
6	LPG Cylinder, 11kg	Each	1217.35	1243.24	-2.08	-25.03	0.2835	0.2712	-0.0052	-0.0048
7	Eggs Hen, Farm	Dozen	102.62	103.57	-0.92	-13.73	0.6588	1.1923	-0.0060	-0.0105
8	Onions	1 kg	44.25	44.51	-0.58	78.28	1.7622	1.4179	-0.0134	-0.0103
9	Pulse Moong, Washed	1 kg	162.46	163.05	-0.36	-1.70	0.8244	0.6114	-0.0044	-0.0031
10	Mustard Oil, Average Quality	1 kg	180.07	180.65	-0.32	-2.63	0.1668	0.2492	-0.0004	-0.0006
11	Gas Charges, Upto 3.3719 MMBTU	MMBTU	128.42	128.70	-0.22	3.41	3.2199	4.1239	-0.0045	0.0000
12	Pulse Masoor, Washed	1 kg	147.46	147.75	-0.20	6.58	0.5529	0.4892	-0.0011	-0.0009
13	Vegetable Ghee, Loose/Pouch, (SN)	1 kg	136.73	136.79	-0.04	-9.76	4.8228	2.7110	-0.0013	-0.0007
TOTAL							17.6969	17.3435	-0.4963	-0.4881
iii. Average prices of the following 29 items remained UNCHANGED										
1	Wheat	10 kg	354.49	354.49	0.00	1.30	1.6049	0.9101	0.0000	0.0000
2	Rice Basmati Broken, (AQ)	1 kg	61.02	61.02	0.00	-16.02	2.6713	1.9032	0.0000	0.0000
3	Rice Irri-6 (Punjab/Sindh)	1 kg	45.91	45.91	0.00	-11.18	0.5103	0.1934	0.0000	0.0000
4	Bread Plain, Medium Size	Each	40.82	40.82	0.00	0.00	0.2055	1.2284	0.0000	0.0000
5	Beef With Bone, Average quality	1 kg	317.86	317.86	0.00	5.11	3.9344	4.2660	0.0000	0.0000
6	Milk, Fresh, Unboiled	1 Ltr	78.18	78.18	0.00	2.52	17.0616	16.8368	0.0000	0.0000
7	Curd (Dahi)	1 kg	92.32	92.32	0.00	3.06	0.9482	1.3491	0.0000	0.0000
8	Powdered Milk, Nido, Polybag	400 gm	378.24	378.24	0.00	8.07	0.0752	0.1235	0.0000	0.0000
9	Cooking Oil, Tin, (SN)	2.5 Ltr	456.71	456.71	0.00	-10.91	1.3472	2.2953	0.0000	0.0000
10	Vegetable Ghee, Tin, (SN)	2.5 kg	447.76	447.76	0.00	-10.76	4.8228	2.7110	0.0000	0.0000
11	Salt Powder, Loose, Lahori	1 kg	10.47	10.47	0.00	4.80	0.1937	0.1636	0.0000	0.0000
12	Tea, Lipton Yellow Label, Packet	200 gm	189.47	189.47	0.00	47.97	2.2005	2.1456	0.0000	0.0000
13	Cooked Daal, Average Hotel	Plate	53.20	53.20	0.00	8.79	0.2085	0.4413	0.0000	0.0000
14	Tea Prepared, Average Hotel	Cup	19.57	19.57	0.00	4.48	0.4048	0.7913	0.0000	0.0000
15	Cigarettes, K-2, 20's	Packet	59.24	59.24	0.00	30.46	0.8822	1.5930	0.0000	0.0000
16	Long Cloth, 57", Gul Ahmed/Al-Karam, (SN)	1 mtr	202.77	202.77	0.00	1.62	1.9718	1.8511	0.0000	0.0000
17	Shirting, Average Quality, (SN)	1 mtr	161.94	161.94	0.00	3.30	0.5195	0.6499	0.0000	0.0000
18	Lawn Printed, Gul Ahmed / Al-Karam, (SN)	1 mtr	243.03	243.03	0.00	1.62	1.4477	1.4684	0.0000	0.0000
19	Georgette, Average Quality, (SN)	1 mtr	123.10	123.10	0.00	0.00	0.4174	0.6340	0.0000	0.0000
20	Gents Sandal, Bata	Pair	699.00	699.00	0.00	0.00	0.3910	0.4931	0.0000	0.0000
21	Gents Chappal Spong, Bata	Pair	179.00	179.00	0.00	0.00	0.2702	0.2649	0.0000	0.0000
22	Ladies Sandal, Bata	Pair	501.94	501.94	0.00	0.59	0.6773	0.8130	0.0000	0.0000
23	Electricity Charges, Upto 50 Units	Unit	2.00	2.00	0.00	0.00	9.3636	11.5128	0.0000	0.0000
24	Electric Bulb, Energy Saver, 14 W	Each	166.62	166.62	0.00	0.71	0.2003	0.2369	0.0000	0.0000
25	Washing Soap, 200-250 g, (SN)	Cake	24.74	24.74	0.00	1.60	0.9514	0.7716	0.0000	0.0000
26	Match Box, Regular	Each	1.99	1.99	0.00	14.37	0.1329	0.1183	0.0000	0.0000
27	Petrol, Super	1 Ltr	77.17	77.17	0.00	-2.40	0.4649	5.1188	0.0000	0.0000
28	Telephone Local Call Charges, 3 Minutes	P/Call	3.94	3.94	0.00	0.00	0.1647	1.3095	0.0000	0.0000
29	Soap, LifeBuoy	Each	35.88	35.88	0.00	-0.33	0.3491	0.3539	0.0000	0.0000
TOTAL							54.3929	62.5478	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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2014-15

July	207.04	1.95	5.91
August	208.77	0.83	5.18
September	209.27	0.24	5.37
October	209.21	-0.03	4.12
November	206.84	-1.13	-0.27
December	203.70	-1.52	0.77
January	201.92	-0.87	1.13
February	199.92	-0.99	0.22
March	199.92	0.00	-1.89
April	200.70	0.39	-1.57
May	203.33	1.31	1.24
June	205.34	0.99	1.12

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

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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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 quartet (Oct-Dec)	209.92	1.86	1.61

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
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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

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 2015-16 (JUL-DEC) OVER 2014-15 (JUL-DEC)				
2015-16 (JUL-DEC)	202.73	203.86	206.07	205.30	205.83	200.36	2.08	1.54	1.98	1.62	2.20	2.29

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
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

11. A review of the current average prices of cement collected for the week ended on 07.01.2016 shows an increase of 0.15% over previous week and a decrease of 0.02% 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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