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SUBJECT: SENSITIVE PRICE INDICATOR (SPI) FOR THE WEEK ENDED ON NOVEMBER 13, 2013

The weekly SPI with base 2007-2008=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 November 13, 2013, the SPI and percentage changes by income groups/quintiles and combined are given below:

SPI (53 items) 2007-2008 = 100

Income Group (Quintile)*	SPI for week ended			Percentage change column 1 over	
	November 13, 2013	November 7, 2013	November 15, 2012	column 2	column 3
	1	2	3	4	5
Q1(Up to Rs. 8000)	206.89	205.69	181.96	0.58	13.70
Q2(Rs. 8001-12000)	212.08	210.96	188.11	0.53	12.74
Q3(Rs. 12001-18000)	215.42	214.34	186.87	0.50	15.28
Q4(Rs. 18001-35000)	216.93	215.92	188.07	0.47	15.35
Q5(Above Rs. 35000)	214.69	213.83	188.57	0.40	13.85
Combined	214.28	213.30	187.40	0.46	14.34

*Note: The income quintiles and the related baskets are those of the quintiles of the base period of 2007-08.

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) 2007-2008 = 100

Week ended on	SPI for lowest income group	Percentage Change over		Combined SPI	Percentage Change over	
		Prev. Week	Corr. Week		Prev. Week	Corr. Week
12/09/2013	197.90	-0.28	8.71	202.31	-0.43	7.99
19/09/2013	198.64	0.37	8.38	203.06	0.37	7.42
26/09/2013	199.45	0.41	9.40	203.65	0.29	8.13
03/10/2013	199.57	0.06	10.05	204.06	0.20	9.15
10/10/2013	200.05	0.24	10.18	204.24	0.09	9.06
14/10/2013	201.02	0.48	10.63	209.63	2.64	11.96
24/10/2013	201.38	0.18	10.35	209.79	0.08	11.68
31/10/2013	202.61	0.61	11.32	210.78	0.47	12.37
07/11/2013	205.69	1.52	13.16	213.30	1.20	13.89
13/11/2013	206.89	0.58	13.70	214.28	0.46	14.34

4. A statement showing citywise prices of 53 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 13-11-2013 over previous and corresponding weeks ended on 07-11-2013 and 15-11-2012 respectively are as follows:

SL.	ITEMS	UNIT	PRICES IN RS. ON ...		% CHANGE (col. 3) OVER ...		WEIGHT IN %		IMPACT IN PERCENT. POINTS	
			13.11.13	07.11.13	07.11.13	15.11.12	Lowest income group	Combined income group	Lowest income group	Combined income group
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
i. Average prices of the following 21 items registered INCREASE.										
1	EGG HEN (FARM)	DOZ	110.11	101.10	8.91	-1.81	0.6588	1.1923	0.0584	0.1018
2	POTATOES	KG	58.05	55.65	4.31	86.96	1.6735	1.2501	0.1283	0.0924
3	SUGAR	KG	59.67	57.36	4.03	9.93	3.7994	2.7340	0.1528	0.1060
4	CHICKEN LIVE (FARM)	KG	132.92	129.56	2.59	2.45	2.4935	3.5588	0.0488	0.0672
5	GRAM PULSE WASHED	KG	71.35	70.17	1.68	-31.42	0.8699	0.6180	0.0111	0.0076
6	GARLIC	KG	133.54	131.96	1.20	11.71	0.3990	0.3599	0.0066	0.0058
7	FIREWOOD	40KG	531.02	524.84	1.18	8.84	2.5384	0.5960	0.0346	0.0078
8	SHIRTING	MTR	143.07	141.60	1.04	20.18	0.5195	0.6499	0.0052	0.0063
9	MOONG PULSE WASHED	KG	126.23	124.97	1.01	11.20	0.8244	0.6114	0.0096	0.0069
10	WHEAT	10 KG	376.10	372.38	1.00	28.03	1.6049	0.9101	0.0173	0.0094
11	MASOOR PULSE WASHED	KG	114.44	113.36	0.95	17.03	0.5529	0.4892	0.0041	0.0035
12	WHEAT FLOUR BAG	10 KG	419.05	415.47	0.86	23.46	17.4548	10.9014	0.1662	0.1001
13	TEA PREPARED (SADA)	CUP	16.51	16.40	0.67	8.83	0.4048	0.7913	0.0031	0.0059
14	GUR	KG	87.44	86.99	0.52	16.91	0.1879	0.0576	0.0013	0.0004
15	VEG.GHEE LOOSE	KG	160.64	159.89	0.47	0.48	4.8228	2.7110	0.0162	0.0088
16	COOKED BEEF PLATE	EACH	76.84	76.64	0.26	12.00	0.0965	0.3596	0.0003	0.0010
17	MASH PULSE WASHED	KG	130.37	130.07	0.23	-2.97	0.6088	0.5492	0.0012	0.0011
18	MUSTARD OIL	KG	183.30	182.90	0.22	-1.57	0.1668	0.2492	0.0003	0.0004
19	RICE BASMATI BROKEN	KG	75.01	74.90	0.15	9.71	2.6713	1.9032	0.0038	0.0026
20	MILK POWDERED NIDO	400GM	298.53	298.24	0.10	2.94	0.0752	0.1235	0.0001	0.0001
21	L.P.G.(11 KG CYLINDER.)	EACH	1585.11	1584.71	0.03	3.20	0.2835	0.2712	0.0001	0.0001
TOTAL							42.7066	30.8869	0.6693	0.5353
ii. Average prices of the following 08 items registered DECREASE.										
1	TOMATOES	KG	119.97	121.76	-1.47	204.26	1.1881	1.1768	-0.0363	-0.0347
2	ONIONS	KG	59.03	59.73	-1.17	65.49	1.7622	1.4179	-0.0368	-0.0286
3	RED CHILLIES POWDER LOOSE	KG	215.2	216.67	-0.68	-19.09	0.6191	0.4447	-0.0030	-0.0021
4	RICE IRRI-6	KG	53.32	53.63	-0.58	7.96	0.5103	0.1934	-0.0026	-0.0010
5	BANANAS	DOZ	53.02	53.19	-0.32	-2.98	0.9748	1.3930	-0.0023	-0.0031
6	VEG. GHEE (TIN)	2.5KG	510.06	510.65	-0.12	-2.35	4.8228	2.7110	-0.0044	-0.0024
7	KEROSENE OIL	LTR	126.72	126.83	-0.09	5.39	0.0415	0.0150	-0.0001	0.0000
8	COOKING OIL (TIN)	2.5 Ltr	537.65	537.94	-0.05	1.11	1.3472	2.2953	-0.0006	-0.0010
TOTAL							11.2660	9.6471	-0.0861	-0.0728
iii. Average prices of the following 24 items remained UNCHANGE.										
1	BREAD PLAIN MED.SIZE (340-400 GM.)	EACH	38.88	38.88	0.00	16.30	0.2055	1.2284	0.0000	0.0000
2	BEEF	KG	281.66	281.66	0.00	5.14	3.9344	4.2660	0.0000	0.0000
3	MUTTON	KG	553.32	553.32	0.00	8.20	0.3616	2.0953	0.0000	0.0000
4	MILK FRESH	LTR	68.56	68.56	0.00	5.79	17.0616	16.8368	0.0000	0.0000
5	CURD	KG	80.74	80.74	0.00	7.28	0.9482	1.3491	0.0000	0.0000
6	SALT POWDERED LOOSE (LAHORI)	KG	9.22	9.22	0.00	6.84	0.1937	0.1636	0.0000	0.0000
7	TEA (YELLOW LABEL 200 GM.)	200 GM.	169.35	169.35	0.00	19.43	2.2005	2.1456	0.0000	0.0000
8	COOKED DAL PLATE	EACH	45.13	45.13	0.00	13.02	0.2085	0.4413	0.0000	0.0000
9	CIGARETTES K-2 (20's)	20'S	37.71	37.71	0.00	17.29	0.8822	1.5930	0.0000	0.0000
10	LONG CLOTH	MTR	172.21	172.21	0.00	18.50	1.9718	1.8511	0.0000	0.0000
11	LAWN	MTR	189.80	189.80	0.00	18.67	1.4477	1.4684	0.0000	0.0000
12	GEORGETTE	MTR	110.36	110.36	0.00	11.01	0.4174	0.6340	0.0000	0.0000
13	SANDAL GENTS BATA	PAIR	649.00	649.00	0.00	30.06	0.3910	0.4931	0.0000	0.0000
14	CHAPPAL SPNG.BATA (GENTS)	PAIR	179.00	179.00	0.00	0.00	0.2702	0.2649	0.0000	0.0000
15	SANDAL LADIES BATA	PAIR	499.00	499.00	0.00	25.06	0.6773	0.8130	0.0000	0.0000
16	ELECTRIC CHARGES	UNIT	2.00	2.00	0.00	0.00	9.3636	11.5128	0.0000	0.0000
17	GAS CHARGES UPTO 100M ³	MMBTU	124.18	124.18	0.00	7.05	3.2199	4.1239	0.0000	0.0000
18	ENERGY SAVOR 14 WATS	EACH	161.47	161.47	0.00	8.71	0.2003	0.2369	0.0000	0.0000
19	WASHING SOAP (200-250 GM.)	CAKE	23.09	23.09	0.00	11.06	0.9514	0.7716	0.0000	0.0000
20	MATCH BOX	EACH	1.40	1.40	0.00	28.44	0.1329	0.1183	0.0000	0.0000
21	PETROL	LTR	114.09	114.09	0.00	11.36	0.4649	5.1188	0.0000	0.0000
22	DIESEL	LTR	118.04	118.04	0.00	3.10	0.0090	0.2767	0.0000	0.0000
23	TELE. LOCAL CALL	EACH	3.94	3.94	0.00	9.75	0.1647	1.3095	0.0000	0.0000
24	BATH SOAP LIFEBOUY (STANDARD)	CAKE	36.00	36.00	0.00	12.50	0.3491	0.3539	0.0000	0.0000
TOTAL							46.0274	59.4660	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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2012-13

July	178.05	0.51	7.67
August	180.34	1.29	8.16
September	182.53	1.21	8.02
October	181.77	-0.42	6.75
November	181.82	0.03	6.00
December	181.91	0.05	8.22
January	185.40	1.92	9.21
February	185.53	0.07	9.42
March	186.98	0.78	8.65
April	186.44	-0.29	6.56
May	186.57	0.07	6.78
June	191.15	2.45	7.91

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

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
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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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2012-13

1st half (Jul-Dec)	183.39	5.98	8.84
2nd half (Jan-Jun)	187.01	1.97	8.07

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

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 2013-14 (JUL-OCT) OVER 2012-13 (JUL-OCT)					
2013-14 JUL-OCT	185.82	189.72	190.80	189.12	188.25	182.85	8.32	9.36	8.88	8.89	8.71	7.75

PERIOD	INDEX NUMBER						PERCENTAGE CHANGE OVER PREVIOUS MONTH					
JUL, 12	169.57	171.14	173.21	171.79	171.35	167.69	-0.21	1.19	1.07	1.16	-0.49	-1.38
AUG, 12	171.09	172.81	174.71	173.22	172.75	169.26	0.65	1.86	1.72	1.82	0.23	-0.36
SEP, 12	172.44	174.64	176.16	174.48	173.91	170.64	1.69	2.05	1.70	1.57	1.49	1.76
OCT, 12	173.10	175.34	176.88	175.20	174.63	171.24	1.17	1.46	1.24	1.14	1.09	1.17
NOV, 12	172.42	174.96	176.59	174.92	174.36	170.18	-0.39	-0.22	-0.16	-0.16	-0.15	-0.62
DEC, 12	172.82	175.20	176.91	175.27	174.74	170.62	0.23	0.14	0.18	0.20	0.22	0.26
JAN, 13	175.70	178.39	179.89	178.03	177.46	173.58	1.67	1.82	1.68	1.57	1.56	1.73
FEB, 13	175.11	177.55	179.10	177.29	176.78	173.13	-0.34	-0.47	-0.44	-0.42	-0.38	-0.26
MAR, 13	175.82	178.40	179.88	178.05	177.49	173.81	0.41	0.48	0.44	0.43	0.40	0.39
APR, 13	177.74	180.29	181.82	180.01	179.47	175.68	1.09	1.06	1.08	1.10	1.12	1.08
MAY, 13	178.65	181.33	182.89	181.08	180.49	176.44	0.51	0.58	0.59	0.59	0.57	0.43
JUN, 13	179.94	183.05	184.56	182.62	181.96	177.48	1.24	1.53	1.51	1.45	1.39	1.02
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

11. A review of the current average prices of cement collected for the week ended on 13.11.2013 recorded an increase of 0.15% over previous week and 12.47% over corresponding week of the last year. Average retail prices of fertilizers and cement are given at Appendix-B.

Encl.(3 appendices)

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