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**Subject: Sensitive Price Indicator (SPI) for the week ended on 15-11-2018.**

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 November 15, 2018, 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	
	15-11-18	08-11-18	16-11-17	08-11-18	16-11-17
Q1 (Upto Rs. 8000)	220.05	219.16	216.40	0.41	1.69
Q2 (Rs. 8001-12000)	229.41	228.46	223.87	0.42	2.47
Q3 (Rs. 12001-18000)	231.34	230.34	225.13	0.43	2.76
Q4 (Rs. 18001-35000)	243.50	242.46	229.24	0.43	6.22
Q5 (Above Rs. 35000)	249.06	248.05	226.21	0.41	10.10
Combined	238.70	237.70	225.81	0.42	5.71

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
13-09-2018	216.43	0.23	1.61	228.02	0.20	2.66
18-09-2018	216.64	0.10	0.99	228.33	0.14	2.17
27-09-2018	217.39	0.35	0.46	229.17	0.37	1.76
04-10-2018	218.27	0.40	0.69	230.40	0.54	2.02
11-10-2018	219.67	0.64	2.04	237.06	2.89	5.74
18-10-2018	219.21	-0.21	1.36	236.73	-0.14	5.11
25-10-2018	219.21	0.00	1.27	236.70	-0.01	5.04
01-11-2018	218.74	-0.21	0.12	237.22	0.22	4.26
08-11-2018	219.16	0.19	0.18	237.70	0.20	4.34
15-11-2018	220.05	0.41	1.69	238.70	0.42	5.71

4. A statement showing citywise prices of essential items pertaining to 17 urban centres is placed at Appendix-A.

The comparative changes in prices i.e. increase, decrease and unchanged for the week ended on 15-11-2018 over previous and corresponding weeks ended on 08-11-2018 and 16-11-2017 respectively are as follows:

Sr.	Items	Units	Prices in Rs.			%change col.3 over		Weight of income		Impact of income	
			15.11.18	On 08.11.18	16.11.17	08.11.18	16.11.17	Lowest	Combined	Lowest	Combined
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
<b>i. Average prices of the following 25 items registered INCREASE.</b>											
1	Chicken Farm, Broiler, Live	1 kg	189.34	176.29	126.68	7.40	49.46	2.4935	3.5588	0.1780	0.2343
2	Onions	1 kg	32.97	32.01	71.17	3.00	-53.67	1.7622	1.4179	0.0474	0.0352
3	Bananas	Dozen	61.93	60.20	62.16	2.87	-0.37	0.9748	1.3930	0.0217	0.0286
4	Pulse Moong, Washed	1 kg	118.64	115.86	116.52	2.40	1.82	0.8244	0.6114	0.0199	0.0136
5	Pulse Mash, Washed	1 kg	144.92	142.07	167.81	2.01	-13.64	0.6088	0.5492	0.0111	0.0092
6	Pulse Masoor, Washed	1 kg	116.49	114.39	120.69	1.84	-3.48	0.5529	0.4892	0.0074	0.0061
7	Potatoes	1 kg	35.07	34.52	41.88	1.59	-16.26	1.6735	1.2501	0.0276	0.0190
8	Pulse Gram, Washed	1 kg	120.30	118.93	121.40	1.15	-0.91	0.8699	0.6180	0.0121	0.0080
9	Eggs Hen, Farm	Dozen	123.60	122.28	137.41	1.08	-10.05	0.6588	1.1923	0.0080	0.0134
10	Powdered Milk, Nido, Polybag	400 gm	399.47	397.37	380.05	0.53	5.11	0.0752	0.1235	0.0005	0.0008
11	Georgette, Average Quality, (SN)	1 mtr	133.25	132.66	125.68	0.44	6.02	0.4174	0.6340	0.0020	0.0029
12	Long Cloth, 57", Gul Ahmed/Al-Karam, (SN)	1 mtr	236.67	235.64	212.30	0.44	11.48	1.9718	1.8511	0.0076	0.0066
13	Firewood Whole	40 kg	635.28	632.55	619.40	0.43	2.56	2.5384	0.5960	0.0143	0.0031
14	Cooking Oil, Tin, (SN)	2.5 Ltr	488.12	486.06	469.71	0.42	3.92	1.3472	2.2953	0.0040	0.0063
15	Vegetable Ghee, Loose/Pouch, (SN)	1 kg	153.81	153.18	145.64	0.41	5.61	4.8228	2.7110	0.0128	0.0066
16	Vegetable Ghee, Tin, (SN)	2.5 kg	480.24	478.47	462.94	0.37	3.74	4.8228	2.7110	0.0124	0.0065
17	Shirting, Average Quality, (SN)	1 mtr	179.22	178.63	169.55	0.33	5.70	0.5195	0.6499	0.0020	0.0023
18	Beef With Bone, Average quality	1 kg	383.34	382.51	343.81	0.22	11.50	3.9344	4.2660	0.0121	0.0121
19	Mutton, Average Quality	1 kg	801.67	800.20	728.81	0.18	10.00	0.3616	2.0953	0.0010	0.0055
20	Garlic	1 kg	130.60	130.43	162.61	0.13	-19.69	0.3990	0.3599	0.0007	0.0006
21	Sugar, Refined	1 kg	54.88	54.81	53.59	0.13	2.41	3.7994	2.7340	0.0043	0.0029
22	Rice Basmati Broken, (AQ)	1 kg	77.48	77.38	70.68	0.13	9.62	2.6713	1.9032	0.0032	0.0021
23	Rice Irri-6 (Punjab/Sindh)	1 kg	54.44	54.39	50.91	0.09	6.93	0.5103	0.1934	0.0004	0.0001
24	Tea Prepared, Average Hotel	Cup	21.96	21.95	21.19	0.05	3.63	0.4048	0.7913	0.0003	0.0005
25	Wheat Flour, Bag	10 kg	394.04	393.89	386.41	0.04	1.97	17.4548	10.9014	0.0065	0.0038
<b>TOTAL</b>								<b>56.4695</b>	<b>45.8962</b>	<b>0.4175</b>	<b>0.4297</b>
<b>ii. Average prices of the following 5 items registered DECREASE.</b>											
1	LPG Cylinder, 11kg	Each	1387.06	1405.29	1233.75	-1.30	12.43	0.2835	0.2712	-0.0035	-0.0031
2	Tomatoes	1 kg	38.22	38.57	97.35	-0.91	-60.74	1.1881	1.1768	-0.0067	-0.0061
3	Gur, Average Quality	1 kg	84.62	85.19	84.08	-0.67	0.64	0.1879	0.0576	-0.0015	-0.0004
4	Red Chilly Powder, Loose	1 kg	350.12	350.19	259.00	-0.02	35.18	0.6191	0.4447	-0.0001	-0.0001
5	Mustard Oil, Average Quality	1 kg	188.18	188.20	184.98	-0.01	1.73	0.1668	0.2492	0.0000	0.0000
<b>TOTAL</b>								<b>2.4454</b>	<b>2.1995</b>	<b>-0.0118</b>	<b>-0.0097</b>
<b>iii. Average prices of the following 23 items remained UNCHANGED</b>											
1	Wheat	10 kg	348.46	348.46	337.38	0.00	3.28	1.6049	0.9101	0.0000	0.0000
2	Bread Plain, Medium Size	Each	42.85	42.85	42.56	0.00	0.68	0.2055	1.2284	0.0000	0.0000
3	Milk, Fresh, Unboiled	1 Ltr	85.51	85.51	82.50	0.00	3.65	17.0616	16.8368	0.0000	0.0000
4	Curd (Dahi)	1 kg	102.26	102.26	98.65	0.00	3.66	0.9482	1.3491	0.0000	0.0000
5	Salt Powder, Loose, Lahori	1 kg	12.35	12.35	11.00	0.00	12.27	0.1937	0.1636	0.0000	0.0000
6	Tea, Lipton Yellow Label, Packet	200 gm	206.53	206.53	180.49	0.00	14.43	2.2005	2.1456	0.0000	0.0000
7	Cooked Beef, Average Hotel	Plate	115.31	115.31	99.27	0.00	16.16	0.0965	0.3596	0.0000	0.0000
8	Cooked Daal, Average Hotel	Plate	62.19	62.19	58.27	0.00	6.73	0.2085	0.4413	0.0000	0.0000
9	Cigarettes, K-2, 20's	Packet	59.12	59.12	50.76	0.00	16.47	0.8822	1.5930	0.0000	0.0000
10	Lawn Printed, Gul Ahmed / Al-Karam, (SN)	1 mtr	288.65	288.65	255.77	0.00	12.86	1.4477	1.4684	0.0000	0.0000
11	Gents Sandal, Bata	Pair	699.00	699.00	699.00	0.00	0.00	0.3910	0.4931	0.0000	0.0000
12	Gents Chappal Spng, Bata	Pair	199.00	199.00	179.09	0.00	11.12	0.2702	0.2649	0.0000	0.0000
13	Ladies Sandal, Bata	Pair	599.00	599.00	502.39	0.00	19.23	0.6773	0.8130	0.0000	0.0000
14	Electricity Charges, Upto 50 Units	Unit	2.00	2.00	2.00	0.00	0.00	9.3636	11.5128	0.0000	0.0000
15	Gas Charges, Upto 3.3719 MMBTU	MMBTU	145.08	145.08	128.70	0.00	12.73	3.2199	4.1239	0.0000	0.0000
16	Kerosene Oil	1 Ltr	123.38	123.38	90.36	0.00	36.54	0.0415	0.0150	0.0000	0.0000
17	Electric Bulb, Energy Saver, 14 W	Each	171.18	171.18	169.56	0.00	0.96	0.2003	0.2369	0.0000	0.0000
18	Washing Soap, 200-250 g, (SN)	Cake	28.37	28.37	25.91	0.00	9.49	0.9514	0.7716	0.0000	0.0000
19	Match Box, Regular	Each	2.41	2.41	2.21	0.00	9.05	0.1329	0.1183	0.0000	0.0000
20	Petrol, Super	1 Ltr	98.57	98.57	76.77	0.00	28.40	0.4649	5.1188	0.0000	0.0000
21	Hi Speed Diesel (HSD)	1 Ltr	113.55	113.55	85.48	0.00	32.84	0.0090	0.2767	0.0000	0.0000
22	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
23	Soap, LifeBuoy	Each	40.47	40.47	41.76	0.00	-3.09	0.3491	0.3539	0.0000	0.0000
<b>TOTAL</b>								<b>41.0851</b>	<b>51.9043</b>	<b>0.0000</b>	<b>0.0000</b>

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
<b>2017-18</b>			
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
<b>2018-19</b>			
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

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
<b>2016-17</b>			
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
<b>2017-18</b>			
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
<b>2018-19</b>			
1st quarter (Jul-Sep)	216.52	2.45	2.62

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
<b>2016-17</b>			
1st half (Jul-Dec)	210.80	1.99	1.35
2nd half (Jan-June)	210.38	-0.20	1.78
<b>2017-18</b>			
1st half (Jul-Dec)	213.60	1.53	1.33
2nd half (Jan-June)	211.21	-1.12	0.40

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-OCT)	230.43	225.81	229.46	229.51	232.21	231.28	5.90	4.13	4.49	4.81	5.57	6.94

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

11. A review of the current average prices of Cement collected for the week ended on 15.11.2018 shows an increase of 0.28% over previous week and an increase of 12.44% over corresponding week of the last year. Average retail prices of Fertilizers and Cement are given at Appendix-B.

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