

**GOVERNMENT OF PAKISTAN
PAKISTAN BUREAU OF STATISTICS
EXECUTIVE SUMMARY**

SENSITIVE PRICE INDICATOR (SPI) FOR THE WEEK ENDED ON 07.11.2024.

(To gauge inflation on weekly / short term basis)

Sensitive Price Indicator (SPI) is computed on weekly basis to assess the price movement of essential commodities at shorter interval of time so as to review the price situation in the country. SPI comprises of 51 essential items collected from 50 markets in 17 cities of the country.

Consumption Quintiles	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q5	Combined
Week on Week change (%)	0.29	0.26	0.24	0.23	0.24	0.24
Year on Year change (%)	8.21	12.24	16.66	14.46	12.71	13.89

I. ANALYSIS OF WEEKLY SPI

- i.* The SPI for the current week ended on **November 07, 2024 increased by 0.24%**. major **increase** is observed in the prices of LPG (3.37%), Eggs (2.70%), Potatoes (2.63%), Onions (2.61%), Mustard Oil (2.36%), Tomatoes (1.67%), Diesel (1.54%), Vegetable Ghee 1Kg (1.49%), Cooking Oil 5 Litre (1.35%), Pulse Moong (0.93%), Petrol (0.56%) and Washing Soap (0.47%).
- ii.* On the other hand, major **decrease** is observed in the prices of Bananas (2.63%), Sugar (1.49%), Chicken (1.23%), Gur (0.99%), Pulse Mash (0.72%), Pulse Gram (0.60%), Rice IRRI-6/9 (0.43%) and Pulse Masoor (0.27%).
- iii.* During the week, out of **51** items, prices of **21** (41.18%) items increased, **10** (19.61%) items decreased and **20** (39.21%) items remained stable.
- iv.* The year on year trend depicts **increase of 13.89%**, Gas Charges for Q1 (570.00%), Pulse Gram (80.59%), Pulse Moong (40.46%), Powdered Milk (25.74%), Beef (23.40%), Onions (20.87%), Shirting (16.35%), Garlic (16.06%), Cooked Daal (15.36%), Mutton (14.02%), Ladies Sandal (12.52%) and Firewood (12.43%), while major **decrease** is observed in the prices of Wheat Flour (33.26%), Tomatoes (28.98%), Electricity Charges for Q1 (20.32%), Chilies Powder (20.00%), Diesel (15.77%), Petrol (12.28%), Sugar (8.91%), Rice Basmati Broken (7.98%), Cooking Oil 5 Litre (6.08%), Bread (5.55%) and Tea Lipton (3.33%).

II. Current week over previous week (WoW) (07.11.2024 over 31.10.2024) showing 0.24% change.

i. **(Major) Increased Items (percentage)**

Food Items	%	Food Items	%	Non Food Items	%
Eggs	2.70	Tomatoes	1.67	LPG	3.37
Potatoes	2.63	Vegetable Ghee 1 kg	1.49	Diesel	1.54
Onions	2.61	Cooking Oil 5 Litre	1.35	Petrol	0.56
Mustard Oil	2.36	Pulse Moong	0.93	Washing Soap	0.47

ii. **(Major) Decreased Items (percentage)**

Food Items	%	Food Items	%	Non Food Items	%
Bananas	-2.63	Pulse Mash	-0.72	Nil	
Sugar	-1.49	Pulse Gram	-0.60		
Chicken	-1.23	Rice IRRI-6/9	-0.43		
Gur	-0.99	Pulse Masoor	-0.27		

III. Current week over corresponding week (YoY) (07.11.2024 over 08.11.2023) showing 13.89% change.

i. **(Major) Increased Items (percentage)**

Food Items	%	Food Items	%	Non Food Items	%
Pulse Gram	80.59	Onions	20.87	Gas Charges for Q1	570.00
Pulse Moong	40.46	Garlic	16.06	Shirting	16.35
Powdered Milk	25.74	Cooked Daal	15.36	Ladies Sandal	12.52
Beef	23.40	Mutton	14.02	Firewood	12.43

ii. **(Major) Decreased Items (percentage)**

Food Items	%	Food Items	%	Non Food Items	%
Wheat Flour	-33.26	Rice Basmati Broken	-7.98	Electricity Charges for Q1	-20.32
Tomatoes	-28.98	Cooking Oil 5 Litre	-6.08	Diesel	-15.77
Chilies Powder	-20.00	Bread	-5.55	Petrol	-12.28
Sugar	-8.91	Tea Lipton	-3.33		

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Subject: Sensitive Price Indicator (SPI) for the week ended on 07-11-2024.

The weekly SPI with base 2015-16=100 covering 17 urban centres and 51 essential items for all expenditure groups/quintiles and combined has been computed.

2. For the week ended on November 07, 2024, the SPI and percentage changes by Consumption groups/quintiles and combined are given below:

SPI (51 items) 2015-16=100					
Expenditure Group (Quintile)	SPI for week ended on			% change over	
	07-11-2024	31-10-24	08-11-23	31-10-24	08-11-23
Q1 (Upto Rs. 17,732)	312.93	312.02	289.19	0.29	8.21
Q2 (Rs. 17,733 - 22,888)	310.22	309.41	276.40	0.26	12.24
Q3 (Rs. 22,889 - 29,517)	331.43	330.65	284.09	0.24	16.66
Q4 (Rs. 29,518 - 44,175)	319.50	318.77	279.14	0.23	14.46
Q5 (Above Rs. 44,175)	320.37	319.61	284.25	0.24	12.71
Combined	320.17	319.40	281.12	0.24	13.89

3. The trend of weekly SPI with base 2015-16=100 during the last 10 weeks as compared to the respective previous as well as corresponding weeks of last year is as under:

SPI (51 items) 2015-16=100						
Week ended on	SPI for lowest expenditure group	% change over		Combined SPI	% change over	
		Pr. Week	Cor. Week		Pr. Week	Cor. Week
05-09-2024	310.35	-0.14	8.79	319.24	-0.15	14.07
12-09-2024	312.14	0.58	9.65	319.28	0.01	14.36
19-09-2024	310.84	-0.42	9.14	317.61	-0.52	12.72
26-09-2024	311.09	0.08	9.20	317.76	0.05	12.80
03-10-2024	313.20	0.68	9.40	319.17	0.44	13.18
10-10-2024	312.91	-0.09	9.02	318.91	-0.08	12.74
17-10-2024	313.74	0.27	10.29	319.79	0.28	15.02
24-10-2024	313.16	-0.18	10.36	319.09	-0.22	15.15
31-10-2024	312.02	-0.36	9.03	319.40	0.10	14.45
07-11-2024	312.93	0.29	8.21	320.17	0.24	13.89

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 07-11-2024 over previous and corresponding weeks ended on 31-10-2024 and 08-11-2023 respectively are as follows:

Sr.	Items	Units	Prices in Rs. on 07.11.24 31.10.24 08.11.23			%change col. 3 over 31.10.24 08.11.23		Weight of expenditure group in % Lowest Combined		Impact of expenditure group in % points Lowest Combined	
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
i. Average prices of the following 21 items registered INCREASE.											
1	LPG 11.67 kg Cylinder	Each	3328.15	3219.56	3125.36	3.37	6.49	0.6145	1.4370	0.0212	0.0486
2	Eggs Hen (Farm)	1 Dozen	326.48	317.90	333.71	2.70	-2.17	1.1780	1.4424	0.0331	0.0397
3	Potatoes	1 Kg	106.97	104.23	106.99	2.63	-0.02	2.2955	1.2157	0.0763	0.0394
4	Onions	1 Kg	148.89	145.10	123.18	2.61	20.87	2.6815	1.6822	0.0453	0.0277
5	Mustard Oil (Average Quality)	1 Kg	534.96	522.63	502.55	2.36	6.45	0.0216	0.0341	0.0004	0.0006
6	Tomatoes	1 Kg	134.90	132.68	189.95	1.67	-28.98	1.4395	0.9816	0.0229	0.0152
7	Hi-Speed Diesel	Per Litre	256.32	252.43	304.31	1.54	-15.77	0.0114	0.0874	0.0002	0.0013
8	Vegetable Ghee DALDA/HABIB or Other super	Each	530.09	522.33	520.83	1.49	1.78	3.2833	1.4648	0.0795	0.0347
9	Cooking Oil DALDA or Other Similar Brand (SN	Each	2686.39	2650.72	2860.40	1.35	-6.08	2.1480	3.1260	0.0437	0.0621
10	Pulse Moong (Washed)	1 Kg	384.95	381.41	274.07	0.93	40.46	0.8715	0.4816	0.0074	0.0040
11	Vegetable Ghee DALDA/HABIB 2.5 kg Tin	Each	1337.69	1325.88	1373.00	0.89	-2.57	3.2833	1.4648	0.0665	0.0290
12	Garlic (Lehsun)	1 Kg	617.97	612.74	532.48	0.85	16.06	0.6807	0.5795	0.0103	0.0085
13	Cooked Beef at Average Hotel	Per Plate	295.33	293.31	272.20	0.69	8.50	0.5033	1.0497	0.0044	0.0090
14	Petrol Super	Per Litre	249.56	248.18	284.51	0.56	-12.28	1.4673	6.7018	0.0085	0.0379
15	Sufi Washing Soap 250 gm Cake	Each	129.49	128.89	129.31	0.47	0.14	1.1178	0.5917	0.0014	0.0008
16	Beef with Bone (Average Quality)	1 Kg	1009.88	1006.42	818.40	0.34	23.40	2.4988	3.3533	0.0033	0.0044
17	Mutton (Average Quality)	1 Kg	1939.54	1933.80	1701.10	0.30	14.02	0.5498	2.4387	0.0009	0.0039
18	Powdered Milk NIDO 390 gm Polybag	Each	1034.92	1032.38	823.08	0.25	25.74	0.0803	0.3817	0.0001	0.0004
19	Cooked Daal at Average Hotel	Per Plate	160.91	160.61	139.49	0.19	15.36	1.3118	1.3014	0.0028	0.0027
20	Wheat Flour Bag	20 Kg	1837.47	1835.42	2753.20	0.11	-33.26	6.1372	3.9725	-0.0046	-0.0029
21	Firewood Whole	40 Kg	1243.48	1242.72	1106.05	0.06	12.43	5.0813	1.1969	0.0018	0.0004
TOTAL								37.2564	34.9848	0.4254	0.3672
ii. Average prices of the following 10 items registered DECREASE.											
1	Bananas (Kela) Local	1 Dozen	115.80	118.93	110.67	-2.63	4.64	0.7124	0.9413	-0.0123	-0.0159
2	Sugar Refined	1 Kg	130.49	132.47	143.25	-1.49	-8.91	5.1148	3.1584	-0.0648	-0.0391
3	Chicken Farm Broiler (Live)	1 Kg	383.19	387.98	351.02	-1.23	9.16	2.9269	3.8681	-0.0528	-0.0681
4	Gur (Average Quality)	1 Kg	207.64	209.71	204.44	-0.99	1.57	0.2341	0.1075	-0.0005	-0.0003
5	Pulse Mash (Washed)	1 Kg	528.31	532.15	517.76	-0.72	2.04	0.2855	0.3269	-0.0014	-0.0016
6	Pulse Gram	1 Kg	411.34	413.84	227.78	-0.60	80.59	0.7967	0.4711	-0.0020	-0.0011
7	Rice IRRI-6/9 (Sindh/Punjab)	1 Kg	161.98	162.68	160.75	-0.43	0.77	0.5922	0.1671	-0.0010	-0.0003
8	Pulse Masoor (Washed)	1 Kg	305.23	306.06	309.92	-0.27	-1.51	0.6545	0.4608	-0.0004	-0.0003
9	Tea Lipton Yellow Label 190 gm Packet	Each	543.78	544.71	562.54	-0.17	-3.33	3.1478	2.3913	-0.0006	-0.0004
10	Rice Basmati Broken (Average Quality)	1 Kg	208.37	208.41	226.45	-0.02	-7.98	2.9610	1.2636	-0.0002	-0.0001
TOTAL								17.4259	13.1561	-0.1359	-0.1270
iii. Average prices of the following 20 items remained UNCHANGED											
1	Bread plain (Small Size)	Each	108.85	108.85	115.25	0.00	-5.55	0.1041	0.5698	0.0000	0.0000
2	Milk fresh (Un-boiled)	1 Ltr	196.85	196.85	185.33	0.00	6.22	17.5449	18.3937	0.0000	0.0000
3	Curd (Dahi) Loose	1 Kg	230.98	230.98	215.82	0.00	7.02	0.7366	1.8181	0.0000	0.0000
4	Salt Powdered (NATIONAL/SHAN) 800 gm Pac	Each	70.90	70.90	66.58	0.00	6.49	0.2844	0.2279	0.0000	0.0000
5	Chilies Powder NATIONAL 200 gm Packet	Each	320.00	320.00	400.00	0.00	-20.00	1.3896	0.8454	0.0000	0.0000
6	Tea Prepared Ordinary	Per Cup	60.84	60.84	55.95	0.00	8.74	2.5003	2.3564	0.0000	0.0000
7	Cigarettes Capstan 20'S Packet	Each	232.06	232.06	222.09	0.00	4.49	1.6170	1.0931	0.0000	0.0000
8	Long Cloth 57" Gul Ahmed/AI Karam	1 mtr	617.00	617.00	558.42	0.00	10.49	4.2221	3.9577	0.0000	0.0000
9	Shirting (Average Quality)	1 mtr	475.67	475.67	408.83	0.00	16.35	0.0317	0.1010	0.0000	0.0000
10	Lawn Printed Gul Ahmed/AI Karam	1 mtr	611.82	611.82	556.20	0.00	10.00	2.3442	2.1473	0.0000	0.0000
11	Georgette (Average Quality)	1 mtr	288.56	288.56	258.23	0.00	11.75	0.7584	0.9024	0.0000	0.0000
12	Gents Sandal Bata	Pair	2499.00	2499.00	2299.00	0.00	8.70	0.6350	0.5122	0.0000	0.0000
13	Gents Sponge Chappal Bata	Pair	599.00	599.00	599.00	0.00	0.00	0.2110	0.1640	0.0000	0.0000
14	Ladies Sandal Bata	Pair	899.00	899.00	799.00	0.00	12.52	0.9919	1.0148	0.0000	0.0000
15	Electricity Charges for Q1	Per Unit	6.55	6.55	8.22	0.00	-20.32	8.3627	12.9291	0.0000	0.0000
16	Gas Charges for Q1	MMBTU	1976.50	1976.50	295.00	0.00	570.00	2.0674	3.0667	0.0000	0.0000
17	Energy Saver Philips 14 Watt	Each	379.68	379.68	338.40	0.00	12.20	0.2495	0.3374	0.0000	0.0000
18	Match Box	Each	6.24	6.24	5.78	0.00	7.96	0.3495	0.1969	0.0000	0.0000
19	Telephone Call Charges	Per Minu	1.79	1.79	1.79	0.00	0.00	0.0645	0.5468	0.0000	0.0000
20	Toilet Soap LIFEBOUY 115 gm	Each	106.27	106.27	109.94	0.00	-3.34	0.8529	0.6784	0.0000	0.0000
TOTAL								45.3177	51.8591	0.0000	0.0000

6. Monthly Sensitive Price Indicator (SPI).

PERIOD	SPI - Q1 (lowest Consumption Quintile)	Percentage change over previous month	Percentage Change over corresponding month of previous year
2021-22			
July	162.25	1.80	16.17
August	163.39	0.70	15.92
September	167.83	2.72	16.63
October	171.43	2.15	15.25
November	177.57	3.58	18.09
December	176.81	-0.43	20.86
January	175.42	-0.79	20.90
February	177.64	1.27	18.70
March	178.78	0.64	13.02
April	181.42	1.48	14.22
May	182.59	0.64	14.05
June	193.89	6.19	21.65
2022-23			
July	207.98	7.27	28.18
August	218.89	5.25	33.97
September	215.79	-1.42	28.58
October	212.62	-1.47	24.03
November	225.61	6.11	27.05
December	225.95	0.15	27.79
January	229.00	1.35	30.54
February	237.38	3.66	33.63
March	251.08	5.77	40.44
April	257.86	2.70	42.13
May	261.09	1.25	42.99
June	261.60	0.20	34.92
2023-24			
July	268.96	2.81	29.32
August	280.03	4.12	27.93
September	284.84	1.72	32.00
October	285.28	0.15	34.17
November	294.70	3.30	30.62
December	305.76	3.75	35.32
January	311.93	2.02	36.21
February	309.48	-0.79	30.37
March	316.02	2.11	25.86
April	313.65	-0.75	21.64
May	301.10	-4.00	15.32
June	305.10	1.33	16.63
2024-25			
July	311.30	2.03	15.74
August	310.40	-0.29	10.85
September	311.08	0.22	9.21
October	312.95	0.60	9.70

7. Quarterly Sensitive Price Indicator (SPI).

PERIOD	SPI - Q1 (lowest Consumption Quintile)	Percentage change over previous quarter	Percentage Change over corresponding quarter of previous year
2021-22			
1st quarter (Jul-Sep)	164.49	3.17	16.24
2nd quarter (Oct-Dec)	175.27	6.55	18.05
3rd quarter (Jan-Mar)	177.28	1.15	17.43
4th quarter (Apr-June)	185.97	4.90	16.64
2022-23			
1st quarter (Jul-Sep)	214.22	15.19	30.23
2nd quarter (Oct-Dec)	221.39	3.35	26.31
3rd quarter (Jan-Mar)	239.15	8.02	34.90
4th quarter (Apr-June)	260.18	8.79	39.90
2023-24			
1st quarter (Jul-Sep)	277.94	6.83	29.75
2nd quarter (Oct-Dec)	295.25	6.23	33.36
3rd quarter (Jan-Mar)	312.48	5.84	30.66
4th quarter (Apr-Jun)	306.62	-1.88	17.85
2024-25			
1st quarter (Jul-Sep)	310.93	1.41	11.87

8. Half yearly Sensitive Price Indicator (SPI).

PERIOD	SPI - Q1 (lowest Consumption Quintile)	Percentage change over previous Half year	Percentage Change over corresponding Half year of previous year
2022-23			
1st half (Jul-Dec)	217.81	19.93	28.21
2nd half (Jan-June)	249.67	14.63	37.47
2023-24			
1st half (Jul-Dec)	286.60	14.79	31.58
2nd half (Jan-June)	309.55	8.01	23.98

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