

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

SENSITIVE PRICE INDICATOR (SPI) FOR THE WEEK ENDED ON 14.11.2024.

(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 (%)	0.83	0.74	0.62	0.59	0.44	0.55
Year on Year change (%)	2.33	2.47	4.07	4.19	4.75	4.16

I. ANALYSIS OF WEEKLY SPI

- i.* The SPI for the current week ended on **November 14, 2024 increased** by **0.55%**. Major **increase** is observed in the prices of Tomatoes (16.86%), Eggs (5.01%), Garlic (4.30%), LPG (4.10%), Firewood (2.07%), Mustard Oil (1.90%), Vegetable Ghee 1Kg (1.87%), Sugar (1.34%), Potatoes (1.26%), Georgette (1.18%), Cooked Beef (1.11%) and Shirting (0.12%).
- ii.* On the other hand, **decrease** is observed in the prices of Pulse Gram (2.51%), Pulse Mash (0.87%), Bananas (0.18%), Chicken (0.07%) and Wheat Flour (0.01%).
- iii.* During the week, out of **51** items, prices of **24** (47.06%) items increased, **06** (11.76%) items decreased and **21** (41.18%) items remained stable.
- iv.* The year on year trend depicts **increase of 4.16%**, Pulse Gram (74.53%), Pulse Moong (38.88%), Powdered Milk (25.74%), Beef (23.02%), Onions (22.78%), Garlic (17.41%), Gas Charges for Q1 (15.52%), Shirting (15.22%), Cooked Daal (14.78%), Mutton (13.79%), Firewood (13.72%) and Georgette (13.07%), while major **decrease** is observed in the prices of Wheat Flour (34.98%), Chilies Powder (20.00%), Diesel (13.92%), Petrol (11.64%), Tea Lipton (11.22%), Rice Basmati Broken (7.89%), Tomatoes (6.59%), Pulse Masoor (5.69%), Bread (5.55%), Electricity Charges for Q1 (5.07%) and Cooking Oil 5 Litre (4.86%).

II. Current week over previous week (WoW) (14.11.2024 over 07.11.2024) showing 0.55% change.

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

Food Items	%	Food Items	%	Non Food Items	%
Tomatoes	16.86	Vegetable Ghee 1 kg	1.87	LPG	4.10
Eggs	5.01	Sugar	1.34	Firewood	2.07
Garlic	4.30	Potatoes	1.26	Georgette	1.18
Mustard Oil	1.90	Cooked Beef	1.11	Shirting	0.12

ii. **Decreased Items (percentage)**

Food Items	%	Food Items	%	Non Food Items	%
Pulse Gram	-2.51	Wheat Flour	-0.01	Nil	
Pulse Mash	-0.87				
Bananas	-0.18				
Chicken	-0.07				

III. Current week over corresponding week (YoY) (14.11.2024 over 16.11.2023) showing 4.16% change.

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

Food Items	%	Food Items	%	Non Food Items	%
Pulse Gram	74.53	Onions	22.78	Gas Charges for Q1	15.52
Pulse Moong	38.88	Garlic	17.41	Shirting	15.22
Powdered Milk	25.74	Cooked Daal	14.78	Firewood	13.72
Beef	23.02	Mutton	13.79	Georgette	13.07

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

Food Items	%	Food Items	%	Non Food Items	%
Wheat Flour	-34.98	Tomatoes	-6.59	Diesel	-13.92
Chilies Powder	-20.00	Pulse Masoor	-5.69	Petrol	-11.64
Tea Lipton	-11.22	Bread	-5.55	Electricity Charges for Q1	-5.07
Rice Basmati Broken	-7.89	Cooking Oil 5 Litre	-4.86		

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Subject: Sensitive Price Indicator (SPI) for the week ended on 14-11-2024.

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 14, 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	
	14-11-2024	07-11-24	16-11-23	07-11-24	16-11-23
Q1 (Upto Rs. 17,732)	315.52	312.93	308.35	0.83	2.33
Q2 (Rs. 17,733 - 22,888)	312.51	310.22	304.97	0.74	2.47
Q3 (Rs. 22,889 - 29,517)	333.47	331.43	320.44	0.62	4.07
Q4 (Rs. 29,518 - 44,175)	321.37	319.50	308.46	0.59	4.19
Q5 (Above Rs. 44,175)	321.79	320.37	307.19	0.44	4.75
Combined	321.94	320.17	309.09	0.55	4.16

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
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
14-11-2024	315.52	0.83	2.33	321.94	0.55	4.16

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 14-11-2024 over previous and corresponding weeks ended on 07-11-2024 and 16-11-2023 respectively are as follows:

Sr.	Items	Units	Prices in Rs. on 14.11.24 07.11.24 16.11.23			%change col. 3 over 07.11.24 16.11.23		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 24 items registered INCREASE.											
1	Tomatoes	1 Kg	157.64	134.90	168.76	16.86	-6.59	1.4395	0.9816	0.2352	0.1568
2	Eggs Hen (Farm)	1 Dozen	342.85	326.48	335.20	5.01	2.28	1.1780	1.4424	0.0614	0.0735
3	Garlic (Lehsun)	1 Kg	644.54	617.97	548.96	4.30	17.41	0.6807	0.5795	0.0380	0.0316
4	LPG 11.67 kg Cylinder	Each	3464.75	3328.15	3188.73	4.10	8.66	0.6145	1.4370	0.0296	0.0676
5	Firewood Whole	40 Kg	1269.22	1243.48	1116.09	2.07	13.72	5.0813	1.1969	0.1432	0.0330
6	Mustard Oil (Average Quality)	1 Kg	545.14	534.96	502.84	1.90	8.41	0.0216	0.0341	0.0007	0.0011
7	Vegetable Ghee DALDA/HABIB or Other super	Each	540.02	530.09	513.59	1.87	5.15	3.2833	1.4648	0.0748	0.0326
8	Sugar Refined	1 Kg	132.24	130.49	137.17	1.34	-3.59	5.1148	3.1584	0.0431	0.0260
9	Potatoes	1 Kg	108.32	106.97	109.13	1.26	-0.74	2.2955	1.2157	0.0997	0.0516
10	Georgette (Average Quality)	1 mtr	291.97	288.56	258.23	1.18	13.07	0.7584	0.9024	0.0046	0.0054
11	Cooked Beef at Average Hotel	Per Plate	298.60	295.33	272.29	1.11	9.66	0.5033	1.0497	0.0039	0.0080
12	Pulse Masoor (Washed)	1 Kg	307.72	305.23	326.28	0.82	-5.69	0.6545	0.4608	-0.0022	-0.0016
13	Salt Powdered (NATIONAL/SHAN) 800 gm Pac	Each	71.46	70.90	68.53	0.79	4.28	0.2844	0.2279	0.0005	0.0004
14	Cooking Oil DALDA or Other Similar Brand (SN	Each	2703.72	2686.39	2841.91	0.65	-4.86	2.1480	3.1260	0.0137	0.0195
15	Vegetable Ghee DALDA/HABIB 2.5 kg Tin	Each	1345.67	1337.69	1369.20	0.60	-1.72	3.2833	1.4648	0.0167	0.0073
16	Tea Prepared Ordinary	Per Cup	61.03	60.84	57.11	0.31	6.86	2.5003	2.3564	0.0361	0.0333
17	Gur (Average Quality)	1 Kg	208.17	207.64	203.88	0.26	2.10	0.2341	0.1075	0.0006	0.0003
18	Shirting (Average Quality)	1 mtr	476.23	475.67	413.33	0.12	15.22	0.0317	0.1010	0.0001	0.0003
19	Beef with Bone (Average Quality)	1 Kg	1010.69	1009.88	821.54	0.08	23.02	2.4988	3.3533	0.0036	0.0047
20	Onions	1 Kg	148.99	148.89	121.35	0.07	22.78	2.6815	1.6822	0.0481	0.0295
21	Milk fresh (Un-boiled)	1 Ltr	196.92	196.85	185.33	0.04	6.25	17.5449	18.3937	0.0035	0.0036
22	Mutton (Average Quality)	1 Kg	1940.20	1939.54	1705.04	0.03	13.79	0.5498	2.4387	0.0010	0.0042
23	Pulse Moong (Washed)	1 Kg	384.97	384.95	277.20	0.01	38.88	0.8715	0.4816	-0.0012	-0.0007
24	Rice IRRI-6/9 (Sindh/Punjab)	1 Kg	161.99	161.98	160.08	0.01	1.19	0.5922	0.1671	0.0003	0.0001
TOTAL								54.8459	47.8235	0.8549	0.5881
ii. Average prices of the following 6 items registered DECREASE.											
1	Pulse Gram	1 Kg	401.01	411.34	229.76	-2.51	74.53	0.7967	0.4711	-0.0432	-0.0249
2	Toilet Soap LIFEBOUY 115 gm	Each	105.23	106.27	109.94	-0.98	-4.28	0.8529	0.6784	-0.0002	-0.0001
3	Pulse Mash (Washed)	1 Kg	523.72	528.31	520.00	-0.87	0.72	0.2855	0.3269	-0.0033	-0.0037
4	Bananas (Kela) Local	1 Dozen	115.59	115.80	111.81	-0.18	3.38	0.7124	0.9413	0.0013	0.0017
5	Chicken Farm Broiler (Live)	1 Kg	382.93	383.19	365.04	-0.07	4.90	2.9269	3.8681	0.0025	0.0033
6	Wheat Flour Bag	20 Kg	1837.25	1837.47	2825.75	-0.01	-34.98	6.1372	3.9725	0.0166	0.0105
TOTAL								11.7116	10.2583	-0.0261	-0.0132
iii. Average prices of the following 21 items remained UNCHANGED											
1	Rice Basmati Broken (Average Quality)	1 Kg	208.37	208.37	226.23	0.00	-7.89	2.9610	1.2636	0.0000	0.0000
2	Bread plain (Small Size)	Each	108.85	108.85	115.25	0.00	-5.55	0.1041	0.5698	0.0000	0.0000
3	Curd (Dahi) Loose	1 Kg	230.98	230.98	215.71	0.00	7.08	0.7366	1.8181	0.0000	0.0000
4	Powdered Milk NIDO 390 gm Polybag	Each	1034.92	1034.92	823.08	0.00	25.74	0.0803	0.3817	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 Lipton Yellow Label 190 gm Packet	Each	543.78	543.78	612.48	0.00	-11.22	3.1478	2.3913	0.0000	0.0000
7	Cooked Daal at Average Hotel	Per Plate	160.91	160.91	140.19	0.00	14.78	1.3118	1.3014	0.0000	0.0000
8	Cigarettes Capstan 20'S Packet	Each	232.06	232.06	222.09	0.00	4.49	1.6170	1.0931	0.0000	0.0000
9	Long Cloth 57" Gul Ahmed/AI Karam	1 mtr	617.00	617.00	563.63	0.00	9.47	4.2221	3.9577	0.0000	0.0000
10	Lawn Printed Gul Ahmed/AI Karam	1 mtr	611.82	611.82	556.46	0.00	9.95	2.3442	2.1473	0.0000	0.0000
11	Gents Sandal Bata	Pair	2499.00	2499.00	2299.00	0.00	8.70	0.6350	0.5122	0.0000	0.0000
12	Gents Sponge Chappal Bata	Pair	599.00	599.00	599.00	0.00	0.00	0.2110	0.1640	0.0000	0.0000
13	Ladies Sandal Bata	Pair	899.00	899.00	799.00	0.00	12.52	0.9919	1.0148	0.0000	0.0000
14	Electricity Charges for Q1	Per Unit	6.55	6.55	6.90	0.00	-5.07	8.3627	12.9291	0.0000	-0.0214
15	Gas Charges for Q1	MMBTU	1976.50	1976.50	1711.00	0.00	15.52	2.0674	3.0667	0.0000	0.0000
16	Energy Saver Philips 14 Watt	Each	379.68	379.68	338.40	0.00	12.20	0.2495	0.3374	0.0000	0.0000
17	Sufi Washing Soap 250 gm Cake	Each	129.49	129.49	129.31	0.00	0.14	1.1178	0.5917	0.0000	0.0000
18	Match Box	Each	6.24	6.24	5.82	0.00	7.22	0.3495	0.1969	0.0000	0.0000
19	Petrol Super	Per Litre	249.56	249.56	282.44	0.00	-11.64	1.4673	6.7018	0.0000	0.0000
20	Hi-Speed Diesel	Per Litre	256.32	256.32	297.78	0.00	-13.92	0.0114	0.0874	0.0000	0.0000
21	Telephone Call Charges	Per Minu	1.79	1.79	1.79	0.00	0.00	0.0645	0.5468	0.0000	0.0000
TOTAL								33.4425	41.9182	0.0000	-0.0214

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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