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**Subject: Sensitive Price Indicator (SPI) for the week ended on 09-04-2015.**

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 April 09, 2015, 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	
	09-04-15	02-04-15	10-04-14	02-04-15	10-04-14
Q1 (Upto Rs. 8000)	201.56	200.00	206.03	0.78	-2.17
Q2 (Rs. 8001-12000)	207.57	206.08	211.53	0.72	-1.87
Q3 (Rs. 12001-18000)	210.71	209.25	214.43	0.70	-1.73
Q4 (Rs. 18001-35000)	212.07	210.65	215.82	0.67	-1.74
Q5 (Above Rs. 35000)	208.99	207.76	214.11	0.59	-2.39
Combined	209.11	207.74	213.52	0.66	-2.07

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
04-02-2015	201.05	0.17	1.47	208.22	-0.13	0.44
12-02-2015	199.94	-0.55	0.64	207.03	-0.57	-0.27
19-02-2015	199.82	-0.06	0.06	206.86	-0.08	-0.95
26-02-2015	198.87	-0.48	-1.28	205.78	-0.52	-2.21
05-03-2015	199.34	0.24	-1.66	206.40	0.30	-2.26
12-03-2015	200.59	0.63	-1.34	207.75	0.65	-1.88
19-03-2015	200.12	-0.23	-2.07	207.28	-0.23	-2.51
26-03-2015	199.61	-0.25	-2.50	206.78	-0.24	-2.82
02-04-2015	200.00	0.20	-2.40	207.74	0.46	-2.34
09-04-2015	201.56	0.78	-2.17	209.11	0.66	-2.07

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 09-04-2015 over previous and corresponding weeks ended on 02-04-2015 and 10-04-2014 respectively are as follows:

Sr.	Items	Units	Prices in Rs.		%change		Weight of income		Impact of income	
			on 09.04.15	02.04.15	col. 3 over 02.04.15	10.04.14	group in % Lowest Combined	group in % points Lowest Combined	9	10
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	
<b>i. Average prices of the following 12 items registered INCREASE.</b>										
1	Onions	1 kg	44.29	30.36	45.88	13.71	1.7622	1.4179	0.7539	0.5840
2	Tomatoes	1 kg	50.09	46.09	8.68	22.32	1.1881	1.1768	0.0834	0.0795
3	Chicken Farm, Broiler, Live	1 kg	148.91	145.27	2.51	-13.62	2.4935	3.5588	0.0544	0.0748
4	Sugar, Refined	1 kg	56.84	55.55	2.32	7.77	3.7994	2.7340	0.0878	0.0608
5	Bananas	Dozen	70.42	69.78	0.92	-3.55	0.9748	1.3930	0.0088	0.0121
6	Pulse Mash, Washed	1 kg	166.31	165.18	0.68	24.38	0.6088	0.5492	0.0048	0.0042
7	Gur, Average Quality	1 kg	82.52	82.01	0.62	4.54	0.1879	0.0576	0.0015	0.0004
8	Pulse Moong, Washed	1 kg	168.40	168.03	0.22	13.02	0.8244	0.6114	0.0029	0.0021
9	Mustard Oil, Average Quality	1 kg	179.49	179.10	0.22	-3.14	0.1668	0.2492	0.0003	0.0004
10	Curd (Dahi)	1 kg	89.87	89.67	0.22	7.54	0.9482	1.3491	0.0027	0.0036
11	Mutton, Average Quality	1 kg	595.03	594.06	0.16	4.13	0.3616	2.0953	0.0007	0.0041
12	Kerosene Oil	1 Ltr	85.32	85.30	0.02	-29.82	0.0415	0.0150	0.0000	0.0000
<b>TOTAL</b>							<b>13.3572</b>	<b>15.2073</b>	<b>1.0011</b>	<b>0.8261</b>
<b>ii. Average prices of the following 13 items registered DECREASE.</b>										
1	Potatoes	1 kg	21.66	22.67	-4.46	-61.85	1.6735	1.2501	-0.0555	-0.0399
2	Eggs Hen, Farm	Dozen	86.66	89.39	-3.05	-5.15	0.6588	1.1923	-0.0182	-0.0317
3	LPG Cylinder, 11kg	Each	1104.00	1133.12	-2.57	-24.07	0.2835	0.2712	-0.0061	-0.0057
4	Vegetable Ghee, Loose/Pouch, (SN)	1 kg	142.71	143.60	-0.62	-12.75	4.8228	2.7110	-0.0198	-0.0107
5	Wheat Flour, Bag	10 kg	386.63	388.59	-0.50	-9.77	17.4548	10.9014	-0.0936	-0.0563
6	Garlic	1 kg	141.94	142.61	-0.47	0.06	0.3990	0.3599	-0.0029	-0.0025
7	Wheat	10 kg	343.56	344.59	-0.30	-12.68	1.6049	0.9101	-0.0049	-0.0027
8	Cooking Oil, Tin, (SN)	2.5 Ltr	486.66	488.06	-0.29	-9.93	1.3472	2.2953	-0.0030	-0.0049
9	Vegetable Ghee, Tin, (SN)	2.5 kg	475.12	476.29	-0.25	-7.59	4.8228	2.7110	-0.0090	-0.0049
10	Rice Basmati Broken, (AQ)	1 kg	70.49	70.64	-0.21	-4.96	2.6713	1.9032	-0.0053	-0.0036
11	Pulse Masoor, Washed	1 kg	135.82	136.11	-0.21	6.20	0.5529	0.4892	-0.0011	-0.0010
12	Pulse Gram, Washed	1 kg	76.36	76.51	-0.20	0.82	0.8699	0.6180	-0.0015	-0.0010
13	Red Chilly Powder, Loose	1 kg	261.88	262.02	-0.05	15.62	0.6191	0.4447	-0.0003	-0.0002
<b>TOTAL</b>							<b>37.7805</b>	<b>26.0574</b>	<b>-0.2212</b>	<b>-0.1650</b>
<b>iii. Average prices of the following 28 items remained UNCHANGED</b>										
1	Rice Irri-6 (Punjab/Sindh)	1 kg	50.33	50.33	0.00	-7.24	0.5103	0.1934	0.0000	0.0000
2	Bread Plain, Medium Size	Each	40.82	40.82	0.00	0.64	0.2055	1.2284	0.0000	0.0000
3	Beef With Bone, Average quality	1 kg	302.85	302.85	0.00	4.93	3.9344	4.2660	0.0000	0.0000
4	Milk, Fresh, Unboiled	1 Ltr	76.41	76.41	0.00	6.36	17.0616	16.8368	0.0000	0.0000
5	Powdered Milk, Nido, Polybag	400 gm	355.88	355.88	0.00	9.50	0.0752	0.1235	0.0000	0.0000
6	Salt Powder, Loose, Lahori	1 kg	9.99	9.99	0.00	3.42	0.1937	0.1636	0.0000	0.0000
7	Tea, Lipton Yellow Label, Packet	200 gm	146.56	146.56	0.00	-0.55	2.2005	2.1456	0.0000	0.0000
8	Cooked Beef, Average Hotel	Plate	83.14	83.14	0.00	3.77	0.0965	0.3596	0.0000	0.0000
9	Cooked Daal, Average Hotel	Plate	48.90	48.90	0.00	5.94	0.2085	0.4413	0.0000	0.0000
10	Tea Prepared, Average Hotel	Cup	18.86	18.86	0.00	6.73	0.4048	0.7913	0.0000	0.0000
11	Cigarettes, K-2, 20's	Packet	45.41	45.41	0.00	17.49	0.8822	1.5930	0.0000	0.0000
12	Long Cloth, 57", Gul Ahmed/Al-Karam, (SN)	1 mtr	201.89	201.89	0.00	11.90	1.9718	1.8511	0.0000	0.0000
13	Shirting, Average Quality, (SN)	1 mtr	159.56	159.56	0.00	7.46	0.5195	0.6499	0.0000	0.0000
14	Lawn Printed, Gul Ahmed / Al-Karam, (SN)	1 mtr	239.15	239.15	0.00	15.24	1.4477	1.4684	0.0000	0.0000
15	Georgette, Average Quality, (SN)	1 mtr	123.10	123.10	0.00	7.86	0.4174	0.6340	0.0000	0.0000
16	Gents Sandal, Bata	Pair	699.00	699.00	0.00	0.00	0.3910	0.4931	0.0000	0.0000
17	Gents Chappal Spng, Bata	Pair	179.00	179.00	0.00	0.00	0.2702	0.2649	0.0000	0.0000
18	Ladies Sandal, Bata	Pair	499.00	499.00	0.00	0.00	0.6773	0.8130	0.0000	0.0000
19	Electricity Charges, Upto 50 Units	Unit	2.00	2.00	0.00	0.00	9.3636	11.5128	0.0000	0.0000
20	Gas Charges, Upto 3.3719 MMBTU	MMBTU	124.18	124.18	0.00	0.00	3.2199	4.1239	0.0000	0.0000
21	Firewood Whole	40 kg	577.22	577.22	0.00	3.97	2.5384	0.5960	0.0000	0.0000
22	Electric Bulb, Energy Saver, 14 W	Each	165.74	165.74	0.00	1.08	0.2003	0.2369	0.0000	0.0000
23	Washing Soap, 200-250 g, (SN)	Cake	24.35	24.35	0.00	2.57	0.9514	0.7716	0.0000	0.0000
24	Match Box, Regular	Each	1.74	1.74	0.00	16.00	0.1329	0.1183	0.0000	0.0000
25	Petrol, Super	1 Ltr	75.09	75.09	0.00	-31.65	0.4649	5.1188	0.0000	0.0000
26	Hi Speed Diesel (HSD)	1 Ltr	84.49	84.49	0.00	-26.78	0.0090	0.2767	0.0000	0.0000
27	Telephone Local Call Charges, 3 Minutes	P/Call	3.94	3.94	0.00	0.00	0.1647	1.3095	0.0000	0.0000
28	Soap, LifeBuoy	Each	36.00	36.00	0.00	0.17	0.3491	0.3539	0.0000	0.0000
<b>TOTAL</b>							<b>48.8623</b>	<b>58.7353</b>	<b>0.0000</b>	<b>0.0000</b>

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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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
November	207.40	3.23	14.07
December	202.14	-2.54	11.12
January	199.67	-1.22	7.70
February	199.49	-0.09	7.52
March	203.77	2.15	8.98
April	203.91	0.07	9.37
May	200.84	-1.51	7.65
June	203.07	1.11	6.24

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

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

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
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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

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 2014-15 (JUL-MAR) OVER 2013-14 (JUL-MAR)					
2014-15 (JUL-MAR)	197.69	199.41	200.85	200.94	200.36	195.20	5.12	3.79	3.90	4.03	4.07	4.30

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

11. A review of the current average prices of cement collected for the week ended on 09.04.2015 shows an increase of 0.05% over previous week and 0.31% over corresponding week of the last year. Average retail prices of fertilizers and cement are given at Appendix-B.

End.(2 appendices)

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