

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

SENSITIVE PRICE INDICATOR (SPI) FOR THE WEEK ENDED ON 08.07.2021.

(To gauge inflation on weekly / short term basis)

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

Consumption Quintiles	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q5	Combined
Week on Week change	0.42	0.31	0.20	0.10	-0.04	0.07
Year on Year change	15.72	12.35	11.69	11.60	11.53	12.28

I. ANALYSIS OF WEEKLY SPI

- i. The SPI for the current week ended on 08th July, 2021 recorded an increase of 0.07%** in the prices of Tomatoes (11.51%), Garlic (8.31%), Onions (4.85%), Sugar (2.60%), Potatoes (2.04%) and Eggs (1.67%) with joint impact of (0.40%) into the overall SPI for combined group of (0.07%).
- ii.** On the other hand **decrease** in the prices of Chicken (12.97%), Bananas (3.72%), Pulse Moong (1.81%), Pulse Mash (0.51%), Pulse Masoor (0.34%), Wheat Flour (0.22%), Powdered Milk (0.07%), Mustard Oil and Firewood (0.05% each) was observed.
- iii.** During the week, out of **51** items, prices of **23 (45.1%)** items increased **09 (17.6%)** items decreased and **19 (37.3%)** items remained constant.
- iv.** The year on year trend depicts **increase** of **12.28%** with most of the items increased mainly Electricity for Q1 (61.62%), Chilies Powder (37.29%), Mustard Oil (36.48%), Gents Sandal (33.37%), LPG (30.91%), Vegetable Ghee 1 Kg (27.53%), Gents Sponge Chappal (25.13%), Vegetable Ghee 2.5Kg (24.64), Cooking Oil Dalda (24.21%), Match Box (23.44%) and Eggs (23.35%), while a major **decrease** was observed in the prices of Tomatoes (35.66%), Pulse Moong (23.29%), Potatoes (16.38%), Garlic (4.07%), Chicken (2.95%), Salt (0.89%) and Pulse Masoor (0.07%).

II. Current week over previous week (WoW) (08.07.2021 over 01.07.2021) showing 0.07% change.

i. INCREASING Items (percentage)

Food Items	%	Food Items	%	Non Food Items	%
Tomatoes	11.51	Sugar Refined	2.60	NIL	NIL
Garlic (Lehsun)	8.31	Potatoes	2.04		
Onions	4.85	Eggs	1.67		

ii. DECREASING Items (percentage)

Food Items	%	Food Items	%	Non Food Items	%
Chicken	-12.97	Pulse Masoor	-0.34	Firewood	-0.05
Bananas	-3.72	Wheat Flour Bag	-0.22		
Pulse Moong	-1.81	Powdered Milk 390 gm	-0.07		
Pulse Mash	-0.51	Mustard Oil	-0.05		

III. Current week over corresponding week (YoY) (08.07.2021 over 09.07.2020) showing 12.28% change.

i. INCREASING Items (percentage)

Food Items	%	Non Food Items	%	Non Food Items	%
Chilies Powder 200 gm	37.29	Electricity Charges for Q1	61.62	NIL	NIL
Mustard Oil	36.48	Gents Sandal	33.37		
Vegetable Ghee 1 kg	27.53	LPG	30.91		
Vegetable Ghee 2.5 kg	24.64	Gents Sponge Chappal	25.13		
Cooking Oil 5 Litre Tin	24.21	Match Box	23.44		
Eggs	23.35				

ii. DECREASING Items (percentage)

Food Items	%	Food Items	%	Non Food Items	%
Tomatoes	-35.66	Chicken	-2.95	NIL	NIL
Pulse Moong	-23.29	Salt Powdered 800 gm	-0.89		
Potatoes	-16.38	Pulse Masoor	-0.07		
Garlic (Lehsun)	-4.07				

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Subject: Sensitive Price Indicator (SPI) for the week ended on 08-07-2021.

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 July 08, 2021, 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	
	08-07-2021	01-07-21	09-07-20	01-07-21	09-07-20
Q1 (Upto Rs. 17,732)	161.99	161.32	139.99	0.42	15.72
Q2 (Rs. 17,733 - 22,888)	151.16	150.70	134.54	0.31	12.35
Q3 (Rs. 22,889 - 29,517)	152.39	152.08	136.44	0.20	11.69
Q4 (Rs. 29,518 - 44,175)	148.68	148.53	133.22	0.10	11.60
Q5 (Above Rs. 44,175)	149.88	149.94	134.39	-0.04	11.53
Combined	150.03	149.93	133.62	0.07	12.28

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
06-05-2021	159.78	0.37	19.81	149.01	0.50	17.05
13-05-2021	159.78	0.00	19.86	149.01	0.00	17.05
20-05-2021	160.83	0.66	19.97	150.23	0.82	17.23
27-05-2021	160.06	-0.48	19.27	149.29	-0.63	16.34
03-06-2021	159.31	-0.47	18.62	148.38	-0.61	16.12
10-06-2021	158.90	-0.26	17.90	147.51	-0.59	15.38
17-06-2021	159.18	0.18	16.61	147.92	0.28	14.52
24-06-2021	160.25	0.67	16.95	149.14	0.82	15.29
01-07-2021	161.32	0.67	16.70	149.93	0.53	13.31
08-07-2021	161.99	0.42	15.72	150.03	0.07	12.28

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 08-07-2021 over previous and corresponding weeks ended on 01-07-2021 and 09-07-2020 respectively are as follows:

Sr.	Items	Units	Prices in Rs.			%change		Weight of		Impact of	
			08.07.21	01.07.21	09.07.20	col. 3 over	col. 3 over	Lowest	Lowest	Lowest	Lowest
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	
i. Average prices of the following 23 items registered INCREASE.											
1	Tomatoes	1 Kg	62.09	55.68	96.50	11.51	-35.66	1.4395	0.9816	0.2101	0.1541
2	Garlic (Lehsun)	1 Kg	217.20	200.54	226.41	8.31	-4.07	0.6807	0.5795	0.0237	0.0217
3	Onions	1 Kg	41.96	40.02	39.66	4.85	5.80	2.6815	1.6822	0.1350	0.0911
4	Sugar Refined	1 Kg	100.65	98.10	82.96	2.60	21.32	5.1148	3.1584	0.1137	0.0756
5	Potatoes	1 Kg	50.94	49.92	60.92	2.04	-16.38	2.2955	1.2157	0.0436	0.0248
6	Eggs Hen (Farm)	1 Dozen	154.90	152.36	125.58	1.67	23.35	1.1780	1.4424	0.0190	0.0249
7	Toilet Soap LIFEBOUY 115 gm	Each	51.64	50.83	45.67	1.59	13.07	0.8529	0.6784	0.0091	0.0077
8	Gur (Average Quality)	1 Kg	134.74	133.58	124.49	0.87	8.23	0.2341	0.1075	0.0013	0.0006
9	Vegetable Ghee DALDA/HABIB or Other super	Each	314.59	311.90	246.68	0.86	27.53	3.2833	1.4648	0.0962	0.0462
10	Long Cloth 57" Gul Ahmed/AI Karam	1 mtr	384.92	381.91	338.12	0.79	13.84	4.2221	3.9577	0.0032	0.0033
11	Vegetable Ghee DALDA/HABIB 2.5 kg Tin	Each	795.82	789.86	638.48	0.75	24.64	3.2833	1.4648	0.0925	0.0444
12	LPG 11.67 kg Cylinder	Each	1694.27	1682.16	1294.19	0.72	30.91	0.6145	1.4370	0.0087	0.0219
13	Cooking Oil DALDA or Other Similar Brand (SN	Each	1576.23	1565.19	1268.98	0.71	24.21	2.1480	3.1260	0.0563	0.0882
14	Cooked Beef at Average Hotel	Per Plate	159.96	159.01	138.51	0.60	15.49	0.5033	1.0497	0.0027	0.0061
15	Cooked Daal at Average Hotel	Per Plate	79.88	79.45	71.91	0.54	11.08	1.3118	1.3014	0.0052	0.0056
16	Energy Saver Philips 14 Watt	Each	204.14	203.18	192.06	0.47	6.29	0.2495	0.3374	0.0002	0.0003
17	Tea Prepared Ordinary	Per Cup	29.44	29.34	26.65	0.34	10.47	2.5003	2.3564	0.0024	0.0024
18	Pulse Gram	1 Kg	146.21	145.74	137.20	0.32	6.57	0.7967	0.4711	-0.0012	-0.0007
19	Rice Basmati Broken (Average Quality)	1 Kg	93.78	93.55	85.69	0.25	9.44	2.9610	1.2636	0.0107	0.0049
20	Curd (Dahi) Loose	1 Kg	127.93	127.74	111.66	0.15	14.57	0.7366	1.8181	0.0007	0.0020
21	Milk fresh (Un-boiled)	1 Ltr	110.60	110.43	98.62	0.15	12.15	17.5449	18.3937	0.0206	0.0232
22	Beef with Bone (Average Quality)	1 Kg	536.78	536.10	461.24	0.13	16.38	2.4988	3.3533	0.0055	0.0079
23	Mutton (Average Quality)	1 Kg	1110.07	1109.59	949.85	0.04	16.87	0.5498	2.4387	0.0002	0.0011
TOTAL								57.6809	54.0794	0.8597	0.6575
ii. Average prices of the following 9 items registered DECREASE.											
1	Chicken Farm Broiler (Live)	1 Kg	194.13	223.05	200.04	-12.97	-2.95	2.9269	3.8681	-0.3606	-0.5129
2	Bananas (Kela) Local	1 Dozen	101.63	105.56	93.14	-3.72	9.12	0.7124	0.9413	-0.0247	-0.0351
3	Pulse Moong (Washed)	1 Kg	192.81	196.37	251.34	-1.81	-23.29	0.8715	0.4816	-0.0280	-0.0167
4	Pulse Mash (Washed)	1 Kg	244.17	245.42	243.73	-0.51	0.18	0.2855	0.3269	-0.0028	-0.0035
5	Pulse Masoor (Washed)	1 Kg	156.76	157.30	156.87	-0.34	-0.07	0.6545	0.4608	-0.0025	-0.0019
6	Wheat Flour Bag	20 Kg	1122.72	1125.22	1042.25	-0.22	7.72	6.1372	3.9725	-0.0254	-0.0177
7	Powdered Milk NIDO 390 gm Polybag	Each	489.81	490.16	466.33	-0.07	5.04	0.0803	0.3817	0.0001	0.0003
8	Mustard Oil (Average Quality)	1 Kg	299.49	299.65	219.44	-0.05	36.48	0.0216	0.0341	0.0001	0.0001
9	Firewood Whole	40 Kg	733.22	733.58	691.22	-0.05	6.08	5.0813	1.1969	-0.0002	0.0000
TOTAL								16.7712	11.6639	-0.4441	-0.5874
iii. Average prices of the following 19 items remained UNCHANGED											
1	Rice IRR1-6/9 (Sindh/Punjab)	1 Kg	72.75	72.75	68.48	0.00	6.24	0.5922	0.1671	0.0000	0.0000
2	Bread plain (Small Size)	Each	59.24	59.24	50.16	0.00	18.10	0.1041	0.5698	0.0000	0.0000
3	Salt Powdered (NATIONAL/SHAN) 800 gm Pa	Each	30.00	30.00	30.27	0.00	-0.89	0.2844	0.2279	0.0000	0.0000
4	Chilies Powder NATIONAL 200 gm Packet	Each	380.00	380.00	276.78	0.00	37.29	1.3896	0.8454	0.0000	0.0000
5	Tea Lipton Yellow Label 190 gm Packet	Each	230.00	230.00	229.94	0.00	0.03	3.1478	2.3913	0.0000	0.0000
6	Cigarettes Capstan 20'S Packet	Each	83.47	83.47	83.48	0.00	-0.01	1.6170	1.0931	0.0000	0.0000
7	Shirting (Average Quality)	1 mtr	253.73	253.73	215.67	0.00	17.65	0.0317	0.1010	0.0000	0.0000
8	Lawn Printed Gul Ahmed/AI Karam	1 mtr	412.76	412.76	371.23	0.00	11.19	2.3442	2.1473	0.0000	0.0000
9	Georgette (Average Quality)	1 mtr	172.47	172.47	154.91	0.00	11.34	0.7584	0.9024	0.0000	0.0000
10	Gents Sandal Bata	Pair	1199.00	1199.00	899.00	0.00	33.37	0.6350	0.5122	0.0000	0.0000
11	Gents Sponge Chappal Bata	Pair	249.00	249.00	199.00	0.00	25.13	0.2110	0.1640	0.0000	0.0000
12	Ladies Sandal Bata	Pair	599.00	599.00	599.00	0.00	0.00	0.9919	1.0148	0.0000	0.0000
13	Electricity Charges for Q1	Per Unit	5.98	5.98	3.70	0.00	61.62	8.3627	12.9291	0.0000	0.0000
14	Gas Charges upto 3.3719 MMBTU	MMBTU	141.57	141.57	141.57	0.00	0.00	2.0674	3.0667	0.0000	0.0000
15	Sufi Washing Soap 250 gm Cake	Each	58.85	58.85	48.47	0.00	21.42	1.1178	0.5917	0.0000	0.0000
16	Match Box	Each	3.37	3.37	2.73	0.00	23.44	0.3495	0.1969	0.0000	0.0000
17	Petrol Super	Per Litre	113.67	113.67	100.95	0.00	12.60	1.4673	6.7018	0.0000	0.0000
18	Hi-Speed Diesel	Per Litre	114.94	114.94	102.36	0.00	12.29	0.0114	0.0874	0.0000	0.0000
19	Telephone Call Charges	Per Minu	1.79	1.79	1.55	0.00	15.48	0.0645	0.5468	0.0000	0.0000
TOTAL								25.5479	34.2567	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
2019-20			
July	122.81	1.03	8.90
August	126.15	2.72	12.09
September	128.51	1.87	14.67
October	131.93	2.66	15.11
November	136.83	3.71	20.22
December	134.13	-1.97	18.14
January	134.74	0.45	18.26
February	133.68	-0.79	14.52
March	133.26	-0.31	11.78
April	130.90	-1.77	9.27
May	133.72	2.15	10.99
June	135.55	1.37	11.51
2020-21			
July	139.66	3.03	13.72
August	140.95	0.92	11.73
September	143.90	2.09	11.98
October	148.74	3.36	12.74
November	150.37	1.10	9.90
December	146.29	-2.71	9.07
January	145.09	-0.82	7.68
February	149.65	3.14	11.95
March	158.18	5.70	18.70
April	158.83	0.41	21.34
May	160.09	0.79	19.72
June	159.38	-0.44	17.58

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
2019-20			
1st quarter (Jul-Sep)	125.82	4.32	11.88
2nd quarter (Oct-Dec)	134.30	6.74	17.82
3rd quarter (Jan-Mar)	133.89	-0.30	14.80
4th quarter (Apr-Jun)	133.39	-0.38	10.60
2020-21			
1st quarter (Jul-Sep)	141.50	6.08	12.46
2nd quarter (Oct-Dec)	148.47	4.92	10.55
3rd quarter (Jan-Mar)	150.97	1.68	12.75
4th quarter (Apr-Jun)	159.43	5.61	19.52

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
2019-20			
1st half (Jul-Dec)	130.06	9.64	14.87
2nd half (Jan-June)	133.64	2.75	12.66
2020-21			
1st half (Jul-Dec)	144.99	8.49	11.48
2nd half (Jan-June)	155.20	7.04	16.13

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