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**Subject: Sensitive Price Indicator (SPI) for the week ended on 12-04-2018.**

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 April 12, 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	
	12-04-18	05-04-18	13-04-17	05-04-18	13-04-17
Q1 (Upto Rs. 8000)	210.49	210.02	211.95	0.22	-0.69
Q2 (Rs. 8001-12000)	219.19	218.57	219.91	0.28	-0.33
Q3 (Rs. 12001-18000)	221.19	220.47	221.39	0.33	-0.09
Q4 (Rs. 18001-35000)	226.49	225.65	226.65	0.37	-0.07
Q5 (Above Rs. 35000)	225.78	224.81	224.37	0.43	0.63
Combined	223.32	222.51	222.67	0.36	0.29

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
08-02-2018	210.82	-0.13	0.88	222.31	-0.03	1.66
15-02-2018	210.55	-0.13	0.21	222.24	-0.03	1.03
22-02-2018	210.07	-0.23	0.09	221.81	-0.19	0.98
01-03-2018	209.71	-0.17	-0.48	221.87	0.03	0.47
08-03-2018	209.95	0.11	-0.97	222.25	0.17	-0.01
15-03-2018	209.35	-0.29	-1.78	221.67	-0.26	-0.76
22-03-2018	209.09	-0.12	-2.96	221.45	-0.10	-2.02
29-03-2018	208.76	-0.16	-2.88	221.09	-0.16	-2.00
05-04-2018	210.02	0.60	-1.83	222.51	0.64	-0.89
12-04-2018	210.49	0.22	-0.69	223.32	0.36	0.29

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 12-04-2018 over previous and corresponding weeks ended on 05-04-2018 and 13-04-2017 respectively are as follows:

Sr.	Items	Units	Prices in Rs. On		%change col. 3 over		Weight of income group in %		Impact of income group in % points	
			12.04.18	05.04.18	05.04.18	13.04.17	Lowest	Combined	Lowest	Combined
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
<b>i. Average prices of the following 21 items registered INCREASE.</b>										
1	Ladies Sandal, Bata	Pair	599.00	502.39	19.23	19.23	0.6773	0.8130	0.1042	0.1181
2	Gents Chappal Spng, Bata	Pair	199.00	179.09	11.12	11.12	0.2702	0.2649	0.0252	0.0234
3	Chicken Farm, Broiler, Live	1 kg	179.63	164.21	9.39	3.56	2.4935	3.5588	0.2195	0.2958
4	Salt Powder, Loose, Lahori	1 kg	11.41	11.12	2.61	6.54	0.1937	0.1636	0.0052	0.0042
5	Tea Prepared, Average Hotel	Cup	21.48	21.19	1.37	4.27	0.4048	0.7913	0.0081	0.0149
6	Sugar, Refined	1 kg	52.99	52.34	1.24	-12.02	3.7994	2.7340	0.0421	0.0286
7	Gur, Average Quality	1 kg	75.53	74.66	1.17	-9.62	0.1879	0.0576	0.0024	0.0007
8	Cooked Beef, Average Hotel	Plate	108.91	107.73	1.10	16.47	0.0965	0.3596	0.0016	0.0057
9	Red Chilly Powder, Loose	1 kg	267.96	265.10	1.08	1.25	0.6191	0.4447	0.0057	0.0039
10	Pulse Gram, Washed	1 kg	114.79	113.84	0.83	-8.88	0.8699	0.6180	0.0088	0.0059
11	Lawn Printed, Gul Ahmed / Al-Karam, (SN)	1 mtr	266.59	264.65	0.73	6.12	1.4477	1.4684	0.0108	0.0104
12	LPG Cylinder, 11kg	Each	1180.00	1171.76	0.70	8.59	0.2835	0.2712	0.0017	0.0015
13	Cigarettes, K-2/Similar brands, 20's	Packet	51.18	50.88	0.59	-24.01	0.8822	1.5930	0.0079	0.0134
14	Rice Irri-6 (Punjab/Sindh)	1 kg	52.41	52.12	0.56	5.52	0.5103	0.1934	0.0024	0.0009
15	Vegetable Ghee, Tin, (SN)	2.5 kg	469.35	467.59	0.38	1.99	4.8228	2.7110	0.0129	0.0069
16	Cooking Oil, Tin, (SN)	2.5 Ltr	475.06	473.29	0.37	1.74	1.3472	2.2953	0.0036	0.0058
17	Vegetable Ghee, Loose/Pouch, (SN)	1 kg	147.22	146.69	0.36	0.71	4.8228	2.7110	0.0112	0.0060
18	Mutton, Average Quality	1 kg	760.99	759.00	0.26	12.23	0.3616	2.0953	0.0014	0.0079
19	Pulse Mash, Washed	1 kg	147.98	147.68	0.20	-21.63	0.6088	0.5492	0.0012	0.0010
20	Mustard Oil, Average Quality	1 kg	183.49	183.20	0.16	1.19	0.1668	0.2492	0.0002	0.0003
21	Beef With Bone, Average quality	1 kg	358.58	358.28	0.08	8.08	3.9344	4.2660	0.0046	0.0047
<b>TOTAL</b>							<b>28.8004</b>	<b>28.2085</b>	<b>0.4808</b>	<b>0.5597</b>
<b>ii. Average prices of the following 10 items registered DECREASE.</b>										
1	Tomatoes	1 kg	34.73	37.00	-6.14	-41.91	1.1881	1.1768	-0.0451	-0.0421
2	Garlic	1 kg	149.87	156.04	-3.95	-40.54	0.3990	0.3599	-0.0254	-0.0216
3	Bananas	Dozen	83.06	84.03	-1.15	-2.48	0.9748	1.3930	-0.0127	-0.0171
4	Wheat	10 kg	335.10	338.93	-1.13	-2.12	1.6049	0.9101	-0.0174	-0.0093
5	Potatoes	1 kg	22.88	23.12	-1.04	-23.81	1.6735	1.2501	-0.0126	-0.0089
6	Pulse Masoor, Washed	1 kg	113.13	114.31	-1.03	-11.50	0.5529	0.4892	-0.0044	-0.0036
7	Eggs Hen, Farm	Dozen	89.90	90.75	-0.94	5.08	0.6588	1.1923	-0.0054	-0.0092
8	Onions	1 kg	30.04	30.29	-0.83	-9.60	1.7622	1.4179	-0.0129	-0.0098
9	Wheat Flour, Bag	10 kg	377.20	379.75	-0.67	-1.18	17.4548	10.9014	-0.1159	-0.0683
10	Pulse Moong, Washed	1 kg	115.12	115.76	-0.55	-10.20	0.8244	0.6114	-0.0048	-0.0033
<b>TOTAL</b>							<b>27.0934</b>	<b>19.7021</b>	<b>-0.2564</b>	<b>-0.1934</b>
<b>iii. Average prices of the following 22 items remained UNCHANGED</b>										
1	Rice Basmati Broken, (AQ)	1 kg	74.43	74.43	0.00	12.16	2.6713	1.9032	0.0000	0.0000
2	Bread Plain, Medium Size	Each	42.56	42.56	0.00	3.50	0.2055	1.2284	0.0000	0.0000
3	Milk, Fresh, Unboiled	1 Ltr	83.77	83.77	0.00	3.18	17.0616	16.8368	0.0000	0.0000
4	Curd (Dahi)	1 kg	100.94	100.94	0.00	5.33	0.9482	1.3491	0.0000	0.0000
5	Powdered Milk, Nido, Polybag	400 gm	384.27	384.27	0.00	3.67	0.0752	0.1235	0.0000	0.0000
6	Tea, Lipton Yellow Label, Packet	200 gm	194.75	194.75	0.00	-2.95	2.2005	2.1456	0.0000	0.0000
7	Cooked Daal, Average Hotel	Plate	60.79	60.79	0.00	6.76	0.2085	0.4413	0.0000	0.0000
8	Long Cloth, 57", Gul Ahmed/Al-Karam, (SN)	1 mtr	217.55	217.55	0.00	5.83	1.9718	1.8511	0.0000	0.0000
9	Shirting, Average Quality, (SN)	1 mtr	173.71	173.71	0.00	5.73	0.5195	0.6499	0.0000	0.0000
10	Georgette, Average Quality, (SN)	1 mtr	130.02	130.02	0.00	4.75	0.4174	0.6340	0.0000	0.0000
11	Gents Sandal, Bata	Pair	699.00	699.00	0.00	0.00	0.3910	0.4931	0.0000	0.0000
12	Electricity Charges, Upto 50 Units	Unit	2.00	2.00	0.00	0.00	9.3636	11.5128	0.0000	0.0000
13	Gas Charges, Upto 3.3719 MMBTU	MMBTU	128.70	128.70	0.00	0.00	3.2199	4.1239	0.0000	0.0000
14	Kerosene Oil	1 Ltr	115.11	115.11	0.00	45.93	0.0415	0.0150	0.0000	0.0000
15	Firewood Whole	40 kg	626.25	626.25	0.00	2.57	2.5384	0.5960	0.0000	0.0000
16	Electric Bulb, Energy Saver, 14 W	Each	170.29	170.29	0.00	1.49	0.2003	0.2369	0.0000	0.0000
17	Washing Soap, 200-250 g, (SN)	Cake	27.74	27.74	0.00	7.06	0.9514	0.7716	0.0000	0.0000
18	Match Box, Regular	Each	2.26	2.26	0.00	3.67	0.1329	0.1183	0.0000	0.0000
19	Petrol, Super	1 Ltr	86.98	86.98	0.00	16.21	0.4649	5.1188	0.0000	0.0000
20	Hi Speed Diesel (HSD)	1 Ltr	97.35	97.35	0.00	15.93	0.0090	0.2767	0.0000	0.0000
21	Telephone Local Call Charges, 3 Minutes	P/Call	3.94	3.94	0.00	0.00	0.1647	1.3095	0.0000	0.0000
22	Soap, LifeBuoy	Each	39.18	39.18	0.00	0.15	0.3491	0.3539	0.0000	0.0000
<b>TOTAL</b>							<b>44.1062</b>	<b>52.0894</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>2016-17</b>			
July	209.59	1.32	1.72
August	210.07	0.23	2.15
September	210.31	0.11	1.81
October	211.71	0.67	1.29
November	212.40	0.33	0.61
December	210.74	-0.78	0.53
January	209.06	-0.80	0.41
February	209.50	0.21	1.15
March	213.26	1.79	3.12
April	211.31	-0.91	2.30
May	209.42	-0.89	2.37
June	209.71	0.14	1.38
<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

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

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 previous year
<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

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
2014-15	204.66	1.74
2015-16	207.35	1.31
2016-17	210.59	1.56

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 2017-18 OVER 2016-17					
2017-18 (JUL-MAR)	219.01	217.44	220.38	219.91	221.21	218.13	3.78	2.82	3.04	3.17	3.34	4.37

PERIOD	INDEX NUMBER						PERCENTAGE CHANGE OVER PREVIOUS MONTH					
JUL, 16	210.08	211.23	213.48	212.64	213.40	207.61	1.34	1.87	1.65	1.55	1.43	1.14
AUG,16	209.46	210.52	212.75	211.89	212.64	207.09	-0.30	-0.34	-0.34	-0.35	-0.36	-0.25
SEP,16	209.88	210.90	213.11	212.24	213.01	207.56	0.20	0.18	0.17	0.17	0.17	0.23
OCT,16	211.57	212.69	214.88	214.01	214.72	209.21	0.81	0.85	0.83	0.83	0.80	0.79
NOV,16	212.01	213.21	215.37	214.47	215.18	209.63	0.21	0.24	0.23	0.21	0.21	0.20
DEC, 16	210.57	210.69	213.16	212.51	213.50	208.70	-0.68	-1.18	-1.03	-0.91	-0.78	-0.44
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

11. A review of the current average prices of Cement collected for the week ended on 12.04.2018 shows an increase of 0.23 over previous week and an increase of 1.32% over corresponding week of the last year. Average retail prices of Fertilizers and Cement are given at Appendix-B.

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