

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

SENSITIVE PRICE INDICATOR (SPI) FOR THE WEEK ENDED ON 24.06.2021.

(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	0.67	0.75	0.76	0.79	0.91	0.82
Year on Year change	16.95	14.11	13.72	14.20	15.20	15.29

I. ANALYSIS OF WEEKLY SPI

- i. The SPI for the current week ended on 24th June, 2021 recorded an increase of 0.82%** in the prices of Tomatoes (14.56%), Chicken (11.43%), LPG (8.64%), Onions (8.38%), Potatoes (3.37%), Garlic (2.52%), Vegetable Ghee 1 Kg (1.53%), Cooking Oil (1.41%) and Vegetable Ghee 2.5 Kg (1.24%) with joint impact of (0.76%) into the overall SPI for combined group of (0.82%).
- ii.** On the other hand **decrease** in the prices of Pulse Moong (3.79%), Bananas (2.54%), Pulse Gram (0.71%), Gur (0.66%), Pulse Mash (0.45%), Pulse Masoor (0.26%) and Sugar (0.12%) was observed.
- iii.** During the week, out of **51** items, prices of **21 (41.2%)** items increased **07 (13.7%)** items decreased and **23 (45.1%)** items remained constant.
- iv.** The year on year trend depicts **increase** of **15.29%** with most of the items increased mainly Electricity for Q1 (61.62%), Chilies Powder (57.57%), Petrol (48.21%), Diesel (40.04%), Mustard Oil (35.57%), Gents Sandal (33.37%), LPG (32.31%), Eggs (27.90%), Gents Sponge Chappal (25.13%), Vegetable Ghee 1 Kg (24.81%) and Match Box (23.44%), while a major **decrease** was observed in the prices of Tomatoes (26.03%) Pulse Moong (24.15%), Garlic (16.79%), Potatoes (15.81%), Onions (1.03%), Salt (0.89%) and Pulse Masoor (0.50%).

II. Current week over previous week (WoW) (24.06.2021 over 17.06.2021) showing 0.82% change.

i. INCREASING Items (percentage)

Food Items	%	Food Items	%	Non Food Items	%
Chicken	11.43	Vegetable Ghee 1 kg	1.53	LPG	8.64
Onions	8.38	Cooking Oil 5 Litre Tin	1.41		
Potatoes	3.37	Vegetable Ghee 2.5 kg Tin	1.24		
Garlic (Lehsun)	2.52				

ii. DECREASING Items (percentage)

Food Items	%	Food Items	%
Pulse Moong	-3.79	Pulse Mash	-0.45
Bananas	-2.54	Pulse Masoor	-0.26
Pulse Gram	-0.71	Sugar Refined	-0.12
Gur	-0.66		

III. Current week over corresponding week (YoY) (24.06.2021 over 25.06.2020) showing 15.29% change.

i. INCREASING Items (percentage)

Food Items	%	Non Food Items	%	Non Food Items	%
Chilies Powder 200 gm	57.57	Electricity Charges for Q1	61.62	LPG	32.31
Mustard Oil	35.57	Petrol Super	48.21	Gents Sponge Chappal	25.13
Eggs	27.90	Hi-Speed Diesel	40.04	Match Box	23.44
Vegetable Ghee 1 kg	24.81	Gents Sandal	33.37		

ii. DECREASING Items (percentage)

Food Items	%	Food Items	%
Tomatoes	-26.03	Onions	-1.03
Pulse Moong	-24.15	Salt Powdered 800 gm Packet	-0.89
Garlic (Lehsun)	-16.79	Pulse Masoor	-0.50
Potatoes	-15.81		

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Subject: Sensitive Price Indicator (SPI) for the week ended on 24-06-2021.

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 June 24, 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	
	24-06-2021	17-06-21	25-06-20	17-06-21	25-06-20
Q1 (Upto Rs. 17,732)	160.25	159.18	137.02	0.67	16.95
Q2 (Rs. 17,733 - 22,888)	149.77	148.66	131.25	0.75	14.11
Q3 (Rs. 22,889 - 29,517)	151.24	150.10	132.99	0.76	13.72
Q4 (Rs. 29,518 - 44,175)	147.77	146.61	129.40	0.79	14.20
Q5 (Above Rs. 44,175)	149.19	147.85	129.50	0.91	15.20
Combined	149.14	147.92	129.36	0.82	15.29

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
22-04-2021	158.95	-0.41	21.04	148.20	-0.40	17.68
29-04-2021	159.19	0.15	20.43	148.27	0.05	16.90
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

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 24-06-2021 over previous and corresponding weeks ended on 17-06-2021 and 25-06-2020 respectively are as follows:

Sr.	Items	Units	Prices in Rs.			%change		Weight of		Impact of	
			24.06.21	17.06.21	25.06.20	col. 3 over	col. 2 over	Lowest	group in	Lowest	group in
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	
i. Average prices of the following 21 items registered INCREASE.											
1	Tomatoes	1 Kg	41.78	36.47	56.48	14.56	-26.03	1.4395	0.9816	0.0749	0.0550
2	Chicken Farm Broiler (Live)	1 Kg	229.97	206.38	192.20	11.43	19.65	2.9269	3.8681	0.3073	0.4370
3	LPG 11.67 kg Cylinder	Each	1630.92	1501.19	1232.62	8.64	32.31	0.6145	1.4370	0.0530	0.1335
4	Onions	1 Kg	34.68	32.00	35.04	8.38	-1.03	2.6815	1.6822	0.0751	0.0507
5	Potatoes	1 Kg	49.75	48.13	59.09	3.37	-15.81	2.2955	1.2157	0.0558	0.0318
6	Garlic (Lehsun)	1 Kg	192.74	188.01	231.63	2.52	-16.79	0.6807	0.5795	0.0079	0.0072
7	Vegetable Ghee DALDA/HABIB or Other super	Each	309.40	304.73	247.90	1.53	24.81	3.2833	1.4648	0.0277	0.0133
8	Cooking Oil DALDA or Other Similar Brand (SN	Each	1565.19	1543.47	1278.50	1.41	22.42	2.1480	3.1260	0.0164	0.0257
9	Toilet Soap LIFEBOUY 115 gm	Each	50.83	50.13	45.55	1.40	11.59	0.8529	0.6784	0.0018	0.0015
10	Vegetable Ghee DALDA/HABIB 2.5 kg Tin	Each	784.24	774.63	641.70	1.24	22.21	3.2833	1.4648	0.0176	0.0085
11	Rice IRR1-6/9 (Sindh/Punjab)	1 Kg	72.75	72.22	68.74	0.73	5.83	0.5922	0.1671	0.0004	0.0001
12	Rice Basmati Broken (Average Quality)	1 Kg	93.55	93.15	85.29	0.43	9.68	2.9610	1.2636	0.0053	0.0024
13	Mustard Oil (Average Quality)	1 Kg	298.35	297.19	220.07	0.39	35.57	0.0216	0.0341	0.0001	0.0001
14	Cooked Daal at Average Hotel	Per Plate	79.45	79.16	71.47	0.37	11.17	1.3118	1.3014	0.0018	0.0019
15	Firewood Whole	40 Kg	736.76	734.19	691.22	0.35	6.59	5.0813	1.1969	0.0016	0.0004
16	Milk fresh (Un-boiled)	1 Ltr	110.43	110.10	97.91	0.30	12.79	17.5449	18.3937	0.0264	0.0297
17	Eggs Hen (Farm)	1 Dozen	151.51	151.11	118.46	0.26	27.90	1.1780	1.4424	0.0072	0.0095
18	Beef with Bone (Average Quality)	1 Kg	535.80	534.72	456.43	0.20	17.39	2.4988	3.3533	0.0028	0.0040
19	Powdered Milk NIDO 390 gm Polybag	Each	489.88	488.99	466.33	0.18	5.05	0.0803	0.3817	0.0001	0.0005
20	Wheat Flour Bag	20 Kg	1137.15	1135.51	1042.98	0.14	9.03	6.1372	3.9725	0.0375	0.0261
21	Mutton (Average Quality)	1 Kg	1108.59	1107.62	944.94	0.09	17.32	0.5498	2.4387	0.0016	0.0078
TOTAL								58.1630	50.4435	0.7223	0.8467
ii. Average prices of the following 7 items registered DECREASE.											
1	Pulse Moong (Washed)	1 Kg	203.39	211.40	268.13	-3.79	-24.15	0.8715	0.4816	-0.0234	-0.0139
2	Bananas (Kela) Local	1 Dozen	108.18	111.00	99.94	-2.54	8.24	0.7124	0.9413	-0.0192	-0.0272
3	Pulse Gram	1 Kg	146.39	147.44	138.13	-0.71	5.98	0.7967	0.4711	-0.0028	-0.0018
4	Gur (Average Quality)	1 Kg	133.39	134.27	123.34	-0.66	8.15	0.2341	0.1075	-0.0005	-0.0003
5	Pulse Mash (Washed)	1 Kg	248.66	249.78	243.04	-0.45	2.31	0.2855	0.3269	-0.0014	-0.0018
6	Pulse Masoor (Washed)	1 Kg	158.55	158.96	159.34	-0.26	-0.50	0.6545	0.4608	-0.0005	-0.0003
7	Sugar Refined	1 Kg	98.14	98.26	80.58	-0.12	21.79	5.1148	3.1584	0.0025	0.0018
TOTAL								8.6695	5.9476	-0.0452	-0.0435
iii. Average prices of the following 23 items remained UNCHANGED											
1	Bread plain (Small Size)	Each	59.24	59.24	50.16	0.00	18.10	0.1041	0.5698	0.0000	0.0000
2	Curd (Dahi) Loose	1 Kg	127.74	127.74	111.66	0.00	14.40	0.7366	1.8181	0.0000	0.0000
3	Salt Powdered (NATIONAL/SHAN) 800 gm Pack	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	241.16	0.00	57.57	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	Cooked Beef at Average Hotel	Per Plate	158.85	158.85	137.99	0.00	15.12	0.5033	1.0497	0.0000	0.0000
7	Tea Prepared Ordinary	Per Cup	29.34	29.34	26.65	0.00	10.09	2.5003	2.3564	0.0000	0.0000
8	Cigarettes Capstan 20'S Packet	Each	83.47	83.47	82.90	0.00	0.69	1.6170	1.0931	0.0000	0.0000
9	Long Cloth 57" Gul Ahmed/AI Karam	1 mtr	381.91	381.91	331.64	0.00	15.16	4.2221	3.9577	0.0000	0.0000
10	Shirting (Average Quality)	1 mtr	253.73	253.73	211.70	0.00	19.85	0.0317	0.1010	0.0000	0.0000
11	Lawn Printed Gul Ahmed/AI Karam	1 mtr	412.54	412.54	369.09	0.00	11.77	2.3442	2.1473	0.0000	0.0000
12	Georgette (Average Quality)	1 mtr	172.47	172.47	152.17	0.00	13.34	0.7584	0.9024	0.0000	0.0000
13	Gents Sandal Bata	Pair	1199.00	1199.00	899.00	0.00	33.37	0.6350	0.5122	0.0000	0.0000
14	Gents Sponge Chappal Bata	Pair	249.00	249.00	199.00	0.00	25.13	0.2110	0.1640	0.0000	0.0000
15	Ladies Sandal Bata	Pair	599.00	599.00	599.00	0.00	0.00	0.9919	1.0148	0.0000	0.0000
16	Electricity Charges for Q1	Per Unit	5.98	5.98	3.70	0.00	61.62	8.3627	12.9291	0.0000	0.0231
17	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
18	Energy Saver Philips 14 Watt	Each	203.18	203.18	192.06	0.00	5.79	0.2495	0.3374	0.0000	0.0000
19	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
20	Match Box	Each	3.37	3.37	2.73	0.00	23.44	0.3495	0.1969	0.0000	0.0000
21	Petrol Super	Per Litre	111.68	111.68	75.35	0.00	48.21	1.4673	6.7018	0.0000	0.0000
22	Hi-Speed Diesel	Per Litre	113.57	113.57	81.10	0.00	40.04	0.0114	0.0874	0.0000	0.0000
23	Telephone Call Charges	Per Minu	1.79	1.79	1.55	0.00	15.48	0.0645	0.5468	0.0000	0.0000
TOTAL								33.1675	43.6089	0.0000	0.0231

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
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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

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
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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

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
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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
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