

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

SENSITIVE PRICE INDICATOR (SPI) FOR THE WEEK ENDED ON 06.08.2026.

(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 (%)	0.43	0.41	0.36	0.34	0.20	0.28
Year on Year change (%)	9.51	9.87	8.79	8.96	9.00	9.29

I. ANALYSIS OF WEEKLY SPI

- i.* The SPI for the current week ended on **August 06, 2026 increased** by **0.28%**. Major **Increase** is observed in the prices of Onions (10.14%), Chicken (9.19%), Pulse Gram (2.43%), Chilies Powder (1.01%), Mustard Oil (0.99%), Tea Lipton (0.57%), Wheat Flour (0.52%), Vegetable Ghee 1kg (0.37%), Firewood (0.32%) and Washing Soap (0.08%).
 - ii.* On the other hand, **decrease** is observed in the prices of Tomatoes (6.82%), LPG (1.90%), Diesel (1.66%), Bananas (1.20%), Petrol (0.63%), Sugar (0.51%), Bread Plain (0.29%) and Eggs & Potatoes (0.09%) each.
 - iii.* During the week, out of **51** items, prices of **20** (39.22%) items increased, **09** (17.65%) items decreased and **22** (43.13%) items remained stable.
- II.** The year on year trend depicts **increase** of **9.29%**. Major **increase** is observed in the prices of Tomatoes (178.03%), Onions (84.65%), Wheat Flour (80.02%), LPG (53.83%), Diesel (34.44%), Petrol (25.97%), Gents Sponge Chappal (16.69%), Chilies Powder (16.37%), Mutton (16.12%), Bananas (15.11%), Beef (13.81%) and Bread Plain (9.37%), while **decrease** is observed in the prices of Potatoes (30.65%), Pulse Gram (17.86%), Sugar (17.60%), Chicken (15.65%), Salt Powder (14.09%), Pulse Masoor (13.02%), Eggs (9.66%) and Pulse Moong (6.25%).

III. Current week over previous week (WoW) (06.08.2026 over 30.07.2026) showing 0.28% change.

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

Food Items	%	Food Items	%	Non Food Items	%
Onions	10.14	Mustard Oil	0.99	Firewood	0.32
Chicken	9.19	Tea Lipton	0.57	Washing Soap	0.08
Pulse Gram	2.43	Wheat Flour	0.52		
Chilies Powder	1.01	Vegetable Ghee 1 kg	0.37		

ii. **Decreased Items (percentage)**

Food Items	%	Food Items	%	Non Food Items	%
Tomatoes	-6.82	Eggs	-0.09	LPG	-1.90
Bananas	-1.20	Potatoes	-0.09	Diesel	-1.66
Sugar	-0.51			Petrol	-0.63
Bread Plain	-0.29				

IV. Current week over corresponding week (YoY) (06.08.2026 over 07.08.2025) showing 9.29% change.

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

Food Items	%	Food Items	%	Non Food Items	%
Tomatoes	178.03	Mutton	16.12	LPG	53.83
Onions	84.65	Bananas	15.11	Diesel	34.44
Wheat Flour	80.02	Beef	13.81	Petrol	25.97
Chilies Powder	16.37	Bread Plain	9.37	Gents Sponge Chappal	16.69

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

Food Items	%	Food Items	%	Non Food Items	%
Potatoes	-30.65	Salt Powder	-14.09	Nil	
Pulse Gram	-17.86	Pulse Masoor	-13.02		
Sugar	-17.60	Eggs	-9.66		
Chicken	-15.65	Pulse Moong	-6.25		

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Subject: Sensitive Price Indicator (SPI) for the week ended on 06-08-2026.

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 August 06, 2026, 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	
	06-08-2026	30-07-26	07-08-25	30-07-26	07-08-25
Q1 (Upto Rs. 17,732)	347.11	345.63	316.97	0.43	9.51
Q2 (Rs. 17,733 - 22,888)	348.19	346.77	316.92	0.41	9.87
Q3 (Rs. 22,889 - 29,517)	369.65	368.32	339.77	0.36	8.79
Q4 (Rs. 29,518 - 44,175)	356.99	355.77	327.62	0.34	8.96
Q5 (Above Rs. 44,175)	357.16	356.44	327.66	0.20	9.00
Combined	358.60	357.61	328.12	0.28	9.29

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
28-05-2026	335.56	0.00	12.23	357.54	0.00	15.39
04-06-2026	336.62	0.32	12.42	355.55	-0.56	14.88
11-06-2026	337.25	0.19	12.57	356.11	0.16	14.74
18-06-2026	339.41	0.64	13.37	357.76	0.46	15.48
02-07-2026	344.22	1.42	14.13	354.24	-0.98	13.52
09-07-2026	342.98	-0.36	12.53	352.66	-0.45	11.94
16-07-2026	346.78	1.11	13.63	357.61	1.40	13.09
23-07-2026	349.80	0.87	10.23	360.88	0.91	9.66
30-07-2026	345.63	-1.19	9.37	357.61	-0.91	9.05
06-08-2026	347.11	0.43	9.51	358.60	0.28	9.29

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 06-08-2026 over previous and corresponding weeks ended on 30-07-2026 and 07-08-2025 respectively are as follows:

Sr.	Items	Units	Prices in Rs. on			%change col. 3 over 30.07.26	07.08.25	Weight of expenditure group in %		Impact of expenditure group in % points	
			06.08.26	30.07.26	07.08.25			Lowest	Combined	Lowest	Combined
1		2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
i. Average prices of the following 20 items registered INCREASE.											
1	Onions	1 Kg	120.52	109.42	65.27	10.14	84.65	2.6815	1.6822	0.3243	0.1966
2	Chicken Farm Broiler (Live)	1 Kg	354.17	324.37	419.87	9.19	-15.65	2.9269	3.8681	0.1671	0.2135
3	Toilet Soap LIFEBOUY 115 gm	Each	124.85	120.42	110.48	3.68	13.01	0.8529	0.6784	0.0477	0.0367
4	Pulse Gram	1 Kg	255.24	249.18	310.74	2.43	-17.86	0.7967	0.4711	0.0083	0.0047
5	Chilies Powder NATIONAL 200 gm Packet	Each	372.39	368.65	320.00	1.01	16.37	1.3896	0.8454	0.0004	0.0002
6	Mustard Oil (Average Quality)	1 Kg	557.40	551.93	527.58	0.99	5.65	0.0216	0.0341	0.0001	0.0002
7	Tea Lipton Yellow Label 190 gm Packet	Each	460.84	458.23	447.07	0.57	3.08	3.1478	2.3913	0.0139	0.0102
8	Wheat Flour Bag	20 Kg	2647.82	2634.04	1470.81	0.52	80.02	6.1372	3.9725	0.0862	0.0539
9	Vegetable Ghee DALDA/HABIB or Other super	Each	611.54	609.27	568.47	0.37	7.58	3.2833	1.4648	0.0054	0.0023
10	Firewood Whole	40 Kg	1501.14	1496.41	1339.94	0.32	12.03	5.0813	1.1969	0.0078	0.0018
11	Beef with Bone (Average Quality)	1 Kg	1266.97	1262.87	1113.24	0.32	13.81	2.4988	3.3533	0.0059	0.0076
12	Vegetable Ghee DALDA/HABIB 2.5 kg Tin	Each	1562.87	1560.90	1461.70	0.13	6.92	3.2833	1.4648	0.0123	0.0053
13	Pulse Moong (Washed)	1 Kg	363.14	362.73	387.34	0.11	-6.25	0.8715	0.4816	-0.0042	-0.0022
14	Garlic (Lehsun)	1 Kg	371.96	371.63	376.79	0.09	-1.28	0.6807	0.5795	0.0025	0.0021
15	Pulse Masoor (Washed)	1 Kg	258.18	257.95	296.82	0.09	-13.02	0.6545	0.4608	0.0001	0.0001
16	Sufi Washing Soap 250 gm Cake	Each	142.09	141.98	132.00	0.08	7.64	1.1178	0.5917	0.0044	0.0022
17	Cooking Oil DALDA or Other Similar Brand (SN	Each	3076.71	3075.20	2872.88	0.05	7.09	2.1480	3.1260	0.0012	0.0016
18	Mutton (Average Quality)	1 Kg	2379.07	2377.79	2048.77	0.05	16.12	0.5498	2.4387	0.0005	0.0024
19	Pulse Mash (Washed)	1 Kg	453.60	453.42	448.31	0.04	1.18	0.2855	0.3269	0.0000	0.0000
20	Powdered Milk NIDO 390 gm Polybag	Each	1155.93	1155.74	1088.75	0.02	6.17	0.0803	0.3817	0.0000	0.0001
TOTAL								38.4890	29.8098	0.6838	0.5393
ii. Average prices of the following 9 items registered DECREASE.											
1	Tomatoes	1 Kg	251.59	270.00	90.49	-6.82	178.03	1.4395	0.9816	-0.1956	-0.1289
2	LPG 11.67 kg Cylinder	Each	4493.72	4580.57	2921.29	-1.90	53.83	0.6145	1.4370	-0.0264	-0.0596
3	Hi-Speed Diesel	Per Litre	385.83	392.36	286.99	-1.66	34.44	0.0114	0.0874	-0.0003	-0.0020
4	Bananas (Kela) Local	1 Dozen	184.32	186.55	160.13	-1.20	15.11	0.7124	0.9413	-0.0028	-0.0035
5	Petrol Super	Per Litre	334.86	336.98	265.82	-0.63	25.97	1.4673	6.7018	-0.0119	-0.0525
6	Sugar Refined	1 Kg	147.23	147.99	178.67	-0.51	-17.60	5.1148	3.1584	-0.0169	-0.0101
7	Bread plain (Small Size)	Each	119.03	119.38	108.83	-0.29	9.37	0.1041	0.5698	-0.0018	-0.0097
8	Eggs Hen (Farm)	1 Dozen	265.21	265.46	293.58	-0.09	-9.66	1.1780	1.4424	0.0068	0.0081
9	Potatoes	1 Kg	57.64	57.69	83.11	-0.09	-30.65	2.2955	1.2157	-0.0075	-0.0039
TOTAL								12.9375	16.5354	-0.2563	-0.2622
iii. Average prices of the following 22 items remained UNCHANGED											
1	Rice Basmati Broken (Average Quality)	1 Kg	217.53	217.53	206.95	0.00	5.11	2.9610	1.2636	0.0000	0.0000
2	Rice IRRI-6/9 (Sindh/Punjab)	1 Kg	154.63	154.63	154.22	0.00	0.27	0.5922	0.1671	0.0000	0.0000
3	Milk fresh (Un-boiled)	1 Ltr	218.19	218.19	201.61	0.00	8.22	17.5449	18.3937	0.0000	0.0000
4	Curd (Dahi) Loose	1 Kg	253.71	253.71	236.55	0.00	7.25	0.7366	1.8181	0.0000	0.0000
5	Gur (Average Quality)	1 Kg	229.11	229.11	239.25	0.00	-4.24	0.2341	0.1075	0.0000	0.0000
6	Salt Powdered (NATIONAL/SHAN) 800 gm Pa	Each	62.37	62.37	72.60	0.00	-14.09	0.2844	0.2279	0.0000	0.0000
7	Cooked Beef at Average Hotel	Per Plate	322.44	322.44	310.95	0.00	3.70	0.5033	1.0497	0.0000	0.0000
8	Cooked Daal at Average Hotel	Per Plate	175.48	175.48	167.17	0.00	4.97	1.3118	1.3014	0.0000	0.0000
9	Tea Prepared Ordinary	Per Cup	65.34	65.34	61.57	0.00	6.12	2.5003	2.3564	0.0000	0.0000
10	Cigarettes Capstan 20'S Packet	Each	252.06	252.06	243.02	0.00	3.72	1.6170	1.0931	0.0000	0.0000
11	Long Cloth 57" Gul Ahmed/AI Karam	1 mtr	688.69	688.69	656.91	0.00	4.84	4.2221	3.9577	0.0000	0.0000
12	Shirting (Average Quality)	1 mtr	544.67	544.67	499.58	0.00	9.03	0.0317	0.1010	0.0000	0.0000
13	Lawn Printed Gul Ahmed/AI Karam	1 mtr	680.92	680.92	656.59	0.00	3.71	2.3442	2.1473	0.0000	0.0000
14	Georgette (Average Quality)	1 mtr	318.06	318.06	301.90	0.00	5.35	0.7584	0.9024	0.0000	0.0000
15	Gents Sandal Bata	Pair	2499.00	2499.00	2499.00	0.00	0.00	0.6350	0.5122	0.0000	0.0000
16	Gents Sponge Chappal Bata	Pair	699.00	699.00	599.00	0.00	16.69	0.2110	0.1640	0.0000	0.0000
17	Ladies Sandal Bata	Pair	1499.00	1499.00	1399.00	0.00	7.15	0.9919	1.0148	0.0000	0.0000
18	Electricity Charges for Q1	Per Unit	6.32	6.32	5.66	0.00	11.66	8.3627	12.9291	0.0000	0.0000
19	Gas Charges for Q1	MMBTU	2566.50	2566.50	2566.50	0.00	0.00	2.0674	3.0667	0.0000	0.0000
20	Energy Saver Philips 14 Watt	Each	402.11	402.11	386.60	0.00	4.01	0.2495	0.3374	0.0000	0.0000
21	Match Box	Each	6.31	6.31	6.24	0.00	1.12	0.3495	0.1969	0.0000	0.0000
22	Telephone Call Charges	Per Minu	1.79	1.79	1.79	0.00	0.00	0.0645	0.5468	0.0000	0.0000
TOTAL								48.5735	53.6548	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
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
November	316.22	1.04	7.30
December	318.64	0.77	4.21
January	314.02	-1.45	0.67
February	308.94	-1.62	-0.17
March	308.72	-0.07	-2.31
April	302.38	-1.66	-3.21
May	299.32	-1.01	-0.59
June	299.26	-0.02	-1.91
2025-26			
July	308.58	3.11	-0.87
August	318.57	3.24	2.63
September	325.00	2.02	4.47
October	327.93	0.90	4.79
November	329.36	0.44	4.16
December	326.75	-0.79	2.55
January	324.24	-0.77	3.25
February	323.76	-0.15	4.80
March	326.11	0.73	5.63
April	332.79	2.05	10.06
May	335.21	0.73	11.99
June	337.64	0.72	12.82
July	345.72	2.39	12.04

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
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
2nd quarter (Oct-Dec)	315.94	1.61	7.01
3rd quarter (Jan-Mar)	310.56	-1.70	-0.61
4th quarter (Apr-Jun)	300.32	-3.30	-2.05
2025-26			
1st quarter (Jul-Sep)	317.38	5.68	2.08
2nd quarter (Oct-Dec)	328.01	3.35	3.82
3rd quarter (Jan-Mar)	324.70	-1.01	4.55
4th quarter (Apr-Jun)	335.21	3.24	11.62

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
2024-25			
1st half (Jul-Dec)	313.43	1.26	9.36
2nd half (Jan-June)	305.44	-2.55	-1.33
2025-26			
1st half (Jul-Dec)	322.70	5.65	2.96
2nd half (Jan-June)	329.96	2.25	8.03

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