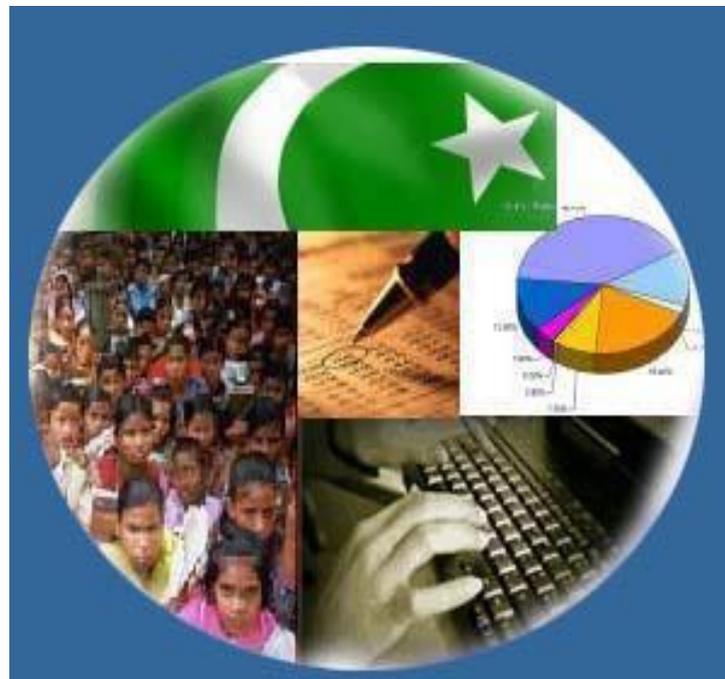




Monthly Review on Price Indices



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Inflation in Brief

- CPI inflation General**, increased by 7.0% on year-on-year basis in February 2026 as compared to an increase of 5.8% in the previous month and 1.5% in February 2025. On month-on-month basis, it increased by 0.3% in February 2026 as compared to an increase of 0.4% in the previous month and a decrease of 0.8% in February 2025.
- CPI inflation Urban**, increased by 6.8% on year-on-year basis in February 2026 as compared to an increase of 5.8% in the previous month and an increased of 1.8% in February 2025. On month-on-month basis, it increased by 0.3% in February 2026 as compared to an increase of 0.2% in the previous month and a decrease of 0.7% in February 2025.
- CPI inflation Rural**, increased by 7.3% on year-on-year basis in February 2026 as compared to an increase of 5.8% in the previous month and 1.1% in February 2025. On month-on-month basis, it increased by 0.3% in February 2026 as compared to an increase of 0.6% in the previous month and a decrease of 1.1% in February 2025.
- SPI inflation** on YoY basis increased by 4.8% in February 2026 as compared to an increase of 3.3% in the previous month and -0.2% in February 2025. On MoM basis, it decreased by 0.1% in February 2026 as compared to a decrease of 0.8% in January 2026 and a decrease of 1.6% in February 2025.
- WPI inflation** on YoY basis increased by 1.0% in February 2026 as compared to an increase of 0.2% in the previous month and a decrease of 0.7% in February 2025. On month-on-month basis, it increased by 0.7% in February 2026 as compared to a decrease of 0.2% in the previous month and a decrease of 0.2% in February 2025.
- Figures 1 and 2 show graphically the yearly data of Table 1.a for Urban and Rural CPI while Table 1.1 shows "Period Average" and "YoY" percentage changes in indices.

Table 1.a General Inflation (%) (Base 2015-16)																		
PERIOD	CPI														SPI*		WPI	
	General						Food				Non-Food							
	National		Urban		Rural		Urban		Rural		Urban		Rural		YoY	MoM	YoY	MoM
YoY	MoM	YoY	MoM	YoY	MoM	YoY	MoM	YoY	MoM	YoY	MoM	YoY	MoM	YoY	MoM	YoY	MoM	
May-24	11.8	-3.2	14.3	-2.8	8.2	-3.9	2.2	-6.3	-0.1	-7.4	23.6	-0.4	17.2	-0.4	15.3	-4.0	9.9	-2.5
June-24	12.6	0.5	14.9	0.6	9.3	0.3	2.6	0.4	1.3	-0.2	24.3	0.7	17.9	0.8	16.6	1.3	10.6	0.4
July-24	11.1	2.1	13.2	2.0	8.1	2.2	3.4	4.5	1.3	3.6	20.7	0.5	15.5	0.9	15.7	2.0	10.4	2.3
Aug-24	9.6	0.4	11.7	0.3	6.7	0.6	4.1	1.3	1.9	1.3	17.4	-0.4	11.9	-0.2	10.8	-0.3	6.3	0.3
Sep-24	6.9	-0.5	9.3	-0.5	3.6	-0.5	1.7	-0.8	-0.9	-1.0	15.0	-0.3	8.4	-0.1	9.2	0.2	1.9	-1.1
Oct-24	7.2	1.2	9.3	1.1	4.2	1.5	2.7	1.6	0.6	2.2	14.2	0.7	8.0	0.8	9.7	0.6	3.9	0.0
Nov-24	4.9	0.5	5.2	0.5	4.3	0.5	1.7	-0.2	-0.2	0.2	7.8	1.0	9.1	0.8	7.3	1.0	2.3	-0.1
Dec-24	4.1	0.1	4.4	-0.1	3.6	0.3	2.5	0.1	-0.2	0.1	5.7	-0.2	7.6	0.5	4.2	0.8	1.9	-0.4
Jan-25	2.4	0.2	2.7	0.2	1.9	0.2	-0.6	-0.3	-2.9	-0.4	5.0	0.5	7.0	0.9	0.7	-1.4	0.6	0.2
Feb-25	1.5	-0.8	1.8	-0.7	1.1	-1.1	-0.9	-1.8	-4.3	-2.5	3.6	0.1	6.6	0.3	-0.2	-1.6	-0.7	-0.2
Mar-25	0.7	0.9	1.2	0.8	0.0	1.1	-1.7	1.6	-5.4	1.6	3.1	0.2	5.6	0.5	-2.3	-0.1	-1.6	0.3
Apr-25	0.3	-0.8	0.5	-0.7	-0.1	-1.0	-1.9	-1.6	-4.6	-1.8	2.2	-0.1	4.4	-0.4	-3.6	-2.1	-2.2	-1.3
May-25	3.5	-0.2	3.5	0.1	3.4	-0.5	5.3	0.6	2.1	-1.0	2.4	-0.3	4.6	-0.1	-0.6	-1.0	0.4	0.0
June-25	3.2	0.2	3.0	0.1	3.6	0.5	4.2	-0.6	2.4	0.1	2.2	0.5	4.7	0.8	-1.9	0.0	0.6	0.6
July-25	4.1	2.9	4.4	3.4	3.5	2.2	2.2	2.4	1.5	2.7	5.9	4.1	5.4	1.6	-0.9	3.1	-0.5	1.2
Aug-25	3.1	-0.6	3.5	-0.7	2.5	-0.5	-0.5	-1.3	-0.5	-0.7	6.1	-0.3	5.3	-0.3	2.6	3.2	-1.0	-0.2
Sep-25	5.8	2.1	5.7	1.6	5.9	2.8	4.4	4.0	6.0	5.5	6.5	0.1	5.8	0.4	4.5	2.0	0.6	0.5
Oct-25	6.2	1.7	6.0	1.4	6.6	2.1	4.5	1.7	6.8	3.0	7.0	1.1	6.4	1.3	4.8	0.9	1.1	0.5
Nov-25	6.1	0.4	6.1	0.5	6.3	0.2	5.0	0.3	5.9	-0.7	6.7	0.7	6.7	1.0	4.2	0.4	1.1	-0.2
Dec-25	5.6	-0.4	5.8	-0.4	5.4	-0.6	3.2	-1.7	3.8	-1.9	7.5	0.5	6.9	0.7	2.5	-0.8	0.6	-0.9
Jan-26	5.8	0.4	5.8	0.2	5.8	0.6	3.3	-0.2	4.7	0.4	7.4	0.5	6.9	0.8	3.3	-0.8	0.2	-0.2
Feb-26	7.0	0.3	6.8	0.3	7.3	0.3	4.4	-0.8	6.8	-0.5	8.3	0.9	7.7	1.0	4.8	-0.1	1.0	0.7

* SPI for quintile 1. Digits 0.0* are due to rounding off.

Core inflation (NFNE)

7. Measured by **non-food non-energy Urban** increased by 7.1% on (YoY) basis in February 2026 as compared to 7.2% of the previous month and 7.8% in February 2025. On (MoM) basis, it increased by 0.2% in February 2026 as compared to 1.0% in previous month and an increase of 0.3% in the corresponding month of last year i.e. February 2025.
8. Measured by **non-food non-energy Rural** remained stable at 8.3% on (YoY) basis in February 2026 as compared to the previous month and an increase of 10.4% in February 2025. On (MoM) basis, it increased by 0.4% in February 2026 as compared to 1.1% in the previous month and an increase of 0.4% in the corresponding month of last year i.e. February 2025.

Core inflation (Trimmed)

9. Measured by 20% **weighted trimmed mean Urban** increased by 5.1% on (YoY) basis in February 2026 as compared to 4.9% in the previous month and 4.6% in February 2025. On (MoM) basis, it increased by 0.2% in February 2026 as compared to an increase of 0.5% a month earlier and an increase of 0.1% in the corresponding month of last year i.e. February 2025.
10. Measured by 20% **weighted trimmed mean Rural** increased by 5.6% on (YoY) basis in February 2026 as compared to an increase of 5.4% of the previous month and 5.2% in February 2025. On (MoM) basis, it increased by 0.3% in February 2026 as compared to an increase of 0.7% in the previous month and an increase of 0.1% in the corresponding month of last year i.e. February 2025.

Table 1.b Core Inflation (%) (Base 2015-16)

Period	NFNE				Trimmed			
	Urban		Rural		Urban		Rural	
	YoY	MoM	YoY	MoM	YoY	MoM	YoY	MoM
Feb-25	7.8	0.3	10.4	0.4	4.6	0.1	5.2	0.1
Mar-25	8.2	0.5	10.2	0.7	4.8	0.3	4.8	0.4
Apr-25	7.4	1.3	9.0	0.9	3.8	0.3	3.3	-0.1
May-25	7.3	0.4	8.8	0.4	4.9	0.1	4.7	-0.2
June-25	6.9	0.2	8.6	0.7	4.7	0.3	5.2	0.5
July-25	7.0	0.8	8.1	0.7	5.1	1.0	4.9	0.7
Aug-25	6.9	0.3	7.8	0.2	4.2	0.0	3.5	0.3
Sep-25	7.0	0.3	7.8	0.6	5.7	0.3	6.5	0.7
Oct-25	7.5	1.1	8.4	1.3	6.0	0.9	6.8	1.2
Nov-25	6.6	0.3	8.2	0.5	5.3	0.3	6.4	0.4
Dec-25	6.9	0.5	8.1	0.6	5.5	0.3	6.0	0.4
Jan-26	7.2	1.0	8.3	1.1	4.9	0.5	5.4	0.7
Feb-26	7.1	0.2	8.3	0.4	5.1	0.2	5.6	0.3

Table 1.1 Period Average and Y-o-Y % Change

INDEX	Average July - February % Changes			February over February % Changes		
	2025-2026	2024-2025	2023-2024	2025-2026	2024-2025	2023-2024
CPI (National)	5.46	5.85	27.96	6.98	1.52	23.06
CPI (Urban)	5.50	7.04	27.86	6.79	1.81	24.87
CPI (Rural)	5.41	4.16	28.10	7.27	1.09	20.54
SPI	3.22	6.94	32.02	4.80	-0.17	30.37
WPI	0.38	3.25	24.66	1.05	-0.66	18.66

Figure 1: Urban Inflation - YoY, Special Indices

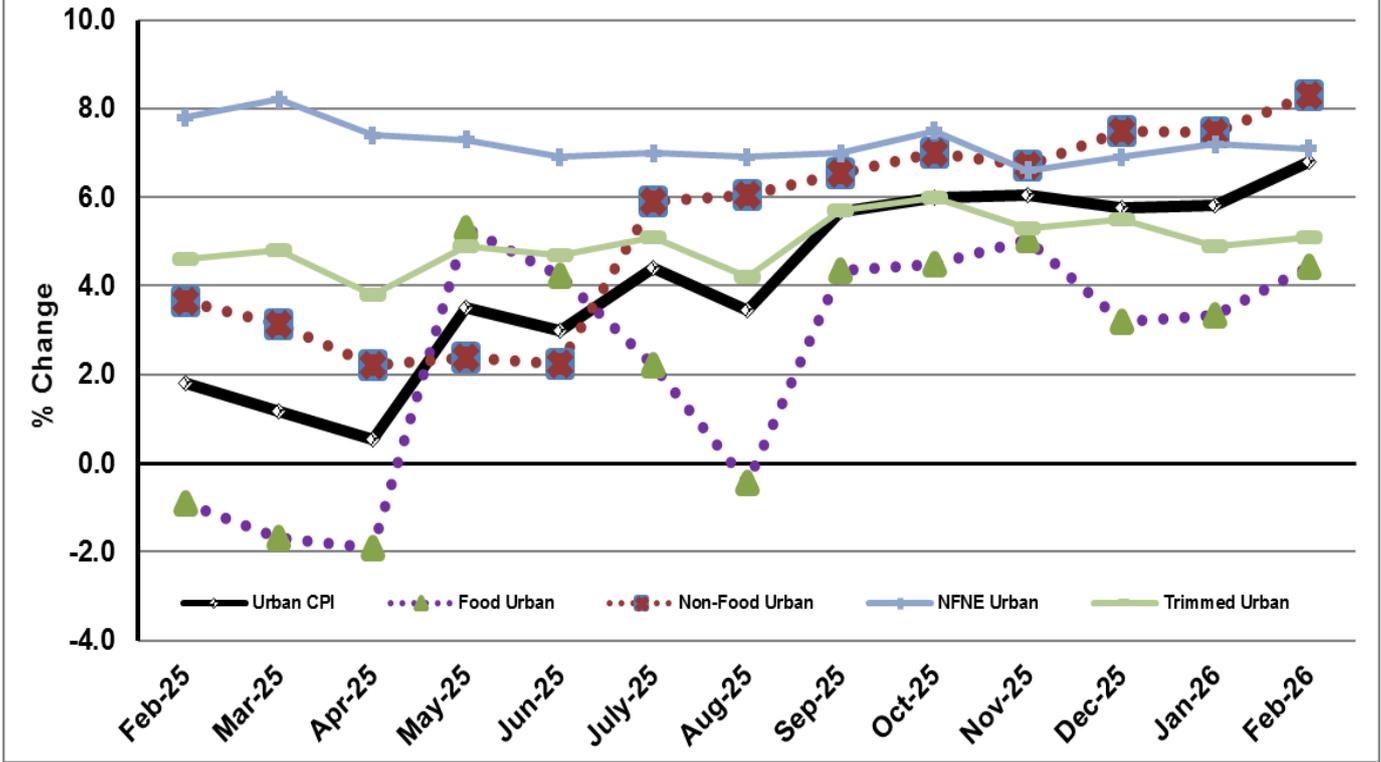


Figure 2: Rural Inflation - YoY, Special Indices

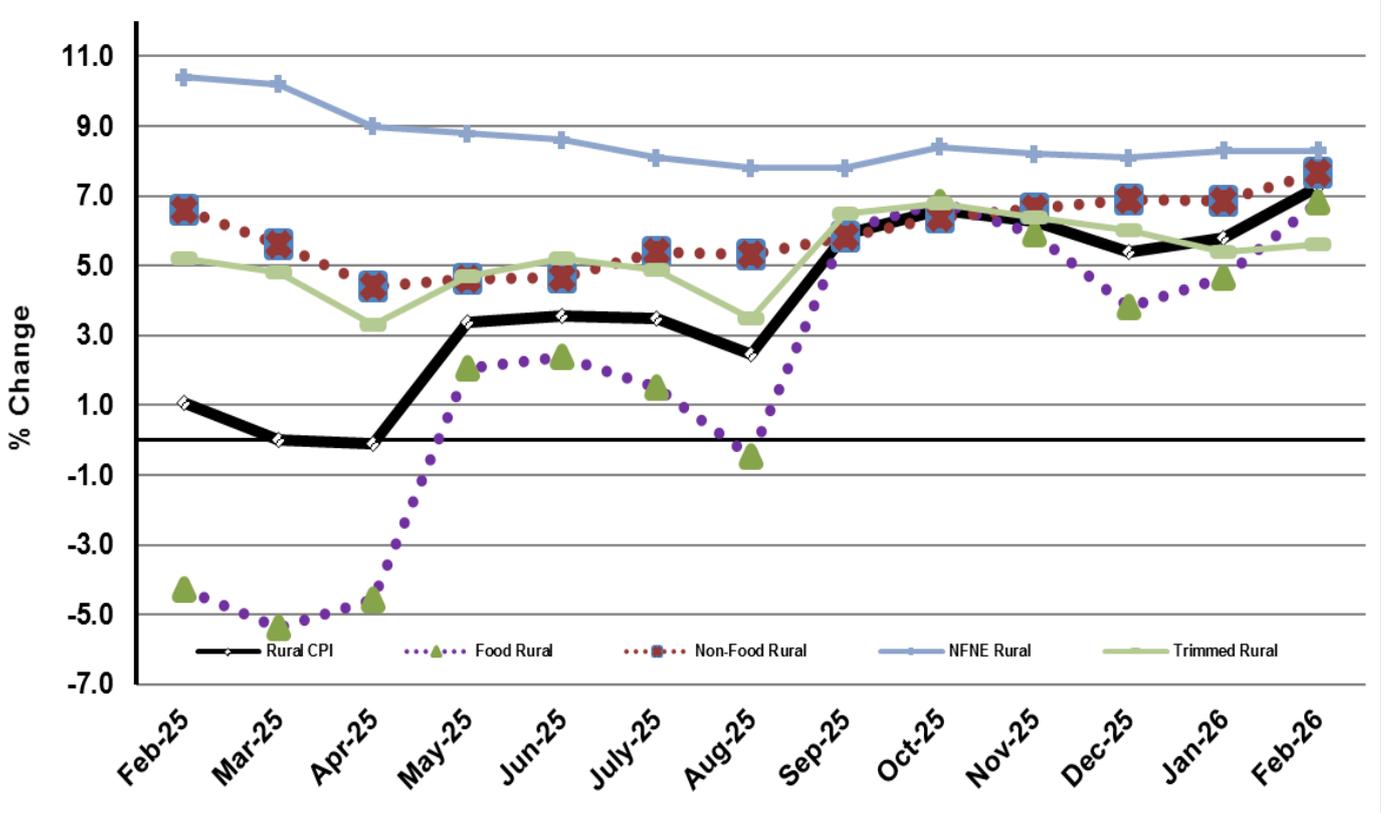


Figure 3: Urban Inflation - MoM, Special Indices

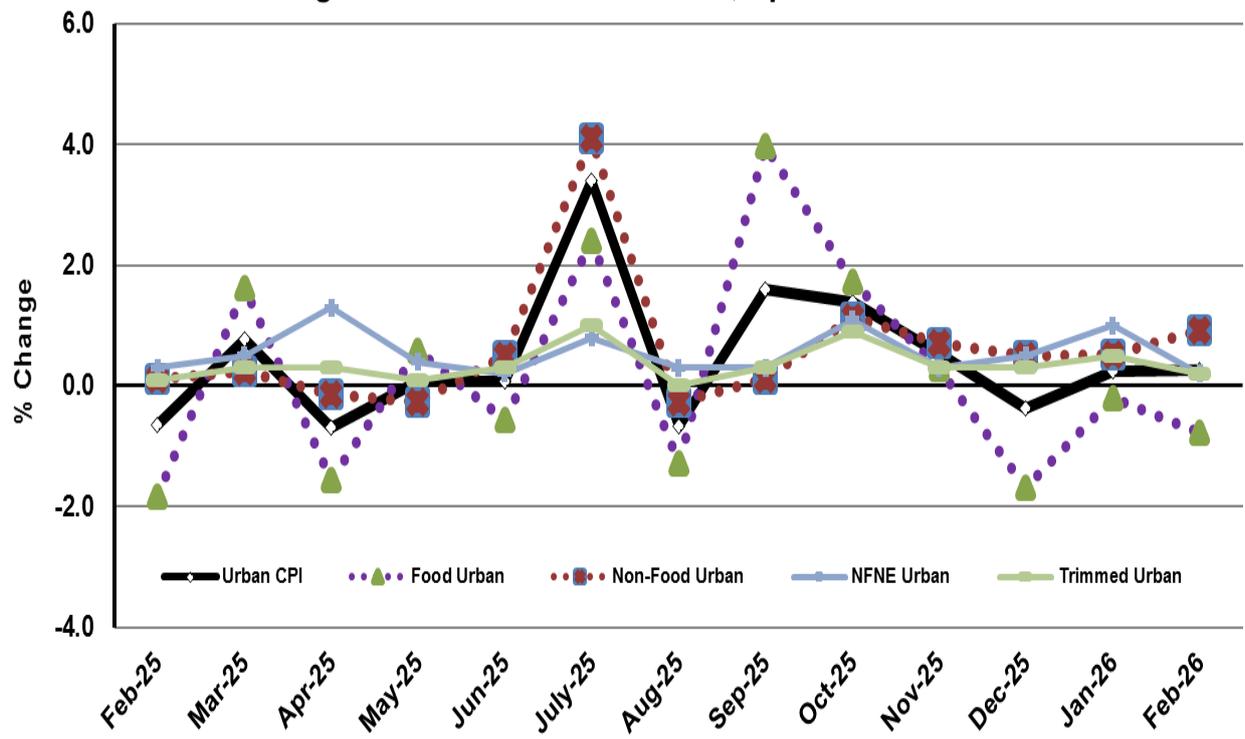
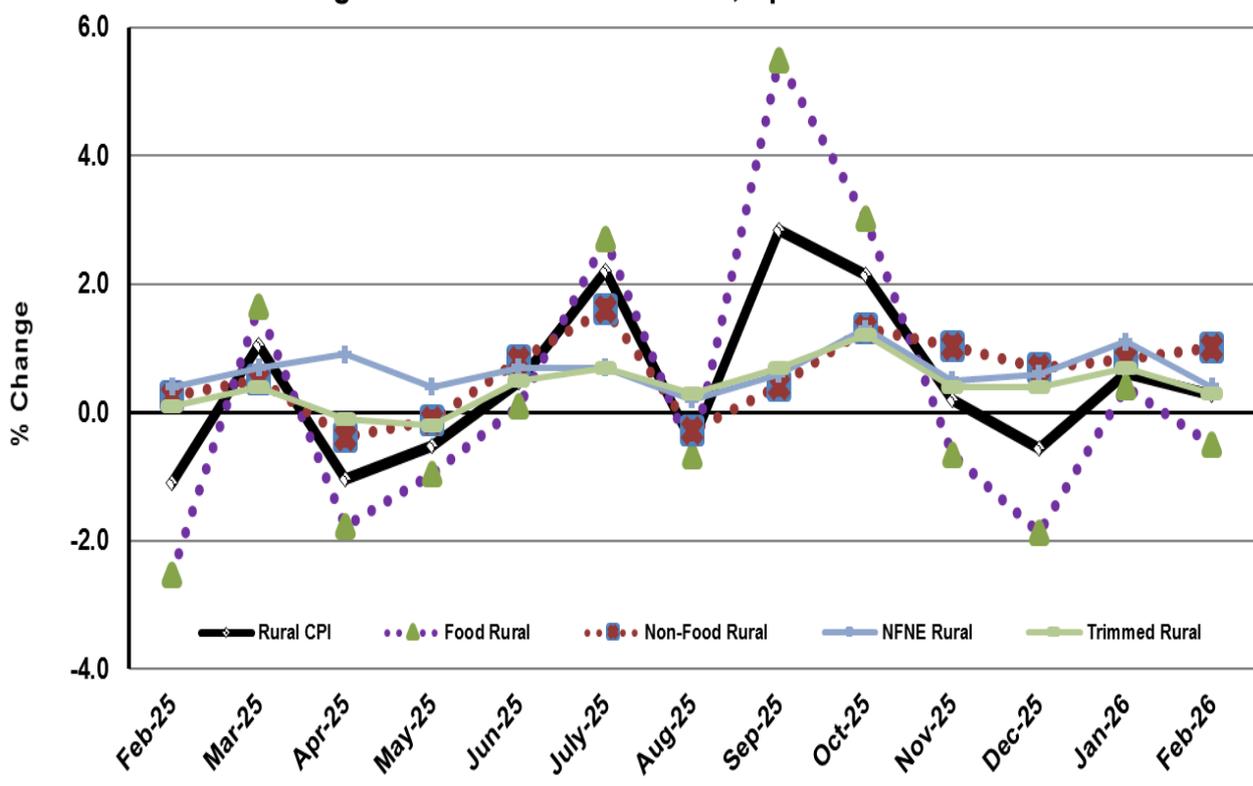
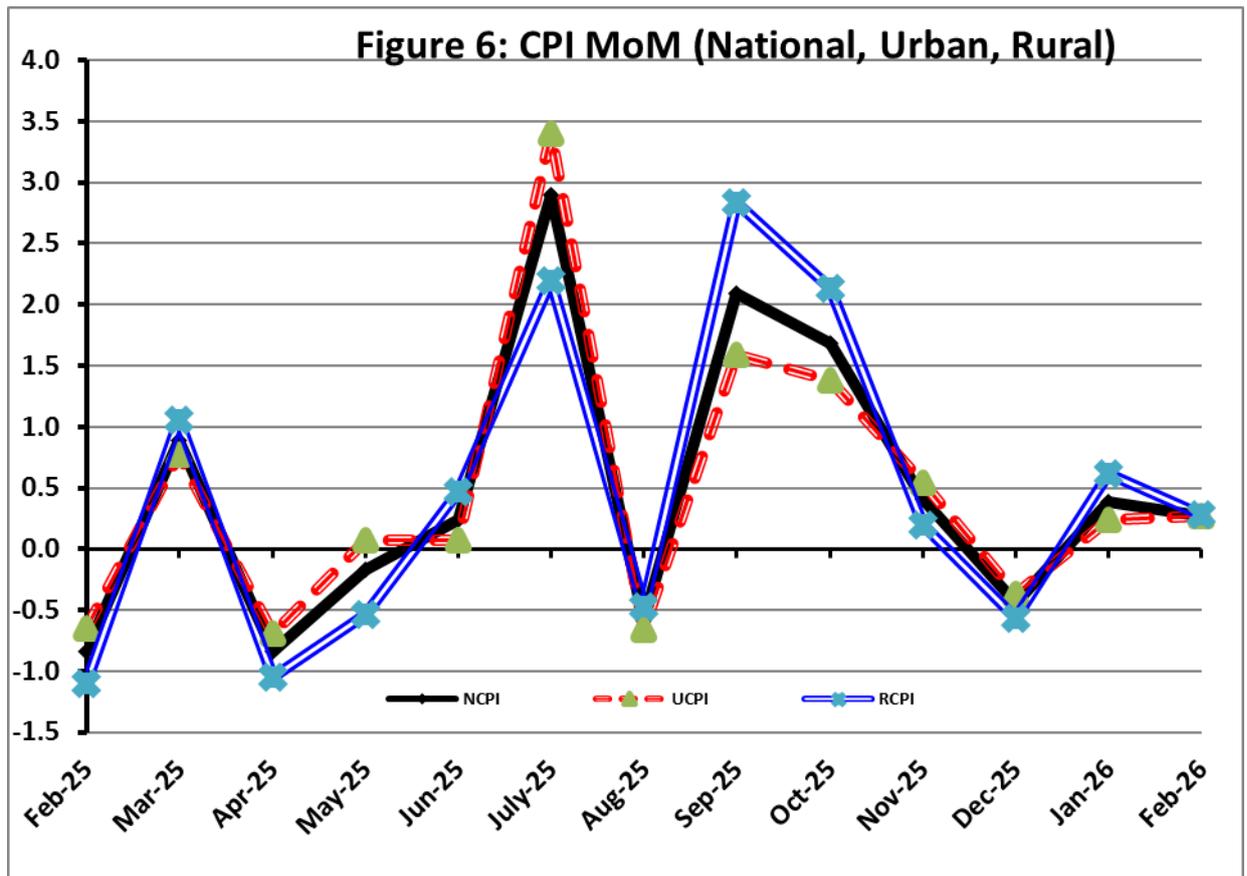
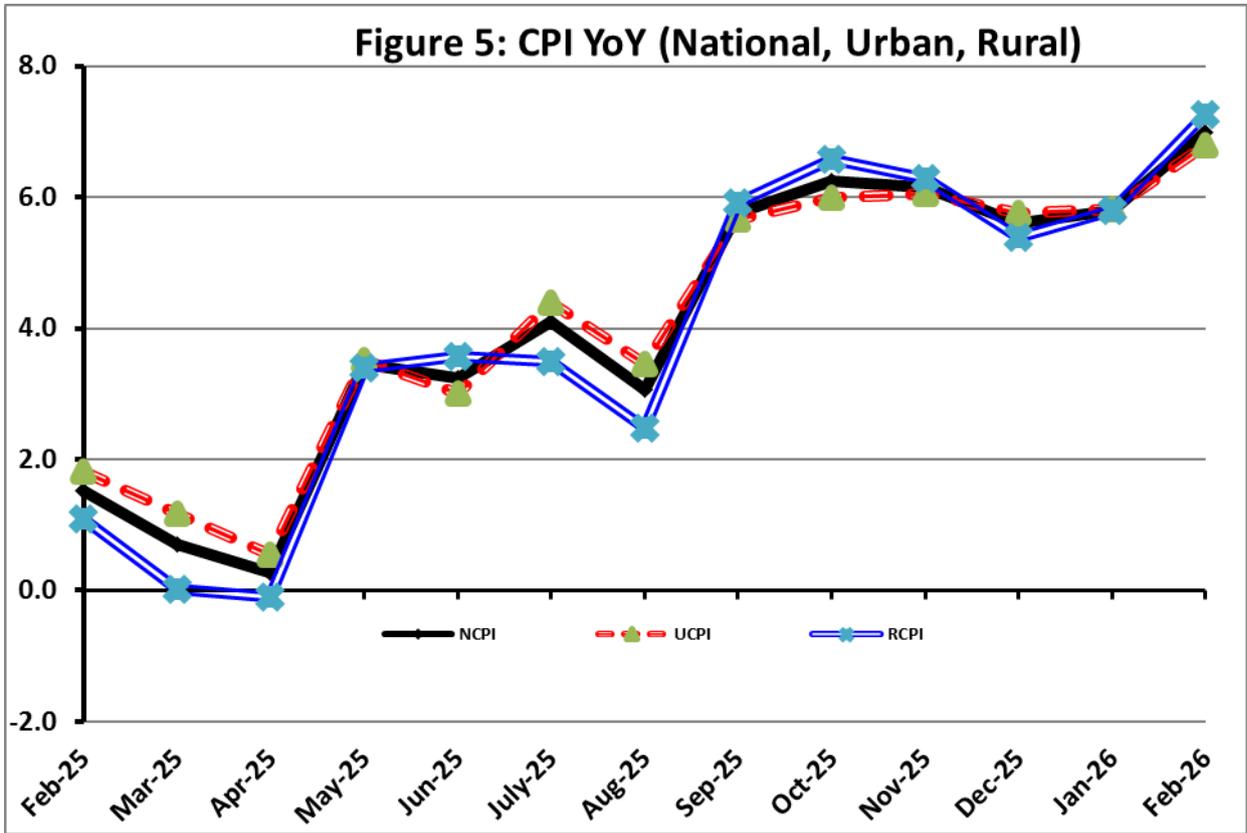


Figure 4: Rural Inflation - MoM, Special Indices





I. National Consumer Price Index (NCPI)

The **National Consumer Price Index** for **February 2026** is increased by **0.27%** over **January 2026** and increased by **6.98%** over corresponding month of the last year i.e. **February 2025**.

Table 1: Consumer Price Index (National) by Group of Commodities and Services (Base 2015-16)

No	Group	Group Weight (%)	Indices			% Change Feb 2026 Over		Impact (In % points) Feb 2026 Over	
			Feb 26	Jan 26	Feb 25	Jan 26	Feb 25	Jan 26	Feb 25
	General	100.00	282.39	281.62	263.95	0.27	6.98	0.27	6.98
1.	Food & Non-alcoholic Bev.	34.58	289.14	291.63	273.24	-0.85	5.82	-0.31	2.08
	<i>Non-perishable Food Items</i>	29.60	301.93	305.54	282.41	-1.18	6.91	-0.38	2.19
	<i>Perishable Food Items</i>	4.99	213.21	209.09	218.84	1.97	-2.57	0.07	-0.11
2.	Alcoholic Bev. & Tobacco	1.02	401.38	399.91	389.99	0.37	2.92	0.01	0.04
3.	Clothing & Footwear	8.60	271.19	270.26	255.41	0.35	6.18	0.03	0.51
4.	Housing, Water, Electricity, Gas & Fuels	23.63	262.35	257.56	239.26	1.86	9.65	0.40	2.07
5.	Furnishing & Household Equipment Maintenance	4.10	284.50	283.90	274.96	0.21	3.47	0.01	0.15
6.	Health	2.79	288.52	286.76	269.16	0.61	7.19	0.02	0.20
7.	Transport	5.91	309.69	315.65	308.55	-1.89	0.37	-0.13	0.03
8.	Communication	2.21	135.75	135.74	134.89	0.00	0.63	0.00	0.01
9.	Recreation & Culture	1.59	265.16	265.07	277.89	0.03	-4.58	0.00	-0.08
10.	Education	3.79	226.28	226.13	206.38	0.06	9.64	0.00	0.29
11.	Restaurants & Hotels	6.92	298.26	297.24	284.26	0.35	4.93	0.03	0.37
12.	Miscellaneous	4.87	381.22	368.85	309.92	3.36	23.01	0.21	1.32

II. Urban Consumer Price Index (UCPI)

The Urban Consumer Price Index for **February 2026** is increased by **0.27%** over **January 2026** and increased by **6.79%** over corresponding month of the last year i.e. **February 2025**.

Table 2: Consumer Price Index (Urban) by Group of Commodities and Services (Base 2015-16)

No	Group	Group Weight (%)	Indices			% Change Feb 2026 Over		Impact (In % points) Feb 2026 Over	
			Feb 26	Jan 26	Feb 25	Jan 26	Feb 25	Jan 26	Feb 25
	General	100.00	278.15	277.41	260.46	0.27	6.79	0.27	6.79
1.	Food & Non-alcoholic Bev.	30.42	284.29	287.32	271.84	-1.05	4.58	-0.33	1.45
	<i>Non-perishable Food Items</i>	25.97	295.92	300.44	281.18	-1.50	5.24	-0.42	1.47
	<i>Perishable Food Items</i>	4.46	216.49	210.86	217.41	2.67	-0.42	0.09	-0.02
2.	Alcoholic Bev. & Tobacco	0.85	425.08	423.06	410.59	0.48	3.53	0.01	0.05
3.	Clothing & Footwear	8.01	260.80	259.76	246.69	0.40	5.72	0.03	0.43
4.	Housing, Water, Electricity, Gas & Fuels	27.03	270.49	265.90	244.76	1.73	10.51	0.45	2.67
5.	Furnishing & Household Equip. & Maintenance	4.09	273.11	272.57	264.72	0.20	3.17	0.01	0.13
6.	Health	2.31	288.28	287.22	271.35	0.37	6.24	0.01	0.15
7.	Transport	6.14	303.91	310.77	303.09	-2.21	0.27	-0.15	0.02
8.	Communication	2.35	139.11	139.10	138.38	0.01	0.53	0.00	0.01
9.	Recreation & Culture	1.73	249.21	249.18	260.96	0.01	-4.50	0.00	-0.08
10.	Education	4.88	218.23	218.20	200.61	0.01	8.78	0.00	0.33
11.	Restaurants & Hotels	7.41	292.50	291.46	280.26	0.36	4.37	0.03	0.35
12.	Miscellaneous	4.77	369.72	356.81	299.81	3.62	23.32	0.22	1.28

Main contributors to month-on-month and year-on-year percentage changes are given below and detail is given in **Annexure-A**.

MONTH-ON-MONTH Top few commodities which varied from previous month i.e. January, 2026 are given below:

FOOD

Increased: Tomatoes (23.05%), Fresh Fruits (11.48%), Pulse Mash (8.19%), Beverages (1.65%), Meat (1.45%), Pulse Moong (1.25%), Mustard Oil (1.20%), Dry Fruits (0.78%), Wheat Products (0.68%), Readymade Food (0.44%) and Pulse Gram (0.34%).

Decreased: Eggs (22.39%), Chicken (19.99%), Potatoes (15.89%), Pulse Masoor (4.03%), Onions (3.90%), Fresh Vegetables (3.88%), Besan (1.67%), Vegetable Ghee (0.99%), Cooking Oil (0.94%), Gur (0.39%), Sugar (0.35%) and Gram Whole (0.17%).

NON-FOOD:

Increased: Electricity Charges (10.03%), Cleaning and Laundry (2.09%), Tailoring (2.04%), Solid Fuel (1.71%), Doctor (MBBS) Clinic Fee (1.05%), Liquefied Hydrocarbons (0.97%), Motor Fuel (0.88%) and Mechanical Services (0.76%).

Decreased: Transport Services (10.38%) and Stationery (0.03%).

YEAR-ON-YEAR: Top few commodities, which varied from corresponding month of previous year i.e. February 2025, are given below:

FOOD

Increased: Tomatoes (82.05%), Wheat (42.63%), Wheat Flour (25.94%), Butter (16.00%), Fresh Fruits (12.96%), Condiments and Spices (12.87%), Dessert Preparation (11.29%), Meat (11.29%), Milk Powder (9.42%), Dry Fruits (8.10%), Gur (8.03%), Wheat Products (7.40%), Fish (6.68%), Rice (5.32%) and Eggs (5.15%).

Decreased: Potatoes (39.82%), Chicken (21.84%), Pulse Gram (21.74%), Besan (19.94%), Onions (17.02%), Gram Whole (16.59%), Pulse Masoor (11.24%), Beans (9.96%), Tea (8.58%), Pulse Mash (4.90%), Fresh Vegetables (3.88%) and Pulse Moong (3.18%).

NON-FOOD:

Increased: Gas Charges (22.91%), Postal Services (12.56%), Newspapers (11.93%), Liquefied Hydrocarbons (11.63%) and Education (8.78%).

Decreased: Text Books (10.90%), Transport Services (1.93%) and Motor Fuel (0.18%).

III. Rural Consumer Price Index (RCPI)

The Rural Consumer Price Index for February 2026 is increased by 0.28% over January 2026 and increased by 7.27% over corresponding month of the last year i.e. February 2025.

Table 3: Consumer Price Index (Rural) by Group of Commodities and Services (Base 2015-16)

No	Group	Group Weight (%)	Indices			% Change Feb 2026 Over		Impact (In % points) Feb 2026 Over	
			Feb 26	Jan 26	Feb 25	Jan 26	Feb 25	Jan 26	Feb 25
	General	100.00	288.78	287.97	269.22	0.28	7.27	0.28	7.27
1.	Food & Non-alcoholic Bev.	40.87	294.59	296.48	274.82	-0.64	7.19	-0.27	3.00
	<i>Non-perishable Food Items</i>	<i>35.08</i>	<i>308.65</i>	<i>311.24</i>	<i>283.78</i>	<i>-0.83</i>	<i>8.76</i>	<i>-0.32</i>	<i>3.24</i>
	<i>Perishable Food Items</i>	<i>5.79</i>	<i>209.40</i>	<i>207.03</i>	<i>220.51</i>	<i>1.14</i>	<i>-5.04</i>	<i>0.05</i>	<i>-0.24</i>
2.	Alcoholic Bev. & Tobacco	1.28	377.49	376.56	369.21	0.25	2.24	0.00	0.04
3.	Clothing & Footwear	9.48	284.44	283.64	266.53	0.28	6.72	0.03	0.63
4.	Housing, Water, Electricity, Gas & Fuels	18.49	244.39	239.16	227.13	2.19	7.60	0.34	1.19
5.	Furnishing & Household Equip. & Maintenance	4.10	301.65	300.95	290.37	0.23	3.88	0.01	0.17
6.	Health	3.51	288.76	286.31	266.98	0.86	8.16	0.03	0.28
7.	Transport	5.56	319.33	323.79	317.65	-1.38	0.53	-0.09	0.03
8.	Communication	1.99	129.76	129.76	128.68	0.00	0.84	0.00	0.01
9.	Recreation & Culture	1.38	295.42	295.21	310.02	0.07	-4.71	0.00	-0.07
10.	Education	2.13	254.06	253.53	226.30	0.21	12.27	0.00	0.22
11.	Restaurants & Hotels	6.19	308.67	307.67	291.47	0.33	5.90	0.02	0.40
12.	Miscellaneous	5.02	397.74	386.13	324.44	3.01	22.59	0.20	1.37

Main contributors to month-on-month and year-on-year percentage changes are given below and detail is given in **Annexure-B**.

MONTH-ON-MONTH Top few commodities which varied from previous month i.e. January, 2026 are given below:

FOOD

Increased: Tomatoes (17.61%), Fresh Fruits (11.47%), Pulse Mash (3.21%), Wheat Flour (2.74%), Beans (1.66%), Meat (1.60%), Beverages (1.46%) and Wheat Products (1.20%).

Decreased: Potatoes (21.50%), Eggs (19.18%), Chicken (18.68%), Onions (5.91%), Pulse Masoor (2.60%), Besan (1.91%), Gram Whole (1.75%), Wheat (1.03%), Sugar (0.81%), Fresh Vegetables (0.48%), Gur (0.32%), Butter (0.17%), Vegetable Ghee (0.13%) and Cooking Oil (0.04%).

NON-FOOD

Increased: Electricity Charges (10.03%), Doctor Clinic Fee (1.75%), Hospital Services (1.68%), Construction Wage Rates (1.37%), Tailoring (1.28%) and Household Textiles (0.98%).

Decreased: Transport Services (5.06%).

Year-On-Year: Top few commodities which varied from corresponding month of previous year i.e. February, 2025 are given below:

FOOD

Increased: Tomatoes (61.61%), Wheat (48.12%), Wheat Flour (40.19%), Meat (12.43%), Eggs (11.52%), Fresh Fruits (11.37%), Dry Fruits (10.35%), Milk Powder (9.51%), Gur (9.41%) and Wheat Products (8.89%).

Decreased: Potatoes (45.44%), Pulse Gram (21.47%), Onions (21.22%), Besan (20.76%), Chicken (17.87%), Gram Whole (15.86%), Tea (14.64%), Pulse Mash (10.11%), Pulse Masoor (9.23%), Pulse Moong (3.57%) and Fresh Vegetables (1.97%).

NON-FOOD

Increased: Newspapers (16.67%), Doctor Clinic Fee (14.10%), Education (12.27%), Medical Tests (10.70%), Personal Grooming Services (10.44%) and Readymade Garments (9.83%).

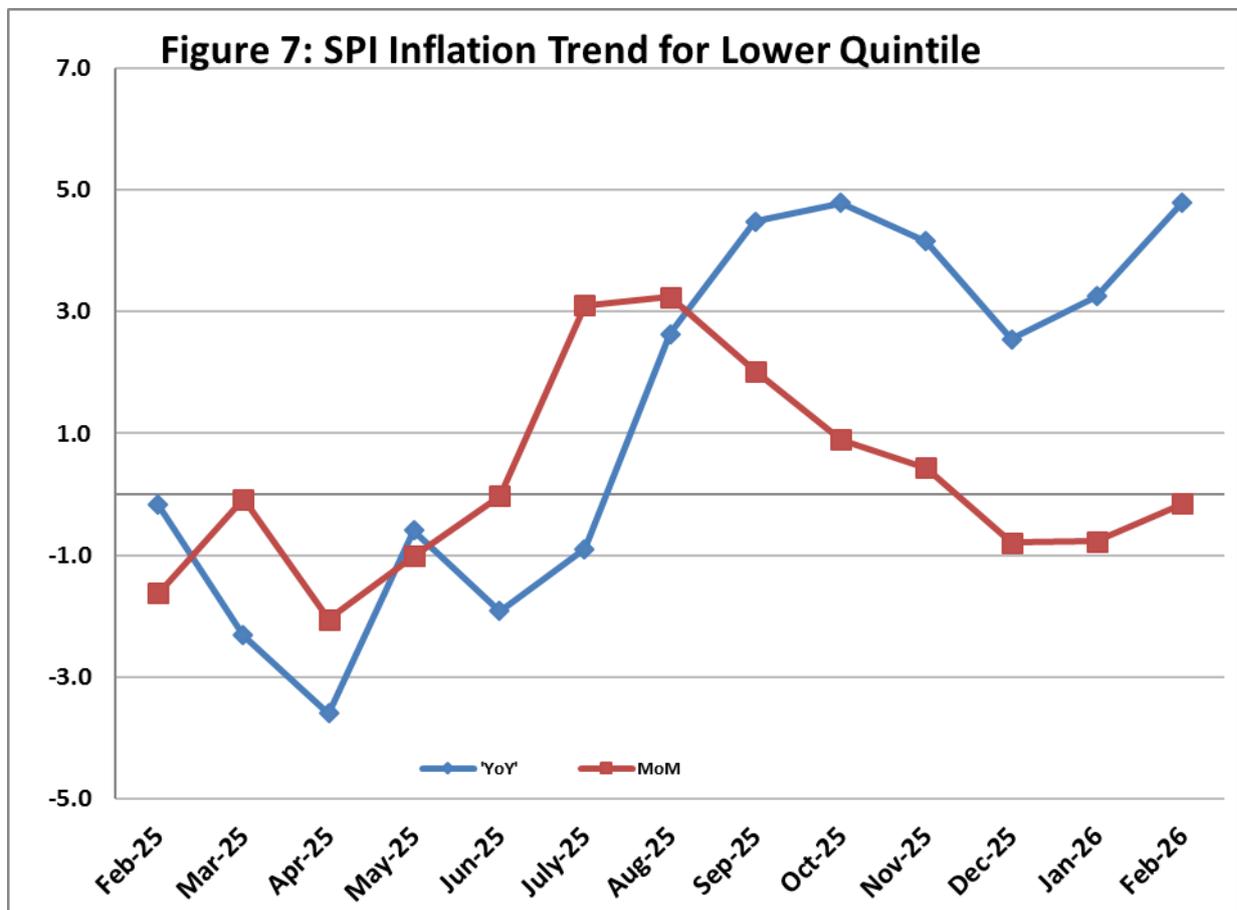
Decreased: Text Books (15.30%) and Motor Fuels (0.24%).

IV. Sensitive Price Indicator (SPI)

Quintile-wise percentage changes YoY and MoM are given below in Table 4. The series from February 2025 to February 2026 is also graphed below in Figure 7.

Table 4: Sensitive Price Indicator (Base 2015-16)					
Quintiles	Indices			% Change Feb 2026 Over	
	Feb 2026	Jan 2026	Feb 2025	Jan 2026	Feb 2025
1	323.76	324.24	308.94	-0.15	4.80
2	324.69	324.74	306.66	-0.02	5.88
3	345.91	346.60	329.37	-0.20	5.02
4	332.53	333.53	318.68	-0.30	4.35
5	331.49	332.39	320.29	-0.27	3.50
Combined	333.64	334.04	318.97	-0.12	4.60

Table 4.1: Weekly Percentage Change of SPI During February 2026				
Quintiles	% Change over Previous week			
	04-02-2026	12-02-2026	19-02-2026	26-02-2026
Quintile 1	0.13	-0.62	1.11	-0.71
Combined	0.09	-0.59	1.16	-0.54



V. Wholesale Price Index

The Wholesale Price Index for **February 2026** increased by **0.66%** over **January 2026** and increased by **1.05%** over the corresponding month of the last year i.e. **February, 2025**. YoY and MoM movements from February, 2025 to February, 2026 are also graphed below in Figure 8.

Table 5: Wholesale Price Index by Group of Commodities (Base 2015-16)

No	Group	Group Weight (%)	Indices			% Change Feb 2026 Over		Impact (In % points) Feb 2026 Over	
			Feb 26	Jan 26	Feb 25	Jan 26	Feb 25	Jan 26	Feb 25
	General	100.00	315.21	313.15	311.94	0.66	1.05	0.66	1.05
1	Agriculture Forestry & Fishery	25.77	273.24	274.15	276.43	-0.33	-1.15	-0.07	-0.26
2	Ores/Minerals, Elec., Gas & Water	12.01	361.74	363.06	359.16	-0.36	0.72	-0.05	0.10
3	Food, Beverages, Tobacco, Textiles & Leather Products	31.11	295.45	293.51	279.35	0.66	5.76	0.19	1.61
	i. Food Products, Beverages & Tobacco	20.07	317.77	314.81	295.70	0.94	7.46	0.19	1.42
	ii. Textiles & Apparels	10.33	260.08	260.00	254.82	0.03	2.06	0.00	0.17
	iii. Leather Products	0.71	179.03	179.03	174.41	0.00	2.65	0.00	0.01
4	Other Transportable Goods	22.40	335.17	326.95	342.96	2.51	-2.27	0.59	-0.56
5	Metal Product, Machinery & Equipment	8.72	394.46	394.32	388.47	0.04	1.54	0.00	0.17

Main contributors to month-on-month and year-on-year percentage changes are given below and detail is given in **Annexure-C**.

MONTH-ON-MONTH: Top few commodities which varied from previous month are given below:

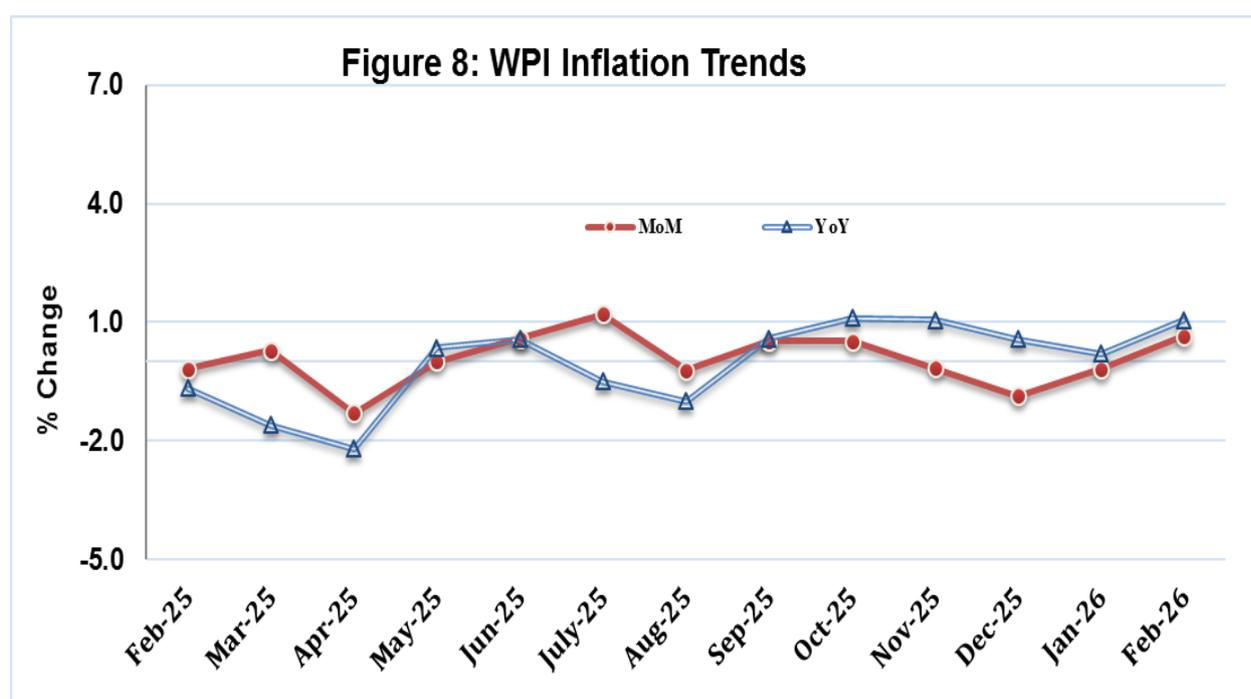
Increased: Fresh Fruits (28.59%), Raw Animal Materials / Wool (17.06%), Sorghum / Jowar (8.28%), Glass sheets (6.74%), Diesel Oil (5.77%), Furnace Oil (4.76%) and Dried Fruits & Nuts (4.73%).

Decreased: Eggs (28.67%), Poultry (21.07%), Edible Roots / Potatoes (19.30%), Vegetables (11.69%), Vegetables & Fruit Juice (2.23%), Maize (1.85%), Dry Fruits (1.72%), Sugar Refined (1.31%), Wheat (1.10%) and Wheat Flour (1.06%).

YEAR-ON-YEAR: Top few commodities which varied from previous year are given below:

Increased: Sorghum / Jowar (48.18%), Other Food Products (45.66%), Wheat (43.92%), Wheat Flour (32.67%), Dried Fruits & Nuts (24.65%), Dyeing Material (22.99%), Woven Fabrics (20.13%), Raw Animal Materials / Wool (19.72%) and Maize (19.71%).

Decreased: Edible Roots / Potatoes (51.83%), Other Cereal Flour (23.25%), Poultry (22.57%), Furnace Oil (19.42%), Pulses (15.72%), Fibre Crops (11.68%), Electrical Energy (8.11%), Cotton Seeds (8.00%), Stimulant & Spice Crops (6.58%), Steel Bar & Sheets (6.07%) and Rice (3.86%).



Annexure A: CPI (Urban) Index Numbers by Commodity Groups & Commodities (2015-16=100)

Item and Specification	Weight	Index Numbers			% Change in Feb 2026 over			
		Feb 26	Jan 26	Feb 25	Jan 2026	Feb 2025		
General	100.0000	278.15	277.41	260.46	+	0.27	+	6.79
Food and non-alcoholic	30.4215	284.29	287.32	271.84	-	1.05	+	4.58
Beverages								
01 Wheat	0.6120	331.77	331.87	232.61	-	0.03	+	42.63
02 Wheat flour	3.0075	293.08	293.09	232.72	+	0.00	+	25.94
03 Wheat products	0.0936	306.55	304.48	285.42	+	0.68	+	7.40
04 Besan	0.0830	223.35	227.14	278.97	-	1.67	-	19.94
05 Rice	1.1804	328.22	328.33	311.63	-	0.03	+	5.32
06 Bakery and confectionary	0.4770	277.31	276.49	267.82	+	0.30	+	3.54
07 Nimco	0.1224	303.87	303.17	295.66	+	0.23	+	2.78
08 Meat	2.0411	365.75	360.53	328.66	+	1.45	+	11.29
09 Chicken	1.3631	243.75	304.64	311.85	-	19.99	-	21.84
10 Fish	0.3855	233.48	233.69	218.86	-	0.09	+	6.68
11 Milk fresh	7.1070	269.32	269.25	262.54	+	0.03	+	2.58
12 Milk products	0.6407	273.21	272.53	265.51	+	0.25	+	2.90
13 Milk powder	0.3106	332.05	331.45	303.45	+	0.18	+	9.42
14 Eggs	0.5083	305.60	393.74	290.64	-	22.39	+	5.15
15 Butter	0.0932	492.40	492.40	424.47	+	0.00	+	16.00
16 Mustard oil	0.0120	317.56	313.79	320.88	+	1.20	-	1.03
17 Cooking oil	1.1016	341.83	345.06	333.57	-	0.94	+	2.48
18 Vegetable ghee	1.0324	356.94	360.52	355.08	-	0.99	+	0.52
19 Dry fruits	0.3299	321.30	318.82	297.23	+	0.78	+	8.10
20 Fresh fruits	1.4363	281.27	252.30	248.99	+	11.48	+	12.96
21 Pulse masoor	0.1624	180.81	188.40	203.70	-	4.03	-	11.24
22 Pulse moong	0.1697	238.03	235.08	245.84	+	1.25	-	3.18
23 Pulse mash	0.1152	192.99	178.38	202.93	+	8.19	-	4.90
24 Pulse gram	0.1660	210.37	209.66	268.81	+	0.34	-	21.74
25 Gram whole	0.0912	244.54	244.95	293.18	-	0.17	-	16.59
26 Beans	0.0408	350.83	350.77	389.63	+	0.02	-	9.96
27 Potatoes	0.4496	170.52	202.74	283.34	-	15.89	-	39.82
28 Onions	0.5928	167.04	173.82	201.29	-	3.90	-	17.02
29 Tomatoes	0.3459	216.70	176.11	119.03	+	23.05	+	82.05
30 Fresh vegetables	1.5306	184.67	192.13	192.12	-	3.88	-	3.88
31 Sugar	1.1130	248.00	248.88	246.88	-	0.35	+	0.45
32 Gur	0.0379	263.24	264.27	243.68	-	0.39	+	8.03
33 Honey	0.1017	222.56	222.62	220.17	-	0.03	+	1.09
34 Sweetmeat	0.3535	338.53	336.52	322.98	+	0.60	+	4.81
35 Ice cream	0.1044	200.62	199.68	199.45	+	0.47	+	0.59
36 Condiments and Spices	1.3340	383.64	383.83	339.91	-	0.05	+	12.87
37 Dessert preparation	0.0419	300.63	300.63	270.14	+	0.00	+	11.29
38 Tea	0.8427	273.67	273.67	299.35	+	0.00	-	8.58
39 Beverages	0.8906	266.79	262.45	256.80	+	1.65	+	3.89
Alcoholic Beverages, Tobacco	0.8540	425.08	423.06	410.59	+	0.48	+	3.53
40 Cigarettes	0.7167	414.06	411.76	402.86	+	0.56	+	2.78
41 Pan prepared	0.1373	482.61	482.03	450.94	+	0.12	+	7.02
Clothing and footwear	8.0096	260.80	259.76	246.69	+	0.40	+	5.72
42 Cotton cloth	2.2227	300.73	300.08	281.50	+	0.22	+	6.83
43 Woolen cloth	0.8361	258.39	257.78	237.12	+	0.24	+	8.97
44 Readymade garments	1.3196	226.61	226.35	212.63	+	0.11	+	6.57
45 Woolen readymade garments	0.4307	273.83	273.83	257.23	+	0.00	+	6.45
46 Tailoring	1.0741	248.99	244.02	229.85	+	2.04	+	8.33
47 Hosiery	0.4070	242.09	241.68	234.60	+	0.17	+	3.19
48 Dupatta	0.1713	206.93	206.61	200.63	+	0.15	+	3.14
49 Cleaning and laundering	0.0665	288.04	282.14	266.32	+	2.09	+	8.16
50 Footwear	1.4816	247.61	247.61	247.12	+	0.00	+	0.20
Housing, water, Elec., Gas and other Fuels	27.0332	270.49	265.90	244.76	+	1.73	+	10.51
51 House rent	19.2558	178.39	178.39	168.09	+	0.00	+	6.13
52 Construction input items	0.3765	270.88	270.47	263.77	+	0.15	+	2.70
53 Construction wage rates	0.2025	236.62	235.38	223.20	+	0.53	+	6.01
54 Water supply	0.5269	244.90	244.90	228.99	+	0.00	+	6.95
55 Garbage collection	0.1064	266.52	266.52	262.24	+	0.00	+	1.63
56 Electricity charges	4.5562	289.28	262.92	269.56	+	10.03	+	7.32

Annexure A: CPI (Urban) Index Numbers by Commodity Groups & Commodities (2015-16=100)

Item and Specification	Weight	Index Numbers			% Change in Feb 2026 over	
		Feb 26	Jan 26	Feb 25	Jan 2026	Feb 2025
57 Gas charges	1.0807	1817.96	1817.96	1479.08	+ 0.00	+ 22.91
58 Liquefied Hydrocarbons	0.5064	362.10	358.63	324.38	+ 0.97	+ 11.63
59 Solid Fuel	0.4218	246.24	242.09	227.94	+ 1.71	+ 8.03
Furnishing and household equipments	4.0937	273.11	272.57	264.72	+ 0.20	+ 3.17
60 Furniture and furnishing	0.4750	265.61	265.06	258.02	+ 0.21	+ 2.94
61 Carpets	0.0308	157.75	157.16	150.80	+ 0.38	+ 4.61
62 Household textiles	0.3420	215.67	215.43	208.77	+ 0.11	+ 3.31
63 Household equipments	1.0032	278.43	277.54	265.44	+ 0.32	+ 4.89
64 Plastic products	0.0536	234.65	234.53	220.66	+ 0.05	+ 6.34
65 Major tools & equipments	0.0084	258.12	257.67	241.46	+ 0.17	+ 6.90
66 Washing soap/detergents/match	1.4112	323.42	322.97	319.78	+ 0.14	+ 1.14
67 Household servant	0.7695	211.55	211.16	199.69	+ 0.18	+ 5.94
Health	2.3098	288.28	287.22	271.35	+ 0.37	+ 6.24
68 Drugs and medicines	1.0735	311.17	310.36	292.45	+ 0.26	+ 6.40
69 Therapeutic Appliances and Equipments	0.0054	156.87	156.75	154.81	+ 0.08	+ 1.33
70 Doctor (MBBS) clinic fee	0.4044	362.01	358.25	336.38	+ 1.05	+ 7.62
71 Dental services	0.0156	236.82	236.61	223.27	+ 0.09	+ 6.07
72 Medical tests	0.2367	223.28	223.09	213.10	+ 0.09	+ 4.78
73 Hospitals services	0.5742	223.00	222.99	212.51	+ 0.00	+ 4.94
Transport	6.1368	303.91	310.77	303.09	- 2.21	+ 0.27
74 Motor vehicles	0.8097	267.62	267.56	259.34	+ 0.02	+ 3.19
75 Motor vehicle accessories	0.1941	271.30	269.88	264.18	+ 0.53	+ 2.70
76 Motor fuel	2.9088	350.32	347.27	350.94	+ 0.88	- 0.18
77 Mechanical services	0.4290	250.86	248.97	233.04	+ 0.76	+ 7.65
78 Motor vehicle tax	0.0482	399.23	399.23	399.23	+ 0.00	+ 0.00
79 Transport services	1.7470	257.50	287.31	262.57	- 10.38	- 1.93
Communication	2.3536	139.11	139.10	138.38	+ 0.01	+ 0.53
80 Postal services	0.0190	245.15	245.15	217.79	+ 0.00	+ 12.56
81 Communication apparatus	0.4524	191.06	191.03	188.43	+ 0.02	+ 1.40
82 Communication Services	1.8822	125.55	125.55	125.55	+ 0.00	+ 0.00
Recreation and culture	1.7301	249.21	249.18	260.96	+ 0.01	- 4.50
83 Recreation and culture	0.6478	156.46	156.34	154.84	+ 0.08	+ 1.05
84 Text books	0.6655	297.49	297.49	333.89	+ 0.00	- 10.90
85 Newspapers	0.0716	242.82	242.82	216.94	+ 0.00	+ 11.93
86 stationery	0.3452	331.50	331.59	328.63	- 0.03	+ 0.87
Education	4.8807	218.23	218.20	200.61	+ 0.01	+ 8.78
87 Education	4.8807	218.23	218.20	200.61	+ 0.01	+ 8.78
Restaurants and hotels	7.4050	292.50	291.46	280.26	+ 0.36	+ 4.37
88 Readymade food	5.5235	299.06	297.74	287.84	+ 0.44	+ 3.90
89 Marriage Hall Charges	1.7514	280.00	279.80	263.95	+ 0.07	+ 6.08
90 Accommodation Services	0.1301	182.04	182.00	178.30	+ 0.02	+ 2.10
Misc. goods and services	4.7720	369.72	356.81	299.81	+ 3.62	+ 23.32
91 Personal Grooming Services	0.8001	274.58	274.41	257.13	+ 0.06	+ 6.79
92 Electrical Appliances for Per	0.0465	192.09	191.91	177.43	+ 0.09	+ 8.26
93 Appliances/Articles/Products	2.9807	295.99	295.18	272.16	+ 0.27	+ 8.76
94 Personal Effects n.e.c.	0.9447	691.68	629.14	429.18	+ 9.94	+ <u>61.16</u>

Annexure B: CPI (Rural) Index Numbers by Commodity Groups & Commodities (2015-16=100)

Item and Specification	Weight	Index Numbers			% Change in Feb 2026 over	
		Feb 26	Jan 26	Feb 25	Jan 2026	Feb 2025
General	100.0000	288.78	287.97	269.22	+ 0.28	+ 7.27
Food and non-alcoholic Beverages	40.8668	294.59	296.48	274.82	- 0.64	+ 7.19
01 Wheat	3.4736	349.51	353.15	235.97	- 1.03	+ 48.12
02 Wheat Flour	3.4297	326.73	318.01	233.07	+ 2.74	+ 40.19
03 Wheat Products	0.1068	312.31	308.60	286.80	+ 1.20	+ 8.89
04 Besan	0.0728	243.31	248.06	307.05	- 1.91	- 20.76
05 Rice	1.5501	430.80	429.15	412.76	+ 0.38	+ 4.37
06 Bakery and Confectionary	0.3702	326.89	323.74	306.90	+ 0.97	+ 6.51
07 Nimco	0.0774	316.73	316.44	306.34	+ 0.09	+ 3.39
08 Meat	1.7146	384.89	378.82	342.34	+ 1.60	+ 12.43
09 Chicken	1.4641	259.87	319.56	316.40	- 18.68	- 17.87
10 Fish	0.2640	244.96	243.94	237.64	+ 0.42	+ 3.08
11 Milk fresh	10.3803	273.77	273.14	260.55	+ 0.23	+ 5.07
12 Milk products	0.9624	267.40	267.40	257.19	+ 0.00	+ 3.97
13 Milk powder	0.1062	302.22	301.10	275.97	+ 0.37	+ 9.51
14 Eggs	0.5665	313.80	388.29	281.38	- 19.18	+ 11.52
15 Butter	0.3333	332.82	333.38	307.05	- 0.17	+ 8.39
16 Mustard oil	0.0136	341.71	340.68	339.07	+ 0.30	+ 0.78
17 Cooking oil	0.6011	371.75	371.89	369.81	- 0.04	+ 0.52
18 Vegetable ghee	2.3764	389.87	390.36	382.72	- 0.13	+ 1.87
19 Dry fruits	0.2496	398.96	394.34	361.53	+ 1.17	+ 10.35
20 Fresh fruits	1.4505	283.27	254.13	254.35	+ 11.47	+ 11.37
21 Pulse Masoor	0.2076	207.52	213.07	228.61	- 2.60	- 9.23
22 Pulse Moong	0.2510	258.71	257.81	268.28	+ 0.35	- 3.57
23 Pulse Mash	0.1465	194.70	188.64	216.60	+ 3.21	- 10.11
24 Pulse Gram	0.2751	223.34	222.16	284.39	+ 0.53	- 21.47
25 Gram Whole	0.1116	259.86	264.48	308.86	- 1.75	- 15.86
26 Beans	0.0896	409.88	403.18	410.10	+ 1.66	- 0.05
27 Potatoes	0.7437	154.53	196.86	283.23	- 21.50	- 45.44
28 Onions	0.8965	159.76	169.79	202.78	- 5.91	- 21.22
29 Tomatoes	0.5069	201.79	171.58	124.86	+ 17.61	+ <u>61.61</u>
30 Fresh Vegetables	2.0947	197.96	198.91	201.93	- 0.48	- 1.97
31 Sugar	2.0296	250.57	252.61	248.15	- 0.81	+ 0.98
32 Gur	0.1522	259.97	260.81	237.61	- 0.32	+ 9.41
33 Honey	0.0296	225.70	225.70	223.43	+ 0.00	+ 1.02
34 Sweetmeat	0.3967	303.02	302.51	288.78	+ 0.17	+ 4.93
35 Ice Cream	0.0568	200.83	198.80	199.34	+ 1.02	+ 0.75
36 Condiments and Spices	1.4919	292.64	292.16	297.71	+ 0.16	- 1.70
37 Dessert Preparation	0.0133	296.76	296.76	268.52	+ 0.00	+ 10.52
38 Tea	1.2566	271.09	271.09	317.58	+ 0.00	- 14.64
39 Beverages	0.5537	259.21	255.49	246.29	+ 1.46	+ 5.25
Alcoholic Beverages, Tobacco	1.2786	377.49	376.56	369.21	+ 0.25	+ 2.24
40 Cigarettes	1.2364	377.27	376.31	369.60	+ 0.26	+ 2.08
41 Pan Prepared	0.0422	383.86	383.86	357.98	+ 0.00	+ 7.23
Clothing and footwear	9.4826	284.44	283.64	266.53	+ 0.28	+ 6.72
42 Cotton Cloth	2.8381	309.03	309.03	292.87	+ 0.00	+ 5.52
43 Woollen Cloth	1.0959	275.18	275.18	258.25	+ 0.00	+ 6.56
44 Readymade Garments	1.1345	264.06	264.00	240.43	+ 0.02	+ 9.83
45 Woollen Readymade Garments	0.5401	334.48	334.48	309.66	+ 0.00	+ 8.02
46 Tailoring	1.2999	268.94	265.54	246.58	+ 1.28	+ 9.07
47 Hosiery	0.4322	357.87	357.16	346.40	+ 0.20	+ 3.31
48 Dupatta	0.2078	258.89	258.85	244.42	+ 0.02	+ 5.92
49 Cleaning and Laundering	0.0176	267.84	267.84	258.58	+ 0.00	+ 3.58
50 Footwear	1.9165	248.18	246.69	233.56	+ 0.60	+ 6.26
Housing, Water, Elec., Gas and other Fuels	18.4853	244.39	239.16	227.13	+ 2.19	+ 7.60
51 House Rent	8.6110	188.80	188.80	175.84	+ 0.00	+ 7.37
52 Construction Input Items	0.6306	269.74	267.20	251.31	+ 0.95	+ 7.33
53 Construction Wage Rates	0.2526	254.94	251.50	239.74	+ 1.37	+ 6.34
54 Water Supply	0.0645	325.72	325.72	311.91	+ 0.00	+ 4.43
55 Garbage Collection	0.0080	204.36	204.36	204.36	+ 0.00	+ 0.00
56 Electricity Charges	3.4431	289.28	262.92	269.56	+ 10.03	+ 7.32
57 Liquefied Hydrocarbons	0.9994	324.98	322.87	301.13	+ 0.65	+ 7.92
58 Solid Fuel	4.4761	293.56	293.24	271.33	+ 0.11	+ 8.19

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Item and Specification	Weight	Index Numbers			% Change in Feb 2026 over			
		Feb 26	Jan 26	Feb 25	Jan 2026	Feb 2025		
<i>Furnishing and household equipments</i>	4.1031	301.65	300.95	290.37	+	0.23	+	3.88
59 Furniture and Furnishing	0.5786	301.48	300.02	285.45	+	0.49	+	5.62
60 Household Textiles	0.4382	261.14	258.61	241.47	+	0.98	+	8.15
61 Household Equipments	1.2774	300.74	300.56	288.28	+	0.06	+	4.32
62 Plastic Products	0.0776	316.37	315.74	294.42	+	0.20	+	7.46
63 Major Tools and Equipments	0.0324	250.77	250.77	241.33	+	0.00	+	3.91
64 Washing Soaps, Detergents and	1.6989	313.15	312.77	306.98	+	0.12	+	2.01
<i>Health</i>	3.5141	288.76	286.31	266.98	+	0.86	+	8.16
65 Drugs and Medicines	1.5792	335.09	333.95	318.21	+	0.34	+	5.30
66 Doctor Clinic Fee	0.5128	346.60	340.65	303.77	+	1.75	+	14.10
67 Dental Services	0.0181	264.76	257.57	225.18	+	2.79	+	17.58
68 Medical Tests	0.3967	247.30	246.73	223.39	+	0.23	+	10.70
69 Hospitals Services	1.0073	203.42	200.05	185.84	+	1.68	+	9.46
<i>Transport</i>	5.5580	319.33	323.79	317.65	-	1.38	+	0.53
70 Motor Vehicles	0.7305	194.80	194.80	193.15	+	0.00	+	0.85
71 Motor Vehicles Accessories	0.1572	275.47	274.72	270.52	+	0.27	+	1.83
72 Motor Fuels	2.4932	351.20	347.93	352.05	+	0.94	-	0.24
73 Mechanical Services	0.3645	237.30	237.30	230.99	+	0.00	+	2.73
74 Motor Vehicle Tax	0.0174	342.03	342.03	342.03	+	0.00	+	0.00
75 Transport Services	1.7952	346.02	364.45	342.03	-	5.06	+	1.17
<i>Communication</i>	1.9940	129.76	129.76	128.68	+	0.00	+	0.84
76 Postal Services	0.0070	179.32	179.32	179.32	+	0.00	+	0.00
77 Communication Apparatus	0.3362	168.00	168.00	161.60	+	0.00	+	3.96
78 Communication Services	1.6508	121.76	121.76	121.76	+	0.00	+	0.00
<i>Recreation and culture</i>	1.3764	295.42	295.21	310.02	+	0.07	-	4.71
79 Recreation and Culture	0.4763	262.93	262.29	252.48	+	0.24	+	4.14
80 Text Books	0.5047	305.32	305.32	360.47	+	0.00	-	15.30
81 Newspapers	0.0230	282.94	282.94	242.52	+	0.00	+	16.67
82 Stationery	0.3724	324.36	324.36	319.40	+	0.00	+	1.55
<i>Education</i>	2.1342	254.06	253.53	226.30	+	0.21	+	12.27
83 Education	2.1342	254.06	253.53	226.30	+	0.21	+	12.27
<i>Restaurants and hotels</i>	6.1895	308.67	307.67	291.47	+	0.33	+	5.90
84 Readymade Food	3.8001	334.23	332.60	317.85	+	0.49	+	5.15
85 Marriage Hall Charges	2.2525	277.43	277.43	257.77	+	0.00	+	7.63
86 Accommodation Services	0.1369	113.40	113.40	113.40	+	0.00	+	0.00
<i>Misc. goods and services</i>	5.0174	397.74	386.13	324.44	+	3.01	+	22.59
87 Personal Grooming Services	1.5363	338.01	337.46	306.05	+	0.16	+	10.44
88 Appliances/Articles/Products	2.2746	271.12	270.57	262.90	+	0.20	+	3.13
89 Personal Effects n.e.c.	1.2065	712.50	665.96	463.85	+	6.99	+	<u>53.61</u>

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Item and Specification	Weight	Index Numbers			% Change in Feb 2026 over			
		Feb 26	Jan 26	Feb 25	Jan 2026	Feb 2025		
General	100.0000	315.21	313.15	311.94	+	0.66	+	1.05
Agriculture Forestry & Fishery	25.7674	273.24	274.15	276.43	-	0.33	-	1.15
001 Wheat	0.6297	326.45	330.08	226.82	-	1.10	+	43.92
002 Maize	0.6764	334.06	340.34	279.05	-	1.85	+	19.71
003 Rice	2.4413	316.08	315.60	328.77	+	0.15	-	3.86
004 Sorghum / Jowar	0.0214	391.06	361.14	263.90	+	8.28	+	48.18
005 Millet / Bajra	0.0374	314.33	314.86	305.69	-	0.17	+	2.83
006 Vegetables	1.2441	215.54	244.07	216.43	-	11.69	-	0.41
007 Fresh Fruits	1.5144	320.97	249.61	288.73	+	28.59	+	11.17
008 Dry Fruits	0.2478	382.79	389.50	364.06	-	1.72	+	5.14
009 Cotton Seeds	1.1511	181.16	180.96	196.92	+	0.11	-	8.00
010 Other Oil Seeds	0.0722	295.91	296.96	282.03	-	0.35	+	4.92
011 Edible Roots / Potatoes	0.2540	157.17	194.75	326.27	-	19.30	-	51.83
012 Stimulant & Spice Crops	0.1634	313.29	312.60	335.34	+	0.22	-	6.58
013 Pulses	0.4901	237.59	237.42	281.90	+	0.07	-	15.72
014 Sugar Crops	1.0725	346.42	337.20	309.44	+	2.73	+	11.95
015 Fibre Crops	5.3169	296.04	296.04	335.18	+	0.00	-	11.68
016 Unmanufactured Tobacco	0.0742	562.34	553.94	569.34	+	1.52	-	1.23
017 Poultry	0.5633	235.68	298.61	304.36	-	21.07	-	22.57
018 Raw Milk from Bovine Animals	7.0279	257.05	257.05	247.86	+	0.00	+	3.71
019 Eggs	0.5034	285.22	399.88	294.42	-	28.67	-	3.12
020 Raw Animal Materials / Wool	0.0351	301.21	257.31	251.59	+	17.06	+	19.72
021 Hides, Skins & Fur Skins, Raw	0.4834	60.04	58.69	59.72	+	2.30	+	0.54
022 Fuel Wood in Logs	0.0179	244.23	240.19	215.59	+	1.68	+	13.28
023 Fish Live Fresh or Chilled	1.7295	241.02	241.02	226.98	+	0.00	+	6.19
Ores/Minerals, Elec., Gas & Water	12.0069	361.74	363.06	359.16	-	0.36	+	0.72
024 Coal not Agglomerated	0.7508	219.17	219.17	219.17	+	0.00	+	0.00
025 Natural Gas Liquefied	5.7065	448.40	448.71	418.54	-	0.07	+	7.13
026 Salt & Pure Sodium Chloride	0.0584	432.51	432.51	407.92	+	0.00	+	6.03
027 Electrical Energy	5.4912	290.43	293.00	316.06	-	0.88	-	8.11
Food, Beverages, Tobacco, Textile	31.1122	295.45	293.51	279.35	+	0.66	+	5.76
Food Products, Beverages & Tobacco	20.0718	317.77	314.81	295.70	+	0.94	+	7.46
028 Meat of Animals	3.4559	367.67	355.89	325.25	+	3.31	+	13.04
029 Vegetables & Fruit Juice	0.0058	245.96	251.58	251.61	-	2.23	-	2.25
030 Dried Fruits & Nuts	0.1733	487.29	465.26	390.92	+	4.73	+	24.65
031 Fruit Juices	0.3880	290.35	285.65	272.04	+	1.65	+	6.73
032 Vegetable Oils Refined	1.9242	294.87	287.83	287.31	+	2.45	+	2.63
033 Vegetable Ghee	1.5632	368.34	370.73	372.11	-	0.64	-	1.01
034 Oil Cakes	0.9611	283.48	271.16	265.89	+	4.54	+	6.62
035 Processed Liquid Milk	4.4437	333.29	332.40	320.55	+	0.27	+	3.97
036 Milk & Cream in Solid Form	0.0316	313.07	313.03	289.72	+	0.01	+	8.06
037 Ice Cream	0.0047	200.56	200.56	200.56	+	0.00	+	0.00
038 Dairy Products N.E.C	0.0117	342.99	342.39	326.63	+	0.18	+	5.01
039 Wheat Flour	2.3034	302.24	305.49	227.82	-	1.06	+	32.67
040 Other Cereal Flour	0.0604	227.50	228.35	296.40	-	0.37	-	23.25
041 Sugar Refined	1.7975	246.07	249.33	250.30	-	1.31	-	1.69
042 Chocolate	0.0139	144.39	144.31	143.40	+	0.06	+	0.69
043 Sugar Confectionary	0.0738	316.68	315.42	313.54	+	0.40	+	1.00
044 Coffee & Tea	0.7303	269.99	269.99	280.22	+	0.00	-	3.65
045 Spices	0.1449	337.90	332.63	300.88	+	1.58	+	12.30
046 Other Food Products	0.0336	364.87	364.80	250.49	+	0.02	+	45.66
047 Mineral Water	0.0207	213.84	213.77	205.35	+	0.03	+	4.13
048 Beverages	0.6303	262.85	262.60	261.51	+	0.10	+	0.51
049 Tobacco Products	1.2998	301.20	301.20	280.52	+	0.00	+	7.37
Textiles & Apparels	10.3289	260.08	260.00	254.82	+	0.03	+	2.06
050 Cotton Yarn	5.2491	239.61	239.61	239.61	+	0.00	+	0.00
051 Nylon Yarn	0.1719	95.24	95.24	95.24	+	0.00	+	0.00
052 Blended Yarn	0.1689	148.12	148.12	148.12	+	0.00	+	0.00
053 Woven Fabrics	0.0128	307.27	307.27	255.78	+	0.00	+	20.13
054 Cotton Fabrics	0.6343	376.67	376.67	340.86	+	0.00	+	10.51
055 Other Fabrics	1.1016	273.30	272.56	259.21	+	0.27	+	5.44
056 Silk & Reyon Fabrics	0.7350	403.43	403.39	399.20	+	0.01	+	1.06
057 Towels	0.1235	205.34	205.30	202.83	+	0.02	+	1.24
058 Blankets	0.0029	168.88	168.88	158.72	+	0.00	+	6.40

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		Feb 26	Jan 26	Feb 25	Jan 2026	Feb 2025
059 Bed Sheets	0.0913	222.66	222.66	203.39	+ 0.00	+ 9.47
060 Quilts	0.0019	243.70	243.70	243.00	+ 0.00	+ 0.29
061 Woollen Carpets	0.0383	180.61	180.61	177.15	+ 0.00	+ 1.95
062 Synthetic Carpets	0.0566	160.49	160.49	156.16	+ 0.00	+ 2.77
063 Hosiery Products	0.8832	214.44	214.43	209.19	+ 0.00	+ 2.51
064 Readymade Garments	1.0576	278.68	278.68	273.70	+ 0.00	+ 1.82
Leather Products	0.7115	179.03	179.03	174.41	+ 0.00	+ 2.65
065 Leather Without Hair	0.2973	175.98	175.98	167.33	+ 0.00	+ 5.17
066 Other Leather N.E.C	0.2567	141.18	141.18	138.40	+ 0.00	+ 2.01
067 Footwears	0.1575	246.48	246.48	246.48	+ 0.00	+ 0.00
Other Transportable Goods	22.3979	335.17	326.95	342.96	+ 2.51	- 2.27
068 Timber	0.0165	247.16	247.16	237.52	+ 0.00	+ 4.06
069 Printing Paper	0.4279	296.27	299.45	258.64	- 1.06	+ 14.55
070 Hard Board	0.1579	261.62	261.62	261.62	+ 0.00	+ 0.00
071 Motor Spirit	1.6268	362.26	358.62	363.67	+ 1.02	- 0.39
072 Diesel Oil	5.4849	340.18	321.61	336.87	+ 5.77	+ 0.98
073 Kerosene Oil	0.2151	349.42	344.60	339.77	+ 1.40	+ 2.84
074 Furnace Oil	3.2664	443.53	423.37	550.39	+ 4.76	- 19.42
075 Mobil Oil	0.7114	251.76	251.76	251.76	+ 0.00	+ 0.00
076 Chemicals	1.7720	289.06	289.12	269.04	- 0.02	+ 7.44
077 Dyeing Material	0.1539	335.16	335.16	272.52	+ 0.00	+ 22.99
078 Fertilizers	2.8657	283.13	283.56	269.89	- 0.15	+ 4.91
079 Pesticides	0.2763	237.67	237.67	210.57	+ 0.00	+ 12.87
080 Insecticides	0.1276	197.82	197.82	174.37	+ 0.00	+ 13.45
081 Paints & Varnishes	0.1916	279.10	280.66	278.07	- 0.56	+ 0.37
082 Medicines	1.1428	392.99	393.02	375.65	- 0.01	+ 4.62
083 Soaps & Detergents	0.8168	240.12	240.14	239.93	- 0.01	+ 0.08
084 Auto Tyres	0.2703	269.64	268.90	262.33	+ 0.28	+ 2.79
085 Plastic Products	0.4550	215.07	215.07	209.21	+ 0.00	+ 2.80
086 Glass sheets	0.2089	405.83	380.21	393.19	+ 6.74	+ 3.21
087 Other Glass Articles	0.1635	238.98	238.98	215.98	+ 0.00	+ 10.65
088 Ceramics & Sanitary Fixture	0.0244	236.96	237.41	227.09	- 0.19	+ 4.35
089 Bricks, Blocks & Tiles	0.1566	218.23	218.36	201.31	- 0.06	+ 8.40
090 Cement	1.8145	279.98	276.05	273.56	+ 1.42	+ 2.35
091 Bed Foam	0.0006	329.14	329.14	333.84	+ 0.00	- 1.41
092 Matches	0.0505	3351.94	3351.94	3329.35	+ 0.00	+ 0.68
Metal Product, Machinery & Equipments	8.7156	394.46	394.32	388.47	+ 0.04	+ 1.54
093 Steel Bar & Sheets	1.4615	300.74	300.89	320.19	- 0.05	- 6.07
094 Pipe Fittings	0.0780	511.21	512.35	485.91	- 0.22	+ 5.21
095 Steel Products	0.3879	285.41	285.30	276.50	+ 0.04	+ 3.22
096 Engines & Motors	0.0046	242.26	242.26	204.19	+ 0.00	+ 18.64
097 Vacuum Pumps	0.0155	107.56	107.56	107.56	+ 0.00	+ 0.00
098 Air Conditioners	0.0049	310.77	310.77	309.58	+ 0.00	+ 0.38
099 Cultivators	0.0551	361.67	361.67	351.39	+ 0.00	+ 2.93
100 Chuff Cutter	0.1293	519.00	519.00	519.00	+ 0.00	+ 0.00
101 Tractors	0.0028	348.19	344.29	320.14	+ 1.13	+ 8.76
102 Lathe Machines	0.0525	531.22	527.32	523.49	+ 0.74	+ 1.48
103 Concrete Mixture	0.0107	450.82	450.82	426.37	+ 0.00	+ 5.73
104 Fridge,WashM,SewM,Fans,Iron	1.1645	314.16	314.16	304.01	+ 0.00	+ 3.34
105 Electric Wires	0.0912	391.71	380.80	360.52	+ 2.87	+ 8.65
106 Lighting Equipments	1.4431	757.41	757.41	757.41	+ 0.00	+ 0.00
107 Radio & Television	0.1843	191.49	190.54	190.53	+ 0.50	+ 0.50
108 Motor Vehicles	0.0244	271.56	271.56	261.82	+ 0.00	+ 3.72
109 Motorcycles	0.2570	271.57	271.29	263.76	+ 0.10	+ 2.96
110 Bicycles	3.3483	333.45	333.45	316.55	+ 0.00	+ 5.34
