**Annex-I**

# Monthly Review on Price Indices



## October 2026
### (Base Year 2015-16)

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## Inflation in Brief

1. **CPI inflation General**, increased by 9.6**%** on year-on-year basis in October 2026 as compared to an increase of 10.3**%** in the previous month and 6.2% in October 2025. On month-on-month basis, it increased by 1.1% in October 2026 as compared to an increase of 1.3% in the previous month and an increase of 1.7% in October 2025.
2. **CPI inflation Urban**, increased by 9.5**%** on year-on-year basis in October 2026 as compared to an increase of 10.1% in the previous month and an increase of 6.0% in October 2025. On month-on-month basis, it increased by 0.8% in October 2026 as compared to an increase of 1.3% in the previous month and an increase of 1.4% in October 2025.
3. **CPI inflation Rural**, increased by 9.8% on year-on-year basis in October 2026 as compared to an increase of 10.5% in the previous month and an increase of 6.6% observed in October 2025. On month-on-month basis, it increased by 1.5% in October 2026 as compared to an increase of 1.2% in the previous month and an increase of 2.1% in October 2025.
4. **SPI inflation** on YoY basis increased by 8.7**%** in October 2026 as compared to an increase of 8.4**%** in the previous month and an increase of 4.8% in October 2025. On MoM basis, it increased by 1.3% in October 2026 as compared to an increase of 1.0% in the previous month and an increase of 0.9% in October 2025.
5. **WPI inflation** on YoY basis increased by 13.8% in October 2026 as compared to an increase of 13.3% in the previous month and an increase of 1.1% in October 2025. On month-on-month basis, it increased by 0.9% in October 2026 as compared to an increase of 1.9% in the previous month and an increase of 0.5% in October 2025.
6. 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 |
| 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 |
| Mar-26 | 7.3 | 1.2 | 7.4 | 1.3 | 7.2 | 1.0 | 2.9 | 0.1 | 4.5 | -0.6 | 10.3 | 2.1 | 9.7 | 2.4 | 5.6 | 0.7 | 6.7 | 5.9 |
| Apr-26 | 10.9 | 2.5 | 11.1 | 2.7 | 10.6 | 2.1 | 6.9 | 2.3 | 7.3 | 0.9 | 13.8 | 3.0 | 13.6 | 3.2 | 10.1 | 2.0 | 13.6 | 5.1 |
| May-26 | 11.7 | 0.5 | 11.8 | 0.7 | 11.5 | 0.3 | 6.5 | 0.2 | 8.5 | 0.2 | 15.2 | 1.0 | 14.2 | 0.4 | 12.0 | 0.7 | 12.7 | -0.8 |
| June-26 | 11.1 | -0.3 | 11.2 | -0.5 | 10.9 | 0.0 | 8.2 | 1.0 | 9.4 | 0.9 | 13.1 | -1.4 | 12.3 | -0.9 | 12.8 | 0.7 | 10.7 | -1.2 |
| July-26 | 9.2 | 1.2 | 8.7 | 1.2 | 9.9 | 1.2 | 9.6 | 3.7 | 10.2 | 3.4 | 8.2 | -0.4 | 9.7 | -0.7 | 12.0 | 2.4 | 9.4 | 0.0 |
| Aug-26 | 11.1 | 1.2 | 10.4 | 0.9 | 12.2 | 1.6 | 12.1 | 1.0 | 13.2 | 2.1 | 9.4 | 0.9 | 11.3 | 1.1 | 9.5 | 0.9 | 11.8 | 2.0 |
| Sep-26 | 10.3 | 1.3 | 10.1 | 1.3 | 10.5 | 1.2 | 8.1 | 0.2 | 7.7 | 0.3 | 11.5 | 2.0 | 13.1 | 2.1 | 8.4 | 1.0 | 13.3 | 1.9 |
| **Oct-26** | **9.6** | **1.1** | **9.5** | **0.8** | **9.8** | **1.5** | **7.8** | **1.5** | **7.1** | **2.5** | **10.6** | **0.4** | **12.3** | **0.6** | **8.7** | **1.3** | **13.8** | **0.9** |

*** 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 7.8% on (YoY) basis in October 2026 as compared to an increase of 8.6% in the previous month and an increase of 7.5% in October 2025. On (MoM) basis, it increased by 0.4% in October 2026 as compared to an increase of 0.2% in the previous month and an increase of 1.1% in the corresponding month of last year i.e. October 2025.

***8.*** Measured by **non-food non-energy Rural** increased by 7.1% on (YoY) basis in October 2026 as compared to an increase of 8.1% in the previous month and an increase of 8.4% in October 2025. On (MoM) basis, it increased by 0.3% in October 2026 as compared to 0.2% in the previous month and an increase of 1.3% in the corresponding month of last year i.e. October 2025.

**Core inflation (Trimmed)**

***9.*** Measured by 20% **weighted trimmed mean Urban** increased by 8.5**%** on (YoY) basis in October 2026 as compared to an increase of 9.4**%** in the previous month and 6.0% in October 2025. On (MoM) basis, it increased by 0.5% in October 2026 as compared to an increase of 0.3% a month earlier and an increase of 0.9% in the corresponding month of last year i.e. October 2025.

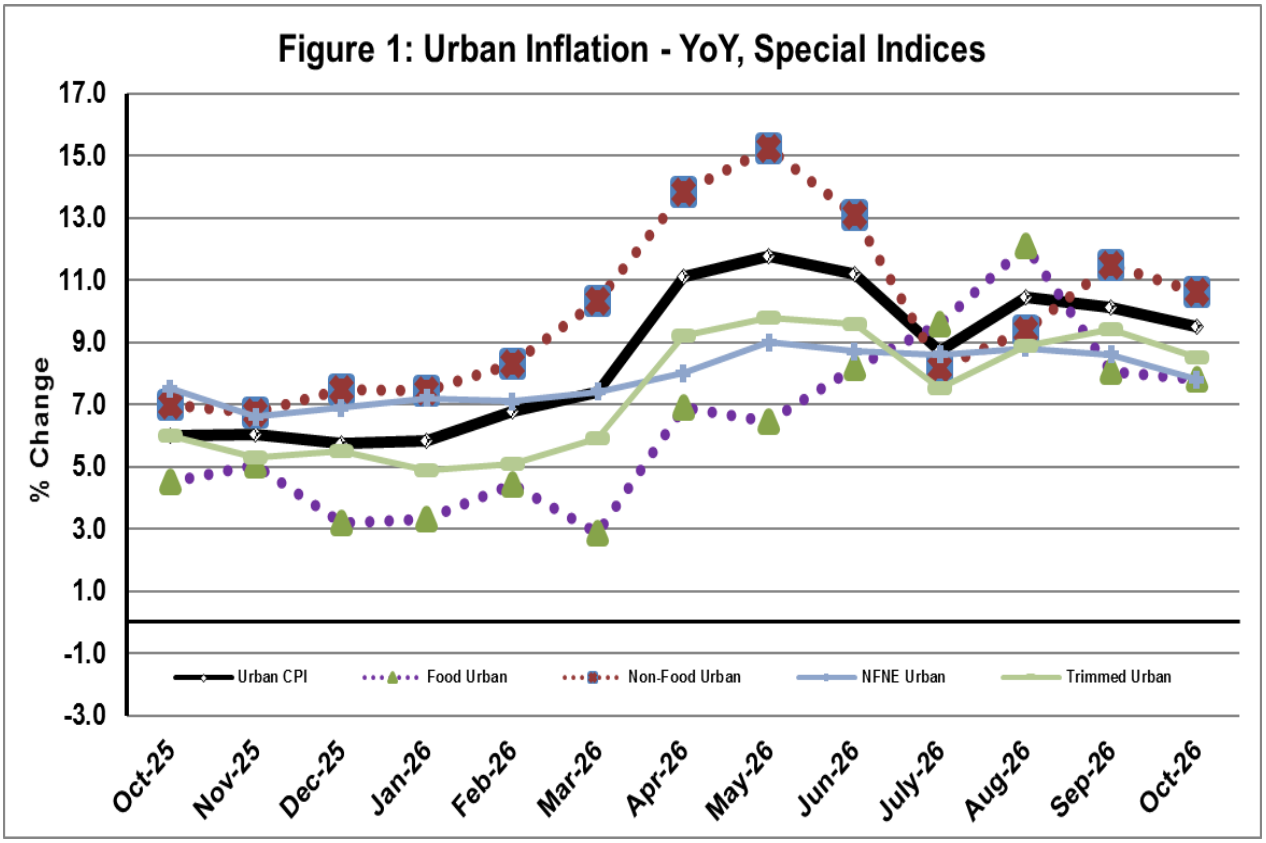
***10.*** Measured by 20% **weighted trimmed mean Rural** increased by 8.9**%** on (YoY) basis in October 2026 as compared to an increase of 9.4**%** in the previous month and 6.8% in October 2025. On (MoM) basis, it increased by 1.0% in October 2026 as compared to an increase of 0.4% in the previous month and an increase of 1.2% in the corresponding month of last year i.e. October 2025.

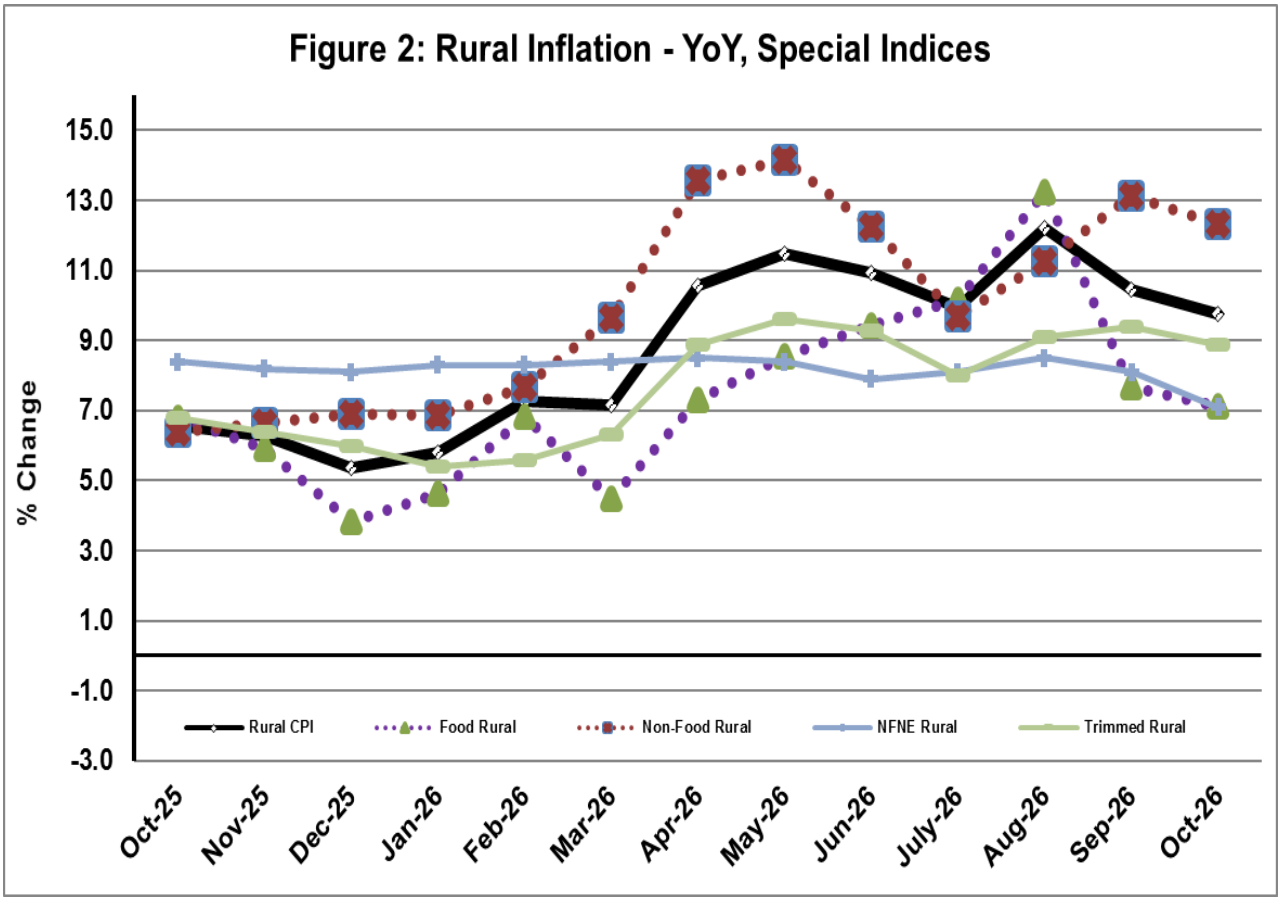
**Table 1.b Core Inflation (%) (Base 2015-16)**

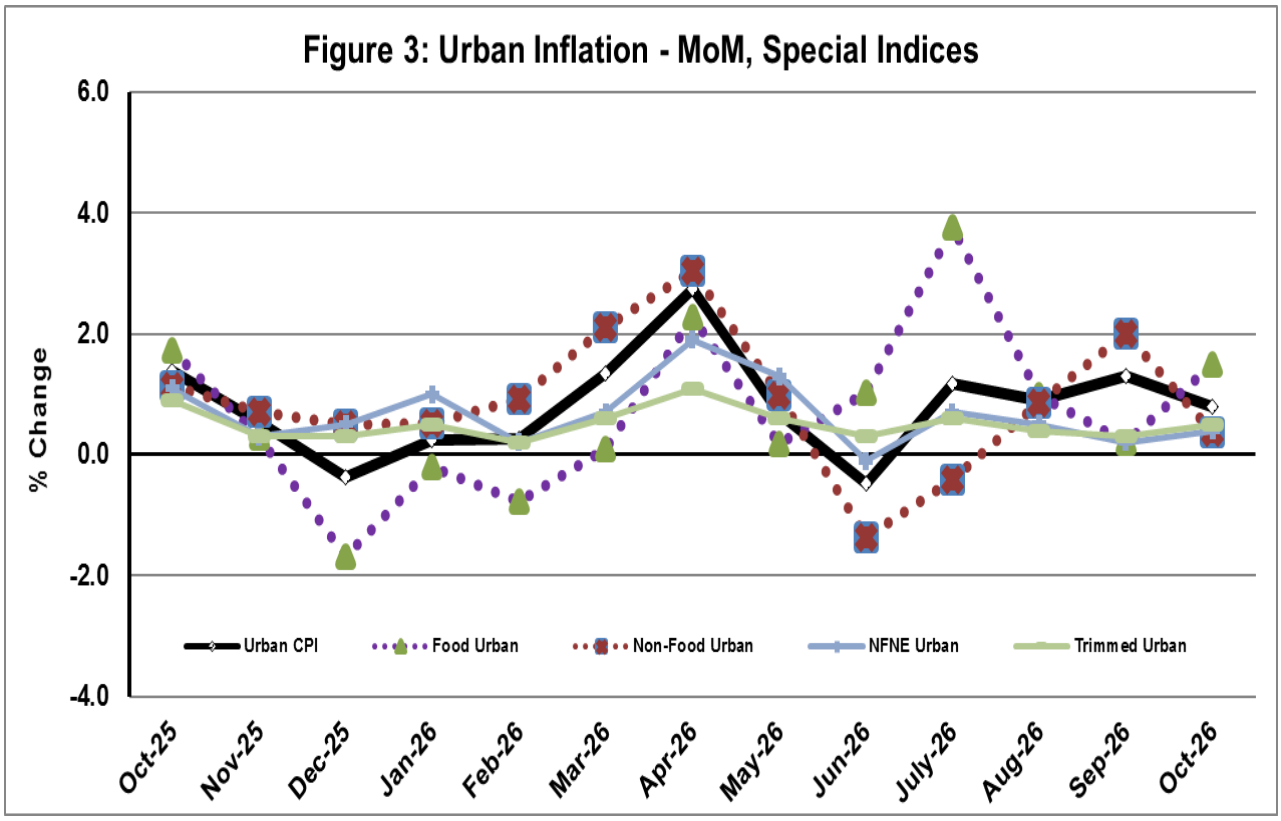
| Period | NFNE | | | | Trimmed | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Urban | | Rural | | Urban | | Rural | |
| | YoY | MoM | YoY | MoM | YoY | MoM | YoY | MoM |
| **Oct-25** | **7.5** | **1.1** | **8.4** | **1.3** | **6.0** | **0.9** | **6.8** | **1.2** |
| Nov-25 | 6.6 | 0.3 | 8.2 | 0.5 | 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 |
| Mar-26 | 7.4 | 0.7 | 8.4 | 0.8 | 5.9 | 0.6 | 6.3 | 0.5 |
| Apr-26 | 8.0 | 1.9 | 8.5 | 1.1 | 9.2 | 1.1 | 8.9 | 1.0 |
| May-26 | 9.0 | 1.3 | 8.4 | 0.2 | 9.8 | 0.6 | 9.6 | 0.8 |
| June-26 | 8.7 | -0.1 | 7.9 | 0.2 | 9.6 | 0.3 | 9.3 | 0.5 |
| July-26 | 8.6 | 0.7 | 8.1 | 0.9 | 7.5 | 0.6 | 8.0 | 1.0 |
| Aug-26 | 8.8 | 0.5 | 8.5 | 0.6 | 8.9 | 0.4 | 9.1 | 1.1 |
| Sep-26 | 8.6 | 0.2 | 8.1 | 0.2 | 9.4 | 0.3 | 9.4 | 0.4 |
| **Oct-26** | **7.8** | **0.4** | **7.1** | **0.3** | **8.5** | **0.5** | **8.9** | **1.0** |

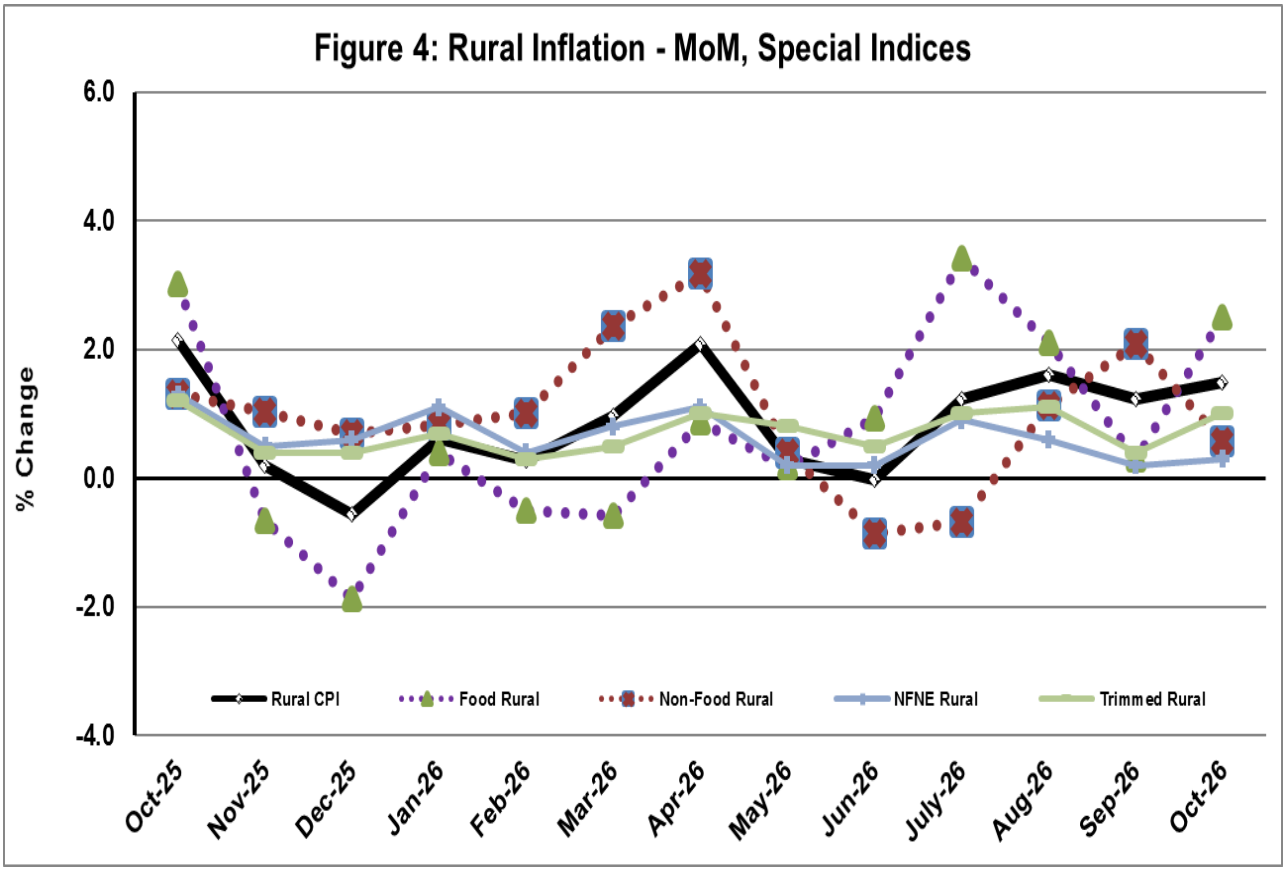
**Table 1.1 Y-o-Y % Change**

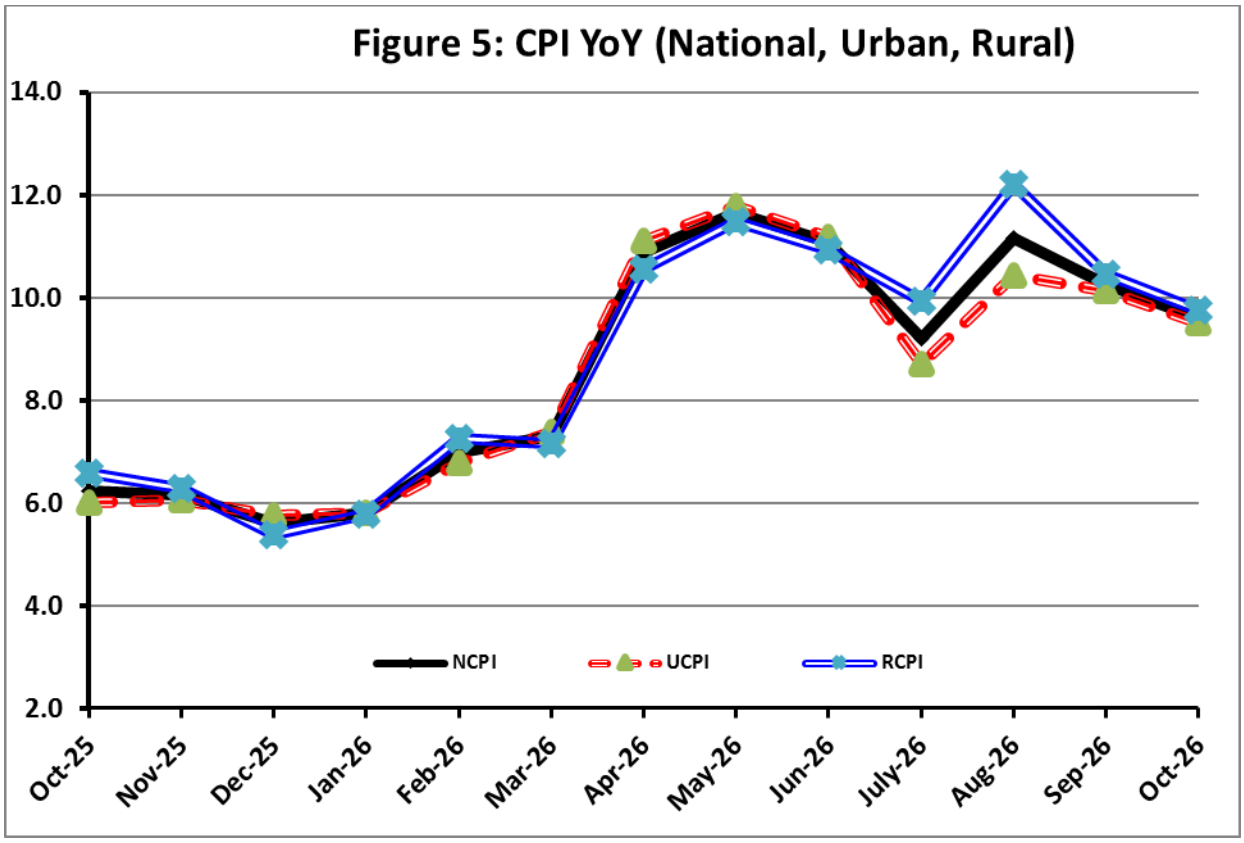
| INDEX | Average July - October % Changes | | | October over October % Changes | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | 2026-2027 | 2025-2026 | 2024-2025 | 2026-2027 | 2025-2026 | 2024-2025 |
| **CPI (National)** | 10.05 | 4.79 | 8.68 | 9.61 | 6.24 | 7.17 |
| **CPI (Urban)** | 9.69 | 4.89 | 10.84 | 9.50 | 6.00 | 9.28 |
| **CPI (Rural)** | 10.58 | 4.63 | 5.65 | 9.76 | 6.59 | 4.23 |
| **SPI** | 9.62 | 2.76 | 11.31 | 8.75 | 4.79 | 9.70 |
| **WPI** | 12.10 | 0.05 | 5.54 | 13.79 | 1.10 | 3.89 |

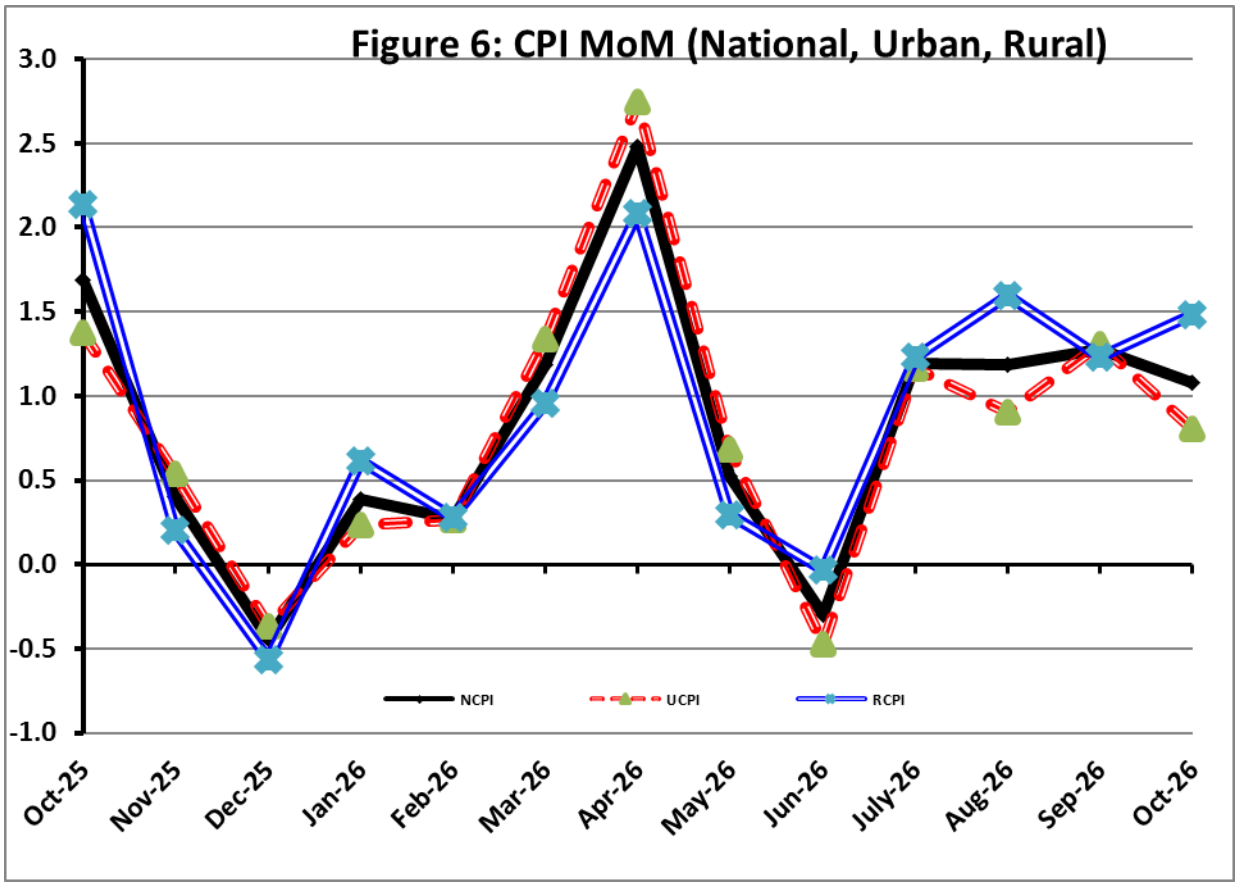

Figure 1: Urban Inflation - YoY, Special Indices
% Change
17.0
15.0
13.0
11.0
9.0
7.0
5.0
3.0
1.0
-1.0
-3.0
Urban CPI
Food Urban
Non-Food Urban
NFNE Urban
Trimmed Urban
Oct-25
Nov-25
Dec-25
Jan-26
Feb-26
Mar-26
Apr-26
May-26
Jun-26
July-26
Aug-26
Sep-26
Oct-26


Figure 2: Rural Inflation - YoY, Special Indices
% Change
15.0
13.0
11.0
9.0
7.0
5.0
3.0
1.0
-1.0
-3.0
Rural CPI
Food Rural
Non-Food Rural
NFNE Rural
Trimmed Rural
Oct-25
Nov-25
Dec-25
Jan-26
Feb-26
Mar-26
Apr-26
May-26
Jun-26
July-26
Aug-26
Sep-26
Oct-26


Figure 3: Urban Inflation - MoM, Special Indices
6.0
4.0
2.0
0.0
-2.0
-4.0
% Change
Urban CPI
Food Urban
Non-Food Urban
NFNE Urban
Trimmed Urban
Oct-25
Nov-25
Dec-25
Jan-26
Feb-26
Mar-26
Apr-26
May-26
Jun-26
July-26
Aug-26
Sep-26
Oct-26


Figure 4: Rural Inflation - MoM, Special Indices
6.0
4.0
2.0
0.0
-2.0
-4.0
% Change
Rural CPI
Food Rural
Non-Food Rural
NFNE Rural
Trimmed Rural
Oct-25
Nov-25
Dec-25
Jan-26
Feb-26
Mar-26
Apr-26
May-26
Jun-26
July-26
Aug-26
Sep-26
Oct-26


Figure 5: CPI YoY (National, Urban, Rural)
14.0
12.0
10.0
8.0
6.0
4.0
2.0
NCPI
UCPI
RCPI
Oct-25
Nov-25
Dec-25
Jan-26
Feb-26
Mar-26
Apr-26
May-26
Jun-26
July-26
Aug-26
Sep-26
Oct-26


Figure 6: CPI MoM (National, Urban, Rural)
3.0
2.5
2.0
1.5
1.0
0.5
0.0
-0.5
-1.0
NCPI
UCPI
RCPI
Oct-25
Nov-25
Dec-25
Jan-26
Feb-26
Mar-26
Apr-26
May-26
Jun-26
July-26
Aug-26
Sep-26
Oct-26

# I. National Consumer Price Index (NCPI)

The **National Consumer Price Index** for **October 2026** is increased by **1.08%** over **September 2026** and increased by **9.61%** over corresponding month of the last year i.e. **October 2025**.

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

| No | Group | Group Weight (%) | Indices | | | % Change Oct 2026 Over | | Impact (In % points) Oct 2026 Over | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | Oct 26 | Sep 26 | Oct 25 | Sep 26 | Oct 25 | Sep 26 | Oct 25 |
| | **General** | **100.00** | **307.62** | **304.33** | **280.66** | **1.08** | **9.61** | **1.08** | **9.61** |
| 1. | Food & Non-alcoholic Bev. | 34.58 | 321.68 | 314.58 | 298.58 | 2.26 | 7.74 | 0.81 | 2.85 |
| | *Non-perishable Food Items* | 29.60 | 324.12 | 316.01 | 295.88 | 2.57 | 9.55 | 0.79 | 2.98 |
| | *Perishable Food Items* | 4.99 | 307.20 | 306.08 | 314.61 | 0.37 | -2.35 | 0.02 | -0.13 |
| 2. | Alcoholic Bev. & Tobacco | 1.02 | 410.70 | 410.23 | 398.10 | 0.11 | 3.16 | 0.00 | 0.05 |
| 3. | Clothing & Footwear | 8.60 | 291.16 | 289.66 | 266.67 | 0.52 | 9.19 | 0.04 | 0.75 |
| 4. | Housing, Water, Electricity, Gas & Fuels | 23.63 | 276.96 | 276.26 | 249.46 | 0.25 | 11.03 | 0.05 | 2.32 |
| 5. | Furnishing & Household Equipment Maintenance | 4.10 | 302.12 | 300.81 | 281.86 | 0.43 | 7.19 | 0.02 | 0.30 |
| 6. | Health | 2.79 | 304.13 | 301.51 | 281.37 | 0.87 | 8.09 | 0.02 | 0.23 |
| 7. | Transport | 5.91 | 411.25 | 404.02 | 319.76 | 1.79 | 28.61 | 0.14 | 1.93 |
| 8. | Communication | 2.21 | 153.81 | 153.72 | 135.62 | 0.06 | 13.41 | 0.00 | 0.14 |
| 9. | Recreation & Culture | 1.59 | 268.93 | 268.05 | 264.36 | 0.33 | 1.73 | 0.00 | 0.03 |
| 10. | Education | 3.79 | 241.56 | 240.79 | 223.61 | 0.32 | 8.03 | 0.01 | 0.24 |
| 11. | Restaurants & Hotels | 6.92 | 311.37 | 310.30 | 293.73 | 0.34 | 6.00 | 0.02 | 0.44 |
| 12. | Miscellaneous | 4.87 | 373.29 | 375.97 | 352.83 | -0.71 | 5.80 | -0.04 | 0.35 |

# II. Urban Consumer Price Index (UCPI)

The Urban Consumer Price Index for **October 2026** is increased by **0.81%** over **September 2026** and increased by **9.50%** over corresponding month of the last year i.e. **October 2025**.

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

| No | Group | Group Weight (%) | Indices | | | % Change Oct 2026 Over | | Impact (In % points) Oct 2026 Over | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | Oct 26 | Sep 26 | Oct 25 | Sep 26 | Oct 25 | Sep 26 | Oct 25 |
| | **General** | **100.00** | **302.53** | **300.11** | **276.28** | **0.81** | **9.50** | **0.81** | **9.50** |
| 1. | Food & Non-alcoholic Bev. | 30.42 | 317.09 | 311.67 | 293.61 | 1.74 | 8.00 | 0.55 | 2.59 |
| | *Non-perishable Food Items* | 25.97 | 319.66 | 312.51 | 291.64 | 2.29 | 9.61 | 0.62 | 2.63 |
| | *Perishable Food Items* | 4.46 | 302.11 | 306.81 | 305.11 | -1.53 | -0.98 | -0.07 | -0.05 |
| 2. | Alcoholic Bev. & Tobacco | 0.85 | 436.62 | 436.38 | 420.73 | 0.05 | 3.78 | 0.00 | 0.05 |
| 3. | Clothing & Footwear | 8.01 | 285.81 | 284.36 | 256.50 | 0.51 | 11.43 | 0.04 | 0.85 |
| 4. | Housing, Water, Electricity, Gas & Fuels | 27.03 | 281.08 | 280.79 | 259.29 | 0.10 | 8.40 | 0.03 | 2.13 |
| 5. | Furnishing & Household Equip. & Maintenance | 4.09 | 289.99 | 289.03 | 272.01 | 0.33 | 6.61 | 0.01 | 0.27 |
| 6. | Health | 2.31 | 303.10 | 301.57 | 282.04 | 0.51 | 7.47 | 0.01 | 0.18 |
| 7. | Transport | 6.14 | 410.67 | 403.03 | 314.95 | 1.90 | 30.39 | 0.16 | 2.13 |
| 8. | Communication | 2.35 | 159.93 | 159.90 | 138.97 | 0.02 | 15.08 | 0.00 | 0.18 |
| 9. | Recreation & Culture | 1.73 | 254.13 | 253.22 | 248.77 | 0.36 | 2.15 | 0.01 | 0.03 |
| 10. | Education | 4.88 | 233.13 | 232.18 | 216.38 | 0.41 | 7.74 | 0.02 | 0.30 |
| 11. | Restaurants & Hotels | 7.41 | 305.32 | 304.12 | 288.06 | 0.39 | 5.99 | 0.03 | 0.46 |
| 12. | Miscellaneous | 4.77 | 361.16 | 363.67 | 341.17 | -0.69 | 5.86 | -0.04 | 0.35 |

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. September, 2026 are given below:**

**FOOD**

***Increased*:** Chicken (19.38%), Pulse Gram (9.17%), Wheat (9.01%), Wheat Flour (7.54%), Fresh Vegetables (6.55%), Eggs (5.72%), Besan (5.54%), Gram Whole (4.19%), Fresh Fruits (2.70%), Wheat Products (2.27%), Pulse Mash (2.16%), Fish (1.42%), Dry Fruits (1.37%) and Pulse Masoor (1.29%).

***Decreased***: Tomatoes (31.63%), Onions (4.23%), Potatoes (4.04%), Sugar (2.17%), Pulse Moong (0.59%), Dessert Preparation (0.24%), Gur (0.11%) and Rice (0.06%).

**NON-FOOD:**

***Increased*:** Liquified Hydrocarbons (8.39%), Motor Fuel (3.00%), Cotton Cloth (1.22%), Plastic Products (0.97%), House Rent (0.94%), Drugs and Medicines (0.90%), Hosiry (0.70%), Accommodation Services (0.60%), Transport Services (0.55%), Recreation and Culture (0.54%), Household Equipments (0.50%) and Education (0.41%).

***Decreased:*** Electricity charges(3.31%).

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

**FOOD:**

***Increased*:** Onions (81.89%), Wheat (39.04%), Wheat Flour (34.27%), Chicken (20.30%), Wheat Products (15.64%), Fresh Fruits (15.04%), Meat (14.46%), Dry Fruits (11.69%), Bakery and Confectionary (11.45%), Milk Products (9.74%), Milk Fresh (7.77%) and Readymade Food (7.60%).

***Decreased***: Tomatoes (55.12%), Potatoes (31.54%), Sugar (21.8%), Eggs (19.05%), Pulse Masoor (9.25%), Beans (9.24%), Pulse Moong (8.96%), Gram Whole (7.63%), Gur (6.41%), Besan (5.81%) and Pulse Gram (3.88%).

**NON-FOOD:**

***Increased:*** Liquified Hydrocarbons (69.08%), Motor Fuel (41.29%), Motor Vehicle Tax (38.68%), Footwear (29.26%), Transport Services (26.56%), Postal Services (25.93%), Electricity Charges (22.85%), Communication Services (19.30%), Newspapers (14.84%) and Major Tools & Equipments (14.29%).

***Decreased:*** Nil

# III. Rural Consumer Price Index (RCPI)

The **Rural Consumer Price Index** for **October 2026** is increased by **1.49%** over **September 2026** and increased by **9.76%** over corresponding month of the last year i.e. **October 2025**.

| Table 3: Consumer Price Index (Rural) by Group of Commodities and Services (Base 2015-16) | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| No | Group | Group Weight (%) | Indices | | | % Change Oct 2026 Over | | Impact (In % points) Oct 2026 Over | |
| | | | Oct 26 | Sep 26 | Oct 25 | Sep 26 | Oct 25 | Sep 26 | Oct 25 |
| | **General** | **100.00** | **315.31** | **310.69** | **287.26** | **1.49** | **9.76** | **1.49** | **9.76** |
| 1. | Food & Non-alcoholic Bev. | 40.87 | 326.84 | 317.85 | 304.16 | 2.83 | 7.46 | 1.18 | 3.23 |
| | *Non-perishable Food Items* | *35.08* | 329.11 | 319.93 | 300.62 | 2.87 | 9.48 | 1.04 | 3.48 |
| | *Perishable Food Items* | *5.79* | 313.12 | 305.24 | 325.65 | 2.58 | -3.85 | 0.15 | -0.25 |
| 2. | Alcoholic Bev. & Tobacco | 1.28 | 384.56 | 383.87 | 375.29 | 0.18 | 2.47 | 0.00 | 0.04 |
| 3. | Clothing & Footwear | 9.48 | 297.99 | 296.42 | 279.63 | 0.53 | 6.57 | 0.05 | 0.61 |
| 4. | Housing, Water, Electricity, Gas & Fuels | 18.49 | 267.87 | 266.26 | 227.75 | 0.60 | 17.62 | 0.10 | 2.58 |
| 5. | Furnishing & Household Equip. & Maintenance | 4.10 | 320.37 | 318.54 | 296.68 | 0.57 | 7.99 | 0.02 | 0.34 |
| 6. | Health | 3.51 | 305.16 | 301.46 | 280.71 | 1.23 | 8.71 | 0.04 | 0.30 |
| 7. | Transport | 5.56 | 412.22 | 405.66 | 327.77 | 1.62 | 25.77 | 0.12 | 1.63 |
| 8. | Communication | 1.99 | 142.92 | 142.71 | 129.66 | 0.15 | 10.23 | 0.00 | 0.09 |
| 9. | Recreation & Culture | 1.38 | 297.00 | 296.19 | 293.93 | 0.27 | 1.04 | 0.00 | 0.01 |
| 10. | Education | 2.13 | 270.68 | 270.54 | 248.57 | 0.05 | 8.89 | 0.00 | 0.16 |
| 11. | Restaurants & Hotels | 6.19 | 322.30 | 321.47 | 303.98 | 0.26 | 6.03 | 0.02 | 0.39 |
| 12. | Miscellaneous | 5.02 | 390.71 | 393.63 | 369.58 | -0.74 | 5.72 | -0.05 | 0.37 |

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. September, 2026 are given below:**

**FOOD**

***Increased:*** Fresh Vegetables (19.59%), Chicken (16.91%), Fresh Fruits (9.43%), Wheat Flour (9.41%), Wheat (9.00%), Pulse Gram (8.30%), Besan (5.51%), Eggs (5.08%), Wheat Products (3.74%), Pulse Mash (3.34%), Gram Whole (2.74%), Pulse Masoor (2.25%), Dry Fruits (1.41%) and Pulse Moong (1.34%).

***Decreased:*** Tomatoes (29.63%), Potatoes (9.25%), Onions (6.51%), Gur (2.02%), Sugar (1.32%) and Rice (0.03%).

**NON-FOOD**

***Increased:*** Postal Services (33.33%), Liquified Hydrocarbons (4.41%), Motor Fuels (3.17%), Solid Fuel (2.00%), Footwear (1.80%), Construction Input Items (1.53%), Drugs and Medicines (1.38%), Medical Tests (1.33%), Garbage Collection (1.22%), Hospitals Services (1.17%) and Household Textiles (1.14%).

***Decreased:*** Electricity Charges (3.31%), Transport Services (0.51%) and Water Supply (0.01%).

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

**FOOD**

***Increased:*** Onions (87.21%), Wheat (37.16%), Wheat Flour (35.72%), Fresh Fruits (17.15%), Chicken (17.07%), Wheat Products (16.34%), Meat (10.22%), Butter (9.28%), Dry Fruits (9.15%), Vegetable Ghee (7.50%), Sweetmeat (7.29%), Bakery and Confectionary (6.79%), Fish (6.72%) and Milk Fresh (6.41%).

***Decreased:*** Tomatoes (55.83%), Potatoes (42.23%), Sugar (23.17%), Eggs (19.84%), Besan (9.61%), Gram Whole (8.98%), Pulse Masoor (8.30%), Gur (7.65%), Pulse Moong (6.97%), Beans (3.25%), Pulse Gram (2.37%), Condiments and Spices (1.67%), Rice (1.31%) and Honey (0.04%).

**Non-Food**

***Increased:*** Liquified Hydrocarbons (62.29%), Motor Fuels (43.51%), Motor Vehicle Tax (34.32%), Postal Services (33.33%), Electricity Charges (22.85%), Construction Input Items (19.73%), Solid Fuel (17.87%), Doctor Clinic Fee (16.44%), Newspapers (14.29%), Plastic Products (13.35%), Communication Services (12.43%), Water Supply (12.22%), Garbage Collection (11.49%), Medical Tests (11.30%) and Transport Services (10.81%).

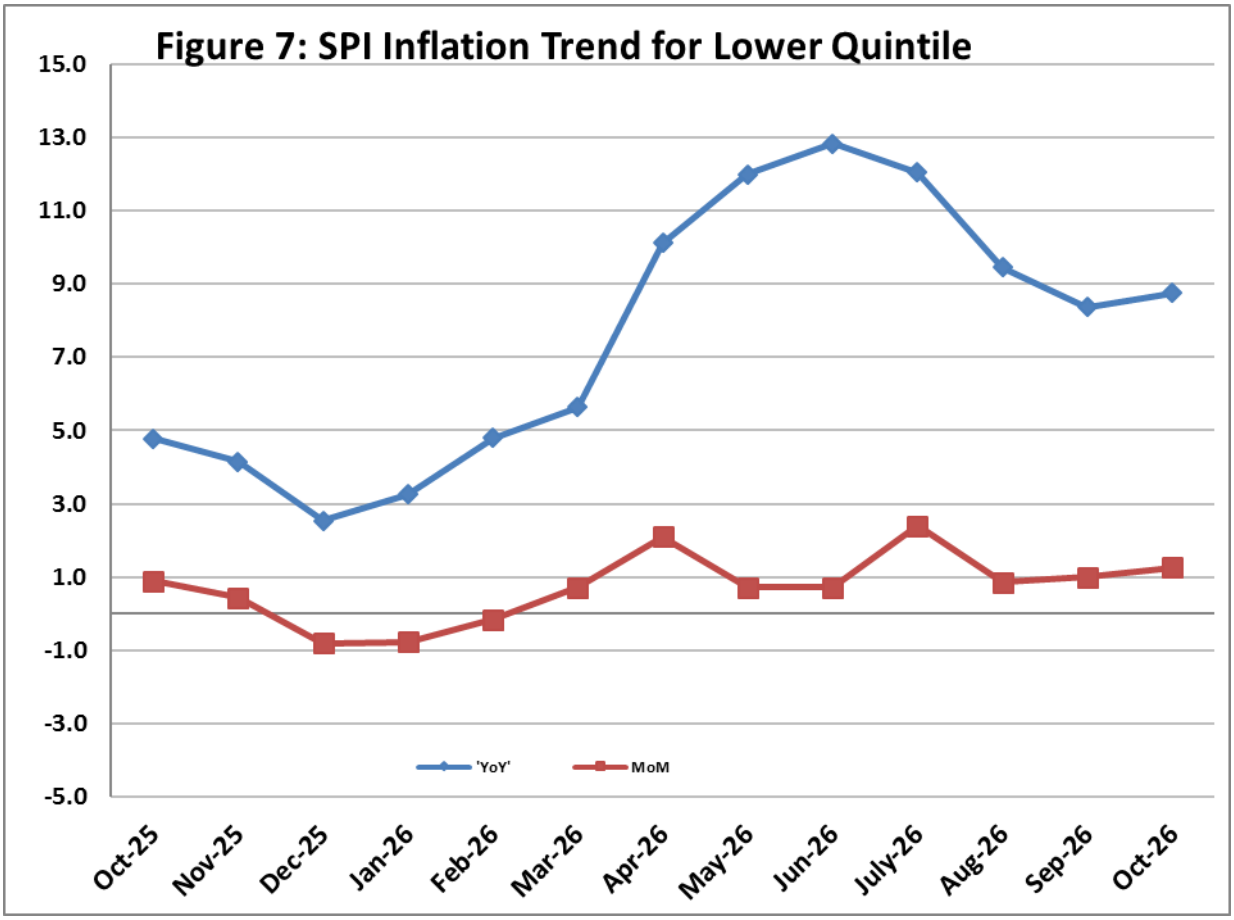
***Decreased:*** Nil

## IV. Sensitive Price Indicator (SPI)

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

| Table 4: Sensitive Price Indicator (Base 2015-16) | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Quintiles | Indices | | | % Change Oct 2026 Over | |
| | Oct 2026 | Sep 2026 | Oct 2025 | Sep 2026 | Oct 2025 |
| 1 | 356.61 | 352.18 | 327.93 | 1.26 | 8.75 |
| 2 | 359.98 | 353.90 | 325.58 | 1.72 | 10.57 |
| 3 | 380.76 | 375.25 | 348.15 | 1.47 | 9.37 |
| 4 | 368.16 | 362.80 | 335.10 | 1.48 | 9.87 |
| 5 | 372.50 | 365.14 | 331.64 | 2.02 | 12.32 |
| **Combined** | 372.61 | 365.71 | 333.67 | 1.89 | 11.67 |

| Table 4.1: Weekly Percentage Change of SPI During October 2026 | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Quintiles | % Change over Previous week | | | | |
| | 01-10-2026 | 08-10-2026 | 15-10-2026 | 22-10-2026 | 29-10-2026 |
| **Quintile 1** | 0.19 | 0.52 | -0.06 | 0.51 | -0.07 |
| **Combined** | 0.21 | 0.57 | -0.04 | 0.65 | -0.35 |



# V. Wholesale Price Index

The Wholesale Price Index for **October 2026** increased by **0.92%** over **September 2026** and increased by **13.79%** over the corresponding month of the last year i.e. **October, 2025**. YoY and MoM movements from October, 2025 to October, 2026 are also graphed below in Figure 8.

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

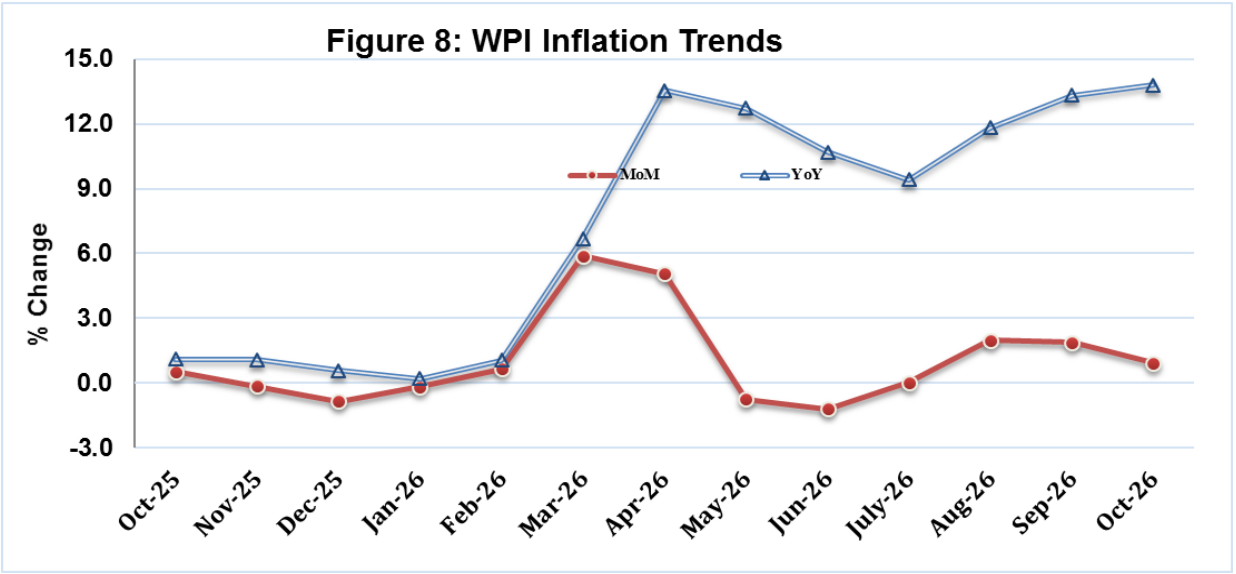
| No | Group | Group Weight (%) | Indices | | | % Change Oct 2026 Over | | Impact (In % points) Oct 2026 Over | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | Oct 26 | Sep 26 | Oct 25 | Sep 26 | Oct 25 | Sep 26 | Oct 25 |
| | **General** | **100.00** | **360.68** | **357.38** | **316.96** | **0.92** | **13.79** | **0.92** | **13.79** |
| 1 | Agriculture Forestry & Fishery | 25.77 | 303.13 | 304.16 | 284.94 | -0.34 | 6.38 | -0.07 | 1.48 |
| 2 | Ores/Minerals, Elec., Gas & Water | 12.01 | 372.00 | 374.51 | 356.22 | -0.67 | 4.43 | -0.08 | 0.60 |
| 3 | Food, Beverages, Tobacco, Textiles & Leather Products | 31.11 | 312.94 | 309.43 | 292.89 | 1.13 | 6.85 | 0.31 | 1.97 |
| | i. Food Products, Beverages & Tobacco | 20.07 | 340.48 | 335.09 | 314.00 | 1.61 | 8.43 | 0.30 | 1.68 |
| | ii. Textiles & Apparels | 10.33 | 266.09 | 266.01 | 259.70 | 0.03 | 2.46 | 0.00 | 0.21 |
| | iii. Leather Products | 0.71 | 215.99 | 215.99 | 179.03 | 0.00 | 20.64 | 0.00 | 0.08 |
| 4 | Other Transportable Goods | 22.40 | 466.30 | 453.96 | 336.35 | 2.72 | 38.64 | 0.77 | 9.18 |
| 5 | Metal Product, Machinery & Equipment | 8.72 | 414.28 | 414.12 | 393.66 | 0.04 | 5.24 | 0.00 | 0.57 |

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:** Poultry (22.76%), Furnace Oil (12.94%), Wheat (8.91%), Wheat Flour (8.30%), Other Cereal Flour (7.30%), Pulses (7.27%), Eggs (4.99%), Mineral Water (4.85%), Millet / Bajra (3.52%), Motor Spirit (3.56%), Stimulant & Spice Crops (3.40%), Kerosene Oil (3.03%), Meat of Animals (2.91%), Unmanufactured Tobacco (2.25%), Oil Cakes (1.94%) and Dry Fruits (1.89%).
**Decreased:** Edible Roots / Potatoes (6.38%), Sorghum / Jowar (5.76%), Fibre Crops (3.82%), Dried Fruits & Nuts (3.06%), Electrical Energy (2.55%), Vegetables (2.51%), Sugar Refined (2.41%), Diesel Oil (2.10%), Maize (1.44%) and Fresh Fruits (0.80%).

**YEAR-ON-YEAR: Top few commodities which varied from previous year are given below:**
**Increased:** Kerosene Oil (79.37%), Furnace Oil (74.55%), Diesel Oil (55.45%), Footwears (51.86%), Motor Spirit (47.14%), Wheat (39.72%), Wheat Flour (38.65%), Poultry (28.22%), Mobil Oil (28.11%), Raw Animal Materials / Wool (26.90%), Fibre Crops (19.97%), Sorghum / Jowar (18.96%), Chemicals (18.81%), Printing Paper (18.24%) and Sugar Confectionary (17.38%).
**Decreased:** Edible Roots / Potatoes (47.09%), Sugar Refined (23.54%), Stimulant & Spice Crops (23.46%), Eggs (20.03%), Vegetables (9.77%), Other Cereal Flour (8.06%), Pulses (7.86%), Dry Fruits (7.38%), Millet / Bajra (6.10%), Maize (2.09%), Sugar Crops (1.47%), Timber (1.27%) and Cotton Seeds (0.67%).

**Figure 8: WPI Inflation Trends**



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

| | Item and Specification | Weight | Index Numbers | | | % Change in Oct 2026 over | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | Oct 26 | Sep 26 | Oct 25 | Sep 2026 | | Oct 2025 | |
| | ***General*** | ***100.0000*** | ***302.53*** | ***300.11*** | ***276.28*** | ***+*** | ***0.81*** | ***+*** | ***9.50*** |
| | ***Food and non-alcoholic Beverages*** | ***30.4215*** | ***317.09*** | ***311.67*** | ***293.61*** | ***+*** | ***1.74*** | ***+*** | ***8.00*** |
| 01 | Wheat | 0.6120 | 400.28 | 367.21 | 287.88 | + | 9.01 | + | 39.04 |
| 02 | Wheat flour | 3.0075 | 369.24 | 343.36 | 275.00 | + | 7.54 | + | 34.27 |
| 03 | Wheat products | 0.0936 | 332.71 | 325.32 | 287.70 | + | 2.27 | + | 15.64 |
| 04 | Besan | 0.0830 | 234.97 | 222.63 | 249.47 | + | 5.54 | - | 5.81 |
| 05 | Rice | 1.1804 | 339.53 | 339.72 | 330.87 | - | 0.06 | + | 2.62 |
| 06 | Bakery and confectionary | 0.4770 | 301.85 | 299.53 | 270.83 | + | 0.77 | + | 11.45 |
| 07 | Nimco | 0.1224 | 323.67 | 319.08 | 302.11 | + | 1.44 | + | 7.14 |
| 08 | Meat | 2.0411 | 401.31 | 399.80 | 350.61 | + | 0.38 | + | 14.46 |
| 09 | Chicken | 1.3631 | 276.59 | 231.68 | 229.92 | + | 19.38 | + | 20.30 |
| 10 | Fish | 0.3855 | 227.47 | 224.28 | 219.45 | + | 1.42 | + | 3.65 |
| 11 | Milk fresh | 7.1070 | 289.08 | 288.42 | 268.25 | + | 0.23 | + | 7.77 |
| 12 | Milk products | 0.6407 | 295.46 | 293.04 | 269.24 | + | 0.83 | + | 9.74 |
| 13 | Milk powder | 0.3106 | 339.72 | 339.53 | 320.03 | + | 0.06 | + | 6.15 |
| 14 | Eggs | 0.5083 | 305.00 | 288.49 | 376.76 | + | 5.72 | - | 19.05 |
| 15 | Butter | 0.0932 | 505.52 | 503.47 | 487.80 | + | 0.41 | + | 3.63 |
| 16 | Mustard oil | 0.0120 | 324.65 | 323.21 | 312.24 | + | 0.45 | + | 3.97 |
| 17 | Cooking oil | 1.1016 | 350.32 | 350.19 | 328.02 | + | 0.04 | + | 6.80 |
| 18 | Vegetable ghee | 1.0324 | 371.54 | 371.23 | 350.45 | + | 0.08 | + | 6.02 |
| 19 | Dry fruits | 0.3299 | 334.81 | 330.27 | 299.77 | + | 1.37 | + | 11.69 |
| 20 | Fresh fruits | 1.4363 | 259.86 | 253.04 | 225.89 | + | 2.70 | + | 15.04 |
| 21 | Pulse masoor | 0.1624 | 181.23 | 178.93 | 199.70 | + | 1.29 | - | 9.25 |
| 22 | Pulse moong | 0.1697 | 216.12 | 217.40 | 237.40 | - | 0.59 | - | 8.96 |
| 23 | Pulse mash | 0.1152 | 198.72 | 194.52 | 185.86 | + | 2.16 | + | 6.92 |
| 24 | Pulse gram | 0.1660 | 237.69 | 217.73 | 247.29 | + | 9.17 | - | 3.88 |
| 25 | Gram whole | 0.0912 | 247.18 | 237.23 | 267.59 | + | 4.19 | - | 7.63 |
| 26 | Beans | 0.0408 | 324.06 | 321.07 | 357.07 | + | 0.93 | - | 9.24 |
| 27 | Potatoes | 0.4496 | 229.04 | 238.69 | 334.57 | - | 4.04 | - | 31.54 |
| 28 | Onions | 0.5928 | 445.94 | 465.66 | 245.17 | - | 4.23 | + | 81.89 |
| 29 | Tomatoes | 0.3459 | 288.89 | 422.53 | 643.69 | - | 31.63 | - | 55.12 |
| 30 | Fresh vegetables | 1.5306 | 311.56 | 292.41 | 311.02 | + | 6.55 | + | 0.17 |
| 31 | Sugar | 1.1130 | 230.24 | 235.35 | 294.42 | - | 2.17 | - | 21.80 |
| 32 | Gur | 0.0379 | 265.30 | 265.59 | 283.46 | - | 0.11 | - | 6.41 |
| 33 | Honey | 0.1017 | 222.68 | 222.68 | 222.62 | + | 0.00 | + | 0.03 |
| 34 | Sweetmeat | 0.3535 | 352.54 | 352.26 | 333.14 | + | 0.08 | + | 5.82 |
| 35 | Ice cream | 0.1044 | 232.57 | 224.30 | 199.68 | + | 3.69 | + | 16.47 |
| 36 | Condiments and Spices | 1.3340 | 388.74 | 386.29 | 375.91 | + | 0.63 | + | 3.41 |
| 37 | Dessert preparation | 0.0419 | 313.69 | 314.44 | 300.37 | - | 0.24 | + | 4.43 |
| 38 | Tea | 0.8427 | 287.35 | 286.89 | 273.67 | + | 0.16 | + | 5.00 |
| 39 | Beverages | 0.8906 | 273.53 | 272.78 | 260.89 | + | 0.27 | + | 4.84 |
| | ***Alcoholic Beverages, Tobacco*** | ***0.8540*** | ***436.62*** | ***436.38*** | ***420.73*** | ***+*** | ***0.05*** | ***+*** | ***3.78*** |
| 40 | Cigarettes | 0.7167 | 422.27 | 422.19 | 411.78 | + | 0.02 | + | 2.55 |
| 41 | Pan prepared | 0.1373 | 511.54 | 510.46 | 467.46 | + | 0.21 | + | 9.43 |
| | ***Clothing and footwear*** | ***8.0096*** | ***285.81*** | ***284.36*** | ***256.50*** | ***+*** | ***0.51*** | ***+*** | ***11.43*** |
| 42 | Cotton cloth | 2.2227 | 319.50 | 315.65 | 299.86 | + | 1.22 | + | 6.55 |
| 43 | Woollen cloth | 0.8361 | 270.25 | 269.91 | 244.87 | + | 0.13 | + | 10.36 |
| 44 | Readymade garments | 1.3196 | 235.27 | 234.76 | 223.65 | + | 0.22 | + | 5.20 |
| 45 | Woollen readymade garments | 0.4307 | 274.68 | 274.02 | 257.61 | + | 0.24 | + | 6.63 |
| 46 | Tailoring | 1.0741 | 269.64 | 268.73 | 240.93 | + | 0.34 | + | 11.92 |
| 47 | Hosiery | 0.4070 | 250.89 | 249.15 | 240.18 | + | 0.70 | + | 4.46 |
| 48 | Dupatta | 0.1713 | 224.51 | 224.27 | 206.21 | + | 0.11 | + | 8.87 |
| 49 | Cleaning and laundering | 0.0665 | 300.62 | 299.42 | 276.81 | + | 0.40 | + | 8.60 |
| 50 | Footwear | 1.4816 | 320.04 | 320.03 | 247.60 | + | 0.00 | + | 29.26 |
| | ***Housing, water, Elec., Gas and other Fuels*** | ***27.0332*** | ***281.08*** | ***280.79*** | ***259.29*** | ***+*** | ***0.10*** | ***+*** | ***8.40*** |
| 51 | House rent | 19.2558 | 185.29 | 183.56 | 175.49 | + | 0.94 | + | 5.58 |
| 52 | Construction input items | 0.3765 | 287.55 | 286.73 | 269.81 | + | 0.29 | + | 6.57 |
| 53 | Construction wage rates | 0.2025 | 250.92 | 250.48 | 228.68 | + | 0.18 | + | 9.73 |
| 54 | Water supply | 0.5269 | 260.36 | 260.19 | 231.40 | + | 0.07 | + | 12.52 |
| 55 | Garbage collection | 0.1064 | 276.38 | 275.90 | 265.81 | + | 0.17 | + | 3.98 |
| 56 | Electricity charges | 4.5562 | 300.21 | 310.50 | 244.37 | - | 3.31 | + | 22.85 |
| 57 | Gas charges | 1.0807 | 1817.96 | 1817.96 | 1817.96 | + | 0.00 | + | 0.00 |

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

| | Item and Specification | Weight | Index Numbers | | | % Change in Oct 2026 over | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | Oct 26 | Sep 26 | Oct 25 | Sep 2026 | | Oct 2025 | |
| 58 | Liquefied Hydrocarbons | 0.5064 | 525.92 | 485.19 | 311.04 | + | 8.39 | + | 69.08 |
| 59 | Solid Fuel | 0.4218 | 251.61 | 250.77 | 228.56 | + | 0.33 | + | 10.08 |
| | ***Furnishing and household equipments*** | ***4.0937*** | ***289.99*** | ***289.03*** | ***272.01*** | **+** | ***0.33*** | **+** | ***6.61*** |
| 60 | Furniture and furnishing | 0.4750 | 278.33 | 277.31 | 263.79 | + | 0.37 | + | 5.51 |
| 61 | Carpets | 0.0308 | 159.85 | 159.67 | 154.92 | + | 0.11 | + | 3.18 |
| 62 | Household textiles | 0.3420 | 217.71 | 217.00 | 212.86 | + | 0.33 | + | 2.28 |
| 63 | Household equipments | 1.0032 | 295.20 | 293.74 | 276.53 | + | 0.50 | + | 6.75 |
| 64 | Plastic products | 0.0536 | 252.96 | 250.52 | 233.69 | + | 0.97 | + | 8.25 |
| 65 | Major tools & equipments | 0.0084 | 288.20 | 287.60 | 252.17 | + | 0.21 | + | 14.29 |
| 66 | Washing soap/detergents/match | 1.4112 | 351.86 | 351.08 | 325.05 | + | 0.22 | + | 8.25 |
| 67 | Household servant | 0.7695 | 216.84 | 216.22 | 207.79 | + | 0.29 | + | 4.36 |
| | ***Health*** | ***2.3098*** | ***303.10*** | ***301.57*** | ***282.04*** | **+** | ***0.51*** | **+** | ***7.47*** |
| 68 | Drugs and medicines | 1.0735 | 328.34 | 325.40 | 303.89 | + | 0.90 | + | 8.05 |
| 69 | Therapeutic Appliances and Equipments | 0.0054 | 158.73 | 158.42 | 156.04 | + | 0.20 | + | 1.72 |
| 70 | Doctor (MBBS) clinic fee | 0.4044 | 381.12 | 381.02 | 353.99 | + | 0.03 | + | 7.66 |
| 71 | Dental services | 0.0156 | 243.85 | 243.33 | 233.79 | + | 0.21 | + | 4.30 |
| 72 | Medical tests | 0.2367 | 238.20 | 237.45 | 217.81 | + | 0.32 | + | 9.36 |
| 73 | Hospitals services | 0.5742 | 230.67 | 230.44 | 219.47 | + | 0.10 | + | 5.10 |
| | ***Transport*** | ***6.1368*** | ***410.67*** | ***403.03*** | ***314.95*** | **+** | ***1.90*** | **+** | ***30.39*** |
| 74 | Motor vehicles | 0.8097 | 268.13 | 268.13 | 267.42 | + | 0.00 | + | 0.27 |
| 75 | Motor vehicle accessories | 0.1941 | 275.22 | 274.79 | 266.57 | + | 0.16 | + | 3.24 |
| 76 | Motor fuel | 2.9088 | 511.30 | 496.41 | 361.89 | + | 3.00 | + | 41.29 |
| 77 | Mechanical services | 0.4290 | 271.84 | 271.52 | 241.07 | + | 0.12 | + | 12.76 |
| 78 | Motor vehicle tax | 0.0482 | 553.65 | 553.65 | 399.23 | + | 0.00 | + | 38.68 |
| 79 | Transport services | 1.7470 | 354.37 | 352.44 | 280.01 | + | 0.55 | + | 26.56 |
| | ***Communication*** | ***2.3536*** | ***159.93*** | ***159.90*** | ***138.97*** | **+** | ***0.02*** | **+** | ***15.08*** |
| 80 | Postal services | 0.0190 | 300.10 | 298.88 | 238.31 | + | 0.41 | + | 25.93 |
| 81 | Communication apparatus | 0.4524 | 196.24 | 196.17 | 190.66 | + | 0.04 | + | 2.93 |
| 82 | Communication Services | 1.8822 | 149.78 | 149.78 | 125.55 | + | 0.00 | + | 19.30 |
| | ***Recreation and culture*** | ***1.7301*** | ***254.13*** | ***253.22*** | ***248.77*** | **+** | ***0.36*** | **+** | ***2.15*** |
| 83 | Recreation and culture | 0.6478 | 158.97 | 158.11 | 155.07 | + | 0.54 | + | 2.51 |
| 84 | Text books | 0.6655 | 299.81 | 298.85 | 297.49 | + | 0.32 | + | 0.78 |
| 85 | Newspapers | 0.0716 | 278.85 | 278.85 | 242.82 | + | 0.00 | + | 14.84 |
| 86 | stationery | 0.3452 | 339.50 | 338.39 | 331.92 | + | 0.33 | + | 2.28 |
| | ***Education*** | ***4.8807*** | ***233.13*** | ***232.18*** | ***216.38*** | **+** | ***0.41*** | **+** | ***7.74*** |
| 87 | Education | 4.8807 | 233.13 | 232.18 | 216.38 | + | 0.41 | + | 7.74 |
| | ***Restaurants and hotels*** | ***7.4050*** | ***305.32*** | ***304.12*** | ***288.06*** | **+** | ***0.39*** | **+** | ***5.99*** |
| 88 | Readymade food | 5.5235 | 317.76 | 316.24 | 295.32 | + | 0.48 | + | 7.60 |
| 89 | Marriage Hall Charges | 1.7514 | 273.85 | 273.68 | 273.01 | + | 0.06 | + | 0.31 |
| 90 | Accommodation Services | 0.1301 | 200.63 | 199.44 | 182.00 | + | 0.60 | + | 10.24 |
| | ***Misc. goods and services*** | ***4.7720*** | ***361.16*** | ***363.67*** | ***341.17*** | **-** | ***0.69*** | **+** | ***5.86*** |
| 91 | Personal Grooming Services | 0.8001 | 285.23 | 284.74 | 273.18 | + | 0.17 | + | 4.41 |
| 92 | Electrical Appliances for Per | 0.0465 | 199.24 | 199.18 | 191.11 | + | 0.03 | + | 4.25 |
| 93 | Appliances/Articles/Products | 2.9807 | 308.39 | 306.77 | 289.78 | + | 0.53 | + | 6.42 |
| 94 | Personal Effects n.e.c. | 0.9447 | 599.94 | 618.14 | 568.27 | - | 2.94 | + | 5.57 |

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

| | Item and Specification | Weight | Index Numbers | | | % Change in Oct 2026 over | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | Oct 26 | Sep 26 | Oct 25 | | Sep 2026 | | Oct 2025 |
| | ***General*** | ***100.0000*** | ***315.31*** | ***310.69*** | ***287.26*** | ***+*** | ***1.49*** | ***+*** | ***9.76*** |
| | ***Food and non-alcoholic Beverages*** | ***40.8668*** | ***326.84*** | ***317.85*** | ***304.16*** | ***+*** | ***2.83*** | ***+*** | ***7.46*** |
| 01 | Wheat | 3.4736 | 404.32 | 370.92 | 294.77 | + | 9.00 | + | 37.16 |
| 02 | Wheat Flour | 3.4297 | 396.58 | 362.48 | 292.21 | + | 9.41 | + | 35.72 |
| 03 | Wheat Products | 0.1068 | 338.85 | 326.64 | 291.27 | + | 3.74 | + | 16.34 |
| 04 | Besan | 0.0728 | 246.91 | 234.02 | 273.16 | + | 5.51 | - | 9.61 |
| 05 | Rice | 1.5501 | 427.54 | 427.67 | 433.22 | - | 0.03 | - | 1.31 |
| 06 | Bakery and Confectionary | 0.3702 | 338.21 | 336.11 | 316.71 | + | 0.62 | + | 6.79 |
| 07 | Nimco | 0.0774 | 322.36 | 321.02 | 309.10 | + | 0.42 | + | 4.29 |
| 08 | Meat | 1.7146 | 413.62 | 410.89 | 375.28 | + | 0.66 | + | 10.22 |
| 09 | Chicken | 1.4641 | 292.65 | 250.32 | 249.97 | + | 16.91 | + | 17.07 |
| 10 | Fish | 0.2640 | 242.00 | 240.90 | 226.77 | + | 0.46 | + | 6.72 |
| 11 | Milk fresh | 10.3803 | 287.11 | 287.11 | 269.82 | + | 0.00 | + | 6.41 |
| 12 | Milk products | 0.9624 | 280.80 | 280.39 | 264.51 | + | 0.15 | + | 6.16 |
| 13 | Milk powder | 0.1062 | 303.81 | 302.96 | 295.25 | + | 0.28 | + | 2.90 |
| 14 | Eggs | 0.5665 | 289.57 | 275.58 | 361.23 | + | 5.08 | - | 19.84 |
| 15 | Butter | 0.3333 | 346.63 | 343.53 | 317.20 | + | 0.90 | + | 9.28 |
| 16 | Mustard oil | 0.0136 | 351.08 | 350.56 | 334.60 | + | 0.15 | + | 4.93 |
| 17 | Cooking oil | 0.6011 | 386.61 | 384.55 | 367.03 | + | 0.54 | + | 5.33 |
| 18 | Vegetable ghee | 2.3764 | 410.84 | 409.64 | 382.16 | + | 0.29 | + | 7.50 |
| 19 | Dry fruits | 0.2496 | 402.81 | 397.19 | 369.04 | + | 1.41 | + | 9.15 |
| 20 | Fresh fruits | 1.4505 | 268.46 | 245.32 | 229.16 | + | 9.43 | + | 17.15 |
| 21 | Pulse Masoor | 0.2076 | 207.70 | 203.12 | 226.51 | + | 2.25 | - | 8.30 |
| 22 | Pulse Moong | 0.2510 | 238.27 | 235.11 | 256.12 | + | 1.34 | - | 6.97 |
| 23 | Pulse Mash | 0.1465 | 202.84 | 196.29 | 196.66 | + | 3.34 | + | 3.14 |
| 24 | Pulse Gram | 0.2751 | 247.23 | 228.29 | 253.23 | + | 8.30 | - | 2.37 |
| 25 | Gram Whole | 0.1116 | 260.90 | 253.94 | 286.65 | + | 2.74 | - | 8.98 |
| 26 | Beans | 0.0896 | 384.72 | 381.59 | 397.64 | + | 0.82 | - | 3.25 |
| 27 | Potatoes | 0.7437 | 222.73 | 245.44 | 385.52 | - | 9.25 | - | 42.23 |
| 28 | Onions | 0.8965 | 433.58 | 463.76 | 231.60 | - | 6.51 | + | 87.21 |
| 29 | Tomatoes | 0.5069 | 281.37 | 399.83 | 637.00 | - | 29.63 | - | 55.83 |
| 30 | Fresh Vegetables | 2.0947 | 334.00 | 279.28 | 331.14 | + | 19.59 | + | 0.86 |
| 31 | Sugar | 2.0296 | 232.08 | 235.18 | 302.07 | - | 1.32 | - | 23.17 |
| 32 | Gur | 0.1522 | 260.67 | 266.04 | 282.27 | - | 2.02 | - | 7.65 |
| 33 | Honey | 0.0296 | 227.58 | 226.68 | 227.67 | + | 0.40 | - | 0.04 |
| 34 | Sweetmeat | 0.3967 | 320.24 | 320.24 | 298.47 | + | 0.00 | + | 7.29 |
| 35 | Ice Cream | 0.0568 | 221.65 | 219.77 | 198.80 | + | 0.86 | + | 11.49 |
| 36 | Condiments and Spices | 1.4919 | 296.28 | 294.39 | 301.30 | + | 0.64 | - | 1.67 |
| 37 | Dessert Preparation | 0.0133 | 302.24 | 302.16 | 294.88 | + | 0.03 | + | 2.50 |
| 38 | Tea | 1.2566 | 277.29 | 276.90 | 271.09 | + | 0.14 | + | 2.29 |
| 39 | Beverages | 0.5537 | 263.10 | 262.98 | 254.91 | + | 0.05 | + | 3.21 |
| | ***Alcoholic Beverages, Tobacco*** | ***1.2786*** | ***384.56*** | ***383.87*** | ***375.29*** | ***+*** | ***0.18*** | ***+*** | ***2.47*** |
| 40 | Cigarettes | 1.2364 | 383.74 | 383.09 | 375.16 | + | 0.17 | + | 2.29 |
| 41 | Pan Prepared | 0.0422 | 408.83 | 406.83 | 379.08 | + | 0.49 | + | 7.85 |
| | ***Clothing and footwear*** | ***9.4826*** | ***297.99*** | ***296.42*** | ***279.63*** | ***+*** | ***0.53*** | ***+*** | ***6.57*** |
| 42 | Cotton Cloth | 2.8381 | 322.43 | 321.81 | 305.70 | + | 0.19 | + | 5.47 |
| 43 | Woollen Cloth | 1.0959 | 293.47 | 293.41 | 271.28 | + | 0.02 | + | 8.18 |
| 44 | Readymade Garments | 1.1345 | 275.14 | 272.92 | 262.49 | + | 0.81 | + | 4.82 |
| 45 | Woollen Readymade Garments | 0.5401 | 336.57 | 334.48 | 313.83 | + | 0.62 | + | 7.25 |
| 46 | Tailoring | 1.2999 | 284.43 | 284.43 | 261.46 | + | 0.00 | + | 8.79 |
| 47 | Hosiery | 0.4322 | 367.30 | 366.61 | 351.38 | + | 0.19 | + | 4.53 |
| 48 | Dupatta | 0.2078 | 286.46 | 285.72 | 257.83 | + | 0.26 | + | 11.10 |
| 49 | Cleaning and Laundering | 0.0176 | 272.21 | 270.41 | 264.46 | + | 0.67 | + | 2.93 |
| 50 | Footwear | 1.9165 | 262.07 | 257.43 | 244.97 | + | 1.80 | + | 6.98 |
| | ***Housing, water, Elec., Gas and other Fuels*** | ***18.4853*** | ***267.87*** | ***266.26*** | ***227.75*** | ***+*** | ***0.60*** | ***+*** | ***17.62*** |
| 51 | House Rent | 8.6110 | 196.76 | 195.20 | 184.43 | + | 0.80 | + | 6.69 |
| 52 | Construction Input Items | 0.6306 | 309.76 | 305.09 | 258.71 | + | 1.53 | + | 19.73 |
| 53 | Construction Wage Rates | 0.2526 | 268.07 | 267.20 | 248.08 | + | 0.33 | + | 8.06 |
| 54 | Water Supply | 0.0645 | 365.52 | 365.56 | 325.72 | - | 0.01 | + | 12.22 |
| 55 | Garbage Collection | 0.0080 | 227.84 | 225.10 | 204.36 | + | 1.22 | + | 11.49 |
| 56 | Electricity Charges | 3.4431 | 300.21 | 310.50 | 244.37 | - | 3.31 | + | 22.85 |
| 57 | Liquefied Hydrocarbons | 0.9994 | 473.70 | 453.71 | 291.89 | + | 4.41 | + | 62.29 |
| 58 | Solid Fuel | 4.4761 | 326.60 | 320.19 | 277.08 | + | 2.00 | + | 17.87 |

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

| | Item and Specification | Weight | Index Numbers | | | % Change in Oct 2026 over | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | Oct 26 | Sep 26 | Oct 25 | Sep 2026 | | Oct 2025 | |
| | ***Furnishing and household equipments*** | ***4.1031*** | ***320.37*** | ***318.54*** | ***296.68*** | ***+*** | ***0.57*** | ***+*** | ***7.99*** |
| 59 | Furniture and Furnishing | 0.5786 | 310.02 | 310.02 | 295.39 | + | 0.00 | + | 4.95 |
| 60 | Household Textiles | 0.4382 | 269.79 | 266.75 | 247.48 | + | 1.14 | + | 9.01 |
| 61 | Household Equipments | 1.2774 | 313.03 | 312.24 | 297.64 | + | 0.25 | + | 5.17 |
| 62 | Plastic Products | 0.0776 | 348.13 | 346.03 | 307.14 | + | 0.61 | + | 13.35 |
| 63 | Major Tools and Equipments | 0.0324 | 259.22 | 258.68 | 248.06 | + | 0.21 | + | 4.50 |
| 64 | Washing Soaps, Detergents and | 1.6989 | 342.35 | 339.42 | 309.54 | + | 0.86 | + | 10.60 |
| | ***Health*** | ***3.5141*** | ***305.16*** | ***301.46*** | ***280.71*** | ***+*** | ***1.23*** | ***+*** | ***8.71*** |
| 65 | Drugs and Medicines | 1.5792 | 346.96 | 342.24 | 330.00 | + | 1.38 | + | 5.14 |
| 66 | Doctor Clinic Fee | 0.5128 | 384.98 | 381.76 | 330.62 | + | 0.84 | + | 16.44 |
| 67 | Dental Services | 0.0181 | 274.99 | 274.10 | 254.82 | + | 0.32 | + | 7.92 |
| 68 | Medical Tests | 0.3967 | 267.04 | 263.54 | 239.92 | + | 1.33 | + | 11.30 |
| 69 | Hospitals Services | 1.0073 | 214.57 | 212.08 | 194.55 | + | 1.17 | + | 10.29 |
| | ***Transport*** | ***5.5580*** | ***412.22*** | ***405.66*** | ***327.77*** | ***+*** | ***1.62*** | ***+*** | ***25.77*** |
| 70 | Motor Vehicles | 0.7305 | 195.01 | 194.99 | 194.76 | + | 0.01 | + | 0.13 |
| 71 | Motor Vehicles Accessories | 0.1572 | 279.29 | 278.88 | 274.25 | + | 0.15 | + | 1.84 |
| 72 | Motor Fuels | 2.4932 | 522.06 | 506.01 | 363.78 | + | 3.17 | + | 43.51 |
| 73 | Mechanical Services | 0.3645 | 240.24 | 240.24 | 232.83 | + | 0.00 | + | 3.18 |
| 74 | Motor Vehicle Tax | 0.0174 | 459.43 | 459.43 | 342.03 | + | 0.00 | + | 34.32 |
| 75 | Transport Services | 1.7952 | 394.16 | 396.17 | 355.72 | - | 0.51 | + | 10.81 |
| | ***Communication*** | ***1.9940*** | ***142.92*** | ***142.71*** | ***129.66*** | ***+*** | ***0.15*** | ***+*** | ***10.23*** |
| 76 | Postal Services | 0.0070 | 239.09 | 179.32 | 179.32 | + | 33.33 | + | 33.33 |
| 77 | Communication Apparatus | 0.3362 | 170.46 | 170.46 | 167.40 | + | 0.00 | + | 1.83 |
| 78 | Communication Services | 1.6508 | 136.90 | 136.90 | 121.76 | + | 0.00 | + | 12.43 |
| | ***Recreation and culture*** | ***1.3764*** | ***297.00*** | ***296.19*** | ***293.93*** | ***+*** | ***0.27*** | ***+*** | ***1.04*** |
| 79 | Recreation and Culture | 0.4763 | 260.43 | 260.43 | 260.32 | + | 0.00 | + | 0.04 |
| 80 | Text Books | 0.5047 | 306.39 | 305.04 | 305.32 | + | 0.44 | + | 0.35 |
| 81 | Newspapers | 0.0230 | 323.36 | 323.36 | 282.94 | + | 0.00 | + | 14.29 |
| 82 | Stationery | 0.3724 | 329.42 | 328.24 | 322.16 | + | 0.36 | + | 2.25 |
| | ***Education*** | ***2.1342*** | ***270.68*** | ***270.54*** | ***248.57*** | ***+*** | ***0.05*** | ***+*** | ***8.89*** |
| 83 | Education | 2.1342 | 270.68 | 270.54 | 248.57 | + | 0.05 | + | 8.89 |
| | ***Restaurants and hotels*** | ***6.1895*** | ***322.30*** | ***321.47*** | ***303.98*** | ***+*** | ***0.26*** | ***+*** | ***6.03*** |
| 84 | Readymade Food | 3.8001 | 349.81 | 349.38 | 330.68 | + | 0.12 | + | 5.79 |
| 85 | Marriage Hall Charges | 2.2525 | 288.57 | 287.01 | 270.53 | + | 0.54 | + | 6.67 |
| 86 | Accommodation Services | 0.1369 | 113.48 | 113.48 | 113.40 | + | 0.00 | + | 0.07 |
| | ***Misc. goods and services*** | ***5.0174*** | ***390.71*** | ***393.63*** | ***369.58*** | ***-*** | ***0.74*** | ***+*** | ***5.72*** |
| 87 | Personal Grooming Services | 1.5363 | 353.73 | 352.70 | 322.90 | + | 0.29 | + | 9.55 |
| 88 | Appliances/Articles/Products | 2.2746 | 282.41 | 281.32 | 268.72 | + | 0.39 | + | 5.09 |
| 89 | Personal Effects n.e.c. | 1.2065 | 642.00 | 657.50 | 619.18 | - | 2.36 | + | 3.69 |

**Annexure C:Wholesale Price Indices by Major Groups & Commodities (2015-16=100)**

| | Item and Specification | Weight | Index Numbers | | | % Change in Oct 2026 over | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | Oct 26 | Sep 26 | Oct 25 | | Sep 2026 | | Oct 2025 |
| | ***General*** | ***100.0000*** | ***360.68*** | ***357.38*** | ***316.96*** | ***+*** | ***0.92*** | ***+*** | ***13.79*** |
| | ***Agriculture Forestry & Fishery*** | ***25.7674*** | ***303.13*** | ***304.16*** | ***284.94*** | ***-*** | ***0.34*** | ***+*** | ***6.38*** |
| 001 | Wheat | 0.6297 | 402.22 | 369.31 | 287.88 | + | 8.91 | + | 39.72 |
| 002 | Maize | 0.6764 | 311.22 | 315.77 | 317.85 | - | 1.44 | - | 2.09 |
| 003 | Rice | 2.4413 | 331.16 | 331.77 | 329.85 | - | 0.18 | + | 0.40 |
| 004 | Sorghum / Jowar | 0.0214 | 423.35 | 449.22 | 355.88 | - | 5.76 | + | 18.96 |
| 005 | Millet / Bajra | 0.0374 | 301.65 | 291.38 | 321.24 | + | 3.52 | - | 6.10 |
| 006 | Vegetables | 1.2441 | 437.65 | 448.92 | 485.04 | - | 2.51 | - | 9.77 |
| 007 | Fresh Fruits | 1.5144 | 270.15 | 272.33 | 253.44 | - | 0.80 | + | 6.59 |
| 008 | Dry Fruits | 0.2478 | 361.32 | 354.62 | 390.11 | + | 1.89 | - | 7.38 |
| 009 | Cotton Seeds | 1.1511 | 188.48 | 187.32 | 189.75 | + | 0.62 | - | 0.67 |
| 010 | Other Oil Seeds | 0.0722 | 302.59 | 302.46 | 296.92 | + | 0.04 | + | 1.91 |
| 011 | Edible Roots / Potatoes | 0.2540 | 217.09 | 231.89 | 410.28 | - | 6.38 | - | 47.09 |
| 012 | Stimulant & Spice Crops | 0.1634 | 323.67 | 313.02 | 422.90 | + | 3.40 | - | 23.46 |
| 013 | Pulses | 0.4901 | 239.99 | 223.72 | 260.45 | + | 7.27 | - | 7.86 |
| 014 | Sugar Crops | 1.0725 | 355.12 | 355.12 | 360.42 | + | 0.00 | - | 1.47 |
| 015 | Fibre Crops | 5.3169 | 347.80 | 361.61 | 289.90 | - | 3.82 | + | 19.97 |
| 016 | Unmanufactured Tobacco | 0.0742 | 587.89 | 574.98 | 554.20 | + | 2.25 | + | 6.08 |
| 017 | Poultry | 0.5633 | 278.99 | 227.27 | 217.59 | + | 22.76 | + | 28.22 |
| 018 | Raw Milk from Bovine Animals | 7.0279 | 279.53 | 279.52 | 254.94 | + | 0.00 | + | 9.65 |
| 019 | Eggs | 0.5034 | 304.01 | 289.57 | 380.16 | + | 4.99 | - | 20.03 |
| 020 | Raw Animal Materials / Wool | 0.0351 | 326.53 | 326.53 | 257.31 | + | 0.00 | + | 26.90 |
| 021 | Hides, Skins & Fur Skins, Raw | 0.4834 | 64.59 | 64.41 | 59.50 | + | 0.28 | + | 8.55 |
| 022 | Fuel Wood in Logs | 0.0179 | 248.34 | 246.57 | 216.92 | + | 0.72 | + | 14.48 |
| 023 | Fish Live Fresh or Chilled | 1.7295 | 240.09 | 239.05 | 219.67 | + | 0.44 | + | 9.30 |
| | ***Ores/Minerals, Elec., Gas & Water*** | ***12.0069*** | ***372.00*** | ***374.51*** | ***356.22*** | ***-*** | ***0.67*** | ***+*** | ***4.43*** |
| 024 | Coal not Agglomerated | 0.7508 | 227.51 | 227.51 | 219.17 | + | 0.00 | + | 3.81 |
| 025 | Natural Gas Liquefied | 5.7065 | 460.33 | 458.09 | 444.93 | + | 0.49 | + | 3.46 |
| 026 | Salt & Pure Sodium Chloride | 0.0584 | 481.18 | 481.18 | 429.44 | + | 0.00 | + | 12.05 |
| 027 | Electrical Energy | 5.4912 | 298.79 | 306.60 | 281.99 | - | 2.55 | + | 5.96 |
| | ***Food,Beverages,Tobacco,Textile*** | ***31.1122*** | ***312.94*** | ***309.43*** | ***292.89*** | ***+*** | ***1.13*** | ***+*** | ***6.85*** |
| | ***Food Products, Beverages & Tobacco*** | ***20.0718*** | ***340.48*** | ***335.09*** | ***314.00*** | ***+*** | ***1.61*** | ***+*** | ***8.43*** |
| 028 | Meat of Animals | 3.4559 | 399.89 | 388.59 | 350.29 | + | 2.91 | + | 14.16 |
| 029 | Vegetables & Fruit Juice | 0.0058 | 261.39 | 260.70 | 252.95 | + | 0.26 | + | 3.34 |
| 030 | Dried Fruits & Nuts | 0.1733 | 468.28 | 483.05 | 411.12 | - | 3.06 | + | 13.90 |
| 031 | Fruit Juices | 0.3880 | 297.26 | 296.73 | 283.59 | + | 0.18 | + | 4.82 |
| 032 | Vegetable Oils Refined | 1.9242 | 320.84 | 321.23 | 288.92 | - | 0.12 | + | 11.05 |
| 033 | Vegetable Ghee | 1.5632 | 392.93 | 389.46 | 368.95 | + | 0.89 | + | 6.50 |
| 034 | Oil Cakes | 0.9611 | 291.19 | 285.65 | 259.59 | + | 1.94 | + | 12.17 |
| 035 | Processed Liquid Milk | 4.4437 | 339.73 | 339.47 | 332.40 | + | 0.08 | + | 2.21 |
| 036 | Milk & Cream in Solid Form | 0.0316 | 324.25 | 324.78 | 304.26 | - | 0.16 | + | 6.57 |
| 037 | Ice Cream | 0.0047 | 211.71 | 211.52 | 200.56 | + | 0.09 | + | 5.56 |
| 038 | Dairy Products N.E.C | 0.0117 | 354.22 | 355.11 | 336.90 | - | 0.25 | + | 5.14 |
| 039 | Wheat Flour | 2.3034 | 388.86 | 359.07 | 280.46 | + | 8.30 | + | 38.65 |
| 040 | Other Cereal Flour | 0.0604 | 244.46 | 227.83 | 265.88 | + | 7.30 | - | 8.06 |
| 041 | Sugar Refined | 1.7975 | 228.01 | 233.63 | 298.22 | - | 2.41 | - | 23.54 |
| 042 | Chocolate | 0.0139 | 159.86 | 159.86 | 144.31 | + | 0.00 | + | 10.78 |
| 043 | Sugar Confectionary | 0.0738 | 370.23 | 367.52 | 315.42 | + | 0.74 | + | 17.38 |
| 044 | Coffee & Tea | 0.7303 | 278.04 | 277.50 | 269.57 | + | 0.19 | + | 3.14 |
| 045 | Spices | 0.1449 | 338.49 | 339.16 | 302.27 | - | 0.20 | + | 11.98 |
| 046 | Other Food Products | 0.0336 | 375.49 | 375.16 | 360.19 | + | 0.09 | + | 4.25 |
| 047 | Mineral Water | 0.0207 | 233.28 | 222.49 | 214.72 | + | 4.85 | + | 8.64 |
| 048 | Beverages | 0.6303 | 267.52 | 267.35 | 259.32 | + | 0.06 | + | 3.16 |
| 049 | Tobacco Products | 1.2998 | 330.44 | 330.44 | 301.20 | + | 0.00 | + | 9.71 |
| | ***Textiles & Apparels*** | ***10.3289*** | ***266.09*** | ***266.01*** | ***259.70*** | ***+*** | ***0.03*** | ***+*** | ***2.46*** |
| 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 | 333.15 | 333.15 | 288.63 | + | 0.00 | + | 15.42 |
| 054 | Cotton Fabrics | 0.6343 | 400.26 | 400.26 | 376.37 | + | 0.00 | + | 6.35 |
| 055 | Other Fabrics | 1.1016 | 293.06 | 293.06 | 272.50 | + | 0.00 | + | 7.54 |
| 056 | Silk & Reyon Fabrics | 0.7350 | 422.65 | 422.62 | 402.88 | + | 0.01 | + | 4.91 |
| 057 | Towels | 0.1235 | 209.23 | 209.23 | 205.30 | + | 0.00 | + | 1.91 |

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| | Item and Specification | Weight | Index Numbers | | | % Change in Oct 2026 over | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | Oct 26 | Sep 26 | Oct 25 | | Sep 2026 | | Oct 2025 |
| 058 | Blankets | 0.0029 | 168.94 | 168.88 | 158.92 | + | 0.04 | + | 6.31 |
| 059 | Bed Sheets | 0.0913 | 225.37 | 225.37 | 207.57 | + | 0.00 | + | 8.58 |
| 060 | Quilts | 0.0019 | 244.00 | 243.87 | 243.21 | + | 0.05 | + | 0.32 |
| 061 | Woollen Carpets | 0.0383 | 184.00 | 184.00 | 177.15 | + | 0.00 | + | 3.87 |
| 062 | Synthetic Carpets | 0.0566 | 160.49 | 160.49 | 156.16 | + | 0.00 | + | 2.77 |
| 063 | Hosiery Products | 0.8832 | 219.65 | 218.73 | 213.93 | + | 0.42 | + | 2.67 |
| 064 | Readymade Garments | 1.0576 | 283.83 | 283.81 | 278.68 | + | 0.01 | + | 1.85 |
| | ***Leather Products*** | ***0.7115*** | ***215.99*** | ***215.99*** | ***179.03*** | ***+*** | ***0.00*** | ***+*** | ***20.64*** |
| 065 | Leather Without Hair | 0.2973 | 183.46 | 183.46 | 175.98 | + | 0.00 | + | 4.25 |
| 066 | Other Leather N.E.C | 0.2567 | 156.53 | 156.53 | 141.18 | + | 0.00 | + | 10.87 |
| 067 | Footwears | 0.1575 | 374.30 | 374.30 | 246.48 | + | 0.00 | + | 51.86 |
| | ***Other Transportable Goods*** | ***22.3979*** | ***466.30*** | ***453.96*** | ***336.35*** | ***+*** | ***2.72*** | ***+*** | ***38.64*** |
| 068 | Timber | 0.0165 | 244.97 | 243.42 | 248.12 | + | 0.64 | - | 1.27 |
| 069 | Printing Paper | 0.4279 | 305.81 | 305.81 | 258.64 | + | 0.00 | + | 18.24 |
| 070 | Hard Board | 0.1579 | 261.62 | 261.62 | 261.62 | + | 0.00 | + | 0.00 |
| 071 | Motor Spirit | 1.6268 | 554.91 | 535.82 | 377.12 | + | 3.56 | + | 47.14 |
| 072 | Diesel Oil | 5.4849 | 543.33 | 555.00 | 349.51 | - | 2.10 | + | 55.45 |
| 073 | Kerosene Oil | 0.2151 | 644.95 | 625.99 | 359.56 | + | 3.03 | + | 79.37 |
| 074 | Furnace Oil | 3.2664 | 774.17 | 685.46 | 443.53 | + | 12.94 | + | 74.55 |
| 075 | Mobil Oil | 0.7114 | 322.54 | 321.65 | 251.76 | + | 0.28 | + | 28.11 |
| 076 | Chemicals | 1.7720 | 334.52 | 335.06 | 281.56 | - | 0.16 | + | 18.81 |
| 077 | Dyeing Material | 0.1539 | 335.16 | 335.16 | 335.16 | + | 0.00 | + | 0.00 |
| 078 | Fertilizers | 2.8657 | 322.82 | 320.72 | 280.23 | + | 0.65 | + | 15.20 |
| 079 | Pesticides | 0.2763 | 250.52 | 250.52 | 236.45 | + | 0.00 | + | 5.95 |
| 080 | Insecticides | 0.1276 | 197.82 | 197.82 | 197.82 | + | 0.00 | + | 0.00 |
| 081 | Paints & Varnishes | 0.1916 | 282.32 | 282.31 | 277.95 | + | 0.00 | + | 1.57 |
| 082 | Medicines | 1.1428 | 438.98 | 438.59 | 397.41 | + | 0.09 | + | 10.46 |
| 083 | Soaps & Detergents | 0.8168 | 263.20 | 261.55 | 240.90 | + | 0.63 | + | 9.26 |
| 084 | Auto Tyres | 0.2703 | 274.50 | 270.56 | 262.95 | + | 1.46 | + | 4.39 |
| 085 | Plastic Products | 0.4550 | 226.15 | 224.83 | 209.19 | + | 0.59 | + | 8.11 |
| 086 | Glass sheets | 0.2089 | 410.69 | 410.44 | 379.84 | + | 0.06 | + | 8.12 |
| 087 | Other Glass Articles | 0.1635 | 246.63 | 242.73 | 228.06 | + | 1.61 | + | 8.14 |
| 088 | Ceramics & Sanitary Fixture | 0.0244 | 251.23 | 250.32 | 232.22 | + | 0.36 | + | 8.19 |
| 089 | Bricks, Blocks & Tiles | 0.1566 | 236.27 | 232.03 | 210.60 | + | 1.83 | + | 12.19 |
| 090 | Cement | 1.8145 | 294.93 | 292.17 | 276.93 | + | 0.94 | + | 6.50 |
| 091 | Bed Foam | 0.0006 | 334.66 | 334.66 | 329.14 | + | 0.00 | + | 1.68 |
| 092 | Matches | 0.0505 | 3402.80 | 3400.93 | 3348.99 | + | 0.05 | + | 1.61 |
| | ***Metal Product, Machinery & Equipments*** | ***8.7156*** | ***414.28*** | ***414.12*** | ***393.66*** | ***+*** | ***0.04*** | ***+*** | ***5.24*** |
| 093 | Steel Bar & Sheets | 1.4615 | 331.37 | 330.09 | 312.08 | + | 0.39 | + | 6.18 |
| 094 | Pipe Fittings | 0.0780 | 510.57 | 510.90 | 508.32 | - | 0.06 | + | 0.44 |
| 095 | Steel Products | 0.3879 | 286.87 | 286.76 | 285.30 | + | 0.04 | + | 0.55 |
| 096 | Engines & Motors | 0.0046 | 242.26 | 242.26 | 216.19 | + | 0.00 | + | 12.06 |
| 097 | Vacuum Pumps | 0.0155 | 107.56 | 107.56 | 107.56 | + | 0.00 | + | 0.00 |
| 098 | Air Conditioners | 0.0049 | 310.77 | 310.77 | 310.77 | + | 0.00 | + | 0.00 |
| 099 | Cultivators | 0.0551 | 361.67 | 361.67 | 361.67 | + | 0.00 | + | 0.00 |
| 100 | Chuff Cutter | 0.1293 | 519.00 | 519.00 | 519.00 | + | 0.00 | + | 0.00 |
| 101 | Tractors | 0.0028 | 356.87 | 356.87 | 344.29 | + | 0.00 | + | 3.65 |
| 102 | Lathe Machines | 0.0525 | 555.59 | 555.59 | 535.99 | + | 0.00 | + | 3.66 |
| 103 | Concrete Mixture | 0.0107 | 462.05 | 462.05 | 445.73 | + | 0.00 | + | 3.66 |
| 104 | Fridge,WashM,SewM,Fans,Iron | 1.1645 | 321.65 | 321.65 | 311.34 | + | 0.00 | + | 3.31 |
| 105 | Electric Wires | 0.0912 | 429.39 | 429.39 | 377.24 | + | 0.00 | + | 13.82 |
| 106 | Lighting Equipments | 1.4431 | 757.41 | 757.41 | 757.41 | + | 0.00 | + | 0.00 |
| 107 | Radio & Television | 0.1843 | 192.13 | 192.13 | 190.54 | + | 0.00 | + | 0.83 |
| 108 | Motor Vehicles | 0.0244 | 271.56 | 271.56 | 266.69 | + | 0.00 | + | 1.83 |
| 109 | Motorcycles | 0.2570 | 272.40 | 274.04 | 271.29 | - | 0.60 | + | 0.41 |
| 110 | Bicycles | 3.3483 | 367.38 | 367.38 | 327.97 | + | 0.00 | + | 12.02 |

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