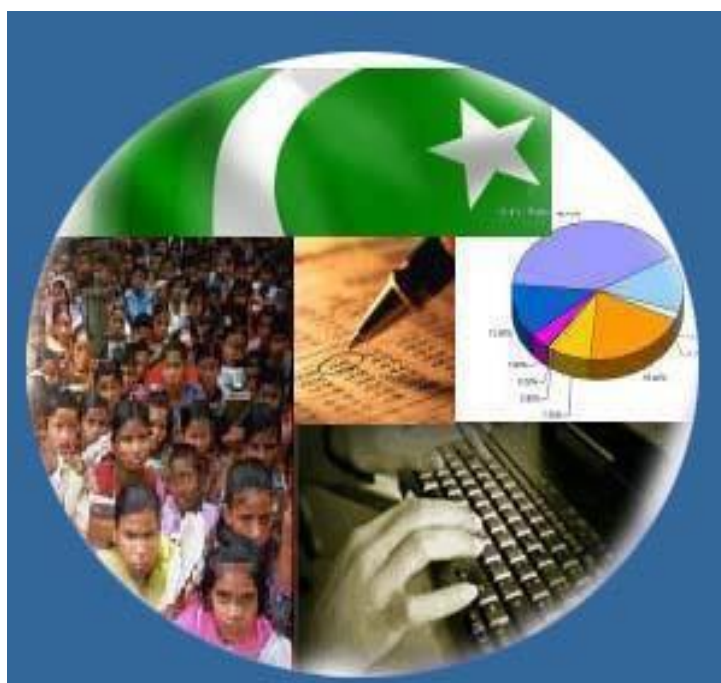




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Inflation in Brief

- CPI inflation General**, increased to 26.9% on year-on-year basis in October 2023 as compared to an increase of 31.4% in the previous month and 26.6% in October 2022. On month-on-month basis, it increased to 1.1% in October 2023 as compared to an increase of 2.0% in the previous month and an increase of 4.7% in October 2022.
- CPI inflation Urban**, increased to 25.5% on year-on-year basis in October 2023 as compared to an increase of 29.7% in the previous month and 24.6% in October 2022. On month-on-month basis, it increased to 1.1% in October 2023 as compared to an increase of 1.7% in the previous month and an increase of 4.5% in October 2022.
- CPI inflation Rural**, increased to 28.9% on year-on-year basis in October 2023 as compared to an increase of 33.9% in the previous month and 29.5% in October 2022. On month-on-month basis, it increased to 1.1% in October 2023 as compared to an increase of 2.5% in the previous month and an increase of 5.0% in October 2022.
- SPI inflation** on YoY increased to 34.2% in October 2023 as compared to an increase of 32.0% a month earlier and 24.0% in October 2022. On MoM basis, it increased by 0.2% in October 2023 as compared to an increase of 1.7% a month earlier and a decrease of 1.5% in October 2022.
- WPI inflation** on YoY basis increased to 24.6% in October 2023 as compared to an increase of 26.4% a month earlier and an increase of 32.6% in October 2022. On MoM basis, it decreased by 1.9% in October 2023 as compared to an increase of 3.1% a month earlier and a decrease of 0.5% in corresponding month of last year i.e. October 2022.
- 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" percent changes in indices of three years.

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-22	13.0	0.4	13.0	0.1	12.9	0.9	13.3	-0.8	11.8	0.4	12.8	0.6	13.9	1.4	20.9	-0.8	24.0	0.6
Feb-22	12.2	1.2	11.5	0.9	13.3	1.5	14.3	2.2	14.6	2.6	9.9	0.2	12.2	0.4	18.7	1.3	23.6	1.9
Mar-22	12.7	0.8	11.9	0.7	13.9	1.0	14.5	1.8	15.5	2.3	10.4	-0.1	12.5	-0.2	13.0	0.6	23.8	3.9
Apr-22	13.4	1.6	12.2	1.6	15.1	1.6	15.6	3.7	17.7	2.8	10.2	0.3	12.8	0.5	14.2	1.5	28.1	3.2
May-22	13.8	0.4	12.4	0.3	15.9	0.6	15.5	1.0	19.0	1.3	10.4	-0.1	13.1	0.0	14.1	0.6	29.6	1.4
Jun-22	21.3	6.3	19.8	6.2	23.6	6.6	24.0	5.3	27.0	6.0	17.3	6.8	20.4	7.1	21.7	6.2	38.9	8.2
Jul-22	24.9	4.3	23.6	4.5	26.9	4.2	27.4	4.3	29.6	3.7	21.3	4.6	24.5	4.6	28.2	7.3	38.5	2.0
Aug-22	27.3	2.4	26.2	2.6	28.8	2.2	28.8	1.6	30.2	1.2	24.7	3.3	27.5	3.1	34.0	5.2	41.2	3.1
Sep-22	23.2	-1.2	21.2	-2.1	26.1	0.2	30.8	5.2	32.7	5.7	15.2	-6.6	20.1	-4.9	28.6	-1.4	38.9	1.4
Oct-22	26.6	4.7	24.6	4.5	29.5	5.0	34.7	4.5	37.2	6.1	18.2	4.5	22.4	3.9	24.0	-1.5	32.6	-0.5
Nov-22	23.8	0.8	21.6	0.4	27.2	1.3	29.7	0.0	33.5	0.5	16.4	0.6	21.4	2.1	27.1	6.1	27.7	0.0
Dec-22	24.5	0.5	21.6	0.3	28.8	0.7	32.7	0.0	37.9	0.1	14.8	0.6	20.7	1.4	27.8	0.2	27.1	-0.7
Jan-23	27.6	2.9	24.4	2.4	32.3	3.6	39.0	3.9	45.2	5.7	15.6	1.2	20.9	1.5	30.5	1.3	28.5	1.8
Feb-23	31.5	4.3	28.8	4.5	35.6	4.0	41.9	4.3	47.0	3.9	20.8	4.7	25.3	4.1	33.6	3.7	36.4	8.2
Mar-23	35.4	3.7	33.0	3.9	38.9	3.5	47.1	5.6	50.2	4.5	24.1	2.7	28.5	2.4	40.4	5.8	37.5	4.7
Apr-23	36.4	2.4	33.5	2.0	40.7	3.0	46.8	3.4	52.2	4.2	24.9	1.0	29.9	1.6	42.1	2.7	33.4	0.1
May-23	38.0	1.6	35.1	1.5	42.2	1.7	48.1	1.9	52.4	1.4	26.6	1.2	32.5	2.0	43.0	1.3	32.8	1.0
Jun-23	29.4	-0.3	27.3	0.1	32.4	-0.8	40.8	0.1	41.5	-1.6	18.7	0.1	23.8	0.1	34.9	0.2	22.4	-0.3
Jul-23	28.3	3.5	26.3	3.6	31.3	3.3	40.2	3.7	41.3	3.5	17.3	3.5	22.0	3.0	29.3	2.8	23.1	2.5
Aug-23	27.4	1.7	25.0	1.6	30.9	1.9	38.8	0.6	40.6	0.8	16.3	2.4	22.0	3.1	27.9	4.1	24.3	4.2
Sep-23	31.4	2.0	29.7	1.7	33.9	2.5	33.9	1.5	35.4	1.8	26.8	1.8	32.3	3.2	32.0	1.7	26.4	3.1
Oct-23	26.9	1.1	25.5	1.1	28.9	1.1	28.9	0.6	28.6	0.7	23.1	1.4	29.2	1.5	34.2	0.2	24.6	-1.9

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

Core inflation (NFNE)

7. Measured by **non-food non-energy Urban** increased to 18.5% on (YoY) basis in October 2023 as compared to an increase of 18.6% in the previous month and 14.9% in October 2022. On (MoM) basis, it increased by 1.2% in October 2023 as compared to an increase of 1.0% in previous month, and an increase of 1.3% in corresponding month of last year i.e. October, 2022.
8. Measured by **non-food non-energy Rural** increased to 26.7% on (YoY) basis in October 2023 as compared to an increase of 27.3% in the previous month and 18.2% in October 2022. On (MoM) basis, it increased by 1.0% in October 2023 as compared to an increase of 2.6% in previous month, and an increase of 1.5% in corresponding month of last year i.e. October 2022.

Core inflation (Trimmed)

9. Measured by 20% **weighted trimmed mean Urban** increased to 24.6% on (YoY) basis in October 2023 as compared to 25.0% in the previous month and 22.0% in October 2022. On (MoM) basis, it increased by 0.6% in October 2023 as compared to an increase of 1.1% in the previous month and an increase of 1.9% in corresponding month of last year i.e. October 2022.
10. Measured by 20% **weighted trimmed mean Rural** increased to 30.7% on (YoY) basis in October 2023 as compared to 33.3% in the previous month and 26.7% in October 2022. On (MoM) basis, it increased to 0.8% in October 2023 as compared to an increase of 1.7% in the previous month and an increase of 2.7% in corresponding month of last year i.e. October 2022.

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

Period	NFNE				Trimmed			
	Urban		Rural		Urban		Rural	
	YoY	MoM	YoY	MoM	YoY	MoM	YoY	MoM
Oct-22	14.9	1.3	18.2	1.5	22.0	1.9	26.7	2.7
Nov-22	14.6	0.8	18.5	2.1	19.8	0.5	25.4	1.8
Dec-22	14.7	1.2	19.0	1.5	19.4	0.8	26.4	1.5
Jan-23	15.4	1.4	19.4	1.5	20.9	1.5	27.8	2.1
Feb-23	17.1	2.2	21.5	2.6	25.1	2.9	31.6	3.9
Mar-23	18.6	2.5	23.1	2.4	28.7	2.7	35.0	2.9
Apr-23	19.5	1.8	24.9	2.7	28.6	1.5	37.3	2.0
May-23	20.0	1.2	26.9	2.5	30.5	1.5	38.8	2.0
Jun-23	18.5	0.7	25.2	0.9	22.9	0.8	29.9	0.1
Jul-23	18.4	1.2	24.6	1.2	21.7	1.9	28.7	2.4
Aug-23	18.4	1.8	25.9	2.8	23.0	1.5	30.5	1.4
Sep-23	18.6	1.0	27.3	2.6	25.0	1.1	33.3	1.7
Oct-23	18.5	1.2	26.7	1.0	24.6	0.6	30.7	0.8

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

INDEX	Average July - October % changes			October over October % changes		
	2023-2024	2022-2023	2021-2022	2023-2024	2022-2023	2021-2022
CPI (National)	28.48	25.48	8.74	26.89	26.56	9.20
CPI (Urban)	26.59	23.89	8.92	25.48	24.57	9.56
CPI (Rural)	31.21	27.85	8.46	28.90	29.53	8.66
SPI	30.85	28.63	15.99	34.17	24.03	15.25
WPI	24.61	37.72	18.84	24.62	32.60	21.18

Figure 1: Urban Inflation - YoY, Special Indices

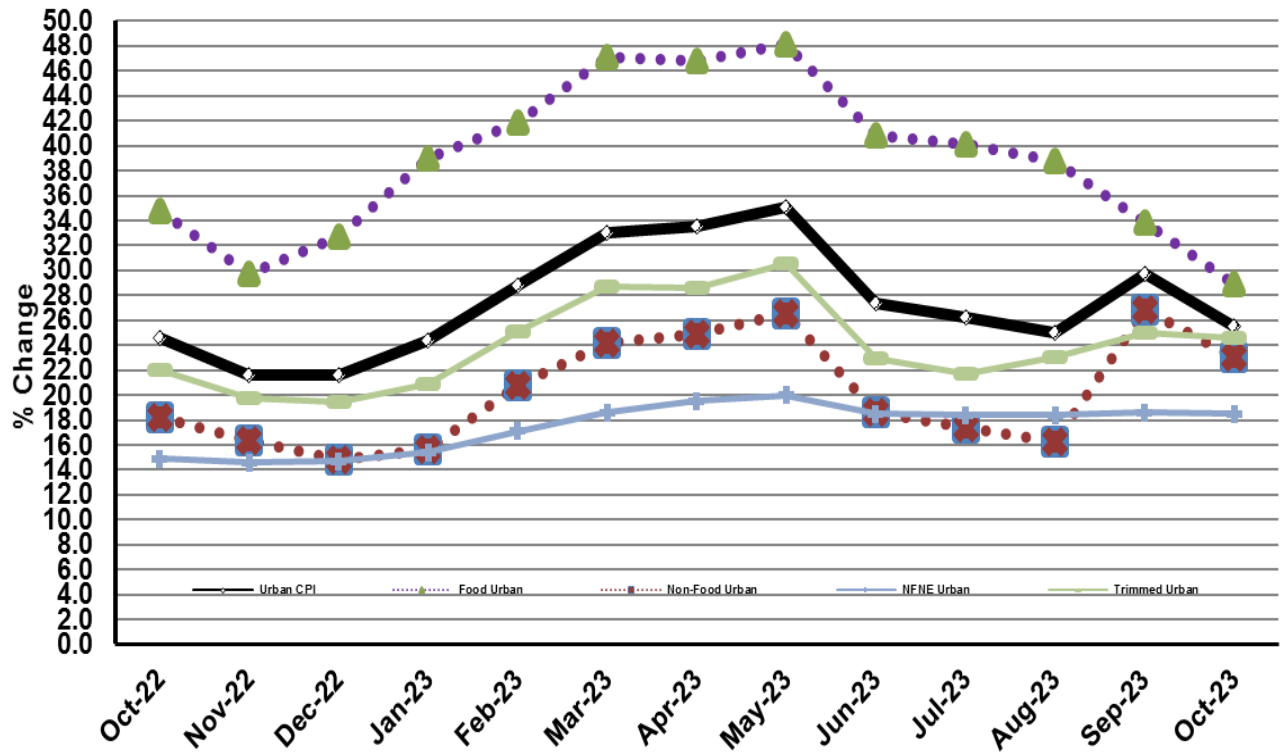
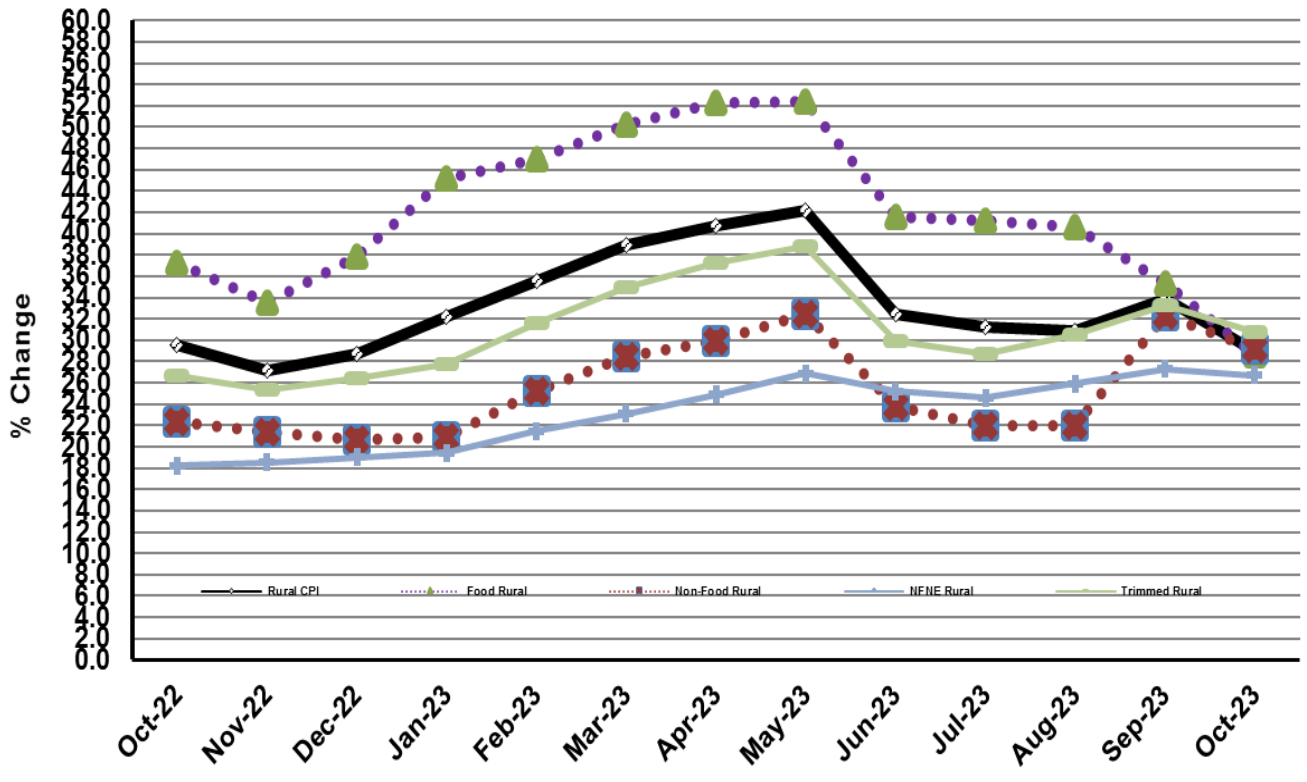


Figure 2: Rural Inflation - YoY, Special Indices



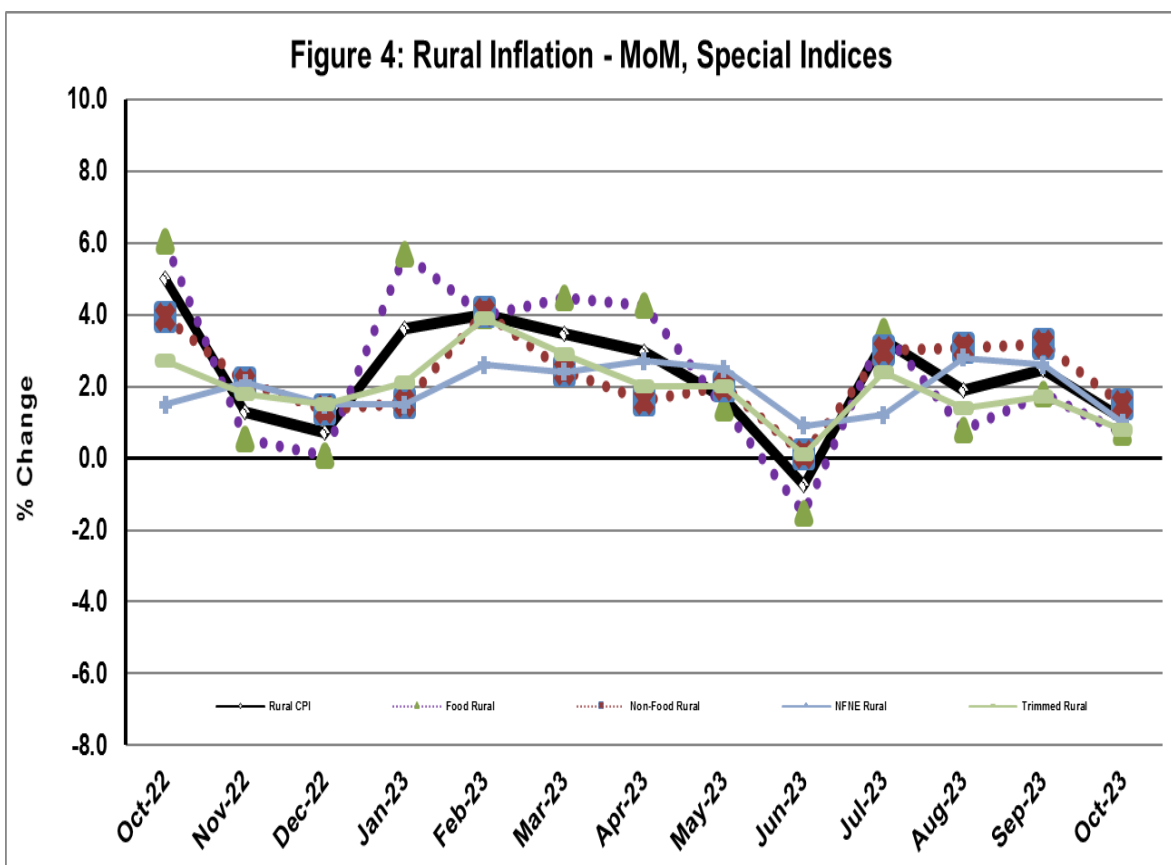
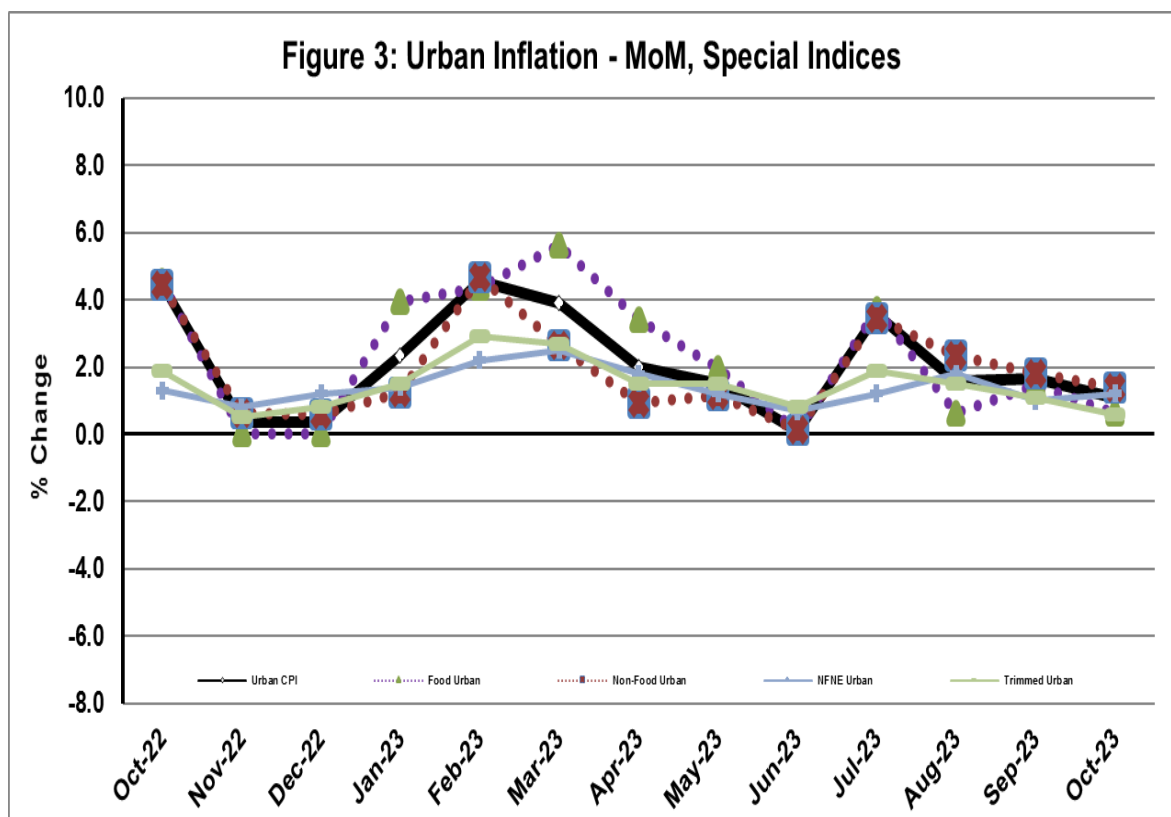


Figure 5: CPI YoY (National, Urban, Rural)

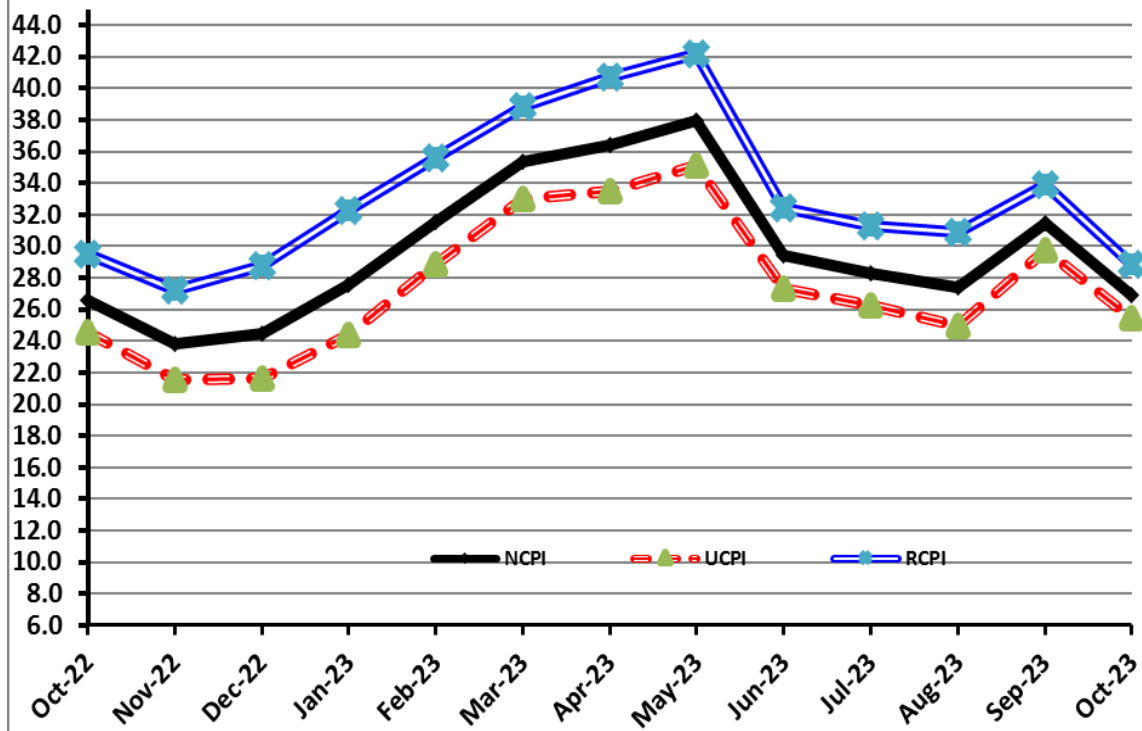
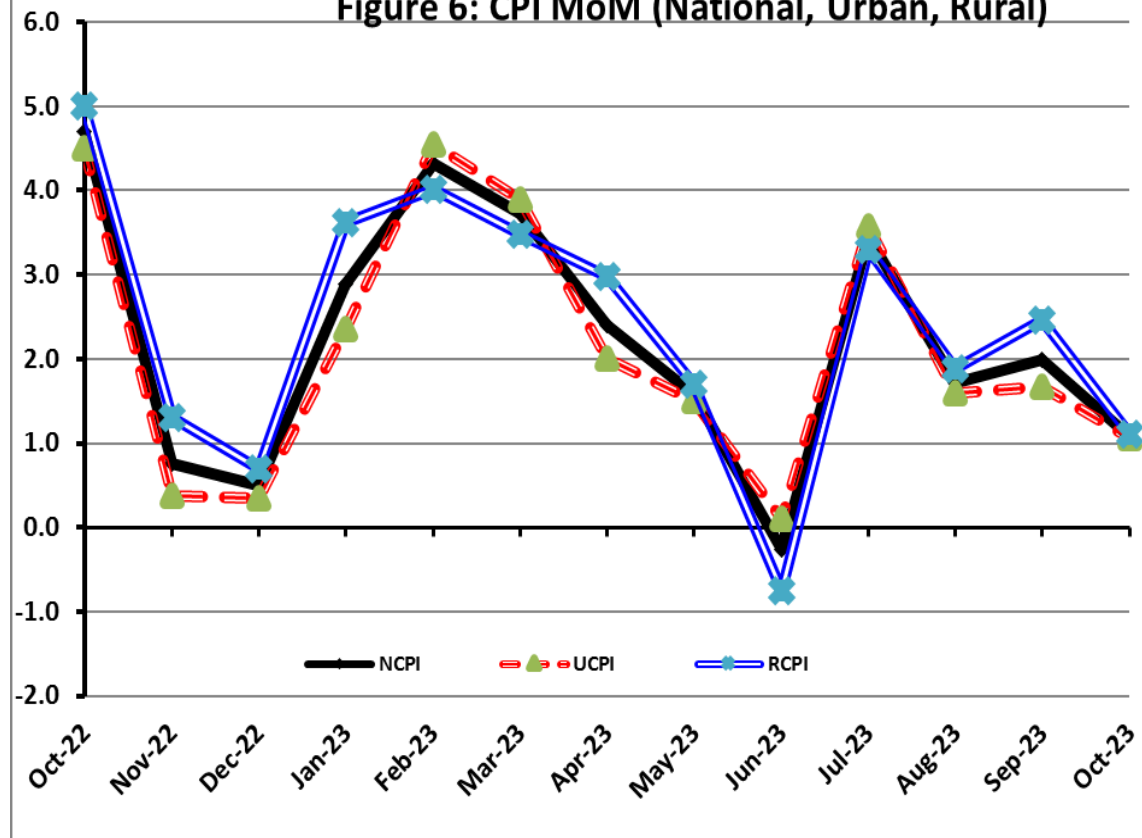


Figure 6: CPI MoM (National, Urban, Rural)



I. National Consumer Price Index (N-CPI)

The **National Consumer Price Index** for **October 2023** is increased to 1.08% over **September 2023** and increased to 26.89% over corresponding month of the last year i.e. **October 2022**.

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

No	Group	Group Weight (%)	Indices			% Change Oct 2023 Over		Impact (In % points) Oct 2023 Over	
			Oct 23	Sep 23	Oct 22	Sep 23	Oct 22	Sep 23	Oct 22
	General	100.00	246.69	244.05	194.42	1.08	26.89	1.08	26.89
1.	Food & Non-alcoholic Bev.	34.58	280.27	278.48	220.99	0.64	26.82	0.25	10.54
	<i>Non-perishable Food Items</i>	29.60	282.50	285.60	212.37	-1.09	33.02	-0.38	10.68
	<i>Perishable Food Items</i>	4.99	267.00	236.20	272.14	13.04	-1.89	0.63	-0.13
2.	Alcoholic Bev. & Tobacco	1.02	362.24	361.16	196.21	0.30	84.62	0.00	0.87
3.	Clothing & Footwear	8.60	215.31	213.05	178.48	1.06	20.64	0.08	1.63
4.	Housing, Water, Electricity, Gas & Fuels	23.63	200.70	194.86	166.56	2.99	20.50	0.56	4.15
5.	Furnishing & Household Equipment Maintenance	4.10	255.85	252.67	186.56	1.26	37.14	0.05	1.46
6.	Health	2.79	228.44	222.31	182.47	2.76	25.19	0.07	0.66
7.	Transport	5.91	322.33	328.11	245.44	-1.76	31.33	-0.14	2.34
8.	Communication	2.21	120.07	119.66	111.84	0.34	7.37	0.00	0.09
9.	Recreation & Culture	1.59	255.78	254.80	163.60	0.38	56.34	0.01	0.75
10.	Education	3.79	183.74	179.25	162.87	2.51	12.82	0.07	0.41
11.	Restaurants & Hotels	6.92	256.50	252.51	192.77	1.58	33.06	0.11	2.27
12.	Miscellaneous	4.87	263.00	262.92	194.49	0.03	35.23	0.00	1.72

II. Urban Consumer Price Index (UCPI)

The Urban Consumer Price Index for **October 2023** is increased to 1.07% over **September 2023** and increased to 25.48% over corresponding month of the last year i.e. **October 2022**.

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

No	Group	Group Weight (%)	Indices			% Change Oct 2023 Over		Impact (In % points) Oct 2023 Over	
			Oct 23	Sep 23	Oct 22	Sep 23	Oct 22	Sep 23	Oct 22
	General	100.00	238.51	235.99	190.08	1.07	25.48	1.07	25.48
1.	Food & Non-alcoholic Bev.	30.42	275.74	273.95	217.09	0.65	27.02	0.23	9.39
	<i>Non-perishable Food Items</i>	25.97	277.98	280.97	209.17	-1.06	32.90	-0.33	9.40
	<i>Perishable Food Items</i>	4.46	262.70	233.02	263.27	12.74	-0.22	0.56	-0.01
2.	Alcoholic Bev. & Tobacco	0.85	382.40	382.08	209.33	0.08	82.68	0.00	0.78
3.	Clothing & Footwear	8.01	207.50	205.70	176.60	0.88	17.50	0.06	1.30
4.	Housing, Water, Electricity, Gas & Fuels	27.03	194.82	189.18	163.50	2.98	19.16	0.65	4.45
5.	Furnishing & Household Equip. & Maintenance	4.09	248.56	246.47	184.97	0.85	34.38	0.04	1.37
6.	Health	2.31	229.53	223.51	179.22	2.69	28.07	0.06	0.61
7.	Transport	6.14	310.68	319.47	245.33	-2.75	26.64	-0.23	2.11
8.	Communication	2.35	124.83	124.41	114.37	0.34	9.15	0.00	0.13
9.	Recreation & Culture	1.73	245.87	245.62	157.14	0.10	56.47	0.00	0.81
10.	Education	4.88	184.31	178.55	165.49	3.23	11.37	0.12	0.48
11.	Restaurants & Hotels	7.41	256.43	252.06	193.58	1.73	32.47	0.14	2.45
12.	Miscellaneous	4.77	258.91	259.03	195.11	-0.05	32.70	0.00	1.60

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

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

FOOD

Increased: Onions (38.71%), Fresh Vegetables (17.74%), Fresh Fruits (6.49%), Eggs (6.05%), Potatoes (3.72%), Fish (3.00%), Condiments and Spices (2.87%), Beans (1.51%) and Nimco (1.38%).

Decreased: Sugar (10.23%), Pulse Gram (3.71%), Tomatoes (3.11%), Mustard Oil (2.33%), Pulse Moong (2.05%), Gur (1.88%), Wheat Flour (1.87%), Milk Fresh (1.73%), Tea (1.67%), Wheat (1.66%), Vegetable Ghee (1.61%), Besan (1.60%), Pulse Masoor (1.59%), Cooking Oil (1.54%), Gram Whole (0.88%), Wheat Products (0.79%), Pulse Mash (0.37%) and Chicken (0.13%).

NON-FOOD

Increased: Electricity Charges (8.29%), Marriage Hall Charges (5.43%), Accommodation Services (4.50%), Liquefied Hydrocarbons (3.87%), Drugs and Medicines (3.72%), Education (3.23%), Doctor (MBBS) Clinic Fee (3.02%), Woolen Readymade Garments (2.36%), Therapeutic Appliances and Equipments (2.33%), Electrical Appliances for Personal (1.97%), Furniture & Furnishing (1.96%) and Woolen Cloth (1.89%).

Decreased: Motor Fuel (4.02%), Transport Services (1.56%) and Construction Input Items (0.97%).

YEAR-ON-YEAR: Top few commodities which varied from corresponding month of previous year i.e. October, 2022 are given below:

FOOD

Increased: Condiments and Spices (84.54%), Sugar (69.90%), Gur (64.79%), Wheat Flour (63.36%), Rice (62.27%), Beans (56.82%), Tea (54.92%), Beverages (45.91%), Wheat Products (43.48%), Dry Fruits (42.03%), Dessert Preparation (41.94%), Potatoes (41.38%), Pulse Mash (39.70%), Wheat (37.72%) and Milk Powder (36.62%).

Decreased: Tomatoes (45.62%), Onions (17.20%), Fresh Vegetables (10.55%), Pulse Gram (3.43%) and Mustard Oil (0.21%).

NON-FOOD:

Increased: Text Books (95.09%), Gas Charges (62.82%), Electricity Charges (50.63%), Washing Soap/Detergents/Match Box (48.44%), Stationery (46.79%), Communication Apparatus (39.52%), Household Equipments (37.26%), Marriage Hall Charges (37.16%), Drugs and Medicines (36.69%), Newspapers (34.15%), Personal Effects (33.15%), Accommodation Services (31.87%), Motor Fuel (30.80%), Motor Vehicle Accessories (28.37%) and Solid Fuel (27.12%).

III. Rural Consumer Price Index (RCPI)

The Rural Consumer Price Index for October 2023 is increased to 1.10% over September 2023 and increased to 28.90% over corresponding month of the last year i.e. October 2022.

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

No	Group	Group Weight (%)	Indices			% Change Oct 2023 Over		Impact (In % points) Oct 2023 Over	
			Oct 23	Sep 23	Oct 22	Sep 23	Oct 22	Sep 23	Oct 22
	General	100.00	259.03	256.21	200.96	1.10	28.90	1.10	28.90
1.	Food & Non-alcoholic Bev.	40.87	285.35	283.57	225.37	0.63	26.61	0.28	12.20
	<i>Non-perishable Food Items</i>	<i>35.08</i>	<i>287.55</i>	<i>290.78</i>	<i>215.95</i>	<i>-1.11</i>	<i>33.16</i>	<i>-0.44</i>	<i>12.50</i>
	<i>Perishable Food Items</i>	<i>5.79</i>	<i>272.00</i>	<i>239.89</i>	<i>282.45</i>	<i>13.39</i>	<i>-3.70</i>	<i>0.73</i>	<i>-0.30</i>
2.	Alcoholic Bev. & Tobacco	1.28	341.92	340.06	182.99	0.55	86.85	0.01	1.01
3.	Clothing & Footwear	9.48	225.27	222.41	180.87	1.29	24.55	0.11	2.09
4.	Housing, Water, Electricity, Gas & Fuels	18.49	213.67	207.41	173.31	3.02	23.29	0.45	3.71
5.	Furnishing & Household Equip. & Maintenance	4.10	266.82	262.00	188.95	1.84	41.21	0.08	1.59
6.	Health	3.51	227.35	221.11	185.70	2.82	22.43	0.09	0.73
7.	Transport	5.56	341.75	342.50	245.62	-0.22	39.14	-0.02	2.66
8.	Communication	1.99	111.61	111.21	107.33	0.36	3.99	0.00	0.04
9.	Recreation & Culture	1.38	274.57	272.22	175.86	0.86	56.13	0.01	0.68
10.	Education	2.13	181.78	181.67	153.81	0.06	18.18	0.00	0.30
11.	Restaurants & Hotels	6.19	256.62	253.31	191.32	1.31	34.13	0.08	2.01
12.	Miscellaneous	5.02	268.87	268.51	193.59	0.13	38.89	0.01	1.88

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

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

FOOD

Increased: Onions (33.96%), Fresh Vegetables (21.76%), Beans (5.14%), Potatoes (4.23%), Condiments and Spices (3.65%), Fish (3.63%), Fresh Fruits (3.40%), Sweetmeat (3.37%), Eggs (2.84%), Dry Fruits (2.34%), Butter (2.23%), Meat (1.93%) and Readymade Food (1.85%).

Decreased: Sugar (9.47%), Gur (5.72%), Vegetable Ghee (4.31%), Cooking Oil (3.83%), Tomatoes (3.28%), Pulse Gram (2.98%), Chicken (2.64%), Pulse Moong (2.21%), Wheat Flour (2.15%), Gram Whole (1.44%), Wheat (1.26%), Mustard Oil (1.17%), Tea (1.00%), Besan (0.99%), Rice (0.69%) and Wheat Products (0.18%).

NON-FOOD:

Increased: Electricity Charges (8.29%), Doctor Clinic Fee (4.37%), Footwear (3.69%), Medical Tests (3.39%), Drugs and Medicines (3.00%), Furniture and Furnishing (3.00%), Washing Soaps, Detergents and Match Box (2.59%) each, Stationery (2.06%), Appliances/Articles/Products for Personal Care (1.84%), House Rent (1.65%), Major Tools and Equipments (1.53%), Woolen Readymade Garments (1.53%), Household Textiles (1.46%), Tailoring (1.26%), Recreation and Culture (1.11%), Hosiery (1.09%), Cleaning and Laundering (1.05%), Solid Fuel (1.04%) and Woolen Cloth (1.02%).

Decreased: Personal Effects (2.70%) and Transport Services (0.84%).

YEAR-ON-YEAR: Top few commodities which varied from corresponding month of previous year i.e. October, 2022 are given below:

FOOD

Increased: Sugar (74.67%), Rice (65.71%), Wheat Flour (59.29%), Tea (58.42%), Gur (57.31%), Dry Fruits (54.64%), Condiments and Spices (51.65%), Dessert Preparation (51.48%), Wheat Products (49.00%), Beverages (46.91%), Beans (46.49%), Bakery and Confectionary (38.79%), Pulse Mash (38.44%), Potatoes (36.90%), Wheat (36.85%) and Milk Products (35.18%).

Decreased: Tomatoes (52.48%), Onions (22.68%), Fresh Vegetables (7.29%), Vegetable Ghee (3.76%), Pulse Gram (2.40%) and Cooking Oil (2.26%).

NON-FOOD

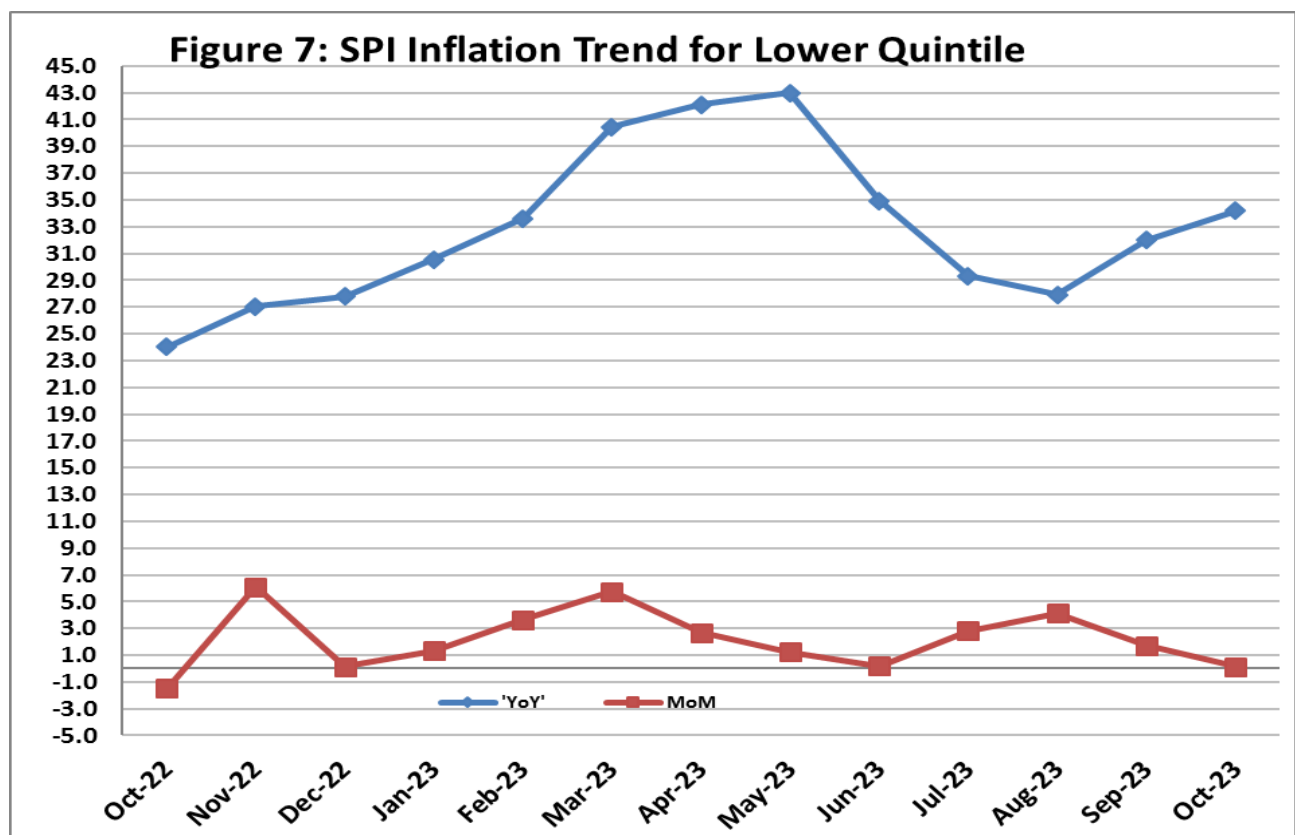
Increased: Washing Soaps, Detergents and Match Box (52.40%) each, Electricity Charges (50.63%), Transport Services (47.85%), Newspapers (46.34%), Appliances/Articles/Products for Personal Care (45.96%), Stationery (44.73%), Motor Fuels (39.51%), Personal Effects (37.61%), Household Equipments (37.36%) and Marriage Hall Charges (35.67%).

IV. Sensitive Price Indicator

Quintile-wise percentage changes YoY and MoM are given below in Table 4. The series from Oct 2022 to Oct 2023 is also graphed below in Figure 7.

Table 4: Sensitive Price Indicator (Base 2015-16)					
Quintiles	Indices			% Change Oct 2023 Over	
	Oct 23	Sep 23	Oct 22	Sep 23	Oct 22
1	285.28	284.84	212.62	0.15	34.17
2	272.98	272.49	197.73	0.18	38.06
3	281.68	282.19	206.76	-0.18	36.24
4	277.57	278.79	205.51	-0.44	35.06
5	284.07	285.28	215.07	-0.42	32.08
Combined	279.87	280.56	206.74	-0.25	35.37

Table 4.1: Weekly Percentage Change of SPI During October 2023				
Quintiles	% Change with Previous week			
	05-10-2023	12-10-2023	19-10-2023	26-10-2023
Quintile 1	0.49	0.25	-0.88	-0.25
Combined	0.11	0.30	-1.70	-0.33



V. Wholesale Price Index

The Wholesale Price Index for **October, 2023** decreased by 1.87% over **September, 2023**. It increased to 24.62% over the corresponding month of the last year i.e. October, 2022. YoY and MoM movements, from October, 2022 to October, 2023 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 2023 Over		Impact (In % points) Oct 2023 Over	
			Oct 23	Sep 23	Oct 22	Sep 23	Oct 22	Sep 23	Oct 22
	General	100.00	301.76	307.51	242.15	-1.87	24.62	-1.87	24.62
1	Agriculture Forestry & Fishery	25.77	270.06	281.19	234.75	-3.96	15.04	-0.93	3.76
2	Ores/Minerals, Elec., Gas & Water	12.01	276.05	268.11	220.43	2.96	25.23	0.31	2.76
3	Food, Beverages, Tobacco, Textiles & Leather Products	31.11	260.49	262.56	211.88	-0.79	22.94	-0.21	6.24
	i. Food Products, Beverages & Tobacco	20.07	276.74	280.14	212.85	-1.21	30.02	-0.22	5.30
	ii. Textiles & Apparels	10.33	234.13	233.77	213.61	0.15	9.61	0.01	0.88
	iii. Leather Products	0.71	184.66	184.66	159.57	0.00	15.72	0.00	0.07
4	Other Transportable Goods	22.40	381.93	395.00	305.46	-3.31	25.03	-0.95	7.07
5	Metal Product, Machinery & Equipment	8.72	372.18	375.20	239.26	-0.80	55.55	-0.09	4.78

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

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

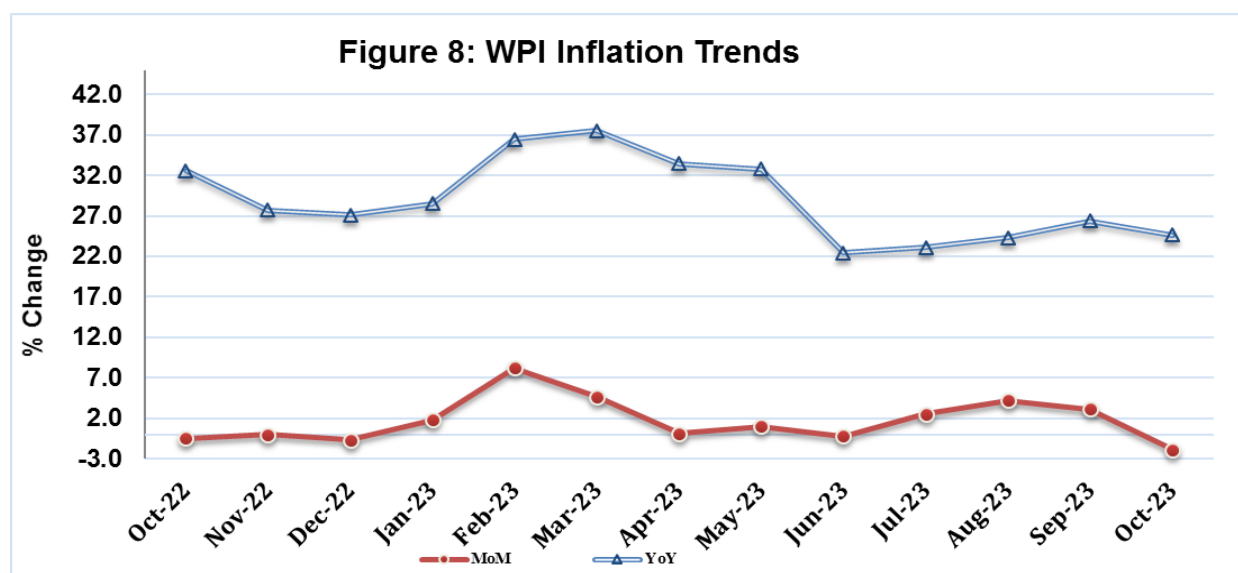
Increased: Eggs (8.16%), Edible Roots / Potatoes (7.09%), Stimulant & Spice Crops (6.79%), Electrical Energy (5.48%), Lighting Equipments (3.27%), Woven Fabrics (2.81%), Processed Liquid Milk (2.62%), Fertilizers (2.46%) and Medicines (2.23%).

Decreased: Sugar Crops (13.64%), Steel Bar & Sheets (11.38%), Sugar Refined (9.21%), Maize (9.10%), Furnace Oil (9.02%), Sorghum / Jowar (7.12%), Millet / Bajra (6.59%), Kerosene Oil (5.48%), Motor Spirit (4.82%), Chemicals (4.23%), Vegetable Ghee (3.14%), Other Cereal Flour (2.83%), Wheat Flour (2.45%), Vegetable Oils Refined (2.02%), Wheat (1.60%), Raw Milk from Bovine Animals (1.55%), Dry Fruits (1.48%), Vegetables & Pulses (1.21%) each and Poultry (1.10%).

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

Increased: Stimulant & Spice Crops (175.67%), Lighting Equipments (152.15%), Matches (127.61%), Dry Fruits (97.99%), Tobacco Products (93.57%), Spices (78.46%), Unmanufactured Tobacco (69.50%), Steel Products (69.09%), Sugar Refined (68.62%), Beverages (62.04%), Rice (61.28%), Wheat Flour (52.71%), Fruit Juices (50.27%), Dried Fruits & Nuts (50.22%), Edible Roots / Potatoes (50.20%) and Dairy Products (49.07%).

Decreased: Vegetables (17.98%), Vegetable Ghee (5.21%) and Maize (2.78%).



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

Item and Specification		Weight	Index Numbers			% Change in Oct 2023 over	
			Oct 23	Sep 23	Oct 22	Sep 2023	Oct 2022
General		100.0000	238.51	235.99	190.08	+ 1.07	+ 25.48
Food and non-alcoholic Beverage		30.4215	275.74	273.95	217.09	+ 0.65	+ 27.02
01	Wheat	0.6120	356.57	362.58	258.90	- 1.66	+ 37.72
02	Wheat flour	3.0075	359.00	365.84	219.76	- 1.87	+ <u>63.36</u>
03	Wheat products	0.0936	321.48	324.05	224.06	- 0.79	+ 43.48
04	Besan	0.0830	209.02	212.42	205.85	- 1.60	+ 1.54
05	Rice	1.1804	338.52	338.34	208.61	+ 0.05	+ <u>62.27</u>
06	Bakery and confectionary	0.4770	265.29	263.00	208.05	+ 0.87	+ 27.51
07	Nimco	0.1224	278.61	274.82	221.93	+ 1.38	+ 25.54
08	Meat	2.0411	267.24	265.01	227.65	+ 0.84	+ 17.39
09	Chicken	1.3631	255.61	255.94	203.63	- 0.13	+ 25.53
10	Fish	0.3855	156.12	151.57	133.69	+ 3.00	+ 16.78
11	Milk fresh	7.1070	235.50	239.65	189.38	- 1.73	+ 24.35
12	Milk products	0.6407	244.69	243.89	191.38	+ 0.33	+ 27.86
13	Milk powder	0.3106	250.11	249.53	183.07	+ 0.23	+ 36.62
14	Eggs	0.5083	359.89	339.37	275.71	+ 6.05	+ 30.53
15	Butter	0.0932	346.57	346.57	287.66	+ 0.00	+ 20.48
16	Mustard oil	0.0120	298.99	306.11	299.61	- 2.33	- 0.21
17	Cooking oil	1.1016	333.32	338.52	317.22	- 1.54	+ 5.08
18	Vegetable ghee	1.0324	325.39	330.72	324.68	- 1.61	+ 0.22
19	Dry fruits	0.3299	237.28	234.98	167.06	+ 0.98	+ 42.03
20	Fresh fruits	1.4363	188.62	177.13	161.28	+ 6.49	+ 16.95
21	Pulse Masoor	0.1624	225.66	229.30	198.76	- 1.59	+ 13.53
22	Pulse moong	0.1697	174.45	178.11	160.18	- 2.05	+ 8.91
23	Pulse mash	0.1152	232.01	232.87	166.08	- 0.37	+ 39.70
24	Pulse gram	0.1660	197.27	204.88	204.27	- 3.71	- 3.43
25	Gram whole	0.0912	266.88	269.24	235.39	- 0.88	+ 13.38
26	Beans	0.0408	331.12	326.20	211.15	+ 1.51	+ <u>56.82</u>
27	Potatoes	0.4496	384.57	370.77	272.02	+ 3.72	+ 41.38
28	Onions	0.5928	268.19	193.34	323.91	+ 38.71	- 17.20
29	Tomatoes	0.3459	259.00	267.31	476.29	- 3.11	- 45.62
30	Fresh vegetables	1.5306	256.56	217.91	286.83	+ 17.74	- 10.55
31	Sugar	1.1130	240.36	267.76	141.47	- 10.23	+ <u>69.90</u>
32	Gur	0.0379	265.49	270.57	161.11	- 1.88	+ <u>64.79</u>
33	Honey	0.1017	173.14	173.05	166.25	+ 0.05	+ 4.14
34	Sweetmeat	0.3535	285.10	283.88	215.00	+ 0.43	+ 32.60
35	Ice cream	0.1044	199.28	198.04	170.61	+ 0.63	+ 16.80
36	Condiments and Spices	1.3340	341.44	331.92	185.02	+ 2.87	+ <u>84.54</u>
37	Dessert preparation	0.0419	263.33	263.25	185.52	+ 0.03	+ 41.94
38	Tea	0.8427	333.87	339.55	215.51	- 1.67	+ <u>54.92</u>
39	Beverages	0.8906	232.51	230.27	159.35	+ 0.97	+ 45.91
Alcoholic Beverages, Tobacco		0.8540	382.40	382.08	209.33	+ 0.08	+ <u>82.68</u>
40	Cigarettes	0.7167	384.17	384.15	193.39	+ 0.01	+ <u>98.65</u>
41	Pan prepared	0.1373	373.16	371.28	292.57	+ 0.51	+ 27.55
Clothing and footwear		8.0096	207.50	205.70	176.60	+ 0.88	+ 17.50
42	Cotton cloth	2.2227	236.67	234.02	187.02	+ 1.13	+ 26.55
43	Woolen cloth	0.8361	203.84	200.05	172.25	+ 1.89	+ 18.34
44	Readymade garments	1.3196	193.28	192.62	165.44	+ 0.34	+ 16.83
45	Woolen readymade garments	0.4307	191.48	187.07	159.70	+ 2.36	+ 19.90
46	Tailoring	1.0741	207.64	206.11	180.27	+ 0.74	+ 15.18
47	Hosiery	0.4070	200.93	199.47	166.35	+ 0.73	+ 20.79
48	Dopatta	0.1713	171.49	171.03	147.84	+ 0.27	+ 16.00
49	Cleaning and laundering	0.0665	249.20	246.86	208.12	+ 0.95	+ 19.74
50	Footwear	1.4816	187.15	187.04	180.32	+ 0.06	+ 3.79
Housing, water, Elec., Gas and other fuels		27.0332	194.82	189.18	163.50	+ 2.98	+ 19.16
51	House rent	19.2558	157.98	155.70	149.54	+ 1.46	+ 5.64
52	Construction input items	0.3765	257.41	259.92	211.67	- 0.97	+ 21.61
53	Construction wage rates	0.2025	210.83	208.90	184.71	+ 0.92	+ 14.14
54	Water supply	0.5269	198.12	196.48	170.32	+ 0.83	+ 16.32
55	Garbage collection	0.1064	239.88	237.56	207.57	+ 0.98	+ 15.57
56	Electricity charges	4.5562	291.10	268.81	193.25	+ 8.29	+ <u>50.63</u>

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

Item and Specification	Weight	Index Numbers			% Change in Oct 2023 over		
		Oct 23	Sep 23	Oct 22	Sep 2023	Oct 2022	
57 Gas charges	1.0807	353.22	353.22	216.94	+	0.00	+ <u>62.82</u>
58 Liquefied Hydrocarbons	0.5064	332.80	320.41	266.63	+	3.87	+ 24.82
59 Solid Fuel	0.4218	185.98	185.35	146.30	+	0.34	+ 27.12
Furnishing and household equipment maintenance	4.0937	248.56	246.47	184.97	+	0.85	+ 34.38
60 Furniture and furnishing	0.4750	223.42	219.12	177.89	+	1.96	+ 25.59
61 Carpets	0.0308	146.00	145.88	129.24	+	0.08	+ 12.97
62 Household textiles	0.3420	172.37	169.55	150.38	+	1.66	+ 14.62
63 Household equipments	1.0032	247.68	245.76	180.45	+	0.78	+ 37.26
64 Plastic products	0.0536	198.88	197.77	158.76	+	0.56	+ 25.27
65 Major tools & equipments	0.0084	216.94	213.59	173.63	+	1.57	+ 24.94
66 Washing soap/detergents/match	1.4112	315.28	312.96	212.39	+	0.74	+ 48.44
67 Household servant	0.7695	184.66	184.31	164.49	+	0.19	+ 12.26
Health	2.3098	229.53	223.51	179.22	+	2.69	+ 28.07
68 Drugs and medicines	1.0735	248.54	239.62	181.83	+	3.72	+ 36.69
69 Therapeutic Appliances and Equipments	0.0054	144.45	141.16	124.75	+	2.33	+ 15.79
70 Doctor (MBBS) clinic fee	0.4044	283.58	275.26	229.62	+	3.02	+ 23.50
71 Dental services	0.0156	165.37	164.45	145.80	+	0.56	+ 13.42
72 Medical tests	0.2367	183.54	182.09	156.42	+	0.80	+ 17.34
73 Hospitals services	0.5742	177.43	176.38	149.66	+	0.60	+ 18.56
Transport	6.1368	310.68	319.47	245.33	-	2.75	+ 26.64
74 Motor vehicles	0.8097	256.48	256.47	207.19	+	0.00	+ 23.79
75 Motor vehicle accessories	0.1941	252.37	251.22	196.59	+	0.46	+ 28.37
76 Motor fuel	2.9088	402.50	419.34	307.71	-	4.02	+ 30.80
77 Mechanical services	0.4290	216.37	214.46	173.59	+	0.89	+ 24.64
78 Motor vehicle tax	0.0482	148.53	148.53	148.53	+	0.00	+ 0.00
79 Transport services	1.7470	217.03	220.48	184.85	-	1.56	+ 17.41
Communication	2.3536	124.83	124.41	114.37	+	0.34	+ 9.15
80 Postal services	0.0190	205.74	202.44	185.94	+	1.63	+ 10.65
81 Communication apparatus	0.4524	189.25	187.20	135.64	+	1.10	+ 39.52
82 Communication Services	1.8822	108.53	108.53	108.53	+	0.00	+ 0.00
Recreation and culture	1.7301	245.87	245.62	157.14	+	0.10	+ 56.47
83 Recreation and culture	0.6478	148.18	147.81	126.27	+	0.25	+ 17.35
84 Text books	0.6655	314.48	314.48	161.20	+	0.00	+ <u>95.09</u>
85 Newspapers	0.0716	211.87	209.69	157.93	+	1.04	+ 34.15
86 stationery	0.3452	303.97	303.88	207.08	+	0.03	+ 46.79
Education	4.8807	184.31	178.55	165.49	+	3.23	+ 11.37
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Restaurants and hotels	7.4050	256.43	252.06	193.58	+	1.73	+ 32.47
88 Readymade food	5.5235	265.03	263.20	201.99	+	0.70	+ 31.21
89 Marriage Hall Charges	1.7514	236.14	223.98	172.17	+	5.43	+ 37.16
90 Accommodation Services	0.1301	164.49	157.40	124.74	+	4.50	+ 31.87
Misc. goods and services	4.7720	258.91	259.03	195.11	-	0.05	+ 32.70
91 Personal Grooming Services	0.8001	225.79	222.32	184.03	+	1.56	+ 22.69
92 Electrical Appliances for Per	0.0465	160.07	156.98	143.08	+	1.97	+ 11.87
93 Appliances/Articles/Products	2.9807	249.28	246.48	184.04	+	1.14	+ 35.45
94 Personal Effects	0.9447	322.19	334.76	241.97	-	3.75	+ 33.15

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

Item and Specification		Weight	Index Numbers			% Change in Oct 2023 over			
			Oct 23	Sep 23	Oct 22	Sep 2023	Oct 2022		
General		100.0000	259.03	256.21	200.96	+	1.10	+	28.90
Food and non-alcoholic Beverage		40.8668	285.35	283.57	225.37	+	0.63	+	26.61
01	Wheat	3.4736	355.39	359.93	259.70	-	1.26	+	36.85
02	Wheat Flour	3.4297	361.72	369.68	227.08	-	2.15	+	59.29
03	Wheat Products	0.1068	320.91	321.50	215.38	-	0.18	+	49.00
04	Besan	0.0728	222.01	224.24	212.64	-	0.99	+	4.41
05	Rice	1.5501	437.78	440.82	264.18	-	0.69	+	65.71
06	Bakery and Confectionary	0.3702	298.41	293.83	215.01	+	1.56	+	38.79
07	Nimco	0.0774	281.17	276.10	214.88	+	1.84	+	30.85
08	Meat	1.7146	274.60	269.39	225.46	+	1.93	+	21.80
09	Chicken	1.4641	267.00	274.24	211.18	-	2.64	+	26.43
10	Fish	0.2640	180.90	174.56	148.13	+	3.63	+	22.12
11	Milk fresh	10.3803	231.14	229.42	179.15	+	0.75	+	29.02
12	Milk products	0.9624	230.43	229.33	170.46	+	0.48	+	35.18
13	Milk powder	0.1062	218.45	218.20	163.18	+	0.11	+	33.87
14	Eggs	0.5665	338.92	329.57	269.71	+	2.84	+	25.66
15	Butter	0.3333	241.81	236.53	189.91	+	2.23	+	27.33
16	Mustard oil	0.0136	314.17	317.90	307.40	-	1.17	+	2.20
17	Cooking oil	0.6011	340.64	354.22	348.51	-	3.83	-	2.26
18	Vegetable ghee	2.3764	341.60	356.98	354.96	-	4.31	-	3.76
19	Dry fruits	0.2496	289.22	282.62	187.03	+	2.34	+	54.64
20	Fresh fruits	1.4505	188.79	182.58	162.46	+	3.40	+	16.21
21	Pulse Masoor	0.2076	233.56	232.27	225.92	+	0.56	+	3.38
22	Pulse Moong	0.2510	184.67	188.85	167.44	-	2.21	+	10.29
23	Pulse Mash	0.1465	235.37	234.70	170.01	+	0.29	+	38.44
24	Pulse Gram	0.2751	206.07	212.41	211.13	-	2.98	-	2.40
25	Gram Whole	0.1116	279.12	283.19	247.63	-	1.44	+	12.72
26	Beans	0.0896	342.86	326.10	234.05	+	5.14	+	46.49
27	Potatoes	0.7437	418.01	401.04	305.35	+	4.23	+	36.90
28	Onions	0.8965	244.64	182.62	316.41	+	33.96	-	22.68
29	Tomatoes	0.5069	232.67	240.55	489.67	-	3.28	-	52.48
30	Fresh Vegetables	2.0947	274.06	225.08	295.60	+	21.76	-	7.29
31	Sugar	2.0296	247.00	272.84	141.41	-	9.47	+	74.67
32	Gur	0.1522	251.47	266.73	159.86	-	5.72	+	57.31
33	Honey	0.0296	176.47	175.02	165.86	+	0.83	+	6.40
34	Sweetmeat	0.3967	267.20	258.50	200.14	+	3.37	+	33.51
35	Ice Cream	0.0568	197.73	194.84	159.63	+	1.48	+	23.87
36	Condiments and Spices	1.4919	304.23	293.52	200.61	+	3.65	+	51.65
37	Dessert Preparation	0.0133	260.60	260.66	172.04	-	0.02	+	51.48
38	Tea	1.2566	330.80	334.14	208.81	-	1.00	+	58.42
39	Beverages	0.5537	228.51	227.58	155.54	+	0.41	+	46.91
Alcoholic Beverages, Tobacco		1.2786	341.92	340.06	182.99	+	0.55	+	86.85
40	Cigarettes	1.2364	342.97	341.04	180.77	+	0.57	+	89.73
41	Pan Prepared	0.0422	311.19	311.19	248.13	+	0.00	+	25.41
Clothing and footwear		9.4826	225.27	222.41	180.87	+	1.29	+	24.55
42	Cotton Cloth	2.8381	245.54	244.27	198.85	+	0.52	+	23.48
43	Woolen Cloth	1.0959	219.50	217.28	173.97	+	1.02	+	26.17
44	Readymade Garments	1.1345	216.08	215.76	174.41	+	0.15	+	23.89
45	Woolen Readymade Garments	0.5401	196.82	193.86	166.25	+	1.53	+	18.39
46	Tailoring	1.2999	220.20	217.45	182.61	+	1.26	+	20.58
47	Hosiery	0.4322	304.80	301.50	231.69	+	1.09	+	31.56
48	Dopatta	0.2078	213.11	210.69	167.67	+	1.15	+	27.10
49	Cleaning and Laundering	0.0176	247.65	245.08	190.42	+	1.05	+	30.05
50	Footwear	1.9165	198.62	191.56	154.85	+	3.69	+	28.27
Housing, water, Elec., Gas and other fuels		18.4853	213.67	207.41	173.31	+	3.02	+	23.29
51	House Rent	8.6110	162.17	159.54	150.40	+	1.65	+	7.83
52	Construction Input Items	0.6306	222.40	221.67	189.95	+	0.33	+	17.08
53	Construction Wage Rates	0.2526	219.17	217.79	184.88	+	0.63	+	18.55
54	Water Supply	0.0645	277.95	277.95	222.06	+	0.00	+	25.17
55	Garbage Collection	0.0080	189.52	189.52	169.61	+	0.00	+	11.74

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

Item and Specification	Weight	Index Numbers			% Change in Oct 2023 over	
		Oct 23	Sep 23	Oct 22	Sep 2023	Oct 2022
56 Electricity Charges	3.4431	291.10	268.81	193.25	+ 8.29	+ <u>50.63</u>
57 Liquefied Hydrocarbons	0.9994	306.66	301.78	245.66	+ 1.62	+ 24.83
58 Solid Fuel	4.4761	229.99	227.62	182.17	+ 1.04	+ 26.25
Furnishing and household equipment maintenance	4.1031	266.82	262.00	188.95	+ 1.84	+ 41.21
59 Furniture and Furnishing	0.5786	241.51	234.47	184.37	+ 3.00	+ 30.99
60 Household Textiles	0.4382	198.17	195.32	162.32	+ 1.46	+ 22.09
61 Household Equipments	1.2774	262.39	261.31	191.03	+ 0.41	+ 37.36
62 Plastic Products	0.0776	249.86	247.75	199.75	+ 0.85	+ 25.09
63 Major Tools and Equipments	0.0324	213.79	210.56	167.24	+ 1.53	+ 27.83
64 Washing Soaps, Detergents and	1.6989	298.27	290.73	195.72	+ 2.59	+ <u>52.40</u>
Health	3.5141	227.35	221.11	185.70	+ 2.82	+ 22.43
65 Drugs and Medicines	1.5792	260.21	252.62	199.93	+ 3.00	+ 30.15
66 Doctor Clinic Fee	0.5128	272.83	261.41	229.98	+ 4.37	+ 18.63
67 Dental Services	0.0181	186.86	183.94	164.62	+ 1.59	+ 13.51
68 Medical Tests	0.3967	209.81	202.94	174.45	+ 3.39	+ 20.27
69 Hospitals Services	1.0073	160.32	159.01	145.68	+ 0.82	+ 10.05
Transport	5.5580	341.75	342.50	245.62	- 0.22	+ 39.14
70 Motor Vehicles	0.7305	192.73	192.71	160.05	+ 0.01	+ 20.42
71 Motor Vehicles Accessories	0.1572	257.51	255.18	194.90	+ 0.91	+ 32.12
72 Motor Fuels	2.4932	427.25	427.11	306.24	+ 0.03	+ 39.51
73 Mechanical Services	0.3645	221.45	221.45	181.69	+ 0.00	+ 21.88
74 Motor Vehicle Tax	0.0174	150.93	150.93	150.93	+ 0.00	+ 0.00
75 Transport Services	1.7952	317.31	320.01	214.61	- 0.84	+ 47.85
Communication	1.9940	111.61	111.21	107.33	+ 0.36	+ 3.99
76 Postal Services	0.0070	179.32	179.32	149.43	+ 0.00	+ 20.00
77 Communication Apparatus	0.3362	154.54	152.14	129.79	+ 1.58	+ 19.07
78 Communication Services	1.6508	102.58	102.58	102.58	+ 0.00	+ 0.00
Recreation and culture	1.3764	274.57	272.22	175.86	+ 0.86	+ 56.13
79 Recreation and Culture	0.4763	214.87	212.52	180.56	+ 1.11	+ 19.00
80 Text Books	0.5047	327.72	327.72	158.47	+ 0.00	+ <u>106.80</u>
81 Newspapers	0.0230	242.52	242.52	165.72	+ 0.00	+ 46.34
82 Stationery	0.3724	280.87	275.19	194.06	+ 2.06	+ 44.73
Education	2.1342	181.78	181.67	153.81	+ 0.06	+ 18.18
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Restaurants and hotels	6.1895	256.62	253.31	191.32	+ 1.31	+ 34.13
84 Readymade Food	3.8001	285.35	280.17	212.92	+ 1.85	+ 34.02
85 Marriage Hall Charges	2.2525	216.93	216.59	159.90	+ 0.16	+ 35.67
86 Accommodation Services	0.1369	112.13	112.13	108.81	+ 0.00	+ 3.05
Misc. goods and services	5.0174	268.87	268.51	193.59	+ 0.13	+ 38.89
87 Personal Grooming Services	1.5363	276.32	274.10	209.13	+ 0.81	+ 32.13
88 Appliances/Articles/Products	2.2746	230.78	226.61	158.11	+ 1.84	+ 45.96
89 Personal Effects	1.2065	331.20	340.38	240.68	- 2.70	+ 37.61

Annexure C: Wholesale Price Indices by Major Groups & Commodities

(2015-16=100)

Item and Specification	Weight	Index Numbers			% Change in Oct 2023 over		
		Oct 23	Sep 23	Oct 22	Sep 2023	Oct 2022	
General	100.0000	301.76	307.51	242.15	-	1.87	+ 24.62
Agriculture Forestry & Fisher	25.7674	270.06	281.19	234.75	-	3.96	+ 15.04
001 Wheat	0.6297	359.80	365.64	256.55	-	1.60	+ 40.25
002 Maize	0.6764	228.09	250.93	234.62	-	9.10	- 2.78
003 Rice	2.4413	365.31	368.77	226.51	-	0.94	+ <u>61.28</u>
004 Sorghum / Jowar	0.0214	281.61	303.20	236.23	-	7.12	+ 19.21
005 Millet / Bajra	0.0374	283.75	303.78	210.70	-	6.59	+ 34.67
006 Vegetables	1.2441	334.15	338.23	407.42	-	1.21	- 17.98
007 Fresh Fruits	1.5144	211.40	209.87	197.77	+	0.73	+ 6.89
008 Dry Fruits	0.2478	327.82	332.75	165.57	-	1.48	+ <u>97.99</u>
009 Cotton Seeds	1.1511	177.60	185.50	157.94	-	4.26	+ 12.45
010 Other Oil Seeds	0.0722	294.21	300.64	294.92	-	2.14	- 0.24
011 Edible Roots / Potatoes	0.2540	525.48	490.67	349.85	+	7.09	+ <u>50.20</u>
012 Stimulant & Spice Crops	0.1634	787.27	737.18	285.58	+	6.79	+ <u>175.67</u>
013 Pulses	0.4901	264.61	267.85	228.56	-	1.21	+ 15.77
014 Sugar Crops	1.0725	251.96	291.76	186.59	-	13.64	+ 35.03
015 Fibre Crops	5.3169	307.92	348.23	327.72	-	11.58	- 6.04
016 Unmanufactured Tobacco	0.0742	480.65	430.81	283.57	+	11.57	+ <u>69.50</u>
017 Poultry	0.5633	249.03	251.79	199.06	-	1.10	+ 25.10
018 Raw Milk from Bovine Animals	7.0279	226.78	230.35	190.61	-	1.55	+ 18.98
019 Eggs	0.5034	367.42	339.69	274.02	+	8.16	+ 34.09
020 Raw Animal Materials / Wool	0.0351	135.24	134.82	110.36	+	0.31	+ 22.54
021 Hides, Skins & Fur Skins, Raw	0.4834	52.62	52.39	45.58	+	0.44	+ 15.45
022 Fuel Wood in Logs	0.0179	177.21	176.86	142.14	+	0.20	+ 24.67
023 Fish Live Fresh or Chilled	1.7295	196.23	192.81	163.70	+	1.77	+ 19.87
Ores/Minerals, Elec., Gas & W	12.0069	276.05	268.11	220.43	+	2.96	+ 25.23
024 Coal not Agglomerated	0.7508	194.29	194.29	135.98	+	0.00	+ 42.88
025 Natural Gas Liquefied	5.7065	243.73	243.14	211.37	+	0.24	+ 15.31
026 Salt & Pure Sodium Chloride	0.0584	348.28	335.62	206.88	+	3.77	+ <u>68.35</u>
027 Electrical Energy	5.4912	320.04	303.42	241.54	+	5.48	+ 32.50
Food, Beverages, Tobacco, Textile, Leather	31.1122	260.49	262.56	211.88	-	0.79	+ 22.94
Food Products, Beverages & Tobacco	20.0718	276.74	280.14	212.85	-	1.21	+ 30.02
028 Meat of Animals	3.4559	263.56	262.07	222.13	+	0.57	+ 18.65
029 Vegetables & Fruit Juice	0.0058	236.20	234.90	173.05	+	0.55	+ 36.49
030 Dried Fruits & Nuts	0.1733	343.23	336.80	228.48	+	1.91	+ <u>50.22</u>
031 Fruit Juices	0.3880	249.73	244.42	166.19	+	2.17	+ <u>50.27</u>
032 Vegetable Oils Refined	1.9242	287.30	293.23	262.31	-	2.02	+ 9.53
033 Vegetable Ghee	1.5632	327.77	338.40	345.80	-	3.14	- 5.21
034 Oil Cakes	0.9611	254.60	268.11	220.90	-	5.04	+ 15.26
035 Processed Liquid Milk	4.4437	253.67	247.20	194.80	+	2.62	+ 30.22
036 Milk & Cream in Solid Form	0.0316	257.53	257.35	179.58	+	0.07	+ 43.41
037 Ice Cream	0.0047	198.75	198.75	167.02	+	0.00	+ 19.00
038 Dairy Products N.E.C	0.0117	262.00	260.19	175.76	+	0.70	+ 49.07
039 Wheat Flour	2.3034	355.95	364.89	233.09	-	2.45	+ <u>52.71</u>
040 Other Cereal Flour	0.0604	221.04	227.48	213.26	-	2.83	+ 3.65
041 Sugar Refined	1.7975	240.60	265.02	142.69	-	9.21	+ <u>68.62</u>
042 Chocolate	0.0139	104.47	103.90	96.27	+	0.55	+ 8.52
043 Sugar Confectionary	0.0738	233.88	233.19	202.19	+	0.30	+ 15.67
044 Coffee & Tea	0.7303	259.20	259.66	183.76	-	0.18	+ 41.05
045 Spices	0.1449	369.55	369.08	207.08	+	0.13	+ <u>78.46</u>
046 Other Food Products	0.0336	229.22	221.45	139.77	+	3.51	+ <u>64.00</u>
047 Mineral Water	0.0207	209.13	209.13	158.93	+	0.00	+ 31.59
048 Beverages	0.6303	254.14	253.18	156.84	+	0.38	+ <u>62.04</u>
049 Tobacco Products	1.2998	259.58	259.58	134.10	+	0.00	+ <u>93.57</u>
Textiles & Apparels	10.3289	234.13	233.77	213.61	+	0.15	+ 9.61
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	227.63	221.40	185.47	+	2.81	+ 22.73
054 Cotton Fabrics	0.6343	276.10	276.10	201.73	+	0.00	+ 36.87
055 Other Fabrics	1.1016	211.53	211.53	175.49	+	0.00	+ 20.54
056 Silk & Reyon Fabrics	0.7350	329.03	326.69	253.96	+	0.72	+ 29.56
057 Towels	0.1235	193.57	193.20	170.23	+	0.19	+ 13.71

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Item and Specification	Weight	Index Numbers			% Change in Oct 2023 over		
		Oct 23	Sep 23	Oct 22	Sep 2023	Oct 2022	
058 Blankets	0.0029	140.52	140.09	106.06	+	0.31	+ 32.49
059 Bed Sheets	0.0913	164.87	164.56	133.90	+	0.19	+ 23.13
060 Quilts	0.0019	204.70	204.18	166.25	+	0.25	+ 23.13
061 Woolen Carpets	0.0383	166.01	166.01	146.63	+	0.00	+ 13.22
062 Synthetic Carpets	0.0566	132.95	132.95	131.66	+	0.00	+ 0.98
063 Hosiery Products	0.8832	188.77	188.38	162.64	+	0.21	+ 16.07
064 Readymade Garments	1.0576	232.48	231.07	195.04	+	0.61	+ 19.20
Leather Products	0.7115	184.66	184.66	159.57	+	0.00	+ 15.72
065 Leather Without Hair	0.2973	181.35	181.35	140.15	+	0.00	+ 29.40
066 Other Leather N.E.C	0.2567	158.95	158.95	148.41	+	0.00	+ 7.10
067 Footwears	0.1575	232.83	232.83	214.40	+	0.00	+ 8.60
Other Transportable Goods	22.3979	381.93	395.00	305.46	-	3.31	+ 25.03
068 Timber	0.0165	222.21	220.84	191.64	+	0.62	+ 15.95
069 Printing Paper	0.4279	248.57	260.23	184.76	-	4.48	+ 34.54
070 Hard Board	0.1579	209.29	209.29	146.50	+	0.00	+ 42.86
071 Motor Spirit	1.6268	431.88	453.76	317.82	-	4.82	+ 35.89
072 Diesel Oil	5.4849	425.18	428.57	350.07	-	0.79	+ 21.46
073 Kerosene Oil	0.2151	443.36	469.05	376.21	-	5.48	+ 17.85
074 Furnace Oil	3.2664	711.67	782.23	562.89	-	9.02	+ 26.43
075 Mobil Oil	0.7114	236.05	236.05	206.61	+	0.00	+ 14.25
076 Chemicals	1.7720	299.90	313.13	263.05	-	4.23	+ 14.01
077 Dyeing Material	0.1539	220.27	220.27	146.16	+	0.00	+ 50.70
078 Fertilizers	2.8657	240.53	234.76	212.14	+	2.46	+ 13.38
079 Pesticides	0.2763	186.07	184.92	155.30	+	0.62	+ 19.81
080 Insecticides	0.1276	151.05	151.05	111.49	+	0.00	+ 35.48
081 Paints & Varnishes	0.1916	265.65	265.65	200.88	+	0.00	+ 32.24
082 Medicines	1.1428	304.47	297.82	233.43	+	2.23	+ 30.43
083 Soaps & Detergents	0.8168	226.43	225.36	156.19	+	0.47	+ 44.97
084 Auto Tyres	0.2703	251.53	251.53	184.99	+	0.00	+ 35.97
085 Plastic Products	0.4550	187.43	187.43	134.11	+	0.00	+ 39.76
086 Glass sheets	0.2089	339.41	337.66	234.72	+	0.52	+ 44.60
087 Other Glass Articles	0.1635	207.34	207.34	158.06	+	0.00	+ 31.18
088 Ceramics & Sanitary Fixture	0.0244	192.49	190.71	154.89	+	0.93	+ 24.28
089 Bricks, Blocks & Tiles	0.1566	185.29	185.18	165.26	+	0.06	+ 12.12
090 Cement	1.8145	232.32	232.20	196.96	+	0.05	+ 17.95
091 Bed Foam	0.0006	313.17	313.17	262.33	+	0.00	+ 19.38
092 Matches	0.0505	3291.67	3291.67	1446.17	+	0.00	+ 127.61
Metal Product, Machinery & Equipment	8.7156	372.18	375.20	239.26	-	0.80	+ 55.55
093 Steel Bar & Sheets	1.4615	347.66	392.31	283.75	-	11.38	+ 22.52
094 Pipe Fittings	0.0780	412.86	412.86	278.60	+	0.00	+ 48.19
095 Steel Products	0.3879	240.83	240.83	142.43	+	0.00	+ 69.09
096 Engines & Motors	0.0046	145.36	145.36	117.67	+	0.00	+ 23.53
097 Vacuum Pumps	0.0155	107.56	107.56	107.56	+	0.00	+ 0.00
098 Air Conditioners	0.0049	314.49	312.92	188.78	+	0.50	+ 66.59
099 Cultivators	0.0551	361.67	316.81	174.49	+	14.16	+ 107.27
100 Chuff Cutter	0.1293	504.72	504.72	337.83	+	0.00	+ 49.40
101 Tractors	0.0028	297.43	297.43	206.24	+	0.00	+ 44.22
102 Lathe Machines	0.0525	468.00	462.80	364.02	+	1.12	+ 28.56
103 Concrete Mixture	0.0107	323.61	303.98	255.01	+	6.46	+ 26.90
104 Fridge,WashM,SewM,Fans,Iron	1.1645	267.26	263.90	186.54	+	1.27	+ 43.27
105 Electric Wires	0.0912	263.39	263.39	192.85	+	0.00	+ 36.58
106 Lighting Equipments	1.4431	701.76	679.55	278.31	+	3.27	+ 152.15
107 Radio & Television	0.1843	196.21	196.21	122.49	+	0.00	+ 60.18
108 Motor Vehicles	0.0244	255.73	255.73	205.44	+	0.00	+ 24.48
109 Motorcycles	0.2570	263.76	263.76	196.08	+	0.00	+ 34.52
110 Bicycles	3.3483	308.80	308.80	239.03	+	0.00	+ 29.19
