

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

SENSITIVE PRICE INDICATOR (SPI) FOR THE WEEK ENDED ON 11.07.2024.

(To gauge inflation on weekly / short term basis)

Sensitive Price Indicator (SPI) is computed on weekly basis to assess the price movement of essential commodities at shorter interval of time so as to review the price situation in the country. SPI comprises of 51 essential items collected from 50 markets in 17 cities of the country.

Consumption Quintiles	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q5	Combined
Week on Week change (%)	-0.17	-0.08	0.02	0.09	0.19	0.11
Year on Year change (%)	16.17	20.10	25.93	23.50	21.37	23.33

I. ANALYSIS OF WEEKLY SPI

- i.* The SPI for the current week ended on **July 11, 2024 increased by 0.11%**. Major **increase** is observed in the prices of Chicken (16.34%), Powdered Milk (6.07%), Pulse Gram (3.47%), Lawn Cloth (2.43%), Long Cloth (1.58%), Milk Fresh (1.37%), Pulse Masoor (1.23%) and Pulse Moong (1.02%).
- ii.* On the other hand, **decrease** is observed in the prices of Tomatoes (19.47%), Bananas (2.30%), Wheat Flour (1.85%), Onions (1.55%), Potatoes (0.86%) and Eggs (0.61%).
- iii.* During the week, out of **51** items, prices of **23** (45.10%) items increased, **06** (11.76%) items decreased and **22** (43.14%) items remained stable.
- iv.* The year on year trend depicts **increase of 23.33%**, Gas Charges for Q1 (570.00%), Tomatoes (124.55%), Onions (86.17%), Chilies Powder (55.00%), Pulse Gram (37.67%), Garlic (36.20%), Powered Milk (33.33%), Pulse Moong (28.59%), Shirting (27.08%), Salt Powder (26.79%), Gents Sandal (25.01%), LPG (23.93%), Beef (22.59%), Pulse Mash (22.46%) and Electricity Charges for Q1 (21.46%), while decrease is observed in the prices of Wheat Flour (32.44%), Chicken (16.40%), Cooking Oil 5 Litre (14.74%), Vegetable Ghee 2.5 Kg (11.60%), Vegetable Ghee 1 Kg (11.18%), Mustard Oil (8.34%), Tea Lipton (2.52%), Rice Basmati Broken (1.99%) and Eggs (1.16%).

II. Current week over previous week (WoW) (11.07.2024 over 04.07.2024) showing 0.11% change.

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

Food Items	%	Food Items	%	Non Food Items	%
Chicken	16.34	Pulse Masoor (Washed)	1.23	Lawn Cloth	2.43
Powdered Milk	6.07	Pulse Moong (Washed)	1.02	Long Cloth	1.58
Pulse Gram	3.47				
Milk fresh	1.37				

ii. **Decreased Items (percentage)**

Food Items	%	Food Items	%	Non Food Items	%
Tomatoes	-19.47	Potatoes	-0.86	Nil	
Bananas	-2.30	Eggs	-0.61		
Wheat Flour	-1.85				
Onions	-1.55				

III. Current week over corresponding week (YoY) (11.07.2024 over 13.07.2023) showing 23.33% change.

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

Food Items	%	Food Items	%	Non Food Items	%
Tomatoes	124.55	Garlic	36.20	Gas Charges for Q1	570.00
Onions	86.17	Powdered Milk	33.33	Shirting	27.08
Chilies Powder	55.00	Pulse Moong	28.59	Gents Sandal	25.01
Pulse Gram	37.67	Salt Powdered	26.79	LPG	23.93

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

Food Items	%	Food Items	%	Non Food Item	%
Wheat Flour Bag	-32.44	Vegetable Ghee 1 kg	-11.18	Nil	
Chicken	-16.40	Mustard Oil	-8.34		
Cooking Oil 5 Litre	-14.74	Tea Lipton	-2.52		
Vegetable Ghee 2.5 kg	-11.60	Rice Basmati Broken	-1.99		

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Subject: Sensitive Price Indicator (SPI) for the week ended on 11-07-2024.

The weekly SPI with base 2015-16=100 covering 17 urban centres and 51 essential items for all expenditure groups/quintiles and combined has been computed.

2. For the week ended on July 11, 2024, the SPI and percentage changes by Consumption groups/quintiles and combined are given below:

SPI (51 items) 2015-16=100					
Expenditure Group (Quintile)	SPI for week ended on			% change over	
	11-07-2024	04-07-24	13-07-23	04-07-24	13-07-23
Q1 (Upto Rs. 17,732)	310.46	310.99	267.24	-0.17	16.17
Q2 (Rs. 17,733 - 22,888)	309.54	309.79	257.74	-0.08	20.10
Q3 (Rs. 22,889 - 29,517)	329.72	329.67	261.83	0.02	25.93
Q4 (Rs. 29,518 - 44,175)	317.46	317.18	257.06	0.09	23.50
Q5 (Above Rs. 44,175)	317.93	317.32	261.96	0.19	21.37
Combined	318.96	318.61	258.63	0.11	23.33

3. The trend of weekly SPI with base 2015-16=100 during the last 10 weeks as compared to the respective previous as well as corresponding weeks of last year is as under:

SPI (51 items) 2015-16=100						
Week ended on	SPI for lowest expenditure group	% change over		Combined SPI	% change over	
		Pr. Week	Cor. Week		Pr. Week	Cor. Week
09-05-2024	303.24	-0.99	15.95	312.56	-1.39	22.32
16-05-2024	299.70	-1.17	14.54	309.25	-1.06	21.22
23-05-2024	298.56	-0.38	14.49	308.19	-0.34	21.31
30-05-2024	298.82	0.09	14.68	308.52	0.11	21.40
06-06-2024	301.25	0.81	15.26	309.91	0.45	21.69
13-06-2024	304.28	1.01	16.29	313.93	1.30	23.03
20-06-2024	309.10	1.58	17.52	316.88	0.94	23.78
27-06-2024	306.62	-0.80	16.57	314.57	-0.73	22.88
04-07-2024	310.99	1.43	16.97	318.61	1.28	23.59
11-07-2024	310.46	-0.17	16.17	318.96	0.11	23.33

4. A statement showing citywise prices of essential items pertaining to 17 urban centres is placed at Appendix-A.

5 The comparative changes in prices i.e. increase, decrease and unchanged for the week ended on 11-07-2024 over previous and corresponding weeks ended on 04-07-2024 and 13-07-2023 respectively are as follows:

Sr.	Items	Units	Prices in Rs. on			%change		Weight of		Impact of		
			11.07.24	04.07.24	13.07.23	col. 3 over	04.07.24 13.07.23	expenditure group in %	expenditure group in % points			
			1	2	3	4	5	6	7	Lowest Combined	Lowest Combined	
			8	9	10	11						
i. Average prices of the following 23 items registered INCREASE.												
1	Chicken Farm Broiler (Live)	1 Kg	373.25	320.84	446.47	16.34	-16.40	2.9269	3.8681	0.3070	0.3959	
2	Powdered Milk NIDO 390 gm Polybag	Each	984.38	928.07	738.31	6.07	33.33	0.0803	0.3817	0.0040	0.0185	
3	Pulse Gram	1 Kg	329.92	318.87	239.64	3.47	37.67	0.7967	0.4711	0.0276	0.0159	
4	Lawn Printed Gul Ahmed/Al Karam	1 mtr	608.59	594.17	527.80	2.43	15.31	2.3442	2.1473	0.0162	0.0145	
5	Long Cloth 57" Gul Ahmed/Al Karam	1 mtr	617.00	607.38	525.60	1.58	17.39	4.2221	3.9577	0.0320	0.0293	
6	Milk fresh (Un-boiled)	1 Ltr	192.84	190.24	178.91	1.37	7.79	17.5449	18.3937	0.0434	0.0444	
7	Pulse Masoor (Washed)	1 Kg	326.46	322.50	273.32	1.23	19.44	0.6545	0.4608	0.0047	0.0032	
8	Pulse Moong (Washed)	1 Kg	337.02	333.63	262.09	1.02	28.59	0.8715	0.4816	0.0180	0.0097	
9	Curd (Dahi) Loose	1 Kg	226.75	224.65	207.00	0.93	9.54	0.7366	1.8181	0.0031	0.0074	
10	Sugar Refined	1 Kg	145.88	144.72	138.96	0.80	4.98	5.1148	3.1584	0.0146	0.0088	
11	Gur (Average Quality)	1 Kg	212.17	210.51	196.79	0.79	7.82	0.2341	0.1075	0.0003	0.0002	
12	Beef with Bone (Average Quality)	1 Kg	965.09	958.90	787.22	0.65	22.59	2.4988	3.3533	0.0091	0.0119	
13	Pulse Mash (Washed)	1 Kg	573.24	570.56	468.12	0.47	22.46	0.2855	0.3269	0.0011	0.0013	
14	Tea Prepared Ordinary	Per Cup	60.01	59.78	51.94	0.38	15.54	2.5003	2.3564	0.0050	0.0046	
15	Garlic (Lehsun)	1 Kg	473.91	472.13	347.96	0.38	36.20	0.6807	0.5795	0.0035	0.0029	
16	Georgette (Average Quality)	1 mtr	281.62	280.61	244.30	0.36	15.28	0.7584	0.9024	0.0007	0.0008	
17	Rice IRRI-6/9 (Sindh/Punjab)	1 Kg	161.50	161.08	152.89	0.26	5.63	0.5922	0.1671	0.0032	0.0009	
18	Firewood Whole	40 Kg	1193.07	1190.24	1074.82	0.24	11.00	5.0813	1.1969	0.0065	0.0015	
19	Vegetable Ghee DALDA/HABIB 2.5 kg Tin	Each	1299.72	1296.93	1470.26	0.22	-11.60	3.2833	1.4648	0.0030	0.0013	
20	Rice Basmati Broken (Average Quality)	1 Kg	206.76	206.52	210.96	0.12	-1.99	2.9610	1.2636	0.0190	0.0079	
21	Cigarettes Capstan 20'S Packet	Each	231.93	231.73	221.35	0.09	4.78	1.6170	1.0931	0.0005	0.0003	
22	LPG 11.67 kg Cylinder	Each	3078.33	3076.10	2483.94	0.07	23.93	0.6145	1.4370	-0.0075	-0.0170	
23	Bread plain (Small Size)	Each	110.80	110.73	106.75	0.06	3.79	0.1041	0.5698	0.0003	0.0015	
TOTAL									56.5037	49.9568	0.5150	0.5656
ii. Average prices of the following 6 items registered DECREASE.												
1	Tomatoes	1 Kg	163.90	203.52	72.99	-19.47	124.55	1.4395	0.9816	-0.4300	-0.2862	
2	Bananas (Kela) Local	1 Dozen	160.90	164.69	151.48	-2.30	6.22	0.7124	0.9413	-0.0140	-0.0180	
3	Wheat Flour Bag	20 Kg	1934.03	1970.43	2862.64	-1.85	-32.44	6.1372	3.9725	-0.1437	-0.0908	
4	Onions	1 Kg	113.62	115.41	61.03	-1.55	86.17	2.6815	1.6822	-0.0699	-0.0428	
5	Potatoes	1 Kg	97.00	97.84	91.15	-0.86	6.42	2.2955	1.2157	-0.0229	-0.0119	
6	Eggs Hen (Farm)	1 Dozen	246.02	247.52	248.90	-0.61	-1.16	1.1780	1.4424	-0.0034	-0.0041	
TOTAL									14.4441	10.2357	-0.6840	-0.4538
iii. Average prices of the following 22 items remained UNCHANGED												
1	Mutton (Average Quality)	1 Kg	1901.14	1901.14	1650.49	0.00	15.19	0.5498	2.4387	0.0000	0.0000	
2	Mustard Oil (Average Quality)	1 Kg	495.49	495.49	540.59	0.00	-8.34	0.0216	0.0341	0.0000	0.0000	
3	Cooking Oil DALDA or Other Similar Brand (SN)	Each	2670.29	2670.29	3131.85	0.00	-14.74	2.1480	3.1260	0.0000	0.0000	
4	Vegetable Ghee DALDA/HABIB or Other superi	Each	505.49	505.49	569.09	0.00	-11.18	3.2833	1.4648	0.0000	0.0000	
5	Salt Powdered (NATIONAL/SHAN) 800 gm Pac	Each	70.29	70.29	55.44	0.00	26.79	0.2844	0.2279	0.0000	0.0000	
6	Chilies Powder NATIONAL 200 gm Packet	Each	333.24	333.24	215.00	0.00	55.00	1.3896	0.8454	0.0000	0.0000	
7	Tea Lipton Yellow Label 190 gm Packet	Each	544.71	544.71	558.82	0.00	-2.52	3.1478	2.3913	0.0000	0.0000	
8	Cooked Beef at Average Hotel	Per Plate	282.63	282.63	257.21	0.00	9.88	0.5033	1.0497	0.0000	0.0000	
9	Cooked Daal at Average Hotel	Per Plate	152.49	152.49	128.69	0.00	18.49	1.3118	1.3014	0.0000	0.0000	
10	Shirting (Average Quality)	1 mtr	464.86	464.86	365.80	0.00	27.08	0.0317	0.1010	0.0000	0.0000	
11	Gents Sandal Bata	Pair	2499.00	2499.00	1999.00	0.00	25.01	0.6350	0.5122	0.0000	0.0000	
12	Gents Sponge Chappal Bata	Pair	599.00	599.00	599.00	0.00	0.00	0.2110	0.1640	0.0000	0.0000	
13	Ladies Sandal Bata	Pair	899.00	899.00	799.00	0.00	12.52	0.9919	1.0148	0.0000	0.0000	
14	Electricity Charges for Q1	Per Unit	7.47	7.47	6.15	0.00	21.46	8.3627	12.9291	0.0000	0.0000	
15	Gas Charges upto 3.3719 MMBTU	MMBTU	1976.50	1976.50	295.00	0.00	570.00	2.0674	3.0667	0.0000	0.0000	
16	Energy Saver Philips 14 Watt	Each	379.68	379.68	318.96	0.00	19.04	0.2495	0.3374	0.0000	0.0000	
17	Sufi Washing Soap 250 gm Cake	Each	129.18	129.18	127.57	0.00	1.26	1.1178	0.5917	0.0000	0.0000	
18	Match Box	Each	6.18	6.18	5.52	0.00	11.96	0.3495	0.1969	0.0000	0.0000	
19	Petrol Super	Per Litre	266.72	266.72	262.89	0.00	1.46	1.4673	6.7018	0.0000	0.0000	
20	Hi-Speed Diesel	Per Litre	278.54	278.54	261.39	0.00	6.56	0.0114	0.0874	0.0000	0.0000	
21	Telephone Call Charges	Per Minu	1.79	1.79	1.79	0.00	0.00	0.0645	0.5468	0.0000	0.0000	
22	Toilet Soap LIFEBOUY 115 gm	Each	110.39	110.39	107.35	0.00	2.83	0.8529	0.6784	0.0000	0.0000	
TOTAL									29.0522	39.8075	0.0000	0.0000

6. Monthly Sensitive Price Indicator (SPI).

PERIOD	SPI - Q1 (lowest Consumption Quintile)	Percentage change over previous month	Percentage Change over corresponding month of previous year
2021-22			
July	162.25	1.80	16.17
August	163.39	0.70	15.92
September	167.83	2.72	16.63
October	171.43	2.15	15.25
November	177.57	3.58	18.09
December	176.81	-0.43	20.86
January	175.42	-0.79	20.90
February	177.64	1.27	18.70
March	178.78	0.64	13.02
April	181.42	1.48	14.22
May	182.59	0.64	14.05
June	193.89	6.19	21.65
2022-23			
July	207.98	7.27	28.18
August	218.89	5.25	33.97
September	215.79	-1.42	28.58
October	212.62	-1.47	24.03
November	225.61	6.11	27.05
December	225.95	0.15	27.79
January	229.00	1.35	30.54
February	237.38	3.66	33.63
March	251.08	5.77	40.44
April	257.86	2.70	42.13
May	261.09	1.25	42.99
June	261.60	0.20	34.92
2023-24			
July	268.96	2.81	29.32
August	280.03	4.12	27.93
September	284.84	1.72	32.00
October	285.28	0.15	34.17
November	294.70	3.30	30.62
December	305.76	3.75	35.32
January	311.93	2.02	36.21
February	309.48	-0.79	30.37
March	316.02	2.11	25.86
April	313.65	-0.75	21.64
May	301.10	-4.00	15.32
June	305.10	1.33	16.63

7. Quarterly Sensitive Price Indicator (SPI).

PERIOD	SPI - Q1 (lowest Consumption Quintile)	Percentage change over previous quarter	Percentage Change over corresponding quarter of previous year
2021-22			
1st quarter (Jul-Sep)	164.49	3.17	16.24
2nd quarter (Oct-Dec)	175.27	6.55	18.05
3rd quarter (Jan-Mar)	177.28	1.15	17.43
4th quarter (Apr-June)	185.97	4.90	16.64
2022-23			
1st quarter (Jul-Sep)	214.22	15.19	30.23
2nd quarter (Oct-Dec)	221.39	3.35	26.31
3rd quarter (Jan-Mar)	239.15	8.02	34.90
4th quarter (Apr-June)	260.18	8.79	39.90
2023-24			
1st quarter (Jul-Sep)	277.94	6.83	29.75
2nd quarter (Oct-Dec)	295.25	6.23	33.36
3rd quarter (Jan-Mar)	312.48	5.84	30.66
4th quarter (Apr-Jun)	306.62	-1.88	17.85

8. Half yearly Sensitive Price Indicator (SPI).

PERIOD	SPI - Q1 (lowest Consumption Quintile)	Percentage change over previous Half year	Percentage Change over corresponding Half year of previous year
2022-23			
1st half (Jul-Dec)	217.81	19.93	28.21
2nd half (Jan-June)	249.67	14.63	37.47
2023-24			
1st half (Jul-Dec)	286.60	14.79	31.58
2nd half (Jan-June)	309.55	8.01	23.98

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