

**5.4 INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES – RELATIVE
PRICES OF MANUFACTURED AND AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS
(Base : 1993-94 = 100)**

Year/month	General Index of Wholesale Prices	Index of Manufactured Products	Index of Agricultural Products @	Index of Manufactured Products as per cent of Index of Agricultural Products
Weight	100.00	63.75	21.54	(Col 3/Col 4)x100
1	2	3	4	5
1994-95	112.6	112.3	116.1	96.8
1995-96	121.6	121.9	126.0	96.8
1996-97	127.2	124.4	136.4	91.2
1997-98	132.8	128.0	140.3	91.2
1998-99	140.7	133.6	157.2	85.0
1999-00	145.3	137.2	159.1	86.2
2000-01	155.7	141.7	163.7	86.6
2001-02	161.3	144.3	169.6	85.1
2002-03	166.8	148.1	175.3	84.5
2003-04(P)	175.9	156.4	182.9	85.5
2002-03				
April	162.4	144.9	170.1	85.2
May	162.8	145.5	170.1	85.5
June	164.7	146.8	173.1	84.8
July	165.7	147.1	173.5	84.8
August	167.1	148.5	176.6	84.1
September	167.4	148.6	177.4	83.8
October	167.5	148.5	176.5	84.2
November	167.8	148.5	177.9	83.5
December	167.2	148.6	176.0	84.4
January	167.8	149.2	175.1	85.2
February	169.4	150.3	177.7	84.6
March	171.6	151.0	179.2	84.3
2003-04				
April	173.1	152.6	181.3	84.2
May	173.4	154.3	182.2	84.7
June	173.5	153.8	185.3	83.0
July	173.4	154.1	181.9	84.7
August	173.7	155.1	180.0	86.2
September	175.6	156.1	182.6	85.5
October	176.1	156.3	184.6	84.6
November	176.9	157.2	184.8	85.0
December	176.8	157.6	182.3	86.4
January	178.7	159.0	183.7	86.6
February(P)	179.7	160.0	183.9	87.0
March(P)	179.7	160.7	182.5	88.1

(P) Provisional

@ Composite Index of the sub-groups - (Food Articles and Non-food Articles).

Note : Monthly figures are average of weeks.

Source : Office of the Economic Adviser, Ministry of Industry.