GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF STATISTICS AND PROGRAMME IMPLEMENTATION

RAJYA SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION No.954 TO BE ANSWERED ON 25.07.2022

DATA ON CPI INFLATION

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Will the Minister of STATISTICS AND PROGRAMME IMPLEMENTATION be pleased to state:

- (a) the national average monthly Consumer Price Index (CPI) inflation figures over last year, State-wise;
- (b) the reasons for high national average; and
- (c) the measures taken by Government to restrain the same?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) OF THE MINISTRY OF STATISTICS AND PROGRAMME IMPLEMENTATION, MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) OF THE MINISTRY OF PLANNING AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF CORPORATE AFFAIRS [RAO INDERJIT SINGH]

- (a) MoSPI releases Monthly All India Consumer Price Index (CPI) with Base 2012=100, and inflation rates based thereon, for the country. The monthly State-wise and All India general inflation rates based on all India CPI (Combined) over the period of July 2021 to June 2022(Provisional) is placed at **Annexure-1**.
- (b) and (c) Overall increase in CPI based inflation is broad based and major contributions is due to increase in Food and Fuel related index. A large part of the increase in inflation in the recent months can be primarily attributed to supply shocks linked to the war in Europe.

The Price situation of major essential commodities is monitored by the Government on a regular basis and corrective action is taken from time to time. Several supply side measures have been taken by the Government to address inflation. These include reduction in import duties and cess on pulses, rationalization of tariffs and imposition of stock limits on edible oils and oil seeds, maintenance of buffer stock for onion and pulses, the inclusion of soya meals as an essential commodity in the schedule of the Essential Commodities Act, 1955 up to 30th June 2022 and imposition of stock limit on soya meal up to 30th June, 2022. Further, buffer stock of pulses and onion has been maintained for price stabilization by the Government. Calibrated release of pulses and onions from the buffer has been initiated to moderate the prices in the market. Import of Tur and Urad has been kept under 'Free Category' till 31.03.2023. In respect

of Masur, the basic import duty and Agriculture Infrastructure and Development Cess have been brought down to zero.

The Monetary Policy Committee (MPC) of RBI increased the policy repo rate by 90 basis points in the financial year so far (by 40 bps in the off-cycle meeting on May 4, 2022 and by 50 basis points on June 8, 2022) taking the policy repo rate to 4.90 per cent. Further, with the institution of the Standing Deposit Facility (SDF) at 40 basis points above the fixed rate reverse repo, the effective policy rate has been raised by 130 basis points by RBI since April, 2022.

Annexure I

Monthly State-wise and All India general inflation rates based on All India CPI(Combined) [July 2021-December 2021]

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| Sl. No. | State/ UT | Jul-21 | Aug-21 | Sep-21 | Oct-21 | Nov-21 | Dec-21 |
| | Andaman and Nicobar | ets various | 978641 VII-01-01-01-01 | VA | 100 0000 | 1,000, 10000000 | 100 V |
| 1 | Islands | 6.40 | 3.95 | 6.00 | 4.31 | 5.43 | 6.87 |
| 2 | Andhra Pradesh | 6.71 | 7.16 | 5.66 | 4.74 | 5.34 | 5.78 |
| 3 | Assam | 1.97 | 2.71 | 2.82 | 3.02 | 3.76 | 4.31 |
| 4 | Bihar | 5.21 | 4.50 | 3.13 | 2.24 | 2.71 | 3.97 |
| 5 | Chandigarh | 5.18 | 5.15 | 4.78 | 4.99 | 5.59 | 5.57 |
| 6 | Chhattisgarh | 4.77 | 4.54 | 2.48 | 3.21 | 4.09 | 4.63 |
| 7 | Dadra and Nagar Haveli | 4.60 | 7.50 | 7.89 | 8.44 | 8.08 | 10.91 |
| 8 | Daman and Diu | 7.25 | 6.94 | 5.54 | 7.24 | 4.81 | 5.37 |
| 9 | Delhi | 5.28 | 5.31 | 4.89 | 6.15 | 7.04 | 6.55 |
| 10 | Goa | 5.63 | 5.97 | 4.92 | 3.99 | 3.55 | 3.35 |
| 11 | Gujarat | 5.86 | 5.35 | 3.72 | 4.62 | 4.20 | 5.38 |
| 12 | Haryana | 5.72 | 5.82 | 4.69 | 5.32 | 6.04 | 6.64 |
| 13 | Himachal Pradesh | 7.89 | 6.99 | 6.01 | 6.14 | 6.10 | 5.61 |
| 14 | Jammu and Kashmir* | 7.75 | 7.65 | 7.39 | 6.97 | 7.10 | 6.50 |
| 15 | Jharkhand | 4.13 | 4.39 | 2.60 | 2.68 | 2.59 | 3.95 |
| 16 | Karnataka | 6.90 | 6.91 | 5.90 | 5.66 | 5.68 | 6.44 |
| 17 | Kerala | 4.88 | 3.67 | 2.98 | 3.02 | 3.57 | 4.74 |
| 18 | Lakshadweep | 5.06 | 3.97 | 2.92 | 0.90 | 0.71 | 1.25 |
| 19 | Madhya Pradesh | 6.59 | 6.31 | 5.03 | 5.35 | 6.16 | 5.89 |
| 20 | Maharashtra | 5.24 | 4.88 | 4.59 | 5.19 | 5.38 | 6.40 |
| 21 | Manipur | 3.08 | 2.21 | 1.33 | 1.33 | 0.44 | 1.05 |
| 22 | Meghalaya | 4.56 | 2.73 | 2.33 | 2.72 | 2.90 | 1.84 |
| 23 | Mizoram | 5.95 | 6.23 | 6.27 | 5.94 | 5.23 | 4.95 |
| 24 | Nagaland | 10.55 | 4.44 | 6.05 | 5.94 | 5.31 | 4.38 |
| 25 | Odisha | 4.02 | 3.30 | 1.37 | 1.78 | 2.07 | 3.48 |
| 26 | Puducherry | 6.65 | 7.22 | 6.03 | 5.38 | 5.22 | 5.44 |
| 27 | Punjab | 6.19 | 5.94 | 4.68 | 5.35 | 3.78 | 3.55 |
| 28 | Rajasthan | 4.07 | 3.77 | 3.10 | 3.78 | 4.69 | 5.11 |
| 29 | Sikkim | 6.47 | 6.31 | 7.38 | 7.42 | 7.72 | 7.66 |
| 30 | Tamil Nadu | 6.54 | 6.22 | 5.17 | 4.86 | 5.82 | 6.61 |
| 31 | Telangana | 7.70 | 7.92 | 7.07 | 6.60 | 6.69 | 6.32 |
| 32 | Tripura | 3.31 | 3.44 | 1.69 | 3.34 | 3.19 | 4.44 |
| 33 | Uttar Pradesh | 5.57 | 4.87 | 4.12 | 4.51 | 4.93 | 5.66 |
| 34 | Uttarakhand | 5.80 | 5.25 | 4.35 | 4.61 | 5.16 | 5.70 |
| 35 | West Bengal | 5.64 | 4.78 | 3.33 | 3.82 | 4.24 | 5.88 |
| 36 | All India | 5.59 | 5.30 | 4.35 | 4.48 | 4.91 | 5.66 |
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^{1)*:} Figures of this row pertain to the prices and weights of the combined Union Territories of Jammu & Kashmir and Ladakh (erstwhile State of Jammu & Kashmir)

²⁾ Only CPI(R) is calculated for the State of Arunachal Pradesh

Monthly State-wise and All India general inflation rates based on All India CPI(Combined) [January 2022-June 2022(P)]

| Sl. No. | State/ UT | | Feb-22 | Mar-22 | Apr-22 | May-22 | Jun-22(P) |
|---------|-----------------------------|------|--------|--------|--------|--------|-----------|
| 1 | Andaman and Nicobar Islands | 7.36 | 6.49 | 6.27 | 8.43 | 8.80 | 7.03 |
| 2 | Andhra Pradesh | 5.12 | 4.92 | 6.28 | 7.36 | 8.55 | 8.63 |
| 3 | Assam | 5.43 | 6.59 | 8.19 | 8.54 | 7.43 | 7.54 |
| 4 | Bihar | 5.71 | 5.85 | 7.56 | 7.56 | 5.97 | 4.68 |
| 5 | Chandigarh | 6.02 | 5.70 | 5.61 | 7.37 | 7.46 | 7.58 |
| 6 | Chhattisgarh | 5.68 | 6.22 | 6.88 | 7.31 | 5.92 | 6.54 |
| 7 | Dadra and Nagar Haveli | 8.44 | 7.74 | 7.51 | 8.25 | 8.15 | 7.08 |
| 8 | Daman and Diu | 6.24 | 5.95 | 6.36 | 6.86 | 5.50 | 5.77 |
| 9 | Delhi | 6.14 | 5.70 | 5.75 | 6.58 | 5.57 | 5.06 |
| 10 | Goa | 4.06 | 4.70 | 3.97 | 4.07 | 3.47 | 2.88 |
| 11 | Gujarat | 5.95 | 6.43 | 7.01 | 8.20 | 7.35 | 7.50 |
| 12 | Haryana | 7.23 | 7.06 | 7.43 | 8.95 | 7.25 | 8.08 |
| 13 | Himachal Pradesh | 6.72 | 6.47 | 6.32 | 6.54 | 5.63 | 5.61 |
| 14 | Jammu and Kashmir* | 6.74 | 7.01 | 7.47 | 8.03 | 6.97 | 7.20 |
| 15 | Jharkhand | 6.19 | 6.99 | 7.49 | 7.73 | 7.51 | 6.86 |
| 16 | Karnataka | 6.20 | 5.24 | 5.59 | 6.39 | 6.41 | 6.20 |
| 17 | Kerala | 4.36 | 3.98 | 4.70 | 5.08 | 4.82 | 5.41 |
| 18 | Lakshadweep | 1.03 | 2.29 | 3.59 | 5.31 | 7.88 | 9.80 |
| 19 | Madhya Pradesh | 6.46 | 6.89 | 7.89 | 9.10 | 7.16 | 7.77 |
| 20 | Maharashtra | 6.47 | 6.85 | 7.62 | 8.72 | 8.52 | 7.97 |
| 21 | Manipur | 0.84 | 1.30 | 1.07 | 2.34 | 0.27 | 0.60 |
| 22 | Meghalaya | 3.03 | 2.77 | 4.30 | 4.75 | 3.15 | 3.80 |
| 23 | Mizoram | 6.39 | 7.57 | 7.01 | 7.15 | 7.13 | 7.16 |
| 24 | Nagaland | 4.13 | 4.86 | 5.14 | 6.11 | 6.84 | 6.36 |
| 25 | Odisha | 4.54 | 5.52 | 6.76 | 8.08 | 7.28 | 7.71 |
| 26 | Puducherry | 4.77 | 4.43 | 4.93 | 5.86 | 7.50 | 7.69 |
| 27 | Punjab | 4.09 | 4.00 | 4.39 | 7.31 | 5.77 | 6.30 |
| 28 | Rajasthan | 5.66 | 6.23 | 7.61 | 8.12 | 7.36 | 7.79 |
| 29 | Sikkim | 7.68 | 8.27 | 6.97 | 7.93 | 8.28 | 8.28 |
| 30 | Tamil Nadu | 5.56 | 4.24 | 4.36 | 5.37 | 5.72 | 5.08 |
| 31 | Telangana | 6.72 | 6.78 | 7.66 | 9.02 | 9.45 | 10.05 |
| 32 | Tripura | 4.13 | 4.09 | 4.94 | 4.99 | 4.52 | 6.12 |
| 33 | Uttar Pradesh | 6.71 | 7.03 | 8.19 | 8.52 | 6.70 | 6.85 |
| 34 | Uttarakhand | 6.38 | 6.56 | 6.66 | 6.77 | 6.04 | 6.82 |
| 35 | West Bengal | 7.11 | 7.98 | 8.85 | 9.12 | 8.27 | 7.34 |
| 36 | All India | 6.01 | 6.07 | 6.95 | 7.79 | 7.04 | 7.01 |

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