

**TABLE 240 : CONSUMER PRICE INDEX - ANNUAL VARIATION
(Point-to-point)**

(Per cent)												
Year / Month	Apr.	May	Jun.	Jul.	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
Industrial workers												
	(Base : 1982 = 100)											
1990-91	7.8	7.7	8.8	9.9	9.2	8.5	10.8	12.5	13.7	16.1	15.4	13.6
1991-92	12.2	12.1	13.0	13.2	14.2	15.7	14.4	13.6	13.1	12.9	13.4	13.9
1992-93	14.4	14.7	12.9	13.1	11.5	10.0	9.4	8.4	8.0	5.7	5.7	6.1
1993-94	6.1	5.1	5.9	4.5	5.8	6.6	7.4	8.6	8.6	9.1	9.5	9.9
1994-95	9.8	10.6	10.8	11.1	10.9	11.2	10.3	9.8	9.5	9.9	9.8	9.7
1995-96	9.7	10.3	10.5	11.4	10.9	10.1	10.4	10.3	9.7	9.0	8.6	8.9
1996-97	9.8	9.3	8.8	8.3	8.9	8.5	8.5	8.7	10.4	11.1	10.8	10.0
1997-98	9.3	7.3	6.6	5.6	4.7	4.9	5.5	4.9	6.3	9.7	9.1	8.3
1998-99	8.2	10.5	12.4	14.8	15.0	16.3	18.6	19.7	15.3	9.4	8.6	8.9
1999-00	8.4	7.7	5.3	3.2	3.1	2.1	0.9	0.0	0.5	2.6	3.6	4.8
2000-01	5.5	5.0	5.2	5.0	4.0	3.5	2.7	2.7	3.5	3.2	3.0	2.5
2001-02	2.3	2.5	3.4	4.0	5.2	4.7	4.2	4.9	5.2	4.9	5.2	5.2
2002-03	4.7	4.7	4.2	3.9	3.9	4.3	4.1	3.6	3.2	3.4	3.9	4.1
2003-04	5.1	4.7	4.4	4.2	3.1	2.9	3.3	3.1	3.7	4.3	4.1	3.5
2004-05	2.2	2.8	3.0	3.2	4.6	4.8	4.6	4.2	3.8	4.4	4.2	4.2
2005-06	5.0	3.7	3.3									
Industrial workers : Food group												
1990-91	7.1	7.5	8.0	10.2	8.9	8.2	11.5	14.4	16.9	20.6	20.6	16.3
1991-92	13.7	12.9	15.9	15.5	17.9	18.8	16.3	15.9	15.5	14.7	14.2	16.4
1992-93	17.4	17.6	14.6	15.2	12.2	10.3	9.3	7.1	7.1	4.1	4.6	5.0
1993-94	4.1	3.2	4.4	3.1	4.7	6.6	8.1	10.5	9.8	9.9	11.1	11.1
1994-95	12.3	12.9	12.2	13.2	12.6	12.4	11.5	10.2	10.7	11.6	11.1	10.7
1995-96	10.6	11.5	12.6	13.0	12.8	11.7	11.9	12.1	10.6	8.7	7.7	9.0
1996-97	10.2	9.7	9.1	7.6	8.2	7.8	7.5	8.0	10.5	11.9	11.9	10.0
1997-98	9.0	5.7	4.2	3.8	2.7	3.0	3.5	2.1	4.2	9.0	8.5	7.5
1998-99	7.7	12.1	14.9	16.8	17.1	19.1	23.3	25.3	17.7	8.3	6.6	7.5
1999-00	6.2	4.8	1.4	-0.2	0.2	-1.1	-3.2	-4.8	-3.4	0.0	1.8	3.5
2000-01	4.4	3.4	3.7	3.2	1.6	0.7	-0.6	-0.4	0.7	1.1	0.7	0.0
2001-02	0.0	0.7	2.2	2.4	4.2	3.3	3.3	4.1	4.4	3.3	3.4	3.6
2002-03	2.9	2.6	1.9	2.4	1.9	3.2	2.5	1.7	1.3	2.2	3.3	3.7
2003-04	5.4	4.9	4.4	4.2	2.5	1.9	2.9	2.9	3.5	4.6	4.2	3.1
2004-05	1.2	1.8	2.0	1.2	3.4	3.9	3.4	2.6	1.8	1.6	1.2	1.6
2005-06	2.6											
Urban Non-manual employees												
	(Base : 1984-85 = 100)											
1990-91	8.6	9.3	9.2	9.7	8.9	8.2	9.5	11.6	13.0	15.0	15.0	13.4
1991-92	12.6	11.8	12.3	13.3	15.1	15.7	14.2	14.0	13.3	12.4	13.0	13.6
1992-93	13.5	14.0	13.2	12.8	10.9	10.9	10.8	9.6	9.6	7.9	7.3	6.8
1993-94	6.7	6.2	6.6	5.4	5.9	6.4	6.3	7.3	7.8	7.8	8.3	8.3
1994-95	8.7	9.7	9.5	9.9	9.8	9.7	10.1	9.1	8.6	9.5	9.5	9.9
1995-96	10.3	9.7	10.4	10.3	10.2	9.7	9.6	10.0	9.2	8.3	8.2	8.2
1996-97	8.1	8.8	7.9	8.9	8.8	8.8	8.7	9.1	10.3	10.7	10.6	10.2
1997-98	9.7	8.1	7.7	5.7	5.7	6.0	5.9	5.2	6.2	7.9	7.6	7.2
1998-99	7.8	9.2	10.5	13.1	12.7	13.0	14.5	15.5	12.4	9.3	8.6	9.0
1999-00	7.9	7.5	6.1	4.2	4.5	3.8	2.9	2.0	2.6	3.8	4.4	5.0
2000-01	6.2	5.8	5.8	5.7	5.1	4.8	5.0	5.3	5.9	5.9	5.9	5.6
2001-02	4.7	4.9	5.5	5.7	6.2	5.9	4.8	5.1	5.1	4.5	4.3	4.8
2002-03	4.5	4.2	4.1	3.8	3.6	4.1	3.8	3.3	2.8	3.3	4.1	3.8
2003-04	4.3	4.3	3.7	3.7	3.2	2.9	3.7	3.4	4.0	4.4	3.9	3.4
2004-05	2.9	2.9	3.4	3.1	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0	3.6	3.8	3.8	4.0
2005-06	4.2	4.2	3.9									
Agricultural labourers												
	(Base : 1986-87 = 100)											
1990-91	3.2	3.3	3.1	4.6	4.6	2.9	3.5	8.4	10.0	13.9	17.3	16.6
1991-92	14.7	13.7	15.4	15.9	18.3	23.1	23.1	21.2	21.7	20.4	20.6	21.9
1992-93	22.6	23.9	21.9	20.6	19.0	14.1	11.0	8.6	5.9	5.0	1.9	0.7
1993-94	-0.7	-1.9	-1.0	-2.0	-2.3	0.1	3.2	6.5	9.3	9.4	10.2	11.6
1994-95	12.1	13.2	12.5	13.4	13.1	12.4	11.6	11.2	11.2	10.8	11.6	10.6
1995-96	12.1	12.0	12.4	14.5	14.1	12.9	11.5	10.0	8.1	7.6	6.8	7.4
1996-97	8.1	9.0	8.8	7.2	7.1	7.9	8.3	9.2	10.5	11.0	11.4	10.5
1997-98	8.7	6.2	4.9	3.6	2.3	1.5	1.2	0.0	0.8	4.6	3.8	3.8
1998-99	4.6	7.0	8.9	10.7	11.8	12.9	15.6	18.3	15.1	9.1	8.8	8.8
1999-00	8.1	8.0	6.7	5.2	5.1	4.4	3.6	1.9	2.0	2.7	3.0	3.4
2000-01	4.1	4.0	3.0	2.0	0.0	-1.3	-3.2	-3.2	-2.6	-2.0	-2.3	-2.0
2001-02	-2.0	-2.3	-1.3	-0.3	1.3	1.6	2.6	2.3	3.0	2.3	3.0	3.0
2002-03	2.7	2.6	2.6	2.3	2.2	3.2	2.9	3.2	2.9	3.9	4.5	4.9
2003-04	5.5	5.1	5.1	4.7	3.8	3.4	3.4	3.1	3.4	3.8	3.1	2.5
2004-05	1.5	1.8	1.8	2.1	3.0	3.3	3.6	3.3	3.0	2.7	2.4	2.4
2005-06	3.0	3.0	2.7									

Source : 1. Labour Bureau, Ministry of Labour, Government of India.

2. Central Statistical Organisation, Ministry of Statistics and Programme Implementation, Government of India.