

## 31. PRICE INDICES

## 31.1 . WHOLESALE PRICE INDEX NUMBERS - TAMIL NADU

BASE YEAR: 1970-71=100

PERIOD	PRIMARY ARTICLES	FUEL, POWER LIGHT	MANUFACTURED PRODUCTS	ALL COMMODITIES
2014	2877.81	2807.6	2051.44	2510.15
2015 JANUARY	2949.47	2827.03	2157.46	2595.11
FEBRUARY	2947.9	2833.52	2189.56	2608.59
MARCH	2954.57	2839.21	2212.41	2622.33
APRIL	2963.28	2844.04	2225.3	2632.73
MAY	2984.79	2850.46	2241.27	2651.29
JUNE	3007.31	2850.53	2254.76	2669.08
JULY	3035.88	2850.53	2266.98	2689.5
AUGUST	3061.18	2854.33	2269.64	2704.13
SEPTEMBER	3084.37	2889.64	2273.04	2718.99
OCTOBER	3107.22	2890.98	2276.62	2732.64
NOVEMBER	3202.93	2907.87	2288.22	2788.72
DECEMBER	3250.8	2912.41	2294.78	2816.97
<b>AVERAGE</b>	<b>3045.81</b>	<b>2862.55</b>	<b>2245.84</b>	<b>2685.84</b>

SOURCE: DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMICS AND STATISTICS, CHENNAI.

## 31.2. CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBERS FOR INDUSTRIAL WORKERS

PERIOD	CHENNAI*	TIRUCHY*	MADURAI*	COIMBATORE*	COONOOR*	SALEM*	CUDDLORE**	NAGERCOIL**	VELLORE**	TUTICORIN**
2014	230	253	239	231	241	233	1184	1109	--	--
2015 JANUARY	239	269	253	237	251	245	134	135	133	137
FEBRUARY	237	262	251	237	250	243	132	135	132	135
MARCH	236	250	249	236	250	241	131	133	130	135
APRIL	240	251	253	237	253	244	132	134	131	137
MAY	246	258	261	241	261	248	133	136	132	139
JUNE	251	258	260	244	263	252	135	138	135	140
JULY	251	256	257	243	262	253	136	139	136	139
AUGUST	250	255	259	245	262	257	135	138	136	138
SEPTEMBER	251	260	258	243	264	258	135	138	135	138
OCTOBER	256	263	263	247	268	263	137	139	138	140
NOVEMBER	260	272	274	250	272	270	140	142	140	144
DECEMBER	260	273	274	251	272	271	141	144	143	145
<b>AVERAGE</b>	<b>248</b>	<b>261</b>	<b>259</b>	<b>243</b>	<b>261</b>	<b>254</b>	<b>135</b>	<b>138</b>	<b>135</b>	<b>139</b>

SOURCE: DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMICS AND STATISTICS, CHENNAI.-6

\*Central Series(Base Year 2001 =100) \*\*State series(Base Year 2011 =100)

**31.3. CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBERS FOR RURAL, URBAN AND COMBINED  
YEAR 2015-2016 BASE YEAR : 2012=100**

PERIOD	RURAL	URBAN	COMBIEND
APRIL ' 15	120.7	121.9	121.4
MAY	122.0	123.6	122.9
JUNE	124.0	125.2	124.7
JULY	124.6	125.4	125.1
AUGUST	124.5	125.0	124.8
SEPTEMBER	125.1	125.5	125.3
OCTOBER	126.1	126.9	126.6
NOVEMBER	128.5	128.6	128.6
DECEMBER	129.3	128.9	129.1
JANUARY ' 16	129.7	128.7	129.1
FEBRUARY	128.5	127.4	127.9
MARCH	127.7	126.6	127.1
<b>AVERAGE</b>	<b>125.9</b>	<b>126.1</b>	<b>126.1</b>

SOURCE: Central Statistics Office ,New Delhi.

**31.4A. ALL INDIA CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBERS FOR INDUSTRIAL WORKERS  
YEAR 2015-2016      BASE YEAR : 2001=100**

PERIOD	INDEX
APRIL '15	256
MAY	258
JUNE	261
JULY	263
AUGUST	264
SEPTEMBER	266
OCTOBER	269
NOVEMBER	270
DECEMBER	269
JANUARY `16	269
FEBRARY	267
MARCH	268
<b>AVERAGE</b>	<b>265</b>

SOURCE: Director Of Labour Bureau, Shimla.

**31.4B CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBERS FOR SELECTED ESSENTIAL ITEMS IN  
RURAL TAMILNADU 2015-16  
(BASE YEAR : 1970 -71 = 100)**

MONTH	FOOD	FUEL & LIGHT	CLOTHING	OTHERS	COMPOSITE INDEX
APRIL 15	3777.00	2828.00	2115.00	4044.00	3646.55
MAY 15	3789.00	2858.00	2116.00	4077.00	3660.85
JUNE 15	3817.00	2879.00	2122.00	4108.00	3687.44
JULY 15	3832.00	2940.00	2123.00	4130.00	3705.29
AUG 15	3853.00	2997.00	2148.00	4199.00	3732.77
SEPTEMBER 15	3887.00	3053.00	2169.00	4283.00	3771.56
OCTOBER 15	3930.00	3066.00	2176.00	4345.00	3812.18
NOVEMBER 15	3984.00	3070.00	2187.00	4383.00	3859.28
DECEMBER 15	4025.00	3128.00	2199.00	4430.00	3900.32
JANUARY 15	4032.00	3135.00	2205.00	4469.00	3909.86
FEBRUARY 15	3997.00	3160.00	2215.00	4518.00	3888.04
MARCH 15	3978.00	3184.00	2229.00	4561.00	3878.66
<b>AVERAGE</b>	<b>3908.42</b>	<b>3024.83</b>	<b>2167.00</b>	<b>4295.58</b>	<b>3787.73</b>

Source: Department of Economics & Statistics, Chennai -6.

**31.4C CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBERS FOR SELECTED ESSENTIAL ITEMS IN  
RURAL TAMILNADU 2015-16  
(BASE YEAR : 1970 -71 = 100)**

<b>MONTH</b>	<b>FOOD</b>	<b>FUEL &amp; LIGHT</b>	<b>CLOTHING</b>	<b>OTHERS</b>	<b>COMPOSITE INDEX</b>
APRIL 15	3397.00	3062.00	2737.00	3278.00	3317.51
MAY 15	3419.00	3081.00	2741.00	3284.00	3335.54
JUNE 15	3468.00	3083.00	2745.00	3301.00	3373.31
JULY 15	3480.00	3097.00	2749.00	3304.00	3383.44
AUG 15	3549.00	3109.00	2747.00	3308.00	3433.37
SEPTEMBER 15	3520.00	3114.00	2747.00	3309.00	3413.5
OCTOBER 15	3582.00	3126.00	2752.00	3319.00	3459.92
NOVEMBER 15	3702.00	3112.00	2753.00	3329.00	3545.13
DECEMBER 15	3728.00	3118.00	2754.00	3353.00	3568.05
JANUARY 15	3733.00	3019.00	2761.00	3383.00	3576.55
FEBRUARY 15	3648.00	3109.00	2763.00	3401.00	3520.03
MARCH 15	3929.00	3122.00	2766.00	3402.00	3507.9
<b>AVERAGE</b>	<b>3571.25</b>	<b>3103.50</b>	<b>2751.25</b>	<b>3330.92</b>	<b>3452.85</b>

Source: Department of Economics & Statistics, Chennai -6.

**31.4D CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBERS FOR SELECTED ESSENTIAL ITEMS IN  
RURAL TAMILNADU 2015-16  
(BASE YEAR : 1970 -71 = 100)**

<b>MONTH</b>	<b>RURAL</b>	<b>URBAN</b>	<b>COMBINED</b>
2015-JANUARY	121.1	121.3	121.2
FEBRUARY	120.8	120.9	120.9
MARCH	120.7	120.9	120.8
APRIL	120.7	121.9	121.4
MAY	122.0	123.6	122.9
JUNE	124.0	125.2	124.7
JULY	124.6	125.4	125.1
AUG UST	124.5	125.0	124.8
SEPTEMBER	125.1	125.5	125.3
OCTOBER	126.1	126.9	126.6
NOVEMBER	128.5	128.6	128.6
DECEMBER	129.3	128.9	129.1
<b>AVERAGE</b>	<b>124.0</b>	<b>124.5</b>	<b>124.3</b>

Source: Central Statistics Office, New Delhi.

**31.4E CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBERS FOR SELECTED ESSENTIAL ITEMS IN  
RURAL TAMILNADU 2015-16  
(BASE YEAR : 1970 -71 = 100)**

<b>PERIOD</b>	<b>FOOD</b>	<b>FUEL &amp; LIGHTING</b>	<b>CLOTHING</b>	<b>MISC.</b>	<b>COMPOSITE INDEX</b>
<b>2014</b>	<b>3569</b>	<b>2685.25</b>	<b>2065.75</b>	<b>3767.42</b>	<b>3445.85</b>
2015-JANUARY	3741.00	2773.00	2102.00	3956.00	3606.33
FEBRUARY	3745.00	2779.00	2106.00	3971.00	3611.35
MARCH	3750.00	2793.00	2112.00	4007.00	3619.50
APRIL	3777.00	2828.00	2115.00	4044.00	3646.55
MAY	3789.00	2858.00	2116.00	4077.00	3660.85
JUNE	3817.00	2879.00	2122.00	4108.00	3687.44
JULY	3832.00	2940.00	2123.00	4130.00	3705.29
AUGUST	3853.00	2997.00	2148.00	4199.00	3732.77
SEPTEMBER	3887.00	3053.00	2169.00	4283.00	3771.56
OCTOBER	3930.00	3066.00	2176.00	4345.00	3812.18
NOVEMBER	3984.00	3070.00	2187.00	4383.00	3859.28
DECEMBER	4025.00	3128.00	2199.00	4430.00	3900.32
<b>AVERAGE</b>	<b>3844.17</b>	<b>2930.33</b>	<b>2139.58</b>	<b>4161.08</b>	<b>3717.79</b>

Source: Department of Economics & Statistics, Chennai -6.

**31.4F CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBERS FOR SELECTED ESSENTIAL ITEMS IN  
RURAL TAMILNADU 2015-16  
(BASE YEAR : 1970 -71 = 100)**

<b>PERIOD</b>	<b>FOOD</b>	<b>FUEL &amp; LIGHTING</b>	<b>CLOTHING</b>	<b>MISC.</b>	<b>COMPOSITE INDEX</b>
<b>2014</b>	<b>3222.75</b>	<b>2875.08</b>	<b>2669.25</b>	<b>3109.5</b>	<b>3149.16</b>
2015-JANUARY	3399.00	2984.00	2721.00	3243.00	3306.60
FEBRUARY	3394.00	3040.00	2725.00	3259.00	3309.93
MARCH	3393.00	3049.00	2731.00	3269.00	3311.91
APRIL	3397.00	3062.00	2737.00	3278.00	3317.51
MAY	3419.00	3081.00	2741.00	3284.00	3335.54
JUNE	3468.00	3083.00	2745.00	3301.00	3373.31
JULY	3480.00	3097.00	2749.00	3304.00	3383.44
AUGUST	3549.00	3109.00	2747.00	3308.00	3433.37
SEPTEMBER	3520.00	3114.00	2747.00	3309.00	3413.50
OCTOBER	3582.00	3126.00	2752.00	3319.00	3459.92
NOVEMBER	3702.00	3112.00	2753.00	3329.00	3545.13
DECEMBER	3728.00	3118.00	2754.00	3353.00	3568.05
<b>AVERAGE</b>	<b>3502.58</b>	<b>3081.25</b>	<b>2741.83</b>	<b>3296.33</b>	<b>3396.52</b>

Source: Department of Economics & Statistics, Chennai -6.