## WPI inflation stands at 12.96\% in January 2022

The annual rate of Wholesale Price Index (WPI) inflation stands at $12.96 \%$ (Provisional) for the month of January, 2022 as compared to $2.5 \%$ in January, 2021. The WPI inflation stood at 13.56\% in December 2021. The high rate of inflation in January, 2022 is primarily due to rise in prices of mineral oils, crude petroleum \& natural gas, basic metals, chemicals and chemical products, food articles etc as compared the corresponding month of the previous year.

Trend in WPI Inflation (Y-O-Y) \%


Source: PHD Research Bureau, PHDCCI, compiled from the office of the Economic Advisor, Government of India (Note: Figures are rounded off)

WPI inflation in Select Commodities (Base year: 2011-12)

| S. No. | Commodity | WPI Inflation Y-o-Y \% growth |  |  |  |
| :---: | :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Nov-21 | Dec-21 | Jan-22 | \(\left.\begin{array}{c}Change in January <br>

2022 as Compared to <br>
Previous Month\end{array}\right]\).

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