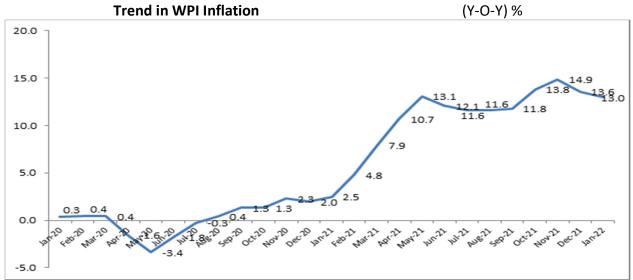




WPI inflation stands at 12.96% in January 2022

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.



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

| S. No. | Commodity | WPI Inflation Y-o-Y % growth | | | |
|--------|-----------------------|------------------------------|--------|--------|------------------------------------------------------------|
| | | Nov-21 | Dec-21 | Jan-22 | Change in January 2022 as Compared to Previous Month |
| 1 | All Commodities | 14.9 | 13.6 | 13.0 | V |
| 2 | Primary Articles | 10.2 | 13.4 | 13.9 | ↑ |
| 3 | Food Articles | 4.8 | 9.6 | 10.3 | ↑ |
| 4 | Cereals | 4.0 | 5.1 | 5.5 | ↑ |
| 5 | Vegetables | 3.4 | 31.6 | 38.4 | ↑ |
| 6 | Non-food Articles | 13.4 | 19.0 | 19.7 | ↑ |
| 7 | Fuel & Power | 44.4 | 32.3 | 32.3 | = |
| 8 | Petrol | 89.8 | 72.1 | 62.0 | V |
| 9 | Manufactured Products | 12.3 | 10.6 | 9.4 | V |

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