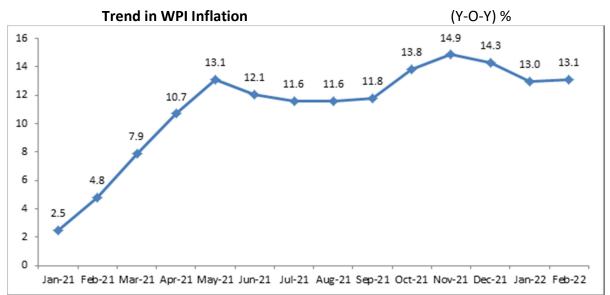


WPI inflation stands at 13.11% in February 2022

The annual rate of Wholesale Price Index (WPI) inflation stands at 13.11% (Provisional) for the month of February, 2022 as compared to 4.8% in February, 2021. The WPI inflation stood at 12.96% in January 2022. The high rate of inflation in February, 2022 is primarily due to rise in prices of mineral oils, crude petroleum & natural gas, basic metals, chemicals and chemical products, food articles, non-food articles, etc as compared the corresponding month of the previous year.



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

S. No.	Commodity	WPI Inflation Y-o-Y % growth				
		Dec-21	Jan-22	Feb-22	Change in February 2022 as Compared to Previous Month	
1	All Commodities	14.27	12.96	13.11	1	
2	Primary Articles	13.78	13.87	13.39	\checkmark	
3	Food Articles	9.68	10.33	8.19	\checkmark	
4	Cereals	5.16	5.48	6.07	1	
5	Vegetables	31.46	38.45	26.93	\checkmark	

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

6	Non-food Articles	19.28	19.68	24.23	1
7	Crude Petroleum & Natural gas	47.50	39.14	46.14	Ŷ
8	Fuel & Power	38.08	32.27	31.50	\checkmark
9	Petrol	75.13	62.02	58.33	\checkmark
10	Manufactured Products	10.71	9.42	9.84	↑

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