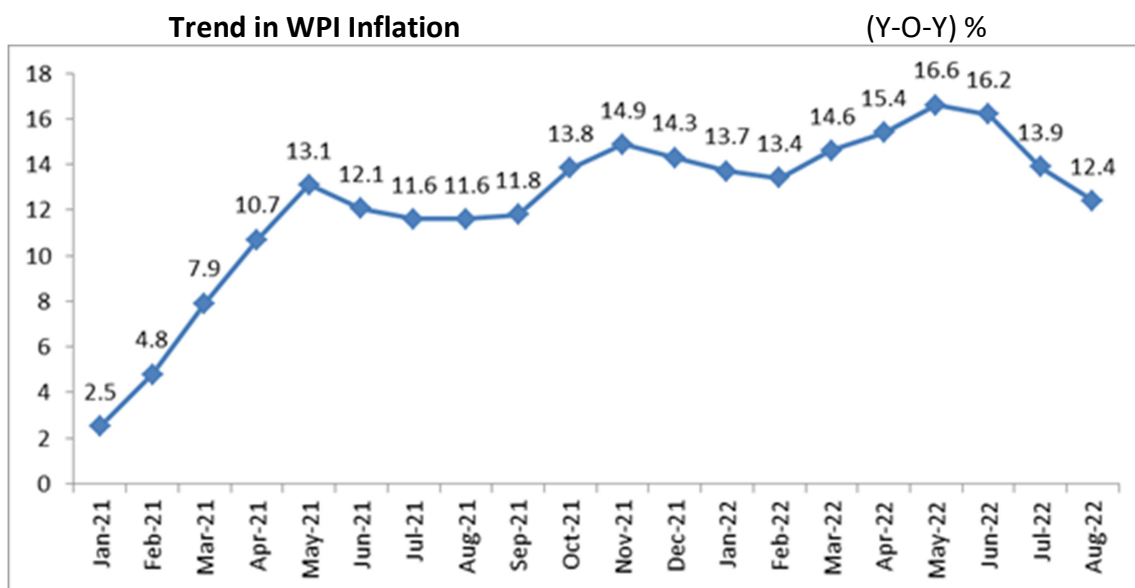


WPI inflation stands at 12.4% in August 2022

The annual rate of Wholesale Price Index (WPI) inflation stands at 12.4% (Provisional) for the month of August 2022 as compared to 13.9% (Provisional) for the month of July 2022 and 16.2% in June 2022. The WPI inflation stood at 11.6% in August 2021. The high rate of inflation in August 2022 is primarily due to rise in prices of mineral oils, food articles, crude petroleum & natural gas, basic metals, electricity, chemicals & chemical products, food products etc. as compared to the corresponding month of the previous year.



Source: PHD Research Bureau, PHDCCI, compiled from the office of the Economic Advisor, Government of India
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WPI inflation in Select Commodities (Base year: 2011-12)

S. No.	Commodity	WPI Inflation Y-o-Y % growth			
		Jun-22	Jul-22	Aug-22	Change in August 2022 as Compared to Previous Month
1	All Commodities	16.2	13.9	12.4	↓
2	Primary Articles	18.6	15.0	14.9	↓

3	Food Articles	13.7	10.7	12.3	↑
4	Cereals	7.99	9.7	11.7	↑
5	Vegetables	57.1	18.2	22.2	↑
6	Non-food Articles	18.5	12.8	8.4	↓
7	Crude Petroleum & Natural gas	77.2	65.8	59.8	↓
8	Fuel & Power	50.9	43.7	33.6	↓
9	Petrol	75.4	55.3	38.6	↓
10	Manufactured Products	9.3	8.1	7.5	↓

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