



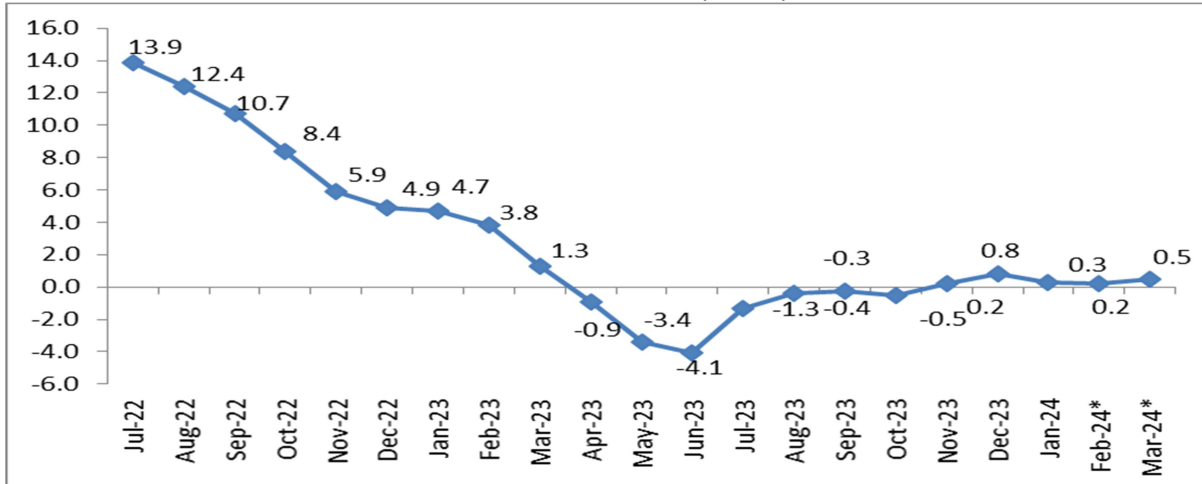
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### WPI inflation stands at 0.5% in March 2024

The annual rate of inflation based on all India Wholesale Price Index (WPI) numbers is 0.53% (Provisional) for the month of March 2024 (over March 2023). The positive rate of inflation in March 2024 is primarily due to an increase in prices of food articles, electricity, crude petroleum & natural gas, machinery & equipment, and other manufacturing etc.

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) \*Provisional

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

S. No.	Commodity	WPI Inflation Y-o-Y % growth			
		Jan-24	Feb-24*	Mar-24*	Change in March 2024 as Compared to Previous Month
1	All Commodities	0.33	0.2	0.53	↑
2	Primary Articles	4.07	4.49	4.51	↑
3	Food Articles	6.91	6.95	6.88	↓
4	Cereals	4.60	6.63	9.04	↑
5	Vegetables	19.02	19.78	19.52	↓
6	Non-food Articles	-6.39	-6.29	-4.13	↑

7	Crude Petroleum & Natural gas	0.20	8.24	4.87	↓
8	Fuel & Power	-0.45	-1.59	-0.77	↑
9	Petrol	0.26	-0.69	-0.94	↓
10	Manufactured Products	-1.20	-1.27	-0.85	↑

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