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## The Month

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### Industrial Disputes

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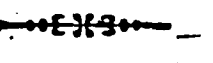
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## The Month in Brief

**Consumer Price Index Number for Working Class**  
 The Bombay, Sholapur and Nagpur Consumer Price Index Numbers for Working Class for the month of September 1976 with the average prices for the year ended December 1960 equal to 100 were 298, 314 and 305 respectively. The Jalgaon, Nanded, Poona and Aurangabad Consumer Price Index Numbers for Working Class for the month of September 1976 with the average prices for the year ended December 1961 equal to 100 were 301, 319, 287 and 310 respectively.

**Industrial Disputes**  
 During July 1976, there were 27 strikes involving 7121 workmen and a time-loss of 12969 working days, as compared to 29 disputes in June 1976, involving 6841 workmen and time-loss of 90321 man-days further particulars of industrial disputes are given at page 258 of this issue.



## Current Notes

### Government Responsible for payment of Impounded (D.A.)

31 October Last Date for 1st Instalment.

Finance Minister C. Subramaniam assured the Lok Sabha that Government would ensure payment of the first instalment of impounded D.A. to all the employees concerned.

Replying to a half-hour discussion on the subject raised by Shri Indrajit Gupta (CPI), Shri Subramaniam said that 388 employers had defaulted in depositing the payment.

"I fully recognise that it is Government's responsibility to pay this amount to the workers whatever be the default of the employers", he said.

Shri Subramaniam said that out of a total of about 76,500 employers who had collected the impounded D.A. 388 had defaulted: the total amount of default in respect of the first instalment being over Rs. three crores. About 10,000 employers had to provide accounts of the amounts deducted in respect of individual worker. They had said that it was only question of compilation of the accounts.

Till August 13, the employers had paid back to the employees Rs. 16.66 crores out of a total amount of Rs. 93.64 crores as first instalment.

"I am sure all those who are concerned with the matter will quicken the process" of repayments, he added.

"I have also indicated that in any event by 31st October this process of payments should be completed."

*(The Indian Worker, dated 6th September 1976).*

### Apprentices Cost Raised

Consequent to the upward revision of the stipend admissible to the apprentices engaged under the Apprentices Act, 1961, in March last year, the Government of India has revised, on August 17, the upper limit of the recurring cost for the purpose of sharing of the cost of Training (including cost of stipend) with the employer employing less than 500 workers, with effect from March 1975, as under;

Consequently, the recurring cost of basic training which forms a part of practical training including cost of stipend, being shareable in equal proportions between the Government and the employers employing less than 500 workers, the latter shall be charged at the rate of Rs. 65.00 per month per apprentice at places other than the cities of Calcutta, Bombay and Madras and Rs. 70 per month per apprentice in the cities of Calcutta, Bombay and Madras.

*(The Indian Worker, dated 6th September 1976).*

### Enforcement of Equal Remuneration Act

The Equal Remuneration Act, 1976 has so far been enforced in respect of employment in plantations, local authorities, central and State Governments, hospitals, nursing homes and dispensaries, banks, insurance and other financial institutions, educational, teaching, training and research institutions, employees

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provident fund organisation, Coal Mine Provident Fund Organisation, Employees State Insurance Corporation, the Food Corporation of India, the Central Warehousing Corporation and State Warehousing Corporations and manufacture of textiles and textiles products. It is proposed to cover all other areas of economic activities where women are employed in a phased manner.

Through a notification the Government of India has announced that the Act shall come into force with effect from August 27 in respect of employment in the manufacture of electrical and electronic machinery apparatus and appliances specified in the schedule given below:—

1. Manufacture of electrical industrial machinery and apparatus and parts (such as electrical motors generators, transformers, electro magnetic clutches and brakes etc.).
2. Manufacture of insulated wires and cables.
3. Manufacture of dry and wet batteries.
4. Manufacture of electrical apparatus, appliances and their parts such as lamps, bulbs, tubes, sockets, switches, fans, insulator (except porcelain) conductors Irons, heaters, shavers cleaners etc. excluding repairing.
5. Manufacture of radio and television transmitting and receiving sets including transistor radio sets, sound reproducing and recording equipment including tape recorders, public address systems, gramophone record and pre-recorded magnetic tapes wire and wireless, telephone and telegraph equipment, signalling and detection equipment and apparatus, radar equipment and installations; parts and supplies specially used for electronic apparatus classified in this group.
6. Manufacture and repair of radiographic X-ray apparatus and tubes and parts.
7. Manufacture of electronic computers, control instrument and other equipment.
8. Manufacture of electronic components and accessories not covered by any other entry.
9. Manufacture of electrical machinery, apparatus, appliance and supplies and parts not covered by any other entry.

It is also decided that one or more Advisory Committees should be constituted to advise the Government with regard to the extent to which women may be employed in the above listed industries.

(The Indian Worker, dated 6th, September 1976).

### Revising Wage Structure in Road Transport Industry

The Union Labour Ministry has advised the State Governments to examine the question of revising the existing wage structure in the road transport industry through such machinery and methods as may be deemed proper. The Labour Minister informed Rajya Sabha that National Federation of Indian Road Transport Workers had in a memorandum demanded that existing wages and service conditions of the industry's workers should be reviewed.

(The Indian Worker, dated 6th, September 1976).

**Panel on Sugar Industry**

Sarvashri J. C. Dikshit, M.P. and Vice-President of the INTUC, Vithalrao Yadav and Surendra Prasad Singh are representing the INTUC in the 12 member National Industrial Committee for Sugar Industry, set up by the Government of India on September 4, 1976.

Bipartite in character like other industrial Committees, the Committee will sort out problems of the industry particularly with a view to ensure higher efficiency, production and productivity quality control and full utilisation of installed capacity.

*(The Indian Worker, September 13, 1976).*

**Workers' Participation Course**

On April 22—May 5, the Asian Trade Union College of the international confederation of Free Trade Unions, in collaboration with the Sri Lanka Foundation institute, held an international seminar on workers participation in management, 28 participants from eleven countries attended. The course was inaugurated by the Sri Lanka Minister of Education, M.P. de Z. Siriwardena, who advocated patterns of management which are participative and co-operative.

*(The Indian Worker, September 13, 1976).*

**Prime Minister praises Industrial Labour**

The Prime Minister, Mrs. Indira Gandhi has said that industrial workers in general and employees of public sector enterprises in particular, have enabled our production to register impressive increases during the last 12 months.

"They have rejected the provocations of those who wanted to paralyse the Government", Mrs. Gandhi said in a message to the U.P. Trade Union Congress Conference held at Hardwar from September 12 to 14.

The gains the country has made, the Prime Minister said have strengthened its capacity to fight the longterm battle against poverty and inequality.

*Industrial Bulletin, 15th September 1976.*

**Development of Labour Law in U.K.**

The historical development of labour law is explicable in terms of industrial and political conflict. Whether or not one approves or disapproves of trade unions or regards them as too powerful or not powerful enough, it would be difficult to deny that labour law's development has reflected attacks on trade unions and counter-attacks by unions. Prior to 1871 the law was a vehicle for the blatant suppression of trade unionism, until the trade unions' ability to mount a highly effective campaign of self-defence secured the emancipatory statutes of 1871 and 1875. Although the judges, and indeed Parliament as in the 1927 Act, could reply with legal penalties when confronted by a strike problem, the abstentionist legal framework was gradually entrenched, particularly after the 1906 Trade Disputes Act and this was conducive to the spread of collective bargaining and the ideology of collectivist laissez-faire. Meanwhile, the development of the law of individual employment rights showed

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The first step in the process of industrialization was the invention of the steam engine. This invention allowed for the production of power in a factory setting, which led to the development of the textile industry. The textile industry was the first major industry to be mechanized, and it played a key role in the growth of the United States economy. The textile industry was followed by the iron and steel industry, which was also mechanized and played a key role in the growth of the United States economy.

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trade unions to appoint or elect worker directors to the boards of companies. The trade unions have been actively involved with the Labour Party through the medium of the Social Contract in planning this legislative programme. The goal of the Social Contract, which was developed after the debacle of *In Place of Strife*, and of which labour legislation is a major component, is to achieve 'a fundamental and irreversible shift in the balance of wealth and power in favour of working people and their families'.

What will be the likely effect of these new laws on the tradition of abstentionism? That tradition was never inconsistent with trade union pressure for Parliamentary action, through in modern times unions had sought mainly the legal and economic conditions for carrying out their industrial functions with the minimum of State interference. Even as late as the 1960s trade unions were scarcely enthusiastic about the extension of statutory protections, and from 1972 to 1974 the Industrial Relations Act foundered on the rock of union opposition as well as managerial indifference. The suddenness of the transformation of attitudes during the evolution of the Social Contract is most striking. Perhaps the trade union movement has underestimated the degree of legal intervention in the new laws, and has accidentally jeopardised the abstentionist tradition in a sudden eagerness to win statutory victories. Will labour law reforms facilitate fundamental social changes? Certainly, a future Conservative government is likely to amend the legislation in order to insist on a greater emphasis on managerial rights and to rise again the whole question of the individual in labour law and relations. Also, Britain's continued membership of the Common Market, which has already strongly influenced the Employment Protection Act's sections on redundancy consultation, is in future likely to necessitate the enactment of further labour legislation. In 1975 it would seem that the one indubitably fundamental and irreversible trend is the ever-increasing extent of the legal regulation of the British system of industrial relations.

*Industrial Bulletin, dated 15th September 1976.*

#### Wage Guidelines in Kenya

Modifications have been made to wage guidelines issued by the Industrial Court in 1973 and 1975, due to the economic pressures being experienced in Kenya.

It has been recommended by the Minister for Finance and Planning that a tight control is kept on wage increases and that in particular, price increases due to increased costs of imports or local commodity shortages cannot be used as a basis for wage increases.

Another recommendation is that where productivity increases have been realised during the period 1974 to 1976, these cannot be used to justify wage increases either, but rather must serve as partial offsets for increases in other costs of production.

Compensation for cost of living increases will be allowed in full to only the lowest paid groups. Also, voluntary revisions after one year of a two-year agreement will be allowed only if the wage increases stipulated in the agreement fail to compensate for price increases of about two-thirds of the cost of living rise.

*Industrial Bulletin, dated 15th September 1976.*

Co-determination in W. Germany enforced  
Co-determination came into force on July 1st 1974 in industries with more than 2,000 employees—apart from special requirements, which include the establishment of supervisory boards on the basis of company size. The size of these boards will vary with the number of employees: companies with more than 10,000 employees will have ten representatives, those between 2,000 and 10,000 will have six, and those with less than 2,000 employees will be allowed only one representative.

The new law will be governed by special legislation in companies with less than 8,000 employees. In companies with less than 2,000 employees, the board will be elected, while in larger companies an elected board will be established.

The law also detailed rules as to composition of the board, how many staff members, manual workers and executives, and also how many of the senior executives. In companies with less than 8,000 employees, the board will be elected, while in larger companies an elected board will be established.

*Industrial Bulletin, dated 15th September 1976.*

#### Pension and benefits increased in Australia

Age and invalid pensions have been increased by \$10 per week, effective November 1975. The maximum employment benefit and sickness benefit for 1975-76, where the rate remains unchanged at \$30 per week, were last increased in May 1975, and the new rates were based on movements in the consumer price index.

The legislation also extended the payment of a pension to the sole surviving parent or adoptive parent of a child for not less than ten years or is a long-term carer.

The Social Services Act was also amended to allow a woman who is an invalid pensioner or of an unemployment benefit to qualify for a wife's pension or attraction benefit, as appropriate, on the same basis as a married woman living in a de facto relationship. Previously, a woman living in a de facto relationship had to be living permanently with a man for a period of three years or more.

The Government intends to eventually abolish the pension for all people aged 65 and over.

The Government has established an inter-departmental committee to examine the Australian income security system and to examine the effectiveness of the present system.

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### New Law on Co-determination in W. Germany enforced

A new law on co-determination came into force on July 1, 1976, affecting companies with more than 2,000 employees—apart from those in the coal and steel industries. Those affected will have two years to comply with the requirements, which include the establishment of employee representation on supervisory boards on the basis of complete parity with shareholders. The size of these boards will vary with the size of company. Those employing between 2,000 and 10,000 will have six shareholders and six employee representatives ranging to companies with more than 20,000 employees, who will have ten of each.

Companies with less than 2,000 employees will be allowed to keep their present arrangement of one-third employee representation. The coal and steel industries will continue to be governed by special legislation made in 1951, which requires equal number of shareholders and employee representatives plus a "neutral" representative.

There are also detailed rules as to composition of the employee representation, including how many staff members, manual workers and union representatives can be elected and also how many of the senior executive level should be represented. In companies with less than 8,000 employees, the representatives will be directly elected, while in larger companies an electoral college system will be established.

*Industrial Bulletin, dated 15th September 1976.*

### Rates of pension and benefits increased in Australia

The rates of age and invalid pensions have been increased by a uniform amount of \$2.75 per week, effective November 1975. The exception is only in the case of unemployment benefit and sickness benefit for unmarried persons, aged 16-17 years where the rate remains unchanged at \$36.00 per week. Pensions and benefits were last increased in May 1975, and the recent increases in the basic rates were based on movements in the consumer price index since the May rates were determined.

The legislation also extended the payment of double orphan's pension to a child whose sole surviving parent or adoptive parent has been committed to prison for not less than ten years or is a long-term patient of a mental hospital.

The Social Services Act was also amended to allow the *de facto* wife of an age or invalid pensioner or of an unemployment or sickness beneficiary to immediately qualify for a wife's pension or attract additional unemployment or sickness benefit, as appropriate, on the same basis as a woman who is legally married. Previously, a woman living in a *de facto* relationship was treated in the same way as a married woman for these purposes, only where she was deemed to be living permanently with a man and had done so for a continuous period of three years or more.

The Government intends to eventually abolish the means test on pensions for all people aged 65 and over.

The Government has established an inter-departmental Review Group to examine the Australian income security system. The broad aim of the review is to examine the effectiveness of the present income security system in Australia

and to make recommendations for policy change. The review, which has already commenced and will be completed before Cabinet begins its consideration of the 1976-77 Budget, will be monitored by a Cabinet Committee comprising the Prime Minister, the Treasurer, the Minister for Social Security and Minister for Repatriation and Compensation and the Minister for Labour and Immigration.

*Industrial Bulletin, dated 15th September 1976.*

#### Labour Participation in Industry

The Union Labour Minister, Mr. K. V. Raghunatha Reddy stated in the Lok Sabha on August 12, 1976 that 472 public sector units of the Central Government had either implemented or initiated action to implement the Scheme of labour participation in industry. The provisional number of units, reported by the State Governments, to have implemented the scheme in the various states was 924.

*Industrial Bulletin, dated 15th September 1976.*

#### Contract Labour to be Housed

The Central Advisory Board for Iron Ore Mines Labour Welfare Fund which met at New Delhi on August 18, 1976, decided that some of the houses, built with funds of welfare organizations, should be allotted to contract labour. The number of houses to be allotted will be decided by the local housing committees. The proposal that housing for contract labour be financed entirely by the Centre was not approved.

*Industrial Bulletin, dated 15th September 1976.*

#### Prime Minister in favour of National Wage Policy

The Prime Minister, Mrs. Indira Gandhi, called for a concerted effort to evolve a national wage policy which is fair to employees as well as to the rest of the society. Addressing the concluding session of the National Development Council on September 25, 1976, the Prime Minister felt that existing anomalies in the wage structure should be rectified and the distortions due to the high wage islands in the economy should be corrected as a first step to the evolution of a national wage policy.

Mrs. Gandhi admitted that this important issue had not made much progress though it has been before the Government for sometimes now.

She said it was the distortions, which had already crept into the wage structure, which rendered it difficult to make any major move towards rationalising existing scales of pay and Dearness Allowances "The main problems" she said "is that people seek rationalisation without tears".

*Industrial Bulletin, dated 1st October 1976.*

#### Working conditions are worsening : ILO Study

A global study on the work pattern and job satisfaction of the workers under taken by the International Labour Organisation, Geneva, has revealed that "work is becoming increasingly less tolerable for millions of people despite

improvements of physical working conditions over the past few years. Stress and social unrest are on the increase among the workers who are called upon to perform simple repetitive or monotone tasks which are below their training. Discontent has increased in many years, in spite of a massive 18 million jobless in the world alone. The workers are still exposed to noise, excessive vibrations, toxic fumes and a host of other invisible dangers. It is estimated that more than 100 million man-days were lost every year because of dissatisfaction as well as disputes.

The ILO study said that due to these nauseating conditions of work and abuse of drugs have gone up. The stress has a long term effect. Clerical staff complained of mental and physical fatigue and pain in shoulders and arms. Pilots flying for several hours showed, in course of time, loss of attention and poorer performance. In factories, the incidence of sickness, absenteeism and occupational accidents go up.

However, the stress and resulting fatigue is less among the middle class and the rich. The heart attacks and coronary deaths among the rich were 30 per cent less for the university graduates than among those with higher education.

The ILO has suggested that workers should be provided with a sense of respect, prestige and status, job security, opportunity for advancement and belonging to a social group and creativeness". Such a change is needed both by the industrialised and developing countries to improve the standard of the working class.

*Industrial Bulletin, dated 1st October 1976.*

#### Holiday Homes for Industrial Workers

The Union Deputy Labour Minister told the Lok Sabha that a number of State Governments have set up Holiday Homes for industrial workers such as Haryana (at Hardwar), Delhi (at Badli), Punjab (at Amritsar), Gujarat (at atubharat Tithal, Chorwar and Pavagadh). Tamil Nadu had also decided to set up Holiday Homes for industrial workers. The cost of Holiday Homes as for instance in the case of Delhi Administration is Rs. 500 per month are required to pay Rs. 500 per month, Rs. 2 per day per suite.

*Industrial Bulletin, dated 1st October 1976.*

Minimum Wages for Mine Workers revised by TIFM. Over 7,000 mine workers of the Tata Iron and Steel Company have been affected from April this year. The minimum wages will be Rs. 414.40.

*Industrial Bulletin, dated 1st October 1976.*

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The ILO study said that due to these nauseating conditions, incidence of alcoholism and abuse of drugs have gone up. The stress and strains have a long term effect. Clerical staff complained of mental and physical discomfort, backache and pain in shoulders and arms. Pilots flying aircrafts in rough air for several hours showed, in course of time, less attention, lower accuracy and poorer performance. In factories, the incidence of sickness, absenteeism, low output and occupational accidents go up.

However, the stress and resulting fatigue is less among top executives and decision makers. The heart attacks and coronary death rates for people in their 30s were 30 per cent less for the university graduates than for people without higher education.

The ILO has suggested that workers should be provided with "satisfactory wages, prestige and status, job security, opportunity for advancement, a sense of belonging to a social group and creativeness". Such measures have to be taken both by the industrialised and developing countries to raise the living standard of the working class.

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Industrial Bulletin, dated 1st October 1976.

**Minimum Wages for Mine Workers revised by TISCO**

Over 7,000 mine workers of the Tata Iron and Steel Company will get increased wages with retrospective effect from April this year following an agreement between the Workers' Union and the management. Under the agreement, the minimum wages will be Rs. 414.40.

Industrial Bulletin, dated 1st October 1976.

### New Measures to reduce Unemployment

Major new measures to combat unemployment have been announced by the British Government. They are expected to take about 80,000 people, particularly youngsters, off the jobless register over the next 12 months.

The foremost of the four measures, a job release scheme, is thought to be the first of its kind in an industrialised country.

The new measures, announced on September 23, are in addition to existing schemes to fight unemployment.

Mr. Albert Booth, Secretary of State for Employment, told newsmen: "These measures are a further demonstration of the Government's concern to reduce unemployment by selective action within the context of our economic and industrial strategy, and reflect our recognition of the special plight of young people who suffer unemployment at the very beginning of their working life."

### Unprecedented effort

He said that the unemployment measures introduced by the Government from last year onwards, including those now announced, would help about half-a-million unemployed people.

"This represents an unprecedented effort to counter in this country the trend of unemployment which we share with so many industrialised countries," he said.

The job release scheme is to run experimentally for the first six months of next year. It will offer workers who are within a year of the State retirement age a tax-free allowance until they reach retirement. In exchange, the recipients of the allowance—64-year-old men and 59 year old women—will have to leave their jobs and be replaced by unemployed workers.

The allowance will also be available to unemployed workers within a year of retirement age, provided that they allow themselves to be taken off the jobless register.

### Extension of scheme

The second measure is an extension of the existing job creation scheme, which underwrites the employment of jobless people on socially worthwhile projects, such as derelict land clearance, that could not be carried out without some financial backing.

The remaining measures are an expansion of job training and the continuation beyond the time originally intended of the present high staffing level of the Government's youth career placement service.

The new measures are expected to cost the Government a gross £95m over the next 12 months, but compensating savings on unemployment benefit and elsewhere will reduce this figure substantially.

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In fact, the number of recent school-leavers on the unemployment register in the United Kingdom dropped by more than 53,000 in the four weeks to September 9. On that day, the seasonally adjusted total of unemployed people in the U.K. (excluding school-leavers) was 1,319,300, or 5.6 per cent. of all employees.

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## Notifications Under Labour Laws

**Central Provinces and Berar Industrial Disputes Settlement Act, 1947 and Bombay Industrial relations Act, 1946.**

*Vide* Government Notification, Industries, Energy and Labour Department, No. CPA.1075/53080/Lab-9, dated 7th September 1976, published in the *Maharashtra Government Gazette*, Part I-L, dated 30th September 1976 at page 4717, the Government of Maharashtra has appointed the persons mentioned in the Schedule hereto appended to assist the Labour Commissioner, and confers on them the powers of the Labour Commissioner under section 16 of the Central Provinces and Berar Industrial Disputes Settlement Act, 1947.

### SCHEDULE

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| (1) Shri B. S. Patil ..    | .. | Assistant Commissioner of Labour, Nagpur. |
| (2) Shri M. A. Quraishi .. | .. | Assistant Commissioner of Labour, Nagpur. |
| (3) Shri M. B. Gajare ..   | .. | Assistant Commissioner of Labour, Nagpur. |
| (4) Shri K. P. Medbalmi .. | .. | Assistant Commissioner of Labour, Nagpur. |

**Maharashtra Mathadi, Hamal and Other Manual Workers (regulation of Employment and Welfare) Act, 1969.**

*Vide* Government Notification, Industries, Energy and Labour Department, No. UWA.1276/CR-691/Lab-5, dated 8th September 1976, published in *Maharashtra Government Gazette*, Part I-L, dated 30th September 1976 at pages 4717 and 4718, the Government of Maharashtra has nominated Shri Suresh A. Kotak, Messrs. Kotak and Company, Navsari Building, 240, Dr. D. N. Road, Fort, Bombay 400 001, to fill in the said vacancy and accordingly amended the aforesaid notification as follows, namely:—

In the aforesaid notification,—

(a) in clause (a), under the heading "Members representing employers" for entry 3, the following shall be substituted, namely:—

" 3. Shri Suresh A. Kotak, Messrs. Kotak and Company, Navsari Building, 240, Dr. D. N. Road, Fort, Bombay 400 001. " ;

(b) in clause (c), for the entry " Shri Ramanbhai M. Parikh " the following entry shall be substituted, namely:—

" Shri Suresh A. Kotak. "

**Bombay Shops and Establishments Act, 1948**

### I

*Vide* Government Notification, Industries, Energy and Labour Department, No. BSE. 2176/CR-1003/Lab-5, dated 6th September 1976, published in *Maharashtra Government Gazette*, Part I-L, dated 30th September 1976 at page 4718, the Government of Maharashtra has directed that all the provisions of the said Act shall come into force in Lonand Gram-Panchayat, District Satara, with effect from the 1st day of October 1976.

**Bombay Shops and Establishments Act, 1948**

### II

*Vide* Government Notification, Industries, Energy and Labour Department, No. BSE. 2176/CR-1003/Lab-5, dated 6th September 1976, published in *Maharashtra Government Gazette*, Part I-L, dated 30th September 1976 at page 4718, the Government of Maharashtra has directed the Lonand Gram Panchayat to be a local authority for the purposes of the said Act, with effect from the 1st day of October 1976.

**Bombay Shops and Establishments Act, 1948**

### III

*Vide* Government Notification, Industries, Energy and Labour Department, No. BSE.1475/CR-724/Lab-5, dated 9th September 1976, published in *Maharashtra Government*

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1. These rules may be called the Maharashtra Factories Act, 1948.

2. In rule 102 of the Maharashtra Factories Act, 1948, in column 4 for the words "All work on a continuous process shall be continuous chain" the following shall be substituted:—



Gazette, Part-I-L, dated 30th September 1973 at page 4721, the Government of Maharashtra has amended Schedule II to the said Act as follows, namely :—

In the said Schedule II to the said Act, after entry 216, the following entry shall be added, namely :—

" 217. Employees at Head Office at Lotus House, 33-A, New Marine Lines Near Liberty Cinema, Bombay 400 020 and Branch Offices at Bhiwandi, Nagpur, Malegaon and Ichalkaranji of the Maharashtra State Powerlooms Corporation Limited, Bombay. Sections 13, 14, 15, 17, 18, 35, 36, 62 and 66 ; subject to the condition that the employees concerned are granted wages for overtime work and one day's holiday in a week without making any deductions on account thereof from the wages.

Bombay Shops and Establishments Act, 1948

IV

Vide Government Notification, Industries, Energy and Labour Department, No. BSE.1475/CR-792/Lab-5, dated 13th September 1976, published in Maharashtra Government Gazette, Part I-L, dated 30th September 1976 at page 4721, the Government of Maharashtra has amended Schedule II to the said Act, as follows, namely :—

In the said Schedule II to the said Act, after entry 217, the following entry shall be added, namely :—

" 218. Employees in Mulund Branch Office, Dahisar and B. P. Highway Octroi Collection Centres of the Municipal Co-operative Bank Limited, Bombay. Sections 13 and 18 ; subject to the condition that the employees concerned are granted one day holiday in a week without making any deductions from their wages on account thereof.

Bombay Shops and Establishment Act, 1948

V

Vide Government Notification, Industries, Energy and Labour Department, No. BSE.1476/CR-814/Lab-5, dated 18th September 1976, published in Maharashtra Government Gazette, Part I-L, dated 14th October 1976 at page 5009, the Government of Maharashtra has amended Schedule II to the said Act, as follows, namely :—

In the said Schedule II to the said Act, after entry 218, the following entry shall be added, namely :—

" 219. Employees employed in two stalls and one counter, belonging to Messrs. Arjandas Gagandas Kartari, Travelers Requisite Stores, situated at Bombay Airport, Bombay 400 029. Sections 10, 11, 14, 16 and 18 ; subject to the condition that (i) The employees concerned are not required to work for more than 48 hours in any week. If required, he shall be paid overtime wages in the rate prescribed in section 63. (ii) The spread over shall not exceed 11 hours in any day. (iii) The employees concerned shall be granted one day holiday, in a week without making any deduction from their wages.

Factories Act, 1948.

Vide Government Notification, Industries, Energy and Labour Department No. FAC. 1175/65/Lab-II, dated 10th September 1976 published in Maharashtra Government Gazette, Part I-L, dated 30th September 1976 at page 4719 to 4720 the Government of Maharashtra has made the following rules, the same having published as required by section 115 of the said Act :—

RULES

1. These rules may be called the Maharashtra Factories (3rd Amendment) Rules, 1976.
2. In rule 102 of the Maharashtra Factories Rules, 1963, in the Schedule against item 44 in column 4 for the words "All work except packing work and work in engineering departments", the following shall be substituted, namely :—  
"All continuous process work including cartoning and packing carried out in a continuous chain".

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## Industrial Disputes Act, 1947

## I

Vide Government Notification, Industries, Energy and Labour Department, No. IDA. 1176/57064(2)/Lab-9, dated 17th September 1976, published in *Maharashtra Government Gazette*, Part I-L, dated 30th September 1976 at page 4762, the Government of Maharashtra has specified for the purposes of the said sub-section (2), namely :—

(1) The First Labour Court, Bombay, the Second Labour Court, Bombay, the Third Labour Court, Bombay, the Fourth Labour Court, Bombay, the Fifth Labour Court, Bombay, the Sixth Labour Court, Bombay, the Seventh Labour Court, Bombay, the Eight Labour Court, Bombay, Labour Court at Thane, Labour Court at Nashik, Labour Court at Aurangabad, First Labour Court, Pune, Second Labour Court, Pune, the Labour Court Kolhapur, the Labour Court, Sholapur, in the areas within (1) Greater Bombay, (2) Nashik, (3) Jalgaon, (4) Dhule, (5) Thane, (6) Kolaba, (7) Pune, (8) Ahmednagar, (9) Aurangabad (10) Kolhapur, (11) Sangli, (12) Satara, (13) Ratnagiri, (14) Sholapur, (15) Bhir, (16) Osmanabad, (17) Nanded and (18) Parbhani Districts.

(2) The First Labour Court, Nagpur, the Second Labour Court, Nagpur, the Third Labour Court, Nagpur, the Labour Court, Akola, in the area within (1) Nagpur, (2) Chandrapur, (3) Wardha, (4) Bhandara, (5) Akola, (6) Amravati, (7) Buldana and (8) Yeotmal Districts.

## Industrial Disputes Act, 1947

## II

Vide Government Notification, Industries, Energy and Labour Department, No. IDA. 1176/57064(1)/Lab-9, dated 17th August 1976, published in *Maharashtra Government Gazette*, Part I-L, dated 30th September 1976, at pages 4761 to 4762 the Government of Maharashtra has constituted :—

(1) The Labour Courts specified in column 1 of the schedule annexed hereto for the adjudication of industrial disputes relating to any matter specified in the Second Schedule to the said Act, and for performing such other function as may be assigned to them under the said Act ; and

(2) appointed the persons respectively specified against them in column 2 of the said Schedule as the Presiding Officers, thereof, being persons who are qualified for appointment as Presiding Officers of a Labour Court.

## SCHEDULE

Name of the Labour Court	Presiding Officer
(1) The Labour Court, Nashik	.. Shri M. V. Mulay, Judge, Small Causes Court, Pune.
(2) The Labour Court, Thane	.. Shri G. R. Sapre, Chief Judicial Magistrate, Ratnagiri.
(3) The Labour Court, Aurangabad	.. Shri L. R. Satarkar, Judge, Small Causes Court, Nagpur.

## Industrial Disputes Act, 1947

## III

Vide Government Notification, Industries, Energy and Labour Department, No. IDA. 1176/57113(i)/Lab-9, dated 19th August 1976, published in *Maharashtra Government Gazette*, Part I-L, dated 30th September 1976 at pages 4762 to 4763, the Government of Maharashtra has :—

(1) Constituted the Industrial Tribunals specified in column 1 of the Schedule appended hereto for the adjudication of industrial disputes relating to any matter whether specified in the Second Schedule or the Third Schedule of the said Act ;

(2) Appointed the persons respectively specified against them column 2 of the said Schedule as the Presiding Officers thereof, being persons who are qualified for appointment as Presiding Officers of an Industrial Tribunal.

Name of the Industrial Tribunal

1. The Industrial Tribunal, Pune	.. Shri D. K. ...
2. The Industrial Tribunal, Thane	.. Shri K. ...
3. The Industrial Tribunal, Bombay	.. Shri B. ...

Vide Government Notification, Industries, Energy and Labour Department, No. IDA. 1176/57064(2)/Lab-9, dated 17th September 1976 published in *Maharashtra Government Gazette*, Part I-L, dated 30th September 1976 at page 4762, the Government of Maharashtra has specified for the purposes of the said sub-section (2), namely :—

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Vide Government Notification, Industries, Energy and Labour Department, No. IDA. 1176/57113(i)/Lab-9, dated 19th August 1976, published in *Maharashtra Government Gazette*, Part I-L, dated 30th September 1976 at pages 4762 to 4763, the Government of Maharashtra has :—

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(6) Shri B. B. Tambe

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SCHEDULE

Name of the Industrial Tribunal	Presiding Officer
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1. The Industrial Tribunal, Pune	.. Shri D. G. Mutalik
2. The Industrial Tribunal, Thane	.. Shri K. R. Powar.
3. The Industrial Tribunal, Bombay	.. Shri B. B. Tambe

**Employee's Provident Funds and Family Pension Fund Act, 1952**  
*Vide* Government notification, Industries, Energy and Labour Department No. EPF. 1676/3143/Lab-4, dated 18th September 1976 published in *Maharashtra Government Gazette* Part I-L, dated 14th October 1976 at page 5008, the Government of Maharashtra has appointed Shri A. V. Padmanabhan, with effect from the 16th August 1976 (F.N.), to be the Provident Fund Inspector (Grade, II), for the purposes of the said and of any Scheme framed thereunder, for the whole State of Maharashtra.

**Industrial Disputes Act, 1947**  
*Vide* Government Notification, Industries, Energy and Labour Department, No. IDA. 1176/47852 (vii)/Lab-9, dated 27th August 1976, published in *Maharashtra Government Gazette* Part I-L, dated 30th September 1976 at pages 4772 to 4773, the Government of Maharashtra has appointed Shri R. V. Amrutwar, Additional Commissioner for Workers Compensation, Bombay to be presiding officer of the Sixth Labour Court, Bombay, to fill the vacancy aforesaid and for that purpose amended the said notification, as follows, namely :—  
 In the Schedule to said notification for the words and letters " Shri B. A. Ekbote, B.A., LL.B., Additional Commissioner for Workmen's Compensation, Bombay " the words and letters " Shri R. V. Amrutwar, Additional Commissioner for Workmen's Compensation, Bombay ", shall be substituted.

**Industrial Disputes Act, 1947**  
*Vide* Government Notification Industries, Energy and Labour Department, No. IDA. 1476/58298/Lab-2, dated 6th September 1976, published in *Maharashtra Government Gazette* Part I-L, dated 30th September 1976, at page 4776, the Government of Maharashtra has declared the Chemical Fertilizer Industry to be a public utility service for the purpose of the said Act for a period of six months from the date of publication of this Notification in the *Maharashtra Government Gazette*.

**Maharashtra Recognition of Trade Unions and Prevention of Unfair Labour Practices Act, 1971**  
*Vide* Government Notification, Industries, Energy and Labour Department, No. ULP. 1076/57114(i)/Lab-9, dated 19th August 1976, published in *Maharashtra Government Gazette*, Part I-L, dated 30th September 1976 at page 4763, the Government of Maharashtra has appointed with effect from the date of taking over charge, Shri B. B. Tambe, to be a Member of the Industrial Court constituted under Government Notification, Industries and Labour Department, No. ULP. 1072/Lab-I, dated the 8th September 1975 as amended from time to time and for that purpose amended that notification as follows namely :—  
 In the said notification in clause 1 the following shall be added as entry (6) :—  
 " (6) Shri B. B. Tambe Member "

**Maharashtra Recognition of Trade Unions and Prevention of Unfair Labour, Practices Act, 1971**  
*Vide* Government Notification Industries, Energy and Labour Department, No. ULP. 1076/57114 (ii) /Lab-9, dated 19th August 1976, published in *Maharashtra Government Gazette*, Part I-L, dated 30th September 1976 at page 4769, the Government of Maharashtra has appointed with effect from the date of taking over charge, Shri D. G. Mutalik and Shri K. R. Powar, to be Member of the Industrial Court, constituted under Government Notification, Ra 4808—2

and Labour Department, No. IDA. 1176/47852 (vii)/Lab-9, dated 27th August 1976, published in *Maharashtra Government Gazette* Part I-L, dated 30th September 1976 at pages 4772 to 4773, the Government of Maharashtra has appointed Shri R. V. Amrutwar, Additional Commissioner for Workers Compensation, Bombay to be presiding officer of the Sixth Labour Court, Bombay, to fill the vacancy aforesaid and for that purpose amended the said notification, as follows, namely :—  
 In the Schedule to said notification for the words and letters " Shri B. A. Ekbote, B.A., LL.B., Additional Commissioner for Workmen's Compensation, Bombay " the words and letters " Shri R. V. Amrutwar, Additional Commissioner for Workmen's Compensation, Bombay ", shall be substituted.

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 In the Schedule to said notification for the words and letters " Shri B. A. Ekbote, B.A., LL.B., Additional Commissioner for Workmen's Compensation, Bombay " the words and letters " Shri R. V. Amrutwar, Additional Commissioner for Workmen's Compensation, Bombay ", shall be substituted.

residing Officer  
 V. Mulay, Judge, Small Causes Court, Pune.  
 R. Sapre, Chief Judicial Magistrate, Satnagiri.  
 R. Satarkar, Judge, Small Causes Court, Nagpur.

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 In the Schedule to said notification for the words and letters " Shri B. A. Ekbote, B.A., LL.B., Additional Commissioner for Workmen's Compensation, Bombay " the words and letters " Shri R. V. Amrutwar, Additional Commissioner for Workmen's Compensation, Bombay ", shall be substituted.

Industries, Energy and Labour Department, No. ULP. 1072/Lab-I, dated 8th September 1975 as amended from time to time and for that purpose amended that notification as follows, namely:—

In the said notification in clause 1 after entry (6) the following shall be added as entries (7) and (8):—

- “ (7) Shri D. G. Mutalik .. .. Member.  
 (8) Shri K. R. Powar .. .. Member ”.

Maharashtra Recognition of Trade Unions and Prevention of Unfair Labour Practices, Act, 1971.

Vide Government Notification, Industries, Energy and Labour Department, No. ULP. 1076/57114(iii)/Lab-9, dated 19th August 1976, published in *Maharashtra Government Gazette*, Part I-L, dated 30th September 1976 at page 4765, the Government of Maharashtra has appointed with effect from the date of taking over charge, Shri K. N. Wani to be Member of the Industrial Court constituted under Government Notification, Industries, Energy and Labour Department No. ULP. 1072/Lab-I, dated the 9th September 1975 as amended from time to time and for that purpose amended that notification as follows, namely:—

In the said notification in clause I after entry No. (8) the following shall be added as entry:—

- “ (9) Shri K. N. Wani .. Member ”.

Bombay Industrial Relations Act, 1946

## I

Vide Government Notification, Industries, Energy and Labour Department, No. BIR. 1076/57115(i)/Lab-9, dated 19th August 1976, published in *Maharashtra Government Gazette*, Part I-L, dated 30th September 1976 at page 4763 the Government of Maharashtra has appointed with effect from the date of taking over charge. Shri D. G. Mutalik, Retired District Judge and Shri K. R. Powar, Retired District Judge, to be Members of the Court of Industrial Arbitration, constituted under Government Notification, Industries and Labour Department, No. BIR. 1065(II)/Lab-I, dated the 2nd May 1965 and for that purpose amended that notification as follows, namely:—

In the said notification in clause 2 after entry (6) the following shall be added, namely:—

- “ (7) Shri D. G. Mutalik,  
 (8) Shri K. R. Powar ”.

Bombay Industrial Relations Act, 1946

## II

Vide Government Notification, Industries, Energy and Labour Department, No. BIR. 1076/57115(iii)/Lab-9, dated 19th August published in *Maharashtra Government Gazette* Part I-L, dated 30th September 1976 at pages 4764 to 4765, the Government of Maharashtra has appointed with effect from the date of taking over charge Shri K. N. Wani, Judge, City Civil Court and Sessions Judge, Greater Bombay to be a member of the Court of Industrial Arbitration constituted under Government Notification, Industries and Labour Department, No. BIR. 1065(II)/Lab-I, dated the 2nd May 1965 and for that purpose amended that notification as follows, namely:—

In the said notification in clause 2 after entry No. (8) the following shall be added:—

- “ (9) Shri K. N. Wani ”.

Bombay Industrial Relations Act, 1946

## III

Vide Government Notification Industries, Energy and Labour Department No. BIR. 1076/57115(ii)/Lab-9, dated 19th August 1976, published in *Maharashtra Government Gazette*, Part I-L, dated 30th September 1976 at page 4764 the Government of Maharashtra has

with effect from the date of taking over charge of Shri K. N. Wani, to be a Member of the Court of Industrial Arbitration, Industries and Labour Department, No. ULP. 1072/Lab-I, dated the 9th September 1975 and for that purpose amended that notification in clause 2 for entries (5) and (6):—

- “ (1) Shri G. K. Patankar, B.A., L.L.B.  
 (2) Shri B. B. Tambe ”.

Bombay Industrial Relations Act, 1946

## IV

Vide Government Notification Industries, Energy and Labour Department, No. ULP. 1076/57114(iii)/Lab-9, dated 19th August 1976, published in *Maharashtra Government Gazette*, Part I-L, dated 30th September 1976 at pages 4775 to 4776, the Government of Maharashtra has appointed Shri P. M. Mantri, Labour Officer, Bombay, to represent employers on the State constituted under Government Notification, Industries and Labour Department, No. ILE. 1768/93241/Lab-8, dated the 2nd May 1965 and for that purpose amended that notification as follows:—

In clause (a) of the said notification for the words and letters “Shri P. M. Mantri”

Wages Act, 1948

Vide Government Notification, Industries, Energy and Labour Department, No. ULP. 1076/57114(iii)/Lab-9, dated 19th August 1976, published in *Maharashtra Government Gazette*, Part I-L, dated 30th September 1976 at page 4775 to Part-I of the Schedule to the said Act, relating to employment in respect of which it is provided that it shall be treated as if it were an establishment under the said Act, namely:—

- “ 48. Employment in any establishment engaged in the business of printing, bookbinding and tailoring establishments ”.

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o. ULP. 1072/Lab-I, dated 8th September 1965, for that purpose amended that notification as follows:—

(6) the following shall be added as entries:

Member.

Member”.

Prevention of Unfair Labour Practices

Industries and Labour Department, No. ULP. 1072/Lab-I, published in *Maharashtra Government Gazette*, Part I-L, dated 8th September 1965, the Government of Maharashtra has appointed Shri K. N. Wani to be Member of the Court of Industrial Arbitration under Government Notification, Industries, Energy and Labour Department, No. ULP. 1072/Lab-I, dated the 8th September 1965 as amended from that notification as follows, namely:—

No. (8) the following shall be added as entries:

Member”.

Industries and Labour Department, No. BIR. 1065(II)/Lab-I, published in *Maharashtra Government Gazette*, Part I-L, dated 2nd May 1965, the Government of Maharashtra has appointed Shri P. S. Malvankar to be a Member of the Court of Industrial Arbitration under Government Notification, Industries and Labour Department No. BIR. 1065(II)/Lab-I, dated the 2nd May 1965 and for that purpose amended that notification as follows:—

the following shall be added, namely:—

Industries and Labour Department, No. BIR. 1065(II)/Lab-I, published in *Maharashtra Government Gazette*, Part I-L, dated 2nd May 1965, the Government of Maharashtra has appointed Shri P. S. Malvankar to be a Member of the Court of Industrial Arbitration under Government Notification, Industries and Labour Department No. BIR. 1065(II)/Lab-I, dated the 2nd May 1965 and for that purpose amended that notification as follows:—

(8) the following shall be added:—

Industries and Labour Department No. BIR. 1065(II)/Lab-I, published in *Maharashtra Government Gazette*, Part I-L, dated 2nd May 1965, the Government of Maharashtra has appointed Shri P. S. Malvankar to be a Member of the Court of Industrial Arbitration under Government Notification, Industries and Labour Department No. BIR. 1065(II)/Lab-I, dated the 2nd May 1965 and for that purpose amended that notification as follows:—

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appointed with effect from the date of taking over charge, Shri B. B. Tambe, in place of Shri P. S. Malvankar, to be a Member of the Court of Industrial Arbitration constituted under Government Notification, Industries and Labour Department No. BIR. 1065(II)/Lab-I, dated the 2nd May 1965 and for that purpose amended that notification as follows, namely:—

In the said notification in clause 2 for entries (5) and (6), the following shall be substituted namely:—

“ (5) Shri G. K. Patankar, B.A., L.L.B.

(6) Shri B. B. Tambe.”

Bombay Industrial Relations Act, 1946

IV

*Vide* Government Notification, Industries, Energy and Labour Department, No. BIR. 1276/1349/Lab-9, dated 3rd September 1976, published in *Maharashtra Government Gazette*, Part I-L, dated 30th September 1976 at pages 4775 to 4776, the Government of Maharashtra has nominated Shri P. M. Mantri, Labour Officer (Administration), of the Millowners' Association, Bombay, to represent employers on the Wage Board for the Cotton Industry for the whole State constituted under Government Notification, Industries and Labour Department, No. ILE. 1768/93241/Lab-8, dated the 30th September 1968 read with Government Notification, Industries and Labour Department, No. ICE. 1772/101326-Lab-I, *vice* Shri H. Sahasranaman who resigned and for that purpose, amends the said notification as follows:—

In clause (a) of the said notification for the words and letters “Shri H. Sahasranaman” the words and letters “Shri P. M. Mantri” shall be substituted.

Minimum Wages Act, 1948

*Vide* Government Notification, Industries, Energy and Labour Department No. MWA. 4274/996/Lab-7, dated 6th September 1976, published in *Maharashtra Government Gazette*, Part I-L, dated 30th September 1976 at page 4776, the Government of Maharashtra has added to Part-I of the Schedule to the said Act with effect from 15th December 1976 the following employment in respect of which it is of the opinion that the minimum rates of wages should be fixed under the said Act, namely:—

“45. Employment in any establishments engaged in the manufacture of ready-made garments and tailoring establishments”.

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## Orders, Circulors, etc. issued by the Commissioner of Labour Bombay (MS)

### Order

In supersession of the previous orders, the Commissioner of Labour, Bombay, in exercise of the powers conferred on him under Rule 16 of the Maharashtra Shops and Establishments Rules, 1961, hereby appoints the following officers as supervising Officers in the areas noted against them to give such directions to the Local Authorities in their area as may appear necessary for proper enforcement of the Bombay Shops and Establishments Act 1948 :—

Sr. No.	Name of the Officer	Area
1	Deputy Commissioner of Labour, Pune	Pune Division and Ratnagiri District.
2	Assistant Commissioner of Labour, Pune.	Pune Ahmednagar and Satara Districts.
3	Assistant Commissioner of Labour, Kolhapur.	Sangli Kolhapur and Ratnagiri Districts.
4	Assistant Commissioner of Labour, Sholapur.	Sholapur District.
5	Government Labour Officer, Pune	Pune District.
6	Government Labour Officer, Ahmednagar.	Ahmednagar District.
7	Government Labour Officer, Sholapur	Sholapur District.
8	Government Labour Officer, Sangli	Sangli District.
9	Government Labour Officer, Satara	Satara District.
10	Government Labour Officer, Ichalkaranji.	Kolhapur District.
11	Government Labour Officer, Ratnagiri	Ratnagiri District.
12	Government Labour Officer, Kolhapur	Kolhapur District.

This order will come into effect immediately.

V. SUNDARAM  
Commissioner of Labour,  
Bombay.

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## Labour Legislation

### IRON ORE MINES AND MANGANESE ORE MINES WELFARE CESS ACT, 1976 Act No. 55 of 1976

In Act to provide for the levy and collection of a cess on iron ore and manganese ore for the financing of activities to promote the welfare of workers in the iron ore mines and manganese ore mines and for incidental thereto.

Enacted by Parliament in the Twenty-seventh Year of the Republic of India as follows :—

1. Short title, extent and commencement.—(1) This Act shall be called the Iron Ore Mines and Manganese Ore Mines Labour Welfare Cess Act, 1976.

(2) It extends to the whole of India.

(3) It shall come into force on such date as the Central Government may, by notification in the Official Gazette, appoint, and different dates may be specified for different States :

Provided that the Central Government may, by notification, apply in the first instance the provisions of this Act to iron ore mines, or only to manganese ore mines, in a State with effect from such date as may be specified in the notification, and if that Government is satisfied that it is necessary or expedient so to do, it may extend this Act to iron ore mines or manganese ore mines in that State with effect from such date as may be specified in the notification published in the Official Gazette.

2. Definitions.—(1) In this Act, unless the context otherwise requires,—

(a) "export" means taking out of India to a place outside India;

(b) "Fund" means the Iron Ore Mines and Manganese Ore Mines Labour Welfare Fund formed under section 3 of this Act;

(c) "prescribed" means prescribed by rules made under this Act.

(2) Words and expressions used but not defined in this Act shall have the meanings respectively assigned to them in section 2 of the Iron Ore Mines and Manganese Ore Mines Labour Welfare Cess Act, 1976.

3. Levy and collection of cess on iron ore and manganese ore.—(1) From such date as the Central Government may, by notification in the Official Gazette, appoint, there shall be levied and collected on iron ore and manganese ore produced in any mine or quarry in India a duty of customs, where such iron ore or manganese ore is exported, and a duty of excise, where such iron ore or manganese ore is produced in any mine or quarry in India, at the rates specified in the Schedule to this Act.

(2) The duty of customs referred to in sub-section (1) shall be levied and collected in accordance with the provisions of the Customs Act, 1962, and the duty of excise referred to in sub-section (1) shall be levied and collected in accordance with the provisions of the Excise Act, 1944.

ie Commissioner of Labour  
(MS)

Commissioner of Labour, Bombay  
under Rule 16 of the Maharashtra  
by appoints the following officers  
inst them to give such directions  
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ments Act 1948 :-

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| nc  | Pune Division and Ratnagiri District.    |
| ir, | Pune Ahmednagar and Satara Districts.    |
| ir, | Sangli Kolhapur and Ratnagiri Districts. |
| ir, | Sholapur District.                       |
| ..  | Pune District.                           |
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|     | Sangli District.                         |
|     | Satara District.                         |
| 1-  | Kolhapur District.                       |
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V. SUNDARAM  
Commissioner of Labour  
Bombay.

# Labour Legislation

## THE IRON ORE MINES AND MANGANESE ORE MINES LABOUR WELFARE CESS ACT, 1976

Act No. 55 of 1976

[7th April 1976]

*An Act to provide for the levy and collection of a cess on iron ore and manganese ore for the financing of activities to promote the welfare of persons employed in the iron ore mines and manganese ore mines and for matters connected therewith or incidental thereto.*

Be it enacted by Parliament in the Twenty-seventh Year of the Republic of India as follows :-

1. *Short title, extent and commencement.*—(1) This Act may be called the Iron Ore Mines and Manganese Ore Mines Labour Welfare Cess Act, 1976.  
(2) It extends to the whole of India.  
(3) It shall come into force on such date as the Central Government may, by notification in the *Official Gazette*, appoint, and different dates may be appointed for different States :

Provided that the Central Government may, by notification in the *Official Gazette*, apply in the first instance the provisions of this Act, only to iron ore mines, or only to manganese ore mines, in a State with effect from such date as may be specified in the notification, and if that Government is satisfied that it is necessary or expedient so to do, it may extend this Act to all iron ore mines and manganese ore mines in that State with effect from such date as may be specified in the notification published in the *Official Gazette*.

2. *Definitions.*—(1) In this Act, unless the context otherwise requires,—  
(a) “export” means taking out of India to a place outside India ;  
(b) “Fund” means the Iron Ore Mines and Manganese Ore Mines Labour Welfare Fund formed under section 3 of the Iron Ore Mines and Manganese Ore Mines Labour Welfare Fund Act, 1976 ;  
(c) “prescribed” means prescribed by rules made under this Act.  
(2) Words and expressions used but not defined in this Act and defined in the Iron Ore Mines and Manganese Ore Mines Labour Welfare Fund Act, 1976, shall have the meanings respectively assigned to them in that Act.

3. *Levy and collection of cess on iron ore and manganese ore.*—With effect from such date as the Central Government may, by notification in the *Official Gazette*, appoint, there shall be levied and collected as a cess for the purposes of the Iron Ore Mines and Manganese Ore Mines Labour Welfare Fund Act, 1976—

- (i) on all iron ore produced in any mine,—  
(a) a duty of customs, where such iron ore is exported ; or

(b) a duty of excise, where such iron ore is sold or otherwise disposed of to the occupier of any metallurgical factory, or to any person who in turn sells it to a metallurgical factory, or is used by the owner of the mine in any metallurgical factory,

at such rate not exceeding one rupee per metric tonne of iron ore as the Central Government may, from time to time, fix by notification in the *Official Gazette* ;

(ii) on all manganese ore produced in any mine,—

(a) a duty of customs, where such manganese ore is exported ; or

(b) a duty of excise, where such manganese ore is sold or otherwise disposed of to the occupier of any metallurgical factory, or to any person who in turn sells it to a metallurgical factory, or is used by the owner of the mine in any metallurgical factory.

at such rate not exceeding six rupees per metric tonne of manganese ore as the Central Government may, from time to time, fix by notification in the *Official Gazette*.

*Explanation.*—Where the owner of any iron ore mine or manganese ore mine is also the occupier of a metallurgical factory, then for the purposes of sub-clause (b) of clause (i) or sub-clause (b) of clause (ii), all the iron ore or manganese ore, as the case may be produced in the mine and not sold or otherwise disposed of to the occupier of any other metallurgical factory or to any other person shall be deemed, unless the contrary is proved, to have been used by such owner for his own metallurgical factory.

4. *Payment of duty of customs and duty of excise.*—(1) Every duty of customs leviable under this Act on any iron ore or manganese ore shall be payable to the Central Government by the person by whom the iron ore or, as the case may be, manganese ore is exported.

(2) Every duty of excise leviable under this Act on any iron ore and manganese ore shall be payable—

(a) to the occupier of the metallurgical factory by the person by whom such iron ore or manganese ore is sold or otherwise disposed of to such occupier.

(b) to the Central Government, by the owner of the iron ore mine or manganese ore mine where the iron ore or manganese ore is used by such owner in any metallurgical factory.

within such period as may be prescribed.

(3) All amounts referred to in clause (a) of sub-section (2) shall be collected by the occupier of the metallurgical factory in such manner, and paid by him to the Central Government within such period, as may be prescribed.

5. *Crediting proceeds of duty to Consolidated Fund of India.*—The proceeds of duty of customs and duty of excise levied under section 3 shall be credited to the Consolidated Fund of India.

6. *Power of Central Government to exempt.*—Notwithstanding anything contained in this Act, if the Central Government is of opinion that in respect

any metallurgical factory or class of metallurgical factory or class of metallurgical factory, the rate of duty of excise on iron ore or manganese ore is disproportionate to the cost of collection of such duty, it may, by notification in the *Official Gazette*, exempt such metallurgical factory or class of metallurgical factory from the provisions of this Act.

7. *Interest payable by occupiers of factories.*—Where the occupier of a factory or any owner of an iron ore mine or manganese ore mine fails to pay the amount payable by him to the Central Government within the period prescribed therein, as the case may be, he shall be liable to pay interest at the rate of six per centum per annum on the amount to be paid, until such amount is actually paid.

8. *Penalty for non-payment of duty of excise.*—Where the duty of excise payable by the occupier of a factory or any owner of an iron ore mine or manganese ore mine to the Central Government under section 4 is not paid within the period prescribed thereunder, it shall be the duty of the authority prescribed in this behalf to issue a notice to the occupier of the metallurgical factory or the owner of the iron ore mine or manganese ore mine, requiring the amount of duty of excise to be paid. Provided that before imposing any such penalty, as the case may be, shall be given a hearing to the occupier and, if after such hearing the said authority is satisfied for any good and sufficient reason, it may exempt the occupier from the provisions of this section.

9. *Recovery of amounts due under the Act.*—The amounts due under the Act (including the interest or penalty payable by the occupier of a factory or any owner of an iron ore mine or manganese ore mine to the Central Government in the same manner as in the case of a company) shall be recoverable as if they were due to the Central Government in the same manner as if they were due to a company.

10. *Penalty for evasion of duty.*—Whoever intentionally evades or attempts to evade the duty payable by him to the Central Government shall be punishable with imprisonment which may extend to one thousand rupees or with fine which may extend to one thousand rupees, or with both, and shall also be liable to pay the amount of duty evaded or attempted to be evaded, save on a complaint made by the Central Government.

11. *Offences by companies.*—(1) Where an offence has been committed by a company, every person who at the time of the commission of the offence was in charge of, and was exercising the management of, the company, shall be deemed to have committed that offence, unless it is proved that he had no knowledge of the commission of the offence.



iron ore is sold or otherwise disposed of by a metallurgical factory, or to any person who is a metallurgical factory, or is used by the owner of the mine.

per metric tonne of iron ore as the case may be, from time to time, fix by notification in the Official Gazette.

d in any mine,—  
When manganese ore is exported, or when manganese ore is sold or otherwise disposed of by a metallurgical factory, or is used by the owner of a metallurgical factory.

per metric tonne of manganese ore as the case may be, from time to time, fix by notification in the Official Gazette.

any iron ore mine or manganese ore mine, or any metallurgical factory, then for the purposes of clause (b) of clause (ii), all the iron ore or manganese ore produced in the mine and not sold or otherwise disposed of by any other metallurgical factory, unless the contrary is proved, shall be deemed to be produced in a metallurgical factory.

*Duty of excise.*—(1) Every duty of excise on iron ore or manganese ore shall be levied on the person by whom the iron ore or manganese ore is exported.

Under this Act on any iron ore or manganese ore sold or otherwise disposed of to such person as the owner of the iron ore mine or manganese ore mine or is used by such person.

(a) of sub-section (2) shall be levied on the metallurgical factory in such manner, as may be specified in the Official Gazette, within such period, as may be specified in the Official Gazette.

to the Consolidated Fund of India.—The proceeds of the duty of excise levied under section 3 shall be credited to the Consolidated Fund of India.

*Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in this Act, the Government is of opinion that in respect of any metallurgical factory or class of metallurgical factories the levy of the duty of customs or duty of excise on iron ore or manganese ore under this Act is disproportionate to the cost of collection of such duty of customs or duty of excise from such metallurgical factory or class of metallurgical factories, it may, by notification in the Official Gazette and subject to such exceptions and modifications as may be specified in the said notification, exempt such metallurgical factory or class of metallurgical factories from all or any of the provisions of this Act.*

of any metallurgical factory or class of metallurgical factories the levy of the duty of customs or duty of excise on iron ore or manganese ore under this Act is disproportionate to the cost of collection of such duty of customs or duty of excise from such metallurgical factory or class of metallurgical factories, it may, by notification in the *Official Gazette* and subject to such exceptions and modifications as may be specified in the said notification, exempt such metallurgical factory or class of metallurgical factories from all or any of the provisions of this Act.

7. *Interest payable by occupiers of factories and owners of mines.*—If any occupier of a factory or any owner of an iron ore mine or a manganese ore mine fails to pay amount payable by him to the Central Government under section 4 within the period prescribed thereunder, such occupier or owner, as the case may be, shall be liable to pay simple interest at twelve per cent. per annum on the amount to be paid from the date on which such payment is due till such amount is actually paid.

8. *Penalty for non-payment of duty of excise within the prescribed period.*—If any duty of excise payable by the occupier of the metallurgical factory or the owner of the iron ore mine or manganese ore mine to the Central Government under section 4 is not paid to that Government within the period prescribed thereunder, it shall be deemed to be in arrears and the authority prescribed in this behalf may, after such inquiry as it deems fit, impose on the occupier of the metallurgical factory or, as the case may be, on the owner of the iron ore mine or manganese ore mine a penalty not exceeding the amount of duty of excise in arrears :

Provided that before imposing any such penalty such occupier or such owner, as the case may be, shall be given a reasonable opportunity of being heard and, if after such hearing the said authority is satisfied that the default was for any good and sufficient reason, no penalty shall be imposed under this section.

9. *Recovery of amounts due under the Act.*—Any amount due under this Act (including the interest or penalty if any, payable under section 7 or section 8, as the case may be) from any occupier of a metallurgical factory or any owner of an iron ore mine or a manganese ore mine may be recovered by the Central Government in the same manner as an arrear of land revenue.

10. *Penalty for evasion of duty of excise.*—(1) Whoever wilfully or intentionally evades or attempts to evade the payment of duty of excise payable by him to the Central Government under this Act, shall on conviction be punishable with imprisonment which may extend to six months, or with fine which may extend to one thousand rupees, or with both.

(2) No court shall take cognizance of an offence punishable under this section, save on a complaint made by, or under the authority of, the Central Government.

11. *Offences by companies.*—(1) Where an offence under this Act has been committed by a company, every person who at the time the offence was committed was in charge of, and was responsible to, the company for

he conduct of the business of the company as well as the company, shall be deemed to be guilty of the offence and shall be liable to be proceeded against and punished accordingly :

Provided that nothing contained in this sub-section shall render any such person liable to any punishment, if he proves that the offence was committed without his knowledge or that he had exercised all due diligence to prevent the commission of such offence.

(2) Notwithstanding anything contained in sub-section (1), where any offence under this Act has been committed by a company and it is proved that the offence has been committed with the consent or connivance of, or is attributable to any neglect on the part of, any director, manager, secretary or other officer of the company, such director, manager, secretary or other officer shall be deemed to be guilty of that offence and shall be liable to be proceeded against and punished accordingly.

*Explanation.*—For the purposes of this section,—

(a) "company" means any body corporate and includes a firm or other association of individuals ; and

(b) "director", in relation to a firm, means a partner in the firm.

12. *Protection of action taken in good faith.*—No suit, prosecution or other legal proceeding shall lie against the Central Government or any officer or other employee of the Central Government for anything which is in good faith done or intended to be done under this Act or the rules made thereunder.

13. *Repeal and saving.*—(1) As from the commencement of this Act, the Iron Ore Mines Labour Welfare Cess Act, 1961 (58 of 1961), shall stand repealed.

(2) (a) The amount collected as cess, under the Act repealed by sub-section (1), shall be credited to the Consolidated Fund of India.

(b) The Central Government may, after due appropriation made by Parliament by law in this behalf, credit to the Fund an amount not exceeding the proceeds of cess credited under clause (a), after deducting the cost of collection as determined by that Government.

16. *Power to make rules.*—(1) The Central Government may, by notification in the *Official Gazette*, and subject to the condition of previous publication, make rules for carrying out the provisions of this Act.

(2) In particular and without prejudice to the generality of the foregoing power, such rules may provide for—

(a) the assessment, and collection of the duty of customs or duty of excise levied under section 3 ;

(b) the making of refunds, remissions and recoveries of the duty of customs or duty of excise levied under section 3 ;

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### THE BEEDI WORKER Act

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(c) the period within which the person selling or otherwise dispensing of the iron ore or manganese, ore to the occupier of the metallurgical factory shall pay the duty of excise to such occupier under sub-section (2) of section 4 ;

(d) the period within which the owner of the iron ore mine or manganese ore mine shall pay the duty of excise to the Central Government under sub-section (2) of section 4 ;

(e) the manner in which the occupier of the metallurgical factory shall collect the duty of excise under sub-section (3) of section 4 ;

(f) the period within which the occupier of the metallurgical factory shall pay to the Central Government the duty of excise collected by him under sub-section (3) of section 4 ;

(g) the authority which may impose any penalty under section 8 ;

(h) any other matter which has to be or may be prescribed or provided for, by rules under this Act.

(3) In making any rule under clause (c) of sub-section (2), the Central Government may direct that a breach thereof shall be punishable with fine which may extend to five hundred rupees.

(4) Every rule made under this section shall be laid, as soon as may be after it is made, before each House of Parliament, while it is in session, for a total period of thirty days which may be comprised in one session or in two or more successive sessions, and if, before the expiry of the session, immediately following the session or the successive sessions aforesaid, both Houses agree in making any modification in the rule or both Houses agree that the rule should not be made, the rule shall thereafter have effect only in such modified form or be of no effect, as the case may be ; so, however, that any such modification or annulment shall be without prejudice to the validity of anything previously done under that rule.

**THE BEEDI WORKERS WELFARE CESS ACT, 1976**

Act No. 56 of 1976

[7th April 1976]

*An Act to provide for the levy and collection, by way of cess, a duty of excise on tobacco issued for the manufacture of beedi.*

BE it enacted by Parliament in the Twenty-seventh Year of the Republic of India as follows :—

1. *Short title extent and commencement.*—(1) This Act may be called the Beedi Workers Welfare Cess Act, 1976.

(2) It extends to the whole of India.

(3) It shall come into force on such date as the Central Government may, by notification in the *Official Gazette*, appoint:

2. *Definitions.*—In this Act, unless the context otherwise requires,—

(a) “Fund” means the Beedi Workers Welfare Fund formed under section 3 of the Beedi Workers Welfare Fund Act, 1976 ;

(b) “prescribed” means prescribed by rules made under this Act.

3. *Levy and collection of cess on tobacco issued for manufacture of beedi.*—

(1) With effect from such date as the Central Government may, by notification in the *Official Gazette*, appoint there shall be levied and collected by way of cess for the purposes of the Beedi Workers Welfare Fund Act, 1976, on so much of the tobacco and is issued to any person from a warehouse for any purpose in connection with the manufacture of beedi, a duty of excise at such rate not exceeding one rupee per kilogram on such tobacco as the Central Government may, from time to time, fix by notification in the *Official Gazette*.

*Explanation.*—(1) In this sub-section, “warehouse” means any place or premises appointed or licensed under rule 140 of the Central Excise Rules, 1944, made under the Central Excises and Salt Act, 1944 (1 of 1944).

(2) The duty of excise levied under sub-section (1) shall be in addition to any cess or duty leviable on tobacco under any other law for the time being in force.

6. *Crediting of proceeds of duty to the Consolidated Fund of India.*—The proceeds of the duty of excise levied under sub-section (1) of section 3 shall be credited to the Consolidated Fund of India.

5. *Power to call for information.*—The Central Government or any other authority specified by it in this behalf may require any person to furnish, for the purposes of this Act, such statistical and any other information as it may think fit.

6. *Protection of action taken in good faith.*—No suit, prosecution or other legal proceeding shall lie against the Central Government or any officer or other employee of the Central Government for anything which is in good faith done or intended to be done under this Act or the rules made thereunder.

7. *Power to make rules.*—(1) The Central Government may, by notification in the *Official Gazette*, make rules for carrying out the provisions of this Act.

(2) In particular and without prejudice to the generally of the foregoing going power, such rules may provide for—

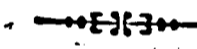
(a) the assessment and collection of the duty of excise levied under section 3 ;

(b) the furnishing to the Central Government or any other authority specified by it in this behalf by any person of such statistical and any other information as may be required to be furnished under section 5 ;

(c) any other matter which has to be or may be prescribed or provided for, by rules under this Act.

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## Consumer Price Index Numbers for Working Class for September 1976

### BOMBAY\*

#### 298—A rise of 4 Points

In September 1976, the Consumer Price Index Number for working class (New Series) for the Bombay Centre with base; January to December 1960 equal to 100, was 298 being 4 points higher than that in the preceding month. The index relates to the standard of life ascertained during the year 1958-59 family living survey in Bombay Centre.

The index number for the food group increased by 7 points to 320 due mainly to a rise in the average prices of rice, jowar, bajra, arhaddal, gramdal, masurdal, uriddal, coconut oil, goat-meat, fish fresh, eggs, ghee, sugar and jalebi.

The index number for the clothing, bedding and footwear group increased by 4 points to 300 due to a rise in the average prices of clothing items viz. dhoti, saree, shirting, long cloth, trouser cloth and full pant.

The index number for the pan, supari, tobacco etc., the fuel and light and the miscellaneous groups and housing remained steady at 316, 379, 245 and 137 respectively.

### CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBER (NEW SERIES) FOR WORKING CLASS FOR BOMBAY CITY

(Average price for the calendar year 1960=100)

Group	Weight proportional to the total expenditure.	Group Index Numbers.	
		August, 1976	September 1976
I-A. Food .. .. .	57.1	313	320
I-B. Pan, Supari, Tobacco, etc. .. .. .	4.9	316	316
III. Fuel and Light .. .. .	5.0	379	379
III. Housing .. .. .	4.6	137	137
IV. Clothing, Bedding and Footwear .. .. .	9.4	296	300
V. Miscellaneous .. .. .	19.0	245	245
Total .. .. .	100.0		
Consumer Price Index Number		294	298

Details regarding the scope and method of compilation of the index will be found on pages 598 to 605 of December 1965 issue of *Labour Gazette*. For Errata see page 867 of January 1966 issue.

Note.—To obtain the equivalent old index number on base 1933-34=100, the general index number on base 1960=100 should be multiplied by the linking factor viz., 4.44.

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CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBER (NEW SERIES)  
FOR BOMBAY CENTRE

Item	Unit	Weight	Index No. (Aug)	Index No. (Sep)
Rice	500 gms.	10	110	115
Jowar	500 gms.	5	105	110
Bajra	500 gms.	5	105	110
Arhaddal	500 gms.	5	105	110
Gramdal	500 gms.	5	105	110
Masurdal	500 gms.	5	105	110
Uriddal	500 gms.	5	105	110
Coconut oil	500 ml.	5	105	110
Goat-meat	500 gms.	5	105	110
Fish fresh	500 gms.	5	105	110
Eggs	Dozen	5	105	110
Ghee	500 gms.	5	105	110
Sugar	500 gms.	5	105	110
Jalebi	500 gms.	5	105	110
Total			100	104
Pan	500 gms.	5	316	316
Supari	500 gms.	5	316	316
Tobacco	500 gms.	5	316	316
Fuel	500 gms.	5	379	379
Light	500 gms.	5	379	379
Housing	500 gms.	5	137	137
Clothing	500 gms.	5	296	300
Bedding	500 gms.	5	296	300
Footwear	500 gms.	5	296	300
Miscellaneous	500 gms.	5	245	245
Total			100	104

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CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBER (NEW SERIES) FOR WORKING CLASS FOR BOMBAY CENTRE

Articles	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index number	
			year ended December 1960	August 1976	Sept. 1976	August 1976	Sept. 1976
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Rs. P.							
<b>I-A. Food—</b>							
<b>(a) Cereals and Cereal Products—</b>							
(1) Rice .. .. .	Kg.	@ @ 31.39	0.70	1.72	1.91	246	273
(2) Wheat .. .. .	"	@ 28.17	0.41	1.38	1.38	337	337
(3) Jowar .. .. .	"	@ 10.59	0.53	1.07	1.30	202	245
(4) Bajra .. .. .	"	@ 3.62	0.55	1.45	1.48	264	269
(5) Bread .. .. .	125 g.	@ 1.03	0.12	0.36	0.36	300	300
(6) Grinding charges ..	3 kg.	@ 2.43	0.09	0.44	0.44	489	489
<b>Total</b> .. .. .						<b>282</b>	<b>299</b>
<b>Sub-group Index I-A (a)</b>							
<b>(b) Pulses and pulse Products—</b>							
(1) Arhar dal .. .. .	kg.	63.78	0.78	2.29	2.36	294	303
(2) Gram dal .. .. .	"	12.99	0.60	1.90	1.93	317	322
(3) Moong dal .. .. .	"	12.21	0.90	2.88	2.87	320	319
(4) Masur dal .. .. .	"	7.87	0.78	2.20	2.24	282	287
(5) Urid dal .. .. .	"	3.15	0.88	3.96	4.34	450	493
<b>Total</b> .. .. .		<b>100.00</b>				<b>304</b>	<b>312</b>
<b>Sub group Index I-A (b)</b>							
<b>(c) Oils and Fats—</b>							
(1) Coconut oil .. .. .	500 ml.	9.55	1.36	4.81	5.53	354	407
(2) Groundnut oil .. .. .	"	71.05	1.00	3.12	3.10	312	310
(3) Vanaspati (loose) ..	500 g	19.40	1.75	5.02	4.86	287	278
<b>Total</b> .. .. .		<b>100.00</b>				<b>311</b>	<b>313</b>
<b>Sub-group Index I-A (c)</b>							
<b>(d) Meat, Fish and Eggs—</b>							
(1) Goat's Meat .. .. .	500 g.	52.54	1.48	5.81	5.88	393	397
(2) Fish fresh .. .. .	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
(i) Bumbalows .. .. .	Dozen	38.41	0.44	1.29	1.36	293	320
(ii) Pamfret .. .. .	Each	"	1.23	"	4.08	"	"
(3) Fish dry Bombil .. ..	Dozen	3.97	0.25	1.00	1.00	400	400
(4) Eggs .. .. .	"	5.08	1.93	5.42	5.45	281	282
<b>Total</b> .. .. .		<b>100.00</b>				<b>349</b>	<b>362</b>
<b>Sub-group Index I-A (d)</b>							

@@Weight of rice revised and reduced to 53 per cent of the original weight as the short fall in the consumption of this item during the month of August and September 1976 was 47 percent.

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Numbers for Working Class for October 1976

Index Number for working class; January to December 1976 as that in the preceding month maintained during the year 1958-59

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Group Index Numbers.	
August, 1976	September 1976
313	320
316	316
379	379
137	137
206	300
245	245
294	298

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CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBER (NEW SERIES) FOR WORKING CLASS  
FOR BOMBAY CENTRE—contd

Articles 1	Unit of quantity 2	Weight proportional to total expenditure 3	Price per unit of quantity			Index number	
			Year ended December 1960 4	August 1976 5	Sept. 1976 6	August 1976 7	Sept. 1976 8
(e) Milk and Milk Produce—			Rs. P.				
(1) Milk—							
(i) Pure ..	L.	86.87	1.15	3.29	3.28	249	249
(ii) Aarey ..	"	"	1.03	2.19	2.19	"	"
(2) Curd ..	kg.	1.31	1.57	5.30	5.29	338	337
(3) Ghee ..	"	11.82	7.50	23.84	25.69	318	343
Total ..		100.00				259	261
Sub-group Index I-A(e)—							
(f) Condiments and Spices—							
(1) Salt ..	kg.	5.40	0.13	0.40	0.39	308	300
(2) Turmeric ..	500 g.	5.40	0.72	2.90	2.94	403	408
(3) Chillies (dry) ..	"	28.42	1.35	4.39	3.95	325	293
(4) Chillies (green) ..	"	6.83	0.41	1.23	1.14	300	278
(5) Onion ..	"	19.42	0.15	0.29	0.29	193	193
(6) Garlic ..	"	4.67	0.60	1.27	1.29	212	215
(7) Coconut ..	Each (500 g.)	12.95	0.33	1.22	1.22	370	370
Other Spices—							
(8) Pepper ..	500 g.	16.91	3.69	11.00	11.31	643	653
(9) Jeera ..	"	"	1.80	7.91	8.30	"	"
(10) Lavang ..	10 g.	"	0.31	3.69	3.69	"	"
Total ..		100.00				355	346
(g) Vegetables and Fruits—							
Potatoes ..	1/2 kg.	20.68	0.25		1.78		312
Muli ..	Judi	2.05	0.06				433
Brinjals ..	1/2 kg.	8.63	0.26		0.26		373
Cauliflower ..	"	4.55	0.35		0.97		497
Cabbage ..	"	6.36	0.26		1.74		492
Bhendi ..	"	4.55	0.42		1.28		193
Tomato ripe ..	"	10.23	0.38		0.81		269
Tomato raw ..	"		0.25		1.09		422
Pumkin white ..	"	0.68	0.23		0.63		255
Pumkin red ..	"	2.27	0.20		0.51		288
Karela ..	"	1.59	0.42		1.21		471
Peas ..	"	0.68	0.48		2.26		417
Palak ..	Judi.	1.36	0.06		0.25		450
Mothi ..	"	3.18	0.06		0.27		388
Tondli ..	1/2 kg.	7.73	0.26		1.01		267
Alu leaves ..	Judi	5.00	0.06		0.16		319
*Banana ..	Doz.	14.77	0.48		1.53		230
*Orange ..	"	3.64	2.10		4.83		429
*Lemon ..	"	2.05	0.48		2.06		
Total ..		100.00				347	340
Index Number for Sup-Group I-(g).							

\* Sub group Index I A (f)

Articles	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity	
			Year ended Dec. 1960	Aug 1976
			Rs. P.	Aug 1976
(1) Milk—				
(i) Pure ..	50 g.	29.57	0.60	
(ii) Aarey ..	50 g.	12.52	0.39	
(2) Curd ..	Plate of pieces	15.01	0.11	
(3) Ghee ..	Kg.	7.11	1.90	
	Cup	34.55	0.07	
	Bottle	1.24	0.12	
	340 ml.			
Total ..		100.00		
Sub-group Index I-A(f)				
(1) Salt ..	kg.	5.40	0.13	0.40
(2) Turmeric ..	500 g.	5.40	0.72	2.90
(3) Chillies (dry) ..	"	28.42	1.35	4.39
(4) Chillies (green) ..	"	6.83	0.41	1.23
(5) Onion ..	"	19.42	0.15	0.29
(6) Garlic ..	"	4.67	0.60	1.27
(7) Coconut ..	Each (500 g.)	12.95	0.33	1.22
Other Spices—				
(8) Pepper ..	500 g.	16.91	3.69	11.00
(9) Jeera ..	"	"	1.80	7.91
(10) Lavang ..	10 g.	"	0.31	3.69
Total ..		100.00		
(g) Vegetables and Fruits—				
Potatoes ..	1/2 kg.	20.68	0.25	
Muli ..	Judi	2.05	0.06	
Brinjals ..	1/2 kg.	8.63	0.26	
Cauliflower ..	"	4.55	0.35	
Cabbage ..	"	6.36	0.26	
Bhendi ..	"	4.55	0.42	
Tomato ripe ..	"	10.23	0.38	
Tomato raw ..	"		0.25	
Pumkin white ..	"	0.68	0.23	
Pumkin red ..	"	2.27	0.20	
Karela ..	"	1.59	0.42	
Peas ..	"	0.68	0.48	
Palak ..	Judi.	1.36	0.06	
Mothi ..	"	3.18	0.06	
Tondli ..	1/2 kg.	7.73	0.26	
Alu leaves ..	Judi	5.00	0.06	
*Banana ..	Doz.	14.77	0.48	
*Orange ..	"	3.64	2.10	
*Lemon ..	"	2.05	0.48	
Total ..		100.00		
Index Number for Sup-Group I-(g).				

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Year ended	Price per unit of quantity			Index number	
	December 1960	August 1976	Sept. 1976	August 1976	Sept. 1976
4	5	6	7	8	
Rs. P.					
1.15	3.29	3.28	249		
1.03	2.19	2.19	318		
1.57	5.30	5.29	318		
7.50	23.84	25.69	259		
0.13	0.40	0.39	308		
0.72	2.90	2.94	403		
1.35	4.39	3.95	325		
0.41	1.23	1.14	308		
0.15	0.29	0.29	193		
0.60	1.27	1.29	212		
0.33	1.22	1.22	178		
3.69	11.00	11.31	60		
1.80	7.91	8.30	355		
0.31	3.69	3.69			
0.25		1.78			
0.06		0.26			
0.26		0.97			
0.35		1.28			
0.26		0.81			
0.42		1.09			
0.38		0.63			
0.25		0.97			
0.23		0.51			
0.20		1.21			
0.42		2.26			
0.48		0.25			
0.06		0.27			
0.06		1.01			
0.06		0.16			
0.26		1.53			
0.48		4.83			
2.10		2.06			
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CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBER (NEW SERIES) FOR WORKING CLASS  
 FOR BOMBAY CENTRE—contd.

Articles	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index number	
			Year ended Dec. 1960	August 1976	Sept. 1976	August 1976	Sept. 1976
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
			Rs. P.				
<b>(h) Other Food—</b>							
(1) Sugar (Crystal) ..	500 g. ..	29.57	0.60	1.51	1.66	252	277
(2) Tea Leaf ..	50 g. ..	12.52	0.39	0.91	0.90	233	231
(3) Snacks (Bhajjiya) ..	Plate of pieces.	15.01	0.11	0.43	0.43	391	391
(4) Snacks (Jalebi) ..	Kg. ..	7.11	1.90	8.21	8.38	432	441
(5) Tea Readymade ..	Cup ..	34.55	0.07	0.26	0.26	371	371
(6) Cold Drink ..	Bottle of 340 ml.	1.24	0.12	0.90	0.90	750	750
Total ..		100.00				331	338
<b>Sub-group Index I-A(h) ..</b>							
<b>I-A, Food Group—</b>							
(a) Cereals and cereals Products.	....	@ 27.26				282	299
(b) Pulses and Products.	....	@ 5.38				304	312
(c) Oils and Fats ..	....	@ 6.50				311	313
(d) Meat, Fish and Eggs	....	@ 11.94				349	362
(e) Milk and Milk Products.	....	@ 10.71				259	261
(f) Condiments and Spices.	....	@ 7.60				355	346
(g) Vegetables and Fruits	....	@ 9.26				347	340
(h) Other Food ..	....	@ 21.35				331	338
Total ..		100.00				313	320
<b>Index Number for I-A Food Group.</b>							
<b>I-B, Pan, Supari, Tobacco, etc.</b>							
(1) Pan (leaf) ..	100 leaves	18.55	0.52	2.39	2.35	460	452
(2) Pan (finished) ..	Each	9.89	0.04	0.15	0.15	375	375
(3) Supari ..	500 g.	19.44	3.42	6.04	6.06	177	177
(4) Katha ..	"	3.53	4.76	20.94	20.04	440	463
(5) Bidi ..	Katta of 25	28.80	0.16	0.45	0.45	281	281
(6) Cigarette ..	Pkt. of 10	6.54	0.14	0.69	0.69	493	493
(7) Chewing Tobacco ..	Kg.	13.25	4.16	9.62	9.64	231	232
Total ..		100.00				316	316
<b>Sub-Group I-B-Index ..</b>							
<b>II. Fuel and Lighting—</b>							
(1) Firewood ..	40 kg.	11.51	3.39	14.86	14.86	438	438
(2) Kerosene Oil ..	Litre	42.64	0.28	1.21	1.21	432	432
(3) Electricity charges ..	Unit	9.81	0.22	0.34	0.34	155	155
(4) Charcoal ..	40 kg.	28.30	7.36	27.92	28.04	379	381
(5) Match box ..	Each (50 sticks).	7.74	0.05	0.14	0.14	280	280
Total ..		100.00				379	379

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FOR BOMBAY CENTRE—contd.

Articles	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Year ended December 1960	August 1976	Sept. 1976	August 1976	Sept. 1976
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
III. Housing—			Rs. P.				
(1) Residential House ..		100.00	..			137	137
Total ..		100.00				137	137
Group III. Index ..							
IV. Clothing, Bedding and Footwear :—							
Dhoti Bleached ..	Pair ..	10.62	9.97	35.42	35.94	355	360
Dhoti Unbleached ..	..	..	8.89	..	..	..	..
Saree Ichalkaranji ..	Each ..	28.14	11.74	26.94	28.08	..	..
Saree Malegaon ..	..	..	10.72	25.41	26.04	233	241
Shirting Shorrock ..	Metre ..	24.87	1.68	5.19	5.28	..	..
Shirting Mafatal ..	..	..	1.65	5.27	5.35	314	319
Long Cloth ..	..	..	1.60	4.93	4.99	308	312
Trouser Cloth ..	..	..	2.76	5.44	5.64	302	313
Mulmul ..	..	8.54	2.23	9.04	8.90	..	..
Markin ..	..	..	1.09	4.36	4.30	403	397
Bush Shirt ..	Each ..	3.94	4.20	12.84	12.84	306	306
Full Pant ..	..	..	3.77	5.45	16.92	309	316
Vest ..	..	..	2.18	1.18	3.86	327	325
Shoes Gents ..	Pair ..	3.10	16.75	42.50	42.50	254	254
Chappal Ladies ..	..	6.03	6.57	15.52	15.52	236	236
Total ..		100.00				296	300
Index Number for Group IV ..							
V. Miscellaneous—							
(a) Medical Care—							
(1) Doctor's Fee ..	Per Visit ..	19.78	2.58	4.83	4.83	187	187
(2) Medicine ..	4 Doses ..	32.46	0.76	1.29	1.29	170	170
(3) E. S. I. Premium ..	....	47.76	0.69	0.70	0.70	101	101
Total ..		100.00				141	141
Sub-group Index-V (a) ..							
(b) Education Recreation and amusement—							
(1) School Fee ..	Per Student ..	22.54	6.75	6.83	6.83	101	101
(2) School Book ..	Each ..	7.64	2.47	2.50	2.50	101	101
(3) Stationery—	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
(i) Exercise Book ..	..	4.73	0.12	0.21	0.21	..	..
(ii) Pencil ..	..	..	0.12	0.31	0.31	217	217
(4) Newspaper ..	Per Copy ..	7.64	0.07	0.25	0.25	357	357
(5) Cinema ..	Adult ..	57.45	0.48	1.71	1.71	356	356
Total ..		100.00					
Sub-Group Index V (b) ..						273	273

Article	Unit of quantity
1	2
IV. Transport and Communications—	
(1) Railway fare for ..	Per Passenger ..
(2) Bus fare ..	Per Adult ..
(3) Postage ..	Per Card ..
Total ..	
Sub-group Index V(c) ..	
V. Personal Care and Effect—	
(1) Hair Oil ..	Bottle (114 ml.)
(2) Barber Charges ..	Per head ..
(3) Toilet Soap ..	Cake ..
(4) Tooth Powder ..	Small B. No. 3
(5) Blade ..	Pkt. of 5
(6) Umbrella ..	Each
Total ..	
Sub-group Index V(d) ..	
V. Other—	
(1) Durrie ..	Each
(2) Truck ..	..
(3) Utensils (Brass) ..	500 g
(4) Bucket ..	Each
(5) Laundry charges ..	Per Picc
(6) Washing Soap ..	Bar
(7) Tailoring charges of Shirt ..	Each
(8) Tailoring charges of Blouse ..	..
Total ..	
Sub-group V(e)	
Miscellaneous Group—	
(1) Medical Care ..	..
(2) Education, Recreation and Amusement ..	..
(3) Transport and Communication ..	..
(4) Personal Care and Effect ..	..
(5) Other ..	..
Total ..	
Miscellaneous Index V ..	
Group	

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Year ended December 1960	Price per unit of quantity		Index Number	
	August 1976	Sept. 1976	August 1976	Sept. 1976
4	5	6	7	8
1-97	35.42	35.94	355	360
1-89	26.94	28.08	213	210
1-74	25.41	26.04	314	319
1-72	5.19	5.28	308	312
1-68	5.27	5.35	302	313
1-65	4.93	4.99	403	397
1-60	5.44	5.64	306	306
1-80	9.04	8.90	309	315
1-23	4.36	4.30	327	323
1-09	12.84	12.84	254	254
1-20	16.85	16.92	236	236
1-45	3.86	3.83	187	187
1-18	42.50	42.50	170	170
1-75	15.52	15.52	101	101
1-57			141	141
58	4.83	4.83	101	101
76	1.29	1.29	217	217
59	0.70	0.70	357	356
			356	356
	6.83	6.83	273	273
	2.50	2.50		
	0.21	0.21		
	0.31	0.31		
	0.25	0.25		
	1.71	1.71		

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 FOR BOMBAY CENTRE—concl.

Article	Unit of quantity	Weight propor- tional to total ex- penditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Year ended December 1960	August 1976	Sept. 1976	August 1976	Sept. 1976
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Rs. P.							
<i>(c) Transport and Com- munications—</i>							
(1) Railway fare for 80 Km.	Per Passenger ..	51.13	1.61	3.45	3.45	214	214
(2) Bus fare ..	Per Adult ..	38.60	0.15	0.40	0.40	267	267
(3) Postage ..	Per Card ..	10.27	0.05	0.15	0.15	300	300
Total ..		100.00				243	243
<i>Sub-group Index V(c)</i> ..							
<i>(d) Personal Care and Effect—</i>							
(1) Hair Oil ..	Bottle .. (114 ml.) ..	26.92	1.36	5.11	5.02	376	369
(2) Barber Charges ..	Per head ..	44.23	0.94	2.23	2.24	237	238
(3) Toilet Soap ..	Cake ..	14.91	0.44	1.18	1.18	268	268
(4) Tooth Powder ..	Small Bot- tle No. 3. ..	7.21	0.50	1.00	1.00	200	200
(5) Blade ..	Pkt. of 5 ..	0.96	0.27	0.46	0.46	170	170
(6) Umbrella ..	Each ..	5.77	5.55	18.86	18.93	340	341
Total ..		100.00				282	280
<i>Sub-group Index V(d)</i> ..							
<i>(e) Others—</i>							
(1) Durrie ..	Each ..	2.66	4.93	17.39	17.20	353	349
(2) Trunk ..	..	2.66	5.82	20.00	20.00	344	344
(3) Utensils (Brass) ..	500 g ..	7.99	2.84	17.36	17.43	611	614
(4) Bucket ..	Each ..	2.16	2.96	10.84	11.02	366	372
(5) Laundry charges ..	Per Piece ..	25.29	0.15	0.41	0.41	273	273
(6) Washing Soap ..	Bar ..	35.28	1.28	3.61	3.63	282	284
(7) Tailoring charges of Shirt.	Each ..	23.96	1.19	3.92	3.92	316	318
(8) Tailoring charges of Blouse.	.. ..	..	0.89	2.69	2.73		
Total ..		100.00				320	321
<i>Sub-group V(e)</i>							
<i>V Miscellaneous Group—</i>							
(a) Medical Care ..	.....	28.17	..	..	..	141	141
(b) Education, Recrea- tion and Amusement.	.....	11.94	..	..	..	273	273
(c) Transport and Com- munication.	.....	14.81	..	..	..	243	243
(d) Personal Care and Effect.	.....	18.89	..	..	..	282	280
(e) Others ..	.....	26.09	..	..	..	320	321
Total ..		100.00				245	245
<i>Miscellaneous Group Index V.</i>							

## SHOLAPUR

## 314—A rise of 8 Points

In September 1976, the Consumer Price Index Number for Working Class (New Series) for the Sholapur Centre with Base January to December 1960 equal to 100 was 314 being 8 points higher than that in the preceding month. The index relates to the standard of life ascertained during the year 1958-59 family living survey in Sholapur City.

The index number for the food group increased by 13 points to 339 due to a rise in the average prices of rice, arhaldal, groundnut oil, vanaspati goatmeat, beef, fish fresh, ghee, sugar.

The index number for the pan supari tobacco etc. groups decreased by 1 point to 272 due to a fall in the average prices of supari only.

The index number for the fuel and light group increased by 5 points to 325 due to a rise in the average prices of firewood only.

The index number for the clothing bedding and footwear group increased by 1 point to 329 due to a rise in the average prices of dhoti only.

The index number for the miscellaneous group and housing remained steady at 240 and 182 respectively.

CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBERS (NEW SERIES) FOR WORKING CLASS  
FOR SHOLAPUR CITY

(Average prices for the calendar year 1960—100)

Groups	Weight proportional to the total expenditure	Group Index Numbers	
		Aug. 1976	Sept. 1976
I-A. Food	63.0	326	339
I-B. Pan, Supari, Tobacco, etc.	3.4	273	272
II. Fuel and Light	7.1	320	325
III. Housing;	5.2	182	182
IV. Clothing, Bedding and Footwear;	9.0	328	329
4. Miscellaneous	12.3	240	240
Total	100.0		
Consumer Price Index Number	....	306	314

\*Details regarding scope and method of compilation of the index may be seen on pages 607 to 612 of December 1965 issue of Labour Gazette. For Errata see page 897 of January 1966 issue.

Note.—For arriving at the equivalent of the old index number 1927-28=100, the new Index should be multiplied by the linking factor of 3.82.

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CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBER (NEW SERIES)  
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Articles	Unit of Quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Year Dec 1
1	2	3	1
Sub-group Index I-A(a)			
Food—			
(1) Cereals and Products—	kg.	26.98	
(2) Rice	"	13.5	
(3) Wheat	"	56.97	
(4) Mtn	"	2.52	
(5) Other Charges	3 kg.		
Total		100.00	
Sub-group Index I-A(b)			
Food and Products—			
(1) Arhar dal	kg.	76.17	
(2) Gram dal	"	18.22	
(3) Matar dal	"	5.61	
Total		100.00	
Sub-group Index I-A(c)			
Oil and Fats—			
(1) Groundnut oil	kg.	98.91	
(2) Vanaspati (loose)	500 g.	1.09	
Total		100.00	
Sub-group Index I-A(d)			
Meat, Fish and Eggs—			
(1) Goat meat	kg.	72.3	
(2) Beef	"	23.6	
(3) Fish (fresh) Rahu	"	1.5	
(4) Fish (dry) Zinga	"	2.4	
Total		100.00	
Sub-group Index I-A(e)			
Milk and Milk Pro-			
(1) Milk	kg.	85	
(2) Milk	"	10	
(3) Ghee	"		
Total		100.00	
Sub-group Index I-A(f)			
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CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBER (NEW SERIES) FOR WORKING CLASS  
FOR SHOLAPUR CENTRE—contd.

Articles	Unit of Quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Year ended December 1960	Aug. 1976	Sept. 1976	Aug. 1976	Sept. 1976
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
<b>I-A. Food—</b>							
<b>(a) Cereals and Products—</b>							
(1) Rice ..	kg.	26.98	0.55	1.73	2.62	315	476
(2) Wheat ..	"	13.5	0.41	1.38	1.38	337	337
(3) Jowar ..	"	56.97	0.46	1.69	1.53	367	333
(4) Grinding Charges ..	3 kg.	2.52	0.05	0.24	0.24	480	480
Total ..		100.00					
Sub-group Index I-A(a) ..						352	376
<b>(b) Pulses and Products—</b>							
(1) Arhar dal ..	kg.	76.17	0.75	2.20	2.45	293	327
(2) Gram dal ..	"	18.22	0.56	1.75	1.74	312	311
(3) Masur dal ..	"	5.61	0.73	2.20	2.16	301	296
Total ..		100.00					
Sub-group Index I-A(b) ..						297	322
<b>(c) Oils and Fats—</b>							
(1) Groundnut oil ..	kg.	98.91	1.94	6.45	6.75	332	348
(2) Vanaspati (lloose) ..	500 g.	1.09	1.86	5.36	5.65	288	304
Total ..		100.00					
Sub-group Index I-A(c) ..						332	347
<b>(d) Meat, Fish and Eggs—</b>							
(1) Goat meat ..	kg.	72.32	2.45	8.00	8.25	327	337
(2) Beef ..	"	23.69	0.66	4.00	4.40	606	667
(3) Fish (fresh) Rahu ..	"	1.50	1.46	5.06	8.12	347	556
(4) Fish (dry) Zinga ..	"	2.49	2.14	5.00	5.00	234	234
Total ..		100.00					
Sub-group Index I-A(d) ..						391	416
<b>(e) Milk and Milk Products—</b>							
(1) Milk ..	1 kg.	89.79	0.67	2.50	2.50	373	373
(2) Ghee ..	"	10.21	6.19	20.75	22.75	335	368
Total ..		100.00					
Sub-group Index I-A(e) ..						369	373

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Consumer Price Index Number for Working Class Centre with Base January to December 1960. The index number is 333 points higher than that in the preceding year. The standard of life ascertained during the year 1960-61 is higher than that of 1959-60 in Sholapur City.

Food group increased by 13 points to 333. The index number for rice, arhar dal, groundnut oil, vanaspati etc. groups decreased.

Supari and tobacco etc. groups decreased. The average prices of supari only.

Light and light group increased by 5 points. The average prices of firewood only.

Bedding and footwear group increased. The average prices of dhoti only.

Miscellaneous group and housing remained constant.

CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBER (NEW SERIES) FOR WORKING CLASS  
FOR SHOLAPUR CITY

with the calendar year 1960-100

Articles	Weight proportional to the total expenditure	Aug. 1976	Sept. 1976
...	63.0	326	337
...	3.4	273	273
...	7.1	182	182
...	5.2	328	328
...	9.0	240	240
...	12.3		
Total	100.0	306	311

If the index may be seen on pages 607 to 612 of the Labour Gazette of January 1966 issue. The index number 1927-28=100, the new index number 1960-100.

CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBER (NEW SERIES) FOR WORKING CLASS  
FOR SHOLAPUR CENTRE—contd.

Articles	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure.	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Year ended Dec. 1960	Aug. 1976	Sept. 1976	Aug. 1976	Sept. 1976
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
<i>(f) Condiments and spices—</i>							
(1) Salt ..	kg.	4.71	0.09	0.20	0.20	222	222
(2) Turmeric ..	"	3.40	1.11	4.00	4.62	360	416
(3) Chillies (green) ..	300 g.	4.98	0.23	0.30	0.30	130	130
(4) Chillies (dry) ..	"	59.43	0.65	2.06	1.58	317	243
(5) Tamarind ..	kg.	7.59	1.20	3.50	4.00	292	333
(6) Onions ..	"	10.73	0.23	0.25	0.29	109	126
(7) Garlic ..	300 g.	7.85	0.24	0.60	0.60	250	250
(8) Coconut ..	Each	1.31	0.27	1.05	1.00	389	370
Total ..		100.00					
<i>Sub-group Index I-A (f)</i>						276	239
<i>(g) Vegetables and fruits—</i>							
Potatoes ..	kg.	12.66	0.46		1.50		326
Brinjals ..	300 g.	15.61	0.11		0.40		364
Muli ..	"	0.85	0.09		0.20		222
Tomato ..	"	13.92	0.25		0.45		180
Ladies finger ..	"	0.85	0.21		0.45		214
Methi ..	200 g.	6.33	0.12		0.30		250
Dodka ..	300 g.	11.39	0.13		0.44		338
Ambadi ..	200 g.	26.58	0.09		0.15		167
Banana ..	Dozen	11.39	0.51		1.31		257
Lemon ..	"	0.42	0.28		0.86		307
Total ..		100.00					
<i>Index Number for sub-group I (g)</i>						289	256
<i>(h) Other food—</i>							
(1) Sugar (Crystal) ..	kg.	47.53	1.16	2.15	2.45	185	211
(2) Gur ..	"	7.97	0.64	2.60	2.52	406	394
(3) Tea (leaf) ..	Pkt. of 50 g.	21.56	0.39	0.80	0.80	205	205
(4) Tea (readymade) ..	Cup	20.74	0.07	0.16	0.16	229	229
(5) Snack saltish (Bhajia) ..	kg.	1.10	1.60	8.00	8.00	500	500
(6) Snack sweet (Jalebi) ..	"	1.10	2.17	6.00	6.00	276	276
Total ..		100.00					
<i>Sub-group Index I-A (h)</i>						221	232

CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBER (NEW SERIES)  
FOR SHOLAPUR CENTRE

Articles	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Year ended Dec.
1	2	3	4
<i>I. Food—</i>			
Cereals and Products		48.79	
Oils and Products		7.28	
Meat and Fish		4.99	
Milk and Eggs		6.79	
Other food products		7.37	
Condiments and Spices		8.25	
Vegetables and Fruits		4.29	
Other Food		12.24	
Total ..		100.00	
<i>Group Index I-A</i>			
<i>II. Fuel, Soap, Tobacco—</i>			
Fuel (leaf)	100 leaves	10.22	
Fuel (finished)	Each	6.07	
Soap	300 g.	19.49	
Kerosene	50 g.	3.84	
Cigarettes	Katta of 25	37.06	
Chewing tobacco	Pkt. of 10	5.43	
	50 g.	17.89	
Total ..		100.00	
<i>Group Index I-B</i>			
<i>III. Fuel and Light—</i>			
Firewood	40 kg.	62.01	
Coal	"	13.81	
Drug cake	100 cakes	7.06	
Match Box	Each (50 sticks)	4.00	
Kerosene Oil	500 ml.	13.00	
Total ..		100.00	
<i>Group Index II</i>			
<i>IV. Housing—</i>			
House rent	P.M.		
Total ..			
<i>Group Index III</i>			
			10
			10

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Year ended Dec. 1960	Price per unit of quantity		Index Number	
	Aug. 1976	Sept. 1976	Aug. 1976	Sept. 1976
4	5	6	7	8
Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
0-09	0-20	0-20	222	221
1-11	4-00	4-62	360	416
0-23	0-30	0-30	130	130
0-65	2-06	1-58	317	243
1-20	3-50	4-00	292	333
0-23	0-25	0-29	109	126
0-24	0-60	0-60	250	250
0-27	1-05	1-00	389	370
46	..	1-50	..	326
11	..	0-40	..	364
09	..	0-20	..	222
25	..	0-45	..	180
21	..	0-45	..	214
12	..	0-30	..	250
13	..	0-44	..	338
19	..	0-15	..	167
11	..	1-31	..	257
8	..	0-86	..	307
			276	239
			289	256
			185	211
2-15	2-45		406	394
2-60	2-52		205	205
0-80	0-80		229	229
0-16	0-16		500	500
8-00	8-00		276	276
6-00	6-00			
			221	232

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CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBER (NEW SERIES) FOR WORKING CLASS  
 FOR SHOLAPUR CENTRE—contd.

Articles	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Year ended Dec. 1960	Aug. 1976	Sept. 1976	Aug. 1976	Sept. 1976
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
<b>I. A. Food—</b>							
(a) Cereals and Products,		48-79				352	376
(b) Pulses and Products,		7-28				297	322
(c) Oils and Fats ..		4-99				332	347
(d) Meat, Fish and Eggs		6-79				391	416
(e) Milk and products ..		7-37				369	373
(f) Condiments and Spices,		8-25				276	239
(g) Vegetables and Fruits,		4-29				289	256
(h) Other Food ..		12-24				221	232
Total ..		100-00				326	339
<b>Group Index I-A</b>							
<b>I-B. Pan, Supari, Tobacco, etc.—</b>							
(1) Pan (leaf) ..	100 leaves	10-22	0-19	1-00	1-00	526	526
(2) Pan finished ..	Each	6-07	0-04	0-15	0-15	375	375
(3) Supari ..	300 g. ..	19-49	1-77	2-78	2-70	157	153
(4) Katta ..	50 g. ..	3-84	0-51	2-00	2-00	392	392
(5) Bidi ..	Katta of 25	37-06	0-19	0-39	0-39	205	205
(6) Cigarette ..	Pkt. of 10	5-43	0-15	0-70	0-70	467	467
(7) Chewing tobacco ..	50 g. ..	17-89	0-21	0-58	0-58	276	276
Total ..		100-00				273	272
<b>Group Index I-B</b>							
<b>II. Fuel and Light—</b>							
(1) Firewood ..	40 kg. ..	62-01	3-57	10-50	10-75	294	301
(2) Coal ..	"	13-81	6-99	26-00	26-00	372	372
(3) Dung cake ..	100 cakes ..	7-06	0-85	2-62	2-62	308	308
(4) Match Box ..	Each (50 sticks)	4-06	0-05	0-10	0-10	280	200
(5) Kerosene Oil ..	500 ml. ..	13-06	0-15	0-65	0-65	433	433
Total ..		100-00				320	325
<b>Group Index II</b>							
<b>III. Housing—</b>							
(1) House rent ..	P.M.	100-00				182	182
Total ..		100-00				182	182
<b>Group Index III</b>							

CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBER (NEW SERIES) FOR WORKING CLASS  
FOR SHOLAPUR CENTRE—contd.

Articles	Unity of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Year ended December 1960	Aug. 1976	Sept. 1976	Aug. 1976	Sept. 1976
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
<b>IV. Clothing, Bedding and Footwear—</b>							
Dhoti—							
(i) Laxmi Mills ..	Pair ..	8.53	10.69	32.19	34.08	304	313
(ii) Vishnu Mills ..	" ..	..	10.47	32.09	32.09		
Saree ..	Each ..	29.79	10.05	28.00	28.00	279	279
Shirt ..	" ..	2.92	3.41	8.79	8.79	258	258
Long cloth ..	M. ..	7.48	1.39	5.06	5.06	364	364
Shirting—							
(i) Ahmedabad Mills ..	" ..	25.70	1.61	5.44	5.44	339	339
(ii) Century Mills ..	" ..	..	1.49	5.07	5.07		
Markin ..	" ..	17.41	1.28	5.46	5.46	427	427
Trousers cloth ..	" ..	2.57	1.47	5.40	5.40	367	367
Chappal (lady's) ..	Pair ..	4.67	6.40	15.70	15.70	245	245
Shoes (Gent's) ..	" ..	0.93	15.98	41.35	41.35	259	259
Total ..		100.00					
<b>Group Index IV</b> ..						328	329
<b>V. Miscellaneous—</b>							
(a) Medical Care—							
(1) Doctor's fee ..	Per Visit. ..	29.23	4.33	5.67	5.67	131	131
(2) Medicine ..	Phial of 3 doses. ..	70.77	0.71	1.17	1.17	165	165
Total ..		100.00					
<b>Sub-group Index V(a)</b> ..						155	155
(b) Education, Recreation and Amusement—							
(1) School fee ..	Per student ..	33.15	6.00	5.75	5.75	96	96
(2) School Book ..	Each ..	22.65	2.50	2.50	2.50	100	100
(3) Stationery—							
(i) Exercise book ..	" ..	5.53	0.12	0.29	0.29	204	204
(ii) Pencil ..	" ..	..	0.12	0.20	0.20		
(4) Cinema ..	Per Adult ..	38.67	0.31	0.95	0.95	306	306
Total ..		100.00					
<b>Sub-group Index V(b)</b> ..						184	184

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Articles	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Year ended December 1960	Price per unit
1	2	3	4	Rs. P.
and				
..	Per Passenger.	67.41	5.22	
..	Per Adult	32.59	0.15	
Total ..		100.00		
..				
..	Bottle of	39.28	2.00	
..	Per adult	49.11	0.62	
..	Each	8.93	0.44	
..	Per dozen	2.68	0.75	
Total ..		100.00		
..				
..	500 g.	6.07	3.	
..	Per Piece	9.64	0.	
..	Bar of 12 Pieces.	44.64	1	
..	Each	36.43		
..	"			
Total ..		3.22		
..				
..		100.00		
..				
..			25.86	
..			15.92	
..			12.49	
..			21.02	
Total ..			24.71	
..				
..			100.00	



Per unit of quantity		Index Number	
Aug. 1976	Sept. 1976	Aug. 1976	Sept. 1976
5	6	7	8
Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
32.19	34.08	304	310
32.09	32.09		
28.00	28.00	279	278
8.79	8.79	258	258
5.06	5.06	364	364
5.44	5.44	339	339
5.07	5.07		
5.46	5.46	427	427
5.40	5.40	367	367
15.70	15.70	245	245
41.35	41.35	259	259
		328	328
		131	131
	5.67	165	165
	1.17		
		155	155
	5.75	96	96
		100	100
	2.50		
	0.29	204	204
	0.20		
		306	306
	0.95		
		184	184

CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBER (NEW SERIES) FOR WORKING CLASS  
 FOR SHOLAPUR CENTRE—concl.

Articles	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Year ended December 1960	Aug. 1976	Sept. 1976	Aug. 1976	Sept. 1976
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
<b>(c) Transport and Communication—</b>							
(1) Railway fare (from Sholapur to Poona).	Per Passenger.	67.41	5.22	9.70	9.70	186	186
(2) Bus fare	Per Adult	32.59	0.15	0.31	0.31	207	207
Total		100.00					
<b>Sub-group Index V(c)</b>						193	193
<b>(d) Personal care and Effects—</b>							
(1) Hair Oil	Bottle of 250 g.	39.28	2.00	8.12	8.12	406	406
(2) Barber charges	Per adult	49.11	0.62	1.65	1.65	266	266
(3) Toilet Soap	Each	8.93	0.44	1.20	1.20	273	273
(4) Ornaments (glass)	Per dozen	2.68	0.75	3.00	3.00	400	400
Total		100.00					
<b>Sub-group Index V(d)</b>						325	325
<b>(e) Others—</b>							
(1) Utensils (Copper)	500 g.	6.07	3.25	31.00	31.00	954	954
(2) Laundry Charges	Per Piece	9.64	0.11	0.31	0.39	355	355
(3) Washing Soap	Bar of 12 Pieces.	44.64	1.31	3.73	3.73	285	285
<b>(f) Tailoring Charges—</b>							
(i) Shirt	Each	36.43	0.80	2.12	2.12	240	240
(ii) Blouse	"	"	0.70	1.50	1.50		
(5) Durvic	"	3.22	3.80	13.20	13.20	347	347
Total		100.00					
<b>Sub-group Index V(e)</b>						318	318
<b>V. Miscellaneous Group—</b>							
(a) Medical care	"	25.86	"	"	"	155	155
(b) Education, Recreation and Amusement.	"	15.92	"	"	"	184	184
(c) Transport and Communication.	"	12.49	"	"	"	193	193
(d) Personal care and Effects.	"	21.02	"	"	"	325	325
(e) Others	"	24.71	"	"	"	318	318
Total		100.00					
<b>Group Index V</b>						240	240

## NAGPUR\*

## 305—A rise of 11 points

In September 1976, the Consumer Price Index Number for Working Class (New Series) for the Nagpur Centre with base January to December, 1960 equal to 100 was 305 being 11 points higher than that in the preceding month. The Index relates to the standard of life ascertained during the year 1958-59 family living survey in Nagpur City.

The Index Number for the food group increased by 18 points to 342 due to a rise in the average prices of rice, arhardal, gramdal, gingelli, oil, groundnut oil, linseed oil, ghee, turmeric, chillies dry, onions, corriander, ginger, zeera, gur and a rise in the sub-group index of vegetables and fruits.

The Index number for the I. B. Pan, Supari, Tobacco etc. group decreased by 2 points to 255 due to a fall in the average price of Pan leaf only.

The Index number for the Fuel and Light group remained unchanged at 272.

The Index Number for the housing remained steady at 181.

The Index Number for the clothing, bedding and footwear group increased by 7 points to 348 due to a rise in the average prices of clothing items viz. Dhoti, saree shirting, trousers cloth, long cloth and markin.

The Index number for the Miscellaneous group remained constant at 221.

CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBER (NEW SERIES) FOR WORKING CLASS FOR NAGPUR CITY

(Average prices for the calendar year 1960=100)

Groups	Weight proportional to the expenditure	Group Index Numbers	
		August 1976	Sept. 1976
I-A. Food	57.2		
I-B. Pan, Supari, Tobacco, etc.	3.8	324	342
II. Fuel and Light	5.7	255	253
III. Housing	6.6	272	272
IV. Clothing, Bedding and Footwear	10.9	181	181
V. Miscellaneous	15.8	341	348
		221	221
Total	100.0		
Consumer Price Index Number		294	305

\*Details regarding the scope and method of compilation of the index may be seen on pages 771 to 779 of January 1966 issue of Labour Gazette.

Note.—For arriving at the equivalent of the old Index Number (1939=100) the new Index Number should be multiplied by the linking factor viz. 5.22.

## CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBER (NEW SERIES) FOR NAGPUR CENTRE

Articles	Unit of Quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Pr
			Bas: Pric
1	2	3	Rs.
<b>Food—</b>			
(Cereals and Cereals)			
1 Rice	kg.	53.60	
2 Wheat (D.S.)	"	35.69	
3 Jowar	"	8.72	
4 (Including charges)	kg.	1.99	
Total		100.00	
<b>Group I-A (a) Index</b>			
<b>Meat and Poultry</b>			
1 Mutton	kg.	68.17	
2 Chicken	"	28.12	
3 Miscellaneous	"	3.71	
Total		100.00	
<b>Group I-A (b) Index</b>			
<b>Oil and Fat</b>			
1 Ghee	kg.	4.84	
2 Mustard Oil	500 g.	7.91	
3 Sesame Oil (loose)	kg.	9.67	
4 Linseed Oil	kg.	77.58	
Total		100.00	
<b>Group I-A (c) Index</b>			
<b>Meat, Fish and Eggs</b>			
1 Chicken	kg.	90.16	
2 Fish (fresh)	"	5.32	
3 Eggs	dozen	4.52	
Total		100.00	
<b>Group I-A (d) Index</b>			
<b>Milk</b>			
1 Milk	L.	71.96	
2 Butter	kg.	3.57	
3 Ghee	"	24.47	
Total		100.00	
<b>Group I-A (e) Index</b>			

CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBER (NEW SERIES) FOR WORKING CLASS FOR NAGPUR CENTRE—contd.

Articles	Unit of Quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Basic Price	August 1976	Sept. 1976	August 1976	Sept. 1976
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
			Rs. P.				
<b>I-A. Food—</b>							
<b>(a) Cereals and Cereal Products—</b>							
(1) Rice ..	kg.	53.60	0.64	2.18	2.35	341	367
(2) Wheat (O.S.) ..	"	35.69	0.41	1.38	1.38	337	337
(3) Jowar ..	"	8.72	0.41	1.40	1.40	341	341
(4) Grinding charges ..	3 kg.	1.99	0.08	0.27	0.27	338	338
Total ..		100.00					
<b>Sub-group I-A(a) Index..</b>						339	353
<b>(b) Pulses and Pulse Products—</b>							
(1) Arhardal ..	kg.	68.17	0.71	2.00	2.10	282	296
(2) Gramdal ..	"	28.12	0.52	1.60	1.62	308	312
(3) Moongdal ..	"	3.71	0.55	2.00	2.00	364	364
Total ..		100.00					
<b>Sub-group I-A(b) Index</b>						292	303
<b>(c) Oils and fats—</b>							
(1) Gingelli Oil ..	kg.	4.84	2.75	7.62	9.00	277	327
(2) Groundnut Oil ..	"	7.91	1.92	7.16	9.10	273	474
(3) Vanaspati (loose) ..	500 g.	9.67	1.79	4.50	4.50	251	251
(4) Linseed Oil ..	kg.	77.58	1.54	5.95	6.60	386	429
Total ..		100.00					
<b>Sub-group I-A (c) Index</b>						367	410
<b>(d) Meat, Fish and Eggs</b>							
(1) Goat-meat ..	kg.	90.16	2.68	10.00	10.00	373	373
(2) Fish (fresh)—							
(i) Rahu ..	"	5.32	3.22	7.00	7.00	264	264
(ii) Mangur ..	"	3.32	3.22	10.00	10.00	262	262
(3) Eggs ..	dozen	4.52	2.06	5.40	5.40	262	262
Total ..		100.00					
<b>Sub-group I-A (d) Index</b>						362	362
<b>(e) Milk and Milk Products—</b>							
(1) Milk ..	L	71.96	0.80	2.03	2.03	254	254
(2) Curd ..	kg.	3.57	2.14	5.00	5.00	234	234
(3) Ghee ..	"	24.47	8.85	24.50	24.83	277	281
Total ..		100.00					
<b>Sub-group Index I-A (e)</b>						259	250

Index Number for Working Class base January to December, 1976 than that in the preceding month ascertained during the year 1958-59.

Increased by 18 points to 342 due to gramdal, gingelli, oil, groundnuts, coriander, ginger, vegetables and fruits.

Tobacco etc. group decreased price of Pan leaf only.

Group remained unchanged at 277.

Index steady at 181.

and footwear group increased prices of clothing items and 1 and markin.

Group remained constant at 221.

CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBER (NEW SERIES) FOR WORKING CLASS

1960=100)

Group Index Numbers	Group Index Numbers	
	August 1976	Sept. 1976
	324	342
	255	253
	272	272
	181	181
	341	348
	221	221
	294	303

be seen on pages 771 to 779 of the new Index Number should

## CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBER (NEW SERIES) FOR WORKING CLASS FOR NAGPUR CENTRE—contd.

Articles	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Basic Price	August 1976	Sept. 1976	August 1976	Sept. 1976
1	2	3	5	6	7	8	9
(f) Condiments and Spices—			Rs. P.				
(1) Salt ..	Kg. ..	5.59	0.13	0.30	0.30	231	231
(2) Turmeric ..	" ..	7.69	1.63	6.84	7.50	420	460
(3) Chillies (dry) ..	" ..	49.65	2.88	7.56	7.72	262	268
(4) Onion ..	" ..	18.65	0.27	0.40	0.48	148	178
(5) Garlic ..	" ..	6.53	1.06	3.00	3.00	283	283
(6) Corriander ..	" ..	2.33	1.16	5.16	6.50	445	560
(7) Ginger ..	" ..	3.50	2.96	14.50	18.00	490	608
(8) Zeera ..	" ..	6.06	3.49	12.25	18.00	351	516
Total ..		100.00					
Sub-group I-A(f) Index ..						270	299
(g) Vegetables and fruits—							
Potatoes ..	Kg. ..	45.08	0.39		1.25		321
Brinials ..	" ..	26.94	0.41		1.60		390
Cauliflower ..	" ..	2.59	0.33		1.02		300
Lady finger ..	" ..	4.66	0.60		0.60		100
Tomato ..	" ..	12.96	0.45		1.80		407
*Palak ..	" ..	7.06	0.31		1.20		389
*Chaulisag ..	" ..	0.71	0.38		1.00		263
Methisag ..	" ..	..	0.33		N.A.		..
Total ..		100.00					
Index Number Sub-group I (g)						266	343
(h) Other Food—							
(1) Sugar ..	kg. ..	44.71	1.22	2.15	2.15	176	176
(2) Gur ..	" ..	2.40	0.72	2.90	3.00	403	417
(3) Tea (leaf) ..	Pkt. of 50g. ..	13.26	0.19	0.45	0.45	237	237
(4) Bhaji ..	kg. ..	8.46	2.14	8.00	8.00	374	374
(5) Jalebi ..	" ..	1.97	1.61	9.00	9.00	559	559
(6) Tea (ready made) ..	Cup ..	29.20	0.06	0.40	0.40	667	667
Total ..		100.00				357	358
Sub-group I-A(h) Index ..							
I-A Food—							
(a) Cereals and Cereal Products ..		49.53				339	353
(b) Pulses and Pulse Products ..		8.83				292	303
(c) Oils and Fats ..		6.05				367	410
(d) Meat, Fish and Eggs ..		5.00				362	362
(e) Milk and Milk Products ..		7.51				259	260
(f) Condiments and Spices ..		6.95				270	299
(g) Vegetables and Fruits ..		6.67				266	343
(h) Other Food ..		9.46				357	358
Total ..		100.00					
I-A Food Group Index ..						324	342

\* Methi : Since this vegetable was not available in any of the selected markets at Nagpur during the month of September 1976, hence its weight viz., 2.07 has been proportionately imputed to other leafy vegetables, such as Chaulisag and Palak and after such imputation the revised weights of Chaulisag and Palak are as follows : Chaulisag 0.71, Palak 7.06.

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Articles	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit	
			Basic Price	Aug 1976
1	2	3	4	5
			Rs. P.	
1. Tea (leaf)	100 leaves ..	14.85	0.29	
2. Tea (ready made)	Each ..	13.61	0.03	
3. Tea (ready made)	kg. ..	26.60	6.71	
4. Tea (ready made)	kg. ..	5.36	8.57	
5. Tea (ready made)	Katta of 25	21.44	0.16	
6. Tea (ready made)	Pkt. of 10 ..	8.04	0.15	
7. Tea (ready made)	kg. ..	10.10	5.00	
Total ..		100.00		
I-A Index				
I-A (h) Index				
1. Coal				
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100. Coal				
Total ..		100.00		

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Unit of quantity		Index Number	
August 1976	Sept. 1976	August 1976	Sept. 1976
6	7	8	9
0.30	0.30	231	231
6.84	7.50	420	420
7.56	7.72	262	262
0.40	0.48	148	148
3.00	3.00	283	283
5.16	6.50	445	445
14.50	18.00	490	490
12.25	18.00	351	351
		270	270
	1.25		321
	1.60		339
	1.02		300
	0.60		108
	1.80		453
	1.20		319
	1.00		263
	N.A.		
2.15	2.15	176	176
2.90	3.00	403	411
9.45	0.45	237	237
8.00	8.00	374	374
9.00	9.00	559	559
9.00	0.40	667	667
		357	357
		339	339
		292	292
		367	367
		362	362
		259	259
		270	270
		266	266
		357	357
		324	324

Markets at Nagpur during the month of October 1976. The prices of vegetables, such as cauliflower, brinjal, chaulisag and Palak are as follows:

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CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBER (NEW SERIES) FOR WORKING CLASS  
 FOR NAGPUR CENTRE—contd.

Articles	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Basic Price	August 1976	Sept. 1976	August 1976	Sept. 1976
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
			Rs. P.				
I-B. Pan, Supari, Tobacco, etc.—							
(1) Pan-leaf	100 leaves..	14.85	0.29	1.05	1.02	362	352
(2) Pan (ready-made)	Each	13.61	0.03	0.10	0.10	333	333
(3) Supari	kg.	26.60	6.71	10.50	10.50	156	156
(4) Katha	"	5.36	8.57	26.00	26.00	303	303
(5) Bidi	Katta of 25	21.44	0.16	0.35	0.35	219	219
(6) Cigarettes	Pkt. of 10	8.04	0.15	0.70	0.70	467	467
(7) Chewing and leaf tobacco.	kg.	10.10	5.00	6.50	6.50	130	130
Total ..		100.00					
I-B. Group Index ..						255	253
II. Fuel and Light—							
(1) Fire-wood	40 kg.	69.55	2.38	6.00	6.00	252	252
(2) Coke	"	5.90	2.88	9.60	9.60	333	333
(3) Kerosene Oil	Litre	14.13	0.34	1.29	1.30	379	382
(4) Electricity Charges	Unit	2.74	0.29	0.36	0.36	124	124
(5) Coal	40 kg.	2.61	6.38	19.00	19.00	298	298
(6) Match box	Each (50 sticks)	5.07	0.05	0.12	0.12	240	240
Total ..		100.00					
Group II Index for Fuel and Light.						272	272
III. Housing—							
Residential House		100.00				181	181
Total ..		100.00					
Group III Index for Housing.						181	181
IV.— Clothing, Bedding and Footwear—							
(1) Dhoti Emp. Mill	Pair	9.87	12.10	41.70	42.41	346	349
(2) Dhoti Model Mill	"	10.68	10.68	37.03	37.05	275	282
(3) Sarce	Each	36.48	8.09	22.26	22.80	408	418
(4) Shirting Emp. Mill	M.	18.35	1.21	4.71	4.84	433	434
(5) Shirting Model Mill	"	3.34	1.05	4.49	4.58	471	491
(6) Trouser cloth	"	3.06	1.43	6.19	6.21	444	457
(7) Long cloth	"	3.06	1.14	5.37	5.60	265	265
(8) Markin Emp. Mill	"	13.06	1.04	5.49	5.68	244	243
(9) Markin Model Mill	"	1.60	1.09	3.92	4.03	311	311
(10) Pajama	Each	1.25	4.25	11.25	11.25	295	295
(11) Ganji	"	1.25	1.23	3.00	3.00	256	256
(12) Shirt	"	1.60	3.75	11.67	11.67	317	317
(13) Bed Sheet	Pair	2.01	8.50	25.04	25.04	245	245
(14) Shoes gents	"	4.17	16.00	40.97	40.97	317	317
(15) Chappal gents	"	4.17	4.96	15.70	15.70	245	245
(16) Sandal landies	"	1.04	6.40	15.70	15.70		
Total ..		100.00				341	348
Index Number for Group IV							

CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBER (NEW SERIES) FOR WORKING CLASS  
FOR NAGPUR CENTRE—contd.

Articles	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Basic Price	August 1976	Sept. 1976	August 1976	Sept. 1976
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
			Rs. P.				
<b>4. Miscellaneous—</b>							
<b>(a) Medical care—</b>							
(1) Doctor's fee ..	Per visit ..	22.98	3.00	5.00	5.00	167	167
(2) Medicine ..	Phial of 3 doses.	45.06	0.75	1.00	1.00	133	133
(3) E. S. I. Premium ..	....	31.96	0.69	0.70	0.70	101	101
Total ..		100.00					
<b>Sub-group V(a) Index ..</b>						131	131
<b>(b) Personal care and effects—</b>							
(1) Hair oil ..	Bottle of 114 ml.	24.01	1.37	4.21	4.21	307	307
(2) Barber charges ..	Per Adult ..	38.30	0.50	1.44	1.44	288	288
(3) Toilet soap ..	Per Cake ..	15.80	0.46	1.21	1.21	263	263
(4) Tooth powder (Medium size).	Bottle ..	2.74	0.87	2.00	2.00	230	230
(5) Ornaments (glass)	Doses ..	4.25	0.75	1.50	1.60	200	213
(6) Watch ..	Each ..	12.16	65.00	95.00	95.00	146	146
(7) Face powder (Small).	Tin ..	2.74	1.00	4.20	4.34	420	434
Total ..		100.00					
<b>Sub-group V(b) Index ..</b>						270	271
<b>(e) Education, Recreation and Amusements—</b>							
(1) School fee ..	Per student	23.53	5.50	5.50	5.50	100	100
(2) School Book ..	Each ..	17.65	2.00	2.50	2.50	125	125
(3) Toy ..	" ..	1.02	0.24	0.75	0.80	312	333
(4) Stationery (Ex-book).	Mech. (40 pages).	1.79	0.12	0.20	0.20	167	167
(5) Cinema ..	Per Adult ..	56.01	0.42	1.09	1.09	260	260
Total ..		100.00					
<b>Sub-group V(c) Index ..</b>						197	197

Articles	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity	
			Basic price	August 1976
1	2	3	4	5
			Rs. P.	
(1) Doctor's fee ..	Per Patient	45.49	1.61	3.4
(2) Medicine ..	Per Adult	29.19	0.15	0.1
(3) E. S. I. Premium ..	Each ..	3.86	0.05	0.0
(4) Barber charges ..	Per Adult	21.46	0.37	0.0
Total ..		100.00		
<b>Sub-group V(a) Index ..</b>				
(1) Hair oil ..	Each ..	5.94	5.50	
(2) Barber charges ..	" ..	2.05	5.01	
(3) Toilet soap ..	" ..	2.05	0.30	
(4) Tooth powder ..	Kg.	4.79	8.50	
(5) Ornaments (glass) ..	" ..	11.42	7.71	
(6) Watch charges ..	Per piece ..	9.59	0.12	
(7) Face powder ..	Bar ..	33.11	1.30	
(8) Face powder ..	{ Shirt .. Each	31.05	0.88	
	{ Blouse ..	....	0.75	
Total ..		100.00		
<b>Sub-group V(b) Index ..</b>				
(1) School fee ..			28.00	
(2) School Book ..			18.30	
(3) Toy ..			19.55	
(4) Stationery ..			12.25	
(5) Cinema ..			21.90	
Total ..			100.00	
<b>Sub-group V(c) Index ..</b>				
<b>Group</b>				

of quantity		Index Number	
August 1976	Sept. 1976	August 1976	Sept. 1976
6	7	8	9
5.00	167	167	
1.00	133	133	
0.70	101	101	
		131	131
4.21	307	307	
1.44	288	288	
1.21	263	263	
2.00	230	230	
1.60	200	213	
95.00	146	146	
4.34	40	43	
		270	271
5.50	100	100	
2.50	125	125	
0.80	312	312	
0.20	167	167	
1.09	260	260	
		197	197

CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBER (NEW SERIES) FOR WORKING CLASS FOR NAGPUR CENTRE—concl'd.

Articles	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Basis price	August 1976	Sept. 1976	August 1976	Sept. 1976
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
			Rs. P.				
<i>(d) Transport and Communication—</i>							
(1) Railway fare of 30 km	Per Passenger	45.49	1.61	3.45	3.45	214	214
(2) Bus fare ..	Per Adult	29.19	0.15	0.30	0.30	200	200
(3) Post card ..	Each ..	3.86	0.05	0.15	0.15	300	300
(4) Rickshaw charges ..	Per Adult	21.46	0.37	0.80	0.80	216	216
Total ..		100.00					
<i>Sub-group V (d) Index</i>						214	214
<i>(e) Others—</i>							
(1) Cot ..	Each ..	5.94	5.50	18.00	18.00	327	327
(2) Trunk/Box ..	"	2.05	5.01	25.21	25.21	503	503
(3) Earthenware ..	"	2.05	0.30	2.44	2.44	813	813
(4) Utensil Aluminium	Kg.	4.79	8.50	25.00	25.00	294	294
(5) Utensil Brass ..	"	11.42	7.71	30.00	30.00	389	389
(6) Laundry charges ..	Per piece ..	9.59	0.12	0.30	0.30	250	250
(7) Washing Soap ..	Bar ..	33.11	1.30	3.87	3.87	298	298
(8) Tailoring Charges	{ Shirt .. Each	31.05	0.88	3.00	3.00	304	304
	{ Blouse ..	.....	0.75	2.00	2.00		
Total ..		100.00					
<i>Sub-group V(e) Index</i>						322	322
<i>Miscellaneous—</i>							
(a) Medical care ..		28.00				131	131
(b) Personal care and effects.		18.30				270	271
(c) Education, Recreation and amusements.		19.55				197	197
(d) Transport and Communication.		12.25				214	214
(e) Others		21.90				322	322
Total ..		100.00					
<i>Miscellaneous Group Index.</i>						221	221

## AURANGABAD\*

## 310—A rise of 5 points

In September 1976, the Consumer Price Index Number for Working Class for Aurangabad Centre with base year January to December 1961 equal to 100 was 310 being 5 points higher than that in the preceding month. The index relates to the standard of life ascertained during the year 1958-59 family living survey at Aurangabad Centre.

The Index number for the food group increased by 7 points to 338 due to a rise in the average prices of rice, turdal, moongdal, groundnut oil, karad oil, Vanaspati, turmeric and tamarind.

The Index number for the fuel and light group remained steady at 322.

The index number for housing remained steady at 217.

The index number for the clothing and footwear group increased by 2 points to 308 due to a rise in the average prices of cloth for trouser and long cloth.

The index number for the miscellaneous group remained steady at 237.

CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBERS FOR WORKING CLASS  
FOR AURANGABAD CENTRE

(Average prices for the calendar year 1961=100)

Groups	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Group Index Number	
		Aug. 1976	Sept. 1976
I. Food .. .. .	60.72	331	338
II. Fuel and Light .. ..	7.50	322	322
III. Housing .. .. .	8.87	217	217
IV. Clothing, and Footwear ..	9.29	306	308
V. Miscellaneous .. ..	13.62	237	237
<b>Total</b> ..	100.00		
<b>Consumer Price Index Number</b> ..	....	305	310

\*Details regarding scope and method of compilation of the index will be found on pages 1130 to 1134 of March 1966 issue of *Labour Gazette*.

*Note.*—To obtain the equivalent old index number on base August 1943 to July 1944=100, the new index number on base 1961=100 should be multiplied by the linking factor viz. 2.22.

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CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBERS FOR WORKING CLASS  
AURANGABAD CENTRE—contd.

Item	Unit or quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit	
			Basic Price	Aug. 1976
Rice	Kg.	5.40	Rs. 0.69	Rs. 1.00
Turdal	Kg.	10.12	0.42	
Moongdal	Kg.	30.33	0.38	
Groundnut oil	Ltr.	2.35	0.02	
<b>Total</b>		48.20		
Karad oil	Kg.	3.96	0.70	
Vanaspati	Kg.	2.05	0.60	
Turmeric	Kg.	1.11	0.71	
Tamarind	1/4 lb.	0.74	0.64	
<b>Total</b>		7.86		
Fuel and light				
Housing				
Clothing and footwear				
Miscellaneous				
<b>Total</b>				
<b>Consumer Price Index Number</b>				



CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBERS FOR WORKING CLASS FOR AURANGABAD CENTRE—contd.

Articles	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Basic Price	Aug. 1976	Sept. 1976	Aug. 1976	Sept. 1976
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
			Rs.P.	Rs.P.	Rs.P.		
<b>I. Food Group—</b>							
<i>(a) Cereals and Cereal Products—</i>							
(1) Rice ..	Kg. ..	5.40	0.69	1.87	2.54	271	368
(2) Wheat ..	" ..	10.12	0.42	1.36	1.36	324	324
(3) Jowar ..	" ..	30.33	0.38	1.40	1.39	368	366
(4) Grinding charges for cereals.	" ..	2.35	0.02	0.07	0.07	350	350
Total ..		48.20					
<i>Index Number sub-group I(a)</i>						347	356
<i>(b) Pulses and Pulse Products—</i>							
(1) Turdal, without husk.	Kg. ..	3.96	0.70	2.25	2.33	321	333
(2) Gramdal, Katori	" ..	2.05	0.60	1.62	1.61	270	268
(3) Moongdal, without husk.	" ..	1.11	0.71	2.58	2.54	363	358
(4) Masurdal Thick grain.	" ..	0.74	0.64	2.10	2.19	328	342
Total ..		7.86					
<i>Index Number sub-group I(b)</i>						315	320
<i>(c) Oils and Fats—</i>							
(1) Groundnut oil	½ Ltr.	2.00	1.07	3.27	3.90	306	364
(2) Karad Oil	" ..	3.49	1.11	3.56	4.10	321	369
(3) Vanaspati Dalda	½ Kg. (loose)	0.48	1.58	3.34	4.49	275	284
Total ..		5.97					
<i>Index Number sub-group I(c)</i>						312	361
<i>(d) Mutton, Fish and Eggs—</i>							
(1) Mutton, Goat meat	½ Kg.	4.70	1.26	4.50	4.50	357	357
(2) Fish (dry)—							
(a) Bombil ..	Kg. ..	0.24	2.90	8.00	8.00	279	279
(b) Zinga ..	" ..	.....	2.13	6.00	6.00		
(c) Nathmi ..	" ..	.....	1.93	.....	.....		
Total ..		4.94					
<i>Index Number sub-group I(d)</i>						353	353

Number for Working Class for to December 1961 equal to 100 the preceding month. The index for the year 1958-59 family living

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FOR WORKING CLASS CENTRE

1961=100)

Weight proportional to total expenditure	Group Index Number	
	Aug. 1976	Sept. 1976
72	331	338
50	322	322
37	217	217
39	306	308
52	237	237
0		310
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of the index will be found on

August 1943 to July 1944=100, multiplied by the linking factor

CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBERS FOR WORKING CLASS FOR  
AURANGABAD CENTRE—contd

Articles	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Basic price	Aug. 1976	Sept. 1976	Aug. 1976	Sept. 1976
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
(e) Milk and Milk Products— Milk— (Buffalo Milk) ..	200 ml. ..	6.65	0.16	0.43	0.43	269	269
Total ..		6.65					
Index Number sub-group I(e).						269	269
(f) Condiments and Spices—							
(1) Salt— White ..	Kg. ..	0.35	0.11	0.20	0.20	182	182
(2) Turmeric— Whole ..	250 gms. ..	0.31	0.34	0.94	0.08	276	318
(3) Chillies (dry)— Superior quality ..	½ kg. ..	4.62	0.90	4.06	4.06	451	451
(4) Tamarind ..	" ..	0.45	0.49	2.00	2.50	408	510
(5) Mixed spices— Bojwar ..	250 gms. ..	1.80	0.42	1.73	1.71	412	407
(6) Jira— Thick Blackish (gray) ..	" ..	0.30	0.69	3.12	3.02	452	438
Total ..		7.83					
Index Number sub-group I(f).						421	427
(g) Vegetables and Veget- able Products—							
(1) Potatoes— Medium ..	½ kg. ..	1.35	0.30	0.64	0.65	213	217
(2) Onions— Red ..	Kg. ..	1.06	0.25	0.25	0.27	100	108
(3) Brinjals— Medium ..	½ kg. ..	0.48	0.24	0.84	0.80	350	333
(4) Tomatoes— (1) Red ..	" ..	0.64	0.28	0.92	0.51	303	197
2) Green ..	" ..	....	0.18	0.50	0.38		
(5) Garlic— Medium ..	50 gms. ..	0.68	0.06	0.10	0.10	167	167
Other Vegetables— Varieties available in the month of Aug. 1976—							
(i) Bhendi ..	½ kg. ..	1.80	0.27	0.50			
(ii) Gawar ..	" ..	....	0.16	0.54		261	
Varieties available in the month of Sept. 1976—							
(1) Dodka ..	½ kg. ..	....	0.18	....	0.43		
(2) Gawar ..	" ..	....	0.14	....	0.37		252
Total ..		6.01					
Index Number sub-group I(g).						223	209

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AURANGABAD CENTRE—contd

Articles	Unit of Quantity	Weight Proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit	
			Basic Price	At 1976
1	2	3	4	5
			Rs. P.	Rs.
(e) Milk and Milk Products— Milk— (Buffalo Milk) ..	200 ml. ..	1.14	0.32	
Total ..		1.14		
Index Number sub-group I(e).				
(f) Condiments and Spices—				
(1) Salt— White ..	Kg. ..	3.45	1.17	
(2) Turmeric— Whole ..	" ..	1.81	0.46	
Total ..		5.26		
Index Number sub-group I(f).				
(g) Vegetables and Veget- able Products—				
(1) Potatoes— Medium ..	½ kg. ..	1.86	0.41	
(2) Onions— Red ..	Cap of 3½ Ozs.	4.28	0.08	
Total ..		6.14		
Index Number sub-group I(g).				
(h) Cereals and Cereals Products—				
(1) Rice ..		48.20		
(2) Pulse ..		7.86		
(3) Oil ..		5.97		
(4) Milk ..		4.94		
(5) Eggs ..		6.65		
(6) Vegetables and Fruit ..		7.83		
(7) Beverages ..		6.01		
(8) Miscellaneous ..		1.14		
Total ..		5.26		
Index Number sub-group I(h).				
Total ..		6.14		
Index Number sub-group I.				
Total ..		100.00		

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Price per unit of quantity		Index Number	
Aug. 1976	Sept. 1976	Aug. 1976	Sept. 1976
5	6	7	8
Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
0.43	0.43	269	269
0.20	0.20	182	182
0.94	0.08	276	311
4.06	4.06	451	451
2.00	2.50	408	510
1.73	1.71	412	407
3.12	3.02	452	438
		421	417
0.64	0.65	213	217
0.25	0.27	100	100
0.84	0.80	350	333
0.92	0.51	303	197
0.50	0.38	167	167
0.10	0.10		
0.50		261	
0.54			
0.43	0.37		
		223	209

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CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBERB FOR WORKING CLASS FOR  
AURANGABAD CENTRE—contd.

Articles	Unit of Quantity	Weight Proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Basic Price	Aug. 1976	Sept. 1976	Aug. 1976	Sept. 1976
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
(h) Fruits and fruit products— Banana— Medium ..	Doz. ..	1.14	0.32	1.31	1.29	409	403
Total ..		1.14				409	403
Index Number sub-group 1 (h)							
(i) Sugar, Honey and Related Product— (1) Sugar— Medium ..	Kg. ..	3.45	1.17	2.15	2.15	184	184
(2) Gur— Superior ..	" ..	1.81	0.46	2.76	2.69	600	585
Total ..		5.26				327	322
Index Number sub-group 1 (i)							
(f) Beverages— Tea leaf— Brooke Bond ..	50 gms. ..	1.86	0.41	0.80	0.80	195	195
(2) Prepared Tea— Chalu Chaha ..	Cup of 3 1/2 Ozs. ..	4.28	0.08	0.25	0.25	312	312
Total ..		6.14				277	277
Index Number sub-group 1 (f)							
Food Group— (a) Cereals and cereal products ..	.....	48.20				347	356
(b) Pulses and pulse products ..	.....	7.86				315	320
(c) Oils and fats ..	.....	5.97				312	361
(d) Mutton, fish and eggs ..	.....	4.94				353	353
(e) Milk and Milk products ..	.....	6.65				269	269
(f) Condiments and spices ..	.....	7.83				421	427
(g) Vegetables and vegetable products ..	.....	6.01				223	209
(h) Fruits and fruit products ..	.....	1.14				409	403
(i) Sugar, honey and related products ..	.....	5.26				327	322
(j) Beverages ..	.....	6.14				277	277
Total ..		100.00				331	338
Index Number-Food Group I.							

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Articles	Unit of Quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Basic Price	Aug. 1976	Sept. 1976	Aug. 1976	Sept. 1976
1	2	3	4				
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
<b>II. Fuel and Light—</b>							
(1) Firewood and chips	37 kgs.	81.82	2.87	7.40	7.40	293	293
(i) Mixture	..	..	2.80	9.21	9.21		
(ii) Babhool	..	..	2.80	9.21	9.21		
(2) Kerosene Ordinary	1 Litre	12.44	0.22	1.25	1.25	568	568
(3) Match Box Wimco Horse head Brand,	Box of 50 Sticks.	5.74	0.06	0.12	0.12	200	200
Total ..		100.00					
<b>Index Number Group II ..</b>						322	322
<b>III. Housing—</b>							
Rent—							
House rent for selected tenements	P. M.	100.00				217	217
Total ..		100.00					
<b>Index Number Group III</b>						217	217
<b>IV. Clothing and Footwear.</b>							
(1) Dhoti 8.2 mts. length and 119 to 121 cms. width.	Per sq. metre.	6.04	1.07	3.44	3.44	322	321
(2) Saree 7.3 to 8.2 mts. length and 102 to 152 cms. width.	..	31.57	1.28	3.54	3.52	277	275
(3) Cloth for trousers 89 to 97 cms. width.	..	2.51	2.36	7.86	8.14	333	345
(4) Long cloth 89 to 97 cms. width.	..	36.63	1.64	5.26	5.40	321	329
(5) Coloured fabric 67 to 69 cms. width.	..	18.17	1.86	6.08	6.08	327	327
Total ..		94.92					
<b>Index Number sub-group IV (a).</b>						308	311
<b>(b) Footwear—</b>							
Shoes—							
(i) Bata Co.	Per pair	5.08	15.08	40.20	40.20	266	266
(ii) Flex Co.	..	..	19.22	51.20	51.20		
Total ..		5.08					
<b>Index number sub-group IV (b).</b>						266	266

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Articles	Unit of Quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	P
1	2	3	B
<b>I. Clothing and Footwear—contd.</b>			
(i) Clothing	..	94.92	
(ii) Footwear	..	5.08	
Total ..		100.00	
<b>Index Number Group IV</b>			
<b>V. Miscellaneous—</b>			
(1) Pao leaf—	Bundle of 100 leaves.	3.84	
(2) Pao Finished—	Wida ..	2.19	
(3) Sarpai—	50 gms. ..	4.36	
(4) Katha—	..	1.78	
(5) Karpur	..		
Total ..		12.17	
<b>Index Number Sub-group (V).</b>			
<b>VI. Tobacco and Tobacco Products—</b>			
(1) Bidi—	Bundle of 25 biddies.	15.38	
(2) Totapuri	Packet of 25 gms.	3.18	
(3) Jarda—			
(4) Hazirazi			
Total ..		18.5	
<b>Index Number Sub-group (VI).</b>			
<b>VII. Household Utilities—</b>			
(1) Brass—	Kg.	2	
(2) Lota (Poona Market)	..	2	
Total ..		2	
<b>Index Number Sub-group (VII).</b>			

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Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
Basic Price	Aug. 1976	Sept. 1976	Aug. 1976	Sept. 1976
4				
Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
2.87	7.40	7.40	293	293
2.80	9.21	9.21	568	568
0.22	1.25	1.25	200	200
0.06	0.12	0.12		
			322	322
			217	217
			217	217
1.07	3.44	3.44	322	321
1.28	3.54	3.52	277	275
2.36	7.86	8.14	333	345
1.64	5.26	5.40	321	329
1.86	6.08	6.08	327	327
			308	311
15.08	40.20	40.20	266	266
19.22	51.20	51.20		
			266	266

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CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBERS FOR WORKING CLASS FOR  
 AURANGABAD CENTRE—contd.

Articles	Unit of Quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Basic Price	Aug. 1976	Sept. 1976	Aug. 1976	Sept. 1976
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
			Rs.P.	Rs.P.	Rs..P.		
<b>IV. Clothing and Footwear—contd.</b>							
(a) Clothing ..	....	94.92	..			308	311
(b) Footwear ..	....	5.08	..			266	266
Total ..		100.00					
<i>Index Number Group IV</i>						306	308
<b>V. Miscellaneous—</b>							
<i>(a) Pan-supari—</i>							
(1) Pan leaf— Madras I ..	Bundle of 100 leaves.	3.84	0.50	1.08	1.10	216	220
(2) Pan Finished— With Masala ..	Wida ..	2.19	0.04	0.15	0.15	375	375
(3) Supari— Manglori ..	50 gms. ..	4.36	0.41	0.64	0.64	156	156
(4) Katha— Kanpur ..	.. ..	1.78	0.72	2.00	2.00	278	278
Total ..		12.17					
<i>Index Number Sub-group V(a).</i>						232	233
<i>(b) Tobacco and Tobacco Products—</i>							
(1) Bidi— Totapuri ..	Bundle of 25 bidders.	15.38	0.15	0.40	0.40	267	267
(2) Jarda— Hazivazir ..	Packet of 25 gms.	3.18	0.19	0.29	0.29	153	153
Total ..		18.56					
<i>Index Number Sub-group V(b).</i>						247	247
<i>(c) Household Utillites—</i>							
Utensils Brass— Lota (Poona Market	Kg. ..	2.55	7.18	30.00	30.00	418	418
Total ..		2.55					
<i>Index Number Sub-group V(c).</i>						418	418

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AURANGABAD CENTRE—contd.

Articles	Unit of Quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Basic Price	Aug. 1976	Sept. 1976	Aug. 1976	Sept. 1976
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
(d) Washing Soap—			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
(1) Laundry—							
Ordinary washing and ironing of cotton shirt.	Per piece ..	4.86	0.11	0.25	0.25	227	227
(2) Washing Soap—							
Sunlight	Cake ..	9.27	0.42	1.09	1.08	260	257
Total ..		14.13				248	247
Index Number Sub-group V(d).							
(e) Medical care—							
(1) Patent Medicine Anacin	Two tablets.	4.67	0.12	0.15	0.15	125	125
(2) Mixture (Daily)	Per day ..	7.61	0.68	1.17	1.17	172	172
Total ..		12.28				154	154
Index Number Sub-group V(e).							
(f) Personal Care—							
(1) Hair Oil, Tata Co.	Small bottle	5.82	1.30	4.42	4.42	340	340
(2) Barber charges—							
(i) Hair cut with shave.	Adult ..	8.70	0.50	1.40	1.40	254	254
(ii) Haircut	..	..	0.37	1.00	1.00		
(iii) Shave	..	..	0.19	0.40	0.40		
(3) Toilet Soap—							
(i) Life Buoy	Cake ..	2.74	0.48	1.22	1.21	257	256
(ii) Hamam	..	..	0.48	1.25	1.25		
(4) Flade Six morning	2 pkts. of 5 blades each	0.33	0.57	0.90	0.90	158	158
Total ..		17.59				281	281
Index Number Sub-group V(f).							
(g) Education and Reading—							
(1) School fees for Std. X.	Per Student	1.90	3.01	5.55	5.55	184	184
(2) School Books, Prathamik Ganit, (Govt. Publication)	Per month Copy	1.33	0.62	1.05	1.05	169	169
Total ..		3.23				178	178
Index Number Sub-group V(g).							

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AURANGABAD CENTRE—

Articles	Unit of Quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity	
			Basic Price	Rs.P.
1	2	3	4	5
Increased Amuse- ment Ticket	Full ticket.	6.90	0.44	
Total ..		6.90		
Index Sub-group V				
Approved Com- muni- cation	Full ticket	6.19		
1/2- to 5/12	"	5.30		
1/2- 11/12 for 10 miles	"	1.10		
3/4- per card	Per card ..	1.10		
1/2- Merry Order	For Rs.30..	..		
Total ..		12.59		
Index Sub-group V				
Vegetables Group—				
1/2- per 100 gms				12.17
1/2- Tobacco and Tobacco Products				18.56
1/2- Household utilities				2.55
1/2- Washing Soap				14.13
1/2- Medical care				12.28
1/2- Personal care				17.59
1/2- Recreation and Amu- sement				3.7
1/2- Transport and Com- munication				6.
Total ..				12
Index Number for Miscel- laneous Group V				
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AURANGABAD CENTRE—contd.

Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
Basic Price	Aug. 1976	Sept. 1976	Aug. 1976	Sept. 1976
4	5	6	7	8
Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
0.11	0.25	0.25	227	227
0.42	1.09	1.08	260	257
			248	247
0.12	0.15	0.15	125	125
0.68	1.17	1.17	172	172
			154	154
1.30	4.42	4.42	340	340
0.50	1.40	1.40	254	254
0.37	1.00	1.00		
0.19	0.40	0.40	257	256
0.48	1.22	1.21	158	158
0.48	1.25	1.25		
0.57	0.90	0.90	281	281
3.01	5.55	5.55	184	184
0.62	1.05	1.05	169	169
			178	178

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AURANGABAD CENTRE—concl.

Articles	Unit of Quantity	Weight proportional of total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Basic Price	Aug. 1976	Sept. 1976	Aug. 1976	Sept. 1976
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
			Rs.P.	Rs.P.	Rs.P.		
(h) Recreation and Amusement— Cinema Lowest class ..	Full ticket.	6.90	0.44	1.05	1.05	239	239
Total ..		6.90					
Index Number Sub-group V(h).						239	239
(i) Transport and Communication—							
(1) Rail— Fare for 50 km. ..	Full ticket	6.19	1.04	2.25	2.25	216	216
(2) Bus— S.T. fare for 30 miles ..	..	5.30	1.50	2.90	2.90	193	193
(3) Postage—							
(1) Post card ..	Per card ..	1.10	0.05	0.15	0.15	261	261
(2) Money Order	For Rs.30..	..	0.45	1.00	1.00		
Total ..		12.59					
Index Number Sub-group V(i).						211	211
V. Miscellaneous Group—							
(a) Pansupari ..	....	12.17				232	233
(b) Tobacco and Tobacco Products.	....	18.56				247	247
(c) Household utilities	....	2.55				418	418
(d) Washing Soap	....	14.13				248	247
(e) Medical care ..	....	12.28				154	154
(f) Personal care ..	....	17.59				281	281
(g) Education and Reading.	....	3.23				178	178
(h) Recreation and Amusement.	....	6.90				239	239
(i) Transport and Communication.	....	12.59				211	211
Total ..		100.00					
Index Number for Miscellaneous Group V.						237	237

## NANDED\*

## 319—A rise of 3 Points

In September 1976, the Consumer Price Index Number for Working Class (New Series) for the Nanded Centre with base January to December, 1961 equal to 100 was 319 being 3 points higher than that in the preceding month. The Index relates to the standard of life ascertained during the year 1958-59 family living survey in Nanded City.

The Index number for the Food Group increased by 6 points to 356, due to rise in the average prices of Jowar, Groundnut oil, Chillies (Dry), Tamarind and Banana (Small).

The Index Number for Fuel and Light Group decreased by 2 points to 300 due to fall in the average prices of match box.

The Index Number for the Housing remained steady at 166.

The Index Number for the Clothing and Footwear groups decreased by 5 points to 297 due to fall in the average prices of long cloth.

The Index Number for the Miscellaneous group remained constant to 248.

## CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBER FOR WORKING CLASS FOR NANDED CENTRE—contd.

(Average prices for the calendar year 1961 = 100)

Groups	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Group Index Number	
		Aug. 1976	Sept. 1976
I. Food .. .. .	61.46	350	356
II. Fuel and Light .. .. .	5.88	302	300
III. Housing .. .. .	4.62	166	166
IV. Clothing and Footwear .. .. .	12.22	302	297
V. Miscellaneous .. .. .	15.82	248	248
Total .. .. .	100.00		
Consumer Price Index Number .. .. .	....	316	319

\*Details regarding the scope and method of compilation of the index will be found on pages 1107 to 1112 of the March 1966 issue of *Labour Gazette*.

Note.—To obtain the equivalent old index number on base August 1943 to July 1944=10) the new index number on base 1961=100 should be multiplied by the linking factor viz. 2.45.

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Item	Unit of Quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity	
			Basic price	Aug. 1976
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.
Jowar	Kg.	13.02	0.64	2.03
Groundnut oil	"	6.81	0.42	1.36
Chillies (Dry)	"	30.64	0.34	1.38
Tamarind	5 Kg.	2.82	0.13	0.30
Total		53.29		
Food sub-group				
Fuel and Light				
Housing				
Clothing (Medium)	Kg.	3.89	0.64	2.03
Footwear	"	1.84	0.57	1.36
Miscellaneous	"			
Total without fuel and light		1.55	0.66	1.38
Fuel	"	0.54	0.77	1.36
Light	"	0.82	0.61	1.38
Total		....	0.61	1.36
Total			8.64	1.36
Food sub-group				
Fuel and Light				
Housing				
Clothing (Medium)	Kg.		4.84	2.22
Footwear	"			
Miscellaneous	"			
Total			4.84	2.22
Consumer Price Index Number (1961=100)				
Sub-Group			4.84	



CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBER FOR WORKING CLASS FOR  
NANDED CENTRE—contd.

Articles	Unit of Quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Basic price	Aug. 1976	Sept. 1976	Aug. 1976	Sept. 1976
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
I. Food Group—			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
(a) Cereals and Cereal Products—							
(1) Rice ..	Kg. ..	13.02	0.64	2.03	2.02	317	316
(2) Wheat ..	" ..	6.81	0.42	1.36	1.36	324	324
(3) Jowar ..	" ..	30.64	0.34	1.38	1.39	406	409
(4) Grinding charges ..	5 Kgs. ..	2.82	0.13	0.30	0.30	231	231
Total ..		53.29					
Index Number Sub-group I (a).						364	366
(b) Pulses and Pulses Products—							
(1) Turdal— (i) Gawran (Medium)	Kg. ..	3.89	0.64	2.20	2.21	344	345
(2) Gramdal Punjab (medium).	" ..	1.84	0.57	1.60	1.60	281	281
(3) Moongdal— Without husk	" ..	1.55	0.66	2.36	2.25	358	341
(4) Uriddal without husk	" ..	0.54	0.77	3.53	3.52	458	457
(5) Masurdal— (a) Big	" ..	0.82	0.61	2.02	2.02	331	331
(b) Medium	" ..	....	0.61	....	....		
Total ..		8.64					
Index Number Sub-group I (b).						339	336
(c) Oil and Fats—							
(1) Groundnut Oil Mestha tel (Raddish in Colour).	Kg. ..	4.84	2.22	7.67	8.62	346	388
Total ..		4.84					
Index Number Sub-group (c).						346	388

Index Number for Working Class with base January to December, 1961 higher than that in the preceding month. As ascertained during the year 1958-59

increased by 6 points to 356, due to groundnut oil, Chillies (Dry), Tamarind

Group decreased by 2 points to 300 box.

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Weight proportional to total expenditure	Group Index Number	
	Aug. 1976	Sept. 1976
61.46	350	356
5.88	302	300
4.62	166	166
12.22	302	297
15.82	248	248
100.00		
....	316	319

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multiplied by the linking factor viz. 2.45.

CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBER FOR WORKING CLASS FOR  
NANDED CENTRE—contd.

Articles	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Basic price	Aug. 1976	Sept. 1976	Aug. 1976	Sept. 1976
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
<b>(d) Mutton, Fish and Eggs—</b>							
<b>(1) Mutton—</b>							
(i) Goat Mea:	½ Kg.	5.62	1.08	4.50	4.50	355	365
(ii) Beef	Kg.	....	0.96	3.00	3.00		
<b>(2) Fish (dry)—</b>							
(i) Bombil	Kg.	0.61	2.46	7.00	7.00	339	300
(ii) Zinga	"	....	2.02	6.00	6.00		
<b>(3) Fish (fresh)—</b>							
Varieties available in Aug 1976—							
(i) Rahu	Kg.	....	1.73	6.00	7.00	339	300
(ii) Katerna	"	....	1.64	7.00			
Varieties available in Sept 1976—							
(i) Rahu	Kg.	..	2.06	..	6.00	339	300
(ii) Katerna	"	....	2.00	..	7.00		
Total		6.23					
<b>Index Number Sub-group I(d).</b>						262	359
<b>(e) Milk and Milk Products—</b>							
(1) Milk (Buffalo)	200 ml.	4.54	0.13	0.40	0.40	308	308
(2) Ghee (Buffalo)	½ Kg.	0.29	3.01	10.33	10.33	343	343
Total		4.83					
<b>Index Number Sub-group-I(e).</b>						310	310
<b>(f) Condiments and Spices—</b>							
(1) Salt white	Kg.	0.28	0.12	0.24	0.24	200	200
(2) Turmeric Khandaki	50 gms.	0.24	0.06	0.23	0.22	383	367
<b>(3) Chillies (dry)—</b>							
(i) Garwarani (fine)	Kg.	4.22	1.30	7.05	8.22	535	625
(ii) Garwarani (med.)	"	....	1.18	6.23	7.30		
(4) Tamarind, Kadiwali	200 gms.	0.77	0.25	0.94	0.97	376	388
(5) Mixed spices, Bojwar	50 gms.	1.61	0.20	0.60	0.60	300	300
Total		7.12					
<b>Index Number Sub-group I(f).</b>						446	501

Articles	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of	
			Basic Price	Aug. 1976
1	2	3	4	5
<b>(g) Eggs—</b>				
(i) Egg	1/2 kg.	0.69	0.30	..
(ii) Egg	"	....	0.26	..
(iii) Egg	"	0.97	0.31	..
(iv) Egg	"	....	0.31	..
<b>(h) Vegetables—</b>				
(i) Brinjal	250 gms.	0.50	0.11	..
(ii) Brinjal	250 gms.	0.39	0.21	..
(iii) Brinjal	"	....	0.13	..
(iv) Brinjal	50 gms.	0.54	0.05	..
<b>(i) Fruits—</b>				
(i) Mango	250 gms.	1.20	0.06	..
(ii) Mango	"	....	0.14	..
(iii) Mango	250 gms.	....	0.10	..
Total		....	0.10	..
<b>Total</b>			4.29	..
<b>(j) Other articles—</b>				
<b>(k) Honey and other products—</b>				
(i) Honey	Dozen	..	0.87	..
Total		..	....	..
<b>(l) Cereals—</b>				
(i) Cereals 1st quality	Kg.	..	3.57	..
(ii) Cereals 2nd quality	200 gms.	..	0.70	..
Total		..	....	..
<b>Total</b>			4.27	..

Weight proportional to expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
	Basic price	Aug. 1976	Sept. 1976	Aug. 1976	Sept. 1976
	4	5	6	7	8
	Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
52	1.08	4.50	4.50	3.5	3.0
	0.96	3.00	3.00		
1	2.46	7.00	7.00	3.5	3.0
	2.02	6.00	6.00		
	1.73	6.00		3.5	3.0
	1.64	7.00			
	2.06		6.00	2.62	2.59
	2.00		7.00		
	0.13	0.40	0.40	308	308
	3.01	10.33	10.33	343	343
				310	310
	0.12	0.24	0.24	200	200
	0.06	0.23	0.22	383	367
	1.30	7.05	8.22	535	625
	1.18	6.23	7.30	376	353
	0.25	0.94	0.97	300	300
	0.20	0.60	0.60		
				446	501

CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBER FOR WORKING CLASS FOR  
DEVELOPED CENTRE—contd.

Articles	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Basic Price	Aug. 1976	Sept. 1976	Aug. 1976	Sept. 1976
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
<b>(g) Vegetable and Vegetable Products—</b>							
(1) Potatoes—							
(i) Big size ..	½ kg.	0.69	0.30	0.66	0.66	225	225
(ii) Small size ..	..	....	0.26	0.60	0.60		
(2) Onions—							
(i) Red ..	Kg.	0.97	0.31	0.32	0.38	116	126
(ii) White ..	..	....	0.31	0.40	0.40		
(3) Brinjals (Kali) ..	250 gms.	0.50	0.11	0.25	0.33	227	300
(4) Tomatoes—							
(i) Red ..	250 gms.	0.39	0.21	0.70	0.67	274	256
(ii) Green ..	..	....	0.13	0.28	0.25		
(5) Garlic Gawathan ..	50 gms.	0.54	0.05	0.10	0.10	200	200
<b>Other vegetables—</b>							
<b>Varieties available in the month of Aug. 1976.</b>							
(i) Dod7a ..	250 gms.	1.20	0.06	0.25	..	280	..
(ii) Lakes finger ..	..	....	0.14	0.20	..		
<b>Varieties available in the month of Sept. 1976.</b>							
(i) Gawar Phali ..	250 gms.	....	0.10	....	0.23	..	240
(ii) Dodka ..	..	....	0.10	....	0.25		
Total ..		4.29				217	215
<b>Index Number Sub-group I (g).</b>							
<b>(h) Fruit and Fruits Products—</b>							
(1) Banana—							
(i) Big size ..	Dozen ..	0.87	0.35	1.70	1.69	510	512
(ii) Medium ..	..	....	0.29	1.50	1.50		
(iii) Small ..	..	....	0.22	1.16	1.18		
Total ..		0.87				510	512
<b>Index Number Sub-group I (h).</b>							
<b>(i) Sugar, Honey and Related products—</b>							
(1) Sugar—							
(i) D-grade ..	Kg.	3.57	1.17	2.15	2.15	184	184
Gur—							
(i) Gawran 1st quality	200 gms. ..	0.70	0.10	0.56	0.54	560	515
(2) Gawran 2nd quality	..	....	0.10	....	0.49		
Total ..		4.27				245	238
<b>Index Number Sub-Group I (i).</b>							

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Articles	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Basic price	Aug. 1976	Sept. 1976	Aug. 1976	Sept. 1976
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
			Rs.				
(J) Beverages—							
(1) Tea leaf—							
(i) Brooke Bond ..	Packet of 50 gms.	1.13	0.35	0.80	0.80	249	249
(ii) Lipton ..	"	....	0.35	0.94	0.94		
(2) Hot drink—							
(i) Chalu Chaha ..	Per Cup ..	4.49	0.07	0.20	0.20	293	293
(ii) Canteen tea ..	" ..	....	0.04	0.12	0.12		
Total ..		5.62					
Index Number Sub-group I(J).						284	284
I. Food Group—							
(a) Cereals and Cereal Products.		53.29				364	366
(b) Pulses and Pulse Products		8.64				339	336
(c) Oils and Fats ..		4.84				346	388
(d) Mutton, Fish and Eggs.		6.23				362	359
(e) Milk and Milk Products.		4.83				310	310
(f) Condiments and Spices.		7.12				446	501
(g) Vegetable and Vegetable Products.		4.29				217	215
(h) Fruits and Fruit Products.		0.87				510	512
(i) Sugar, Honey and Related Products.		4.27				245	238
(j) Beverages ..		5.62				284	284
Total ..		100.00				350	356
Index Number for Food Group I							
II. Fuel and Light—							
(1) Firewood and Chips	90 kgs.						
(i) Dhawda (old) ..		80.76	1.66	5.00	5.00	278	278
(ii) Gaheri ..	" ..	....	1.57	4.00	4.00		
(2) Kerosene—							
(i) Rock oil white in colour.	Per litre. ..	13.99	0.26	1.24	1.24	477	477
(3) Match Box—							
(i) Wimco, Horse Brand.	Per Box (50 sticks).	5.25	0.06	0.12	0.10	200	167
Total ..		100.00					
Index Number for Group II						302	300

Articles	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure
1	2	3
House Rent—		
(i) Rent of selected houses	P. M.	100.00
Total ..		100.00
Index Number for Group I		
(a) Clothing and Footwear—		
(i) Clothing—		
(A) Dhoti ..	Per Sq. Metre.	11.53
(B) Shirt ..	"	19.77
(C) Cloth for Trousers ..	"	1.58
(D) Lung Cloth ..	"	27.48
(E) Coloured fabrics ..	"	31.21
Total ..		91.5
Index Number for sub-group II(a).		
(ii) Footwear—		
(A) Shoes—		
(i) Bata, Janata ..	Per Pair	4
(ii) Carona Master ..	"	
(iii) Canvas—		
(A) Bata All wear ..	Per Pair	
(B) Rubber Sole ..	"	
(C) Panther Bata ..	"	
(D) Carona Kolhapur ..	"	
(E) Carona Bahadur ..	"	
Total ..		
Index Number for sub-group II(b).		
(iii) Clothing and Footwear—		
(A) Clothing ..		
(B) Footwear ..		
Total ..		
Index Number for Group II		

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Basic price	Price per unit of quantity		Index Number	
	Aug. 1976	Sept. 1976	Aug. 1976	Sept. 1976
4	5	6	7	8
Rs.				
0.35	0.80	0.80		
0.35	0.94	0.94	249	249
0.07	0.20	0.20		
0.04	0.12	0.12	293	293
			284	284
			364	364
			339	336
			346	338
			362	339
			310	310
			446	501
			217	215
			510	511
			245	230
			284	284
			350	336
			278	278
5.00	5.00	4.00	477	477
4.00	1.24	0.10	200	181
0.12				
			302	300

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Articles	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure;	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Basic price	Aug. 1976	Sept. 1976	Aug. 1976	Sept. 1976
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
<b>III. House Rent—</b>							
(1) Rent of selected Tenements.	P. M. ..	100.00	5.47			166	166
Total ..		100.00					
<b>Index Number for Group III.</b>						166	166
<b>IV. Clothing and Footwear—</b>							
<b>(a) Clothing—</b>							
(1) Dhoti ..	Per Sq. Metro. ..	11.53	1.08	3.51	3.51	325	325
(2) Saree ..	" ..	19.77	1.24	2.97	2.97	240	240
(3) Cloth for Trousers ..	" ..	1.58	2.74	6.60	6.60	241	241
(4) Long Cloth ..	" ..	27.48	1.44	5.06	4.84	351	336
(5) Coloured fabrics ..	" ..	31.21	1.81	5.41	5.41	299	299
Total ..		91.57					
<b>Index Number for sub-group IV(a).</b>						304	300
<b>(b) Footwear—</b>							
<b>(1) Shoes—</b>							
(i) Bata, Janata ..	Per Pair ..	4.89	15.02	42.50	42.50	248	248
(ii) Carona Master Junior.	" ..		18.34	39.15	39.15		
<b>(2) Chappals—</b>							
(i) Bata All wear Rubber Sole.	Per Pair ..	3.54	4.45	13.60	13.60	310	310
(ii) Panther Bata ..	" ..		6.18	15.70	15.70		
(iii) Carona Kolhapur ..	" ..		8.35	29.65	29.65		
(iv) Carona Bahadur ..	" ..		8.65	28.05	28.05		
Total ..		8.43					
<b>Index Number for sub-group IV(b).</b>						274	274
<b>IV. Clothing and Footwear—</b>							
(a) Clothing ..		91.57				304	300
(b) Footwear ..		8.43				274	274
Total ..		100.00					
<b>Index Number for Group V.</b>						302	297

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Articles	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number		
			Basic price	Aug. 1976	Sept. 1976	Aug. 1976	Sept. 1976	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.			
<b>V. Miscellaneous—</b>								
<b>(a) Passport—</b>								
<b>(1) Pan leaf—</b>								
(i) Local (medium) ..	Bundle of 25 leaves	2.83	0.07	0.25	0.25	429	429	
(ii) Local (inferior) ..	"	..	0.04	0.20	0.20			
(2) Pan finished without masala.	Per Vida	6.61	0.04	0.10	0.10	250	250	
(3) Supari Manglori ..	50 gms. ..	4.22	0.41	0.54	0.55	132	134	
Total ..		13.66						
Index Number for Sub-group V(a).						250	251	
<b>(b) Tobacco and Tobacco Products—</b>								
<b>(1) Bidi Kalilakali ..</b>								
(1) Bidi Kalilakali ..	Bundle of 25 Bidi's.	9.00	0.13	0.30	0.30	231	231	
<b>(2) Cigarettes—</b>								
<b>(i) Golkonda ..</b>								
(i) Golkonda ..	Packet of 10 Cigarettes.	6.34	0.10	0.50	0.50	519	519	
(ii) Charminar ..	"	..	0.13	0.70	0.70			
(3) Jarda Lal Dahi Brand.	Packet of 25 gms.	1.63	0.14	0.38	0.38	271	271	
Total ..		16.97						
Index Number for Sub-group V(b).						342	342	
<b>(c) Household Utillsed—</b>								
<b>(1) Utensils Brass—</b>								
(1) Utensils Brass—	Lota, Poona ..	Kg. ..	1.90	7.80	34.33	34.33	440	440
<b>(2) Utensils Aluminium without chhap.</b>								
(2) Utensils Aluminium without chhap.	100 gms.	0.69	0.90	2.20	2.20	244	244	
Total ..		2.59						
Index Number for Sub-group V(c).						388	388	
<b>(d) Washing soap—</b>								
<b>(1) Laundry ordinary washing and ironing.</b>								
(1) Laundry ordinary washing and ironing.	Per shirt ..	3.74	0.12	0.25	0.25	208	208	
<b>(2) Washing soap Shama</b>								
(2) Washing soap Shama	Per cake	6.52	0.25	0.25	0.25	100	100	
Total ..		10.26						
Index Number for Sub-group V(d).						139	139	

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Articles	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity	
			Basic Price	Price per unit
1	2	3	4	5
			Rs.	P.
<b>(a) Medical Care—</b>				
<b>(i) Patent Medicines—</b>				
(i) Asactin ..	2 Tablets ..	9.36	0.13	0.10
(ii) Aspro ..	Bottle ..	..	0.37	..
(iii) Zinda Tilasmath ..	Per day ..	5.47	0.62	..
<b>(ii) Mixture. Doctor's daily Mixture.</b>				
Total ..		14.83		
Index Number for sub-group V(e).				
<b>(b) Personal Care—</b>				
<b>(i) Hair Oil—</b>				
(i) Tata Co. Coconut Oil.	Small bottle.	4.20	1.00	..
<b>(ii) Barber charges—</b>				
(i) Hair cut with shave	Adult ..	7.20	0.00	0.00
(ii) Hair cut	" ..	..	0.00	0.00
(iii) Shave	" ..	..	0.00	0.00
<b>(c) Toilet soap—</b>				
(i) Hamam	Cake ..	1.93	0.00	0.00
(ii) Lifebuoy	" ..	..	0.00	0.00
(iii) Blades—	Packet of 10 blades.	0.07	0.00	0.00
(iv) Eharat	2 pkts. of 5 blades each	..	0.00	0.00
(v) 6 Morning	..	..	0.00	0.00
Total ..		13.40		
Index Number for sub-group V(f).				
<b>(g) Education and Reading—</b>				
<b>(i) School fees for VIII Standard.</b>				
(i) School fees for VIII Standard.	Per student	3.30	3.30	..
<b>(ii) School Books—</b>				
(i) Marathi Vachan	Per copy ..	3.43	3.43	..
(ii) Mala	" ..	..	..	..
(iii) Subodh Ganit	" ..	..	..	..
Total ..		6.73		
Index Number for sub-group V(g).				
<b>(h) Recreation Amusement—</b>				
<b>(i) Cinema—</b>				
(i) Cinema—	Lower Class	Full ticket..	6.62	6.62
Total ..			6.62	6.62
Index Number for sub-group V(h).				

Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
Basic price	Aug. 1976	Sept. 1976	Aug. 1976	Sept. 1976
4	5	6	7	8
Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
0.07	0.25	0.25	429	429
0.04	0.20	0.20	250	250
0.04	0.10	0.10	132	134
0.41	0.54	0.55	250	251
13	0.30	0.30	231	231
10	0.50	0.50	319	319
13	0.70	0.70	271	271
4	0.38	0.38	342	342
34.33	34.33		440	440
2.20	2.20		244	244
0.25	0.25		208	208
0.25	0.25		100	100
			139	139

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Articles	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Basic Price	Aug. 1976	Sept. 1976	Aug. 1976	Sept. 1976
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
<b>(e) Medical Care—</b>							
<b>(1) Patent Medicine—</b>							
(i) Anact in	2 Tablets	9.36	0.13	0.13	0.13	146	146
(ii) Aspro	Bottle	..	0.10	0.15	0.15		
(iii) Zinda Tilasmath	Bottle	..	0.37	0.70	0.70		
(2) Mixture. Doctor's daily Mixture.	Per day	5.47	0.62	0.83	0.83	134	134
Total ..		14.83					
Index Number for sub-group V(e).						142	142
<b>(f) Personal Care—</b>							
<b>(1) Hair Oil—</b>							
(i) Tata Co. Coconut Oil.	Small bottle.	4.20	1.34	4.50	4.50	336	336
<b>(2) Barber charges—</b>							
(i) Hair cut with shave	Adult	7.20	0.41	1.50	1.50	352	352
(ii) Hair cut	"	..	0.31	1.25	1.25		
(iii) Shave	"	..	0.14	0.40	0.40		
<b>(3) Toilet soap—</b>							
(i) Hamam	Cake	1.93	0.48	1.30	1.30	262	262
(ii) Lifebuoy	"	..	0.48	1.22	1.22		
<b>(4) Blades—</b>							
(i) Bharat	Packet of 10 blades.	0.07	0.47	1.00	0.94	227	220
(ii) 6 Morning	2 pkts. of 5 blades each	..	0.54	1.30	1.30		
Total ..		13.40					
Index Number for sub-group V(f).						333	333
<b>(g) Education and Reading—</b>							
(1) School fees for VIII Standard.	Per student	3.30	2.14	4.90	4.90	229	229
<b>(2) School Books—</b>							
(i) Marathi Vachan Mala.	Per copy	3.43	0.75	2.20	2.20	223	223
(ii) Subodh Ganit	"	..	0.69	1.05	1.05		
Total ..		6.73					
Index Number for sub-group V(g).						226	226
<b>(h) Recreation and Amusement—</b>							
(1) Cinema—Lower Class	Full ticket..	6.62	0.30	0.80	0.80	267	267
Total ..		6.62					
Index Number for sub-group V(h).						267	267

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Articles 1	Unit of quantity 2	Weight proportional to total ex- penditure 3	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Basic Price 4	Aug. 1976 5	Sept. 1976 6	Aug. 1976 7	Sept. 1976 8
			Rs.P.	Rs.P.	Rs.P.		
<b>(I) Transport and Com- munications—</b>							
<b>(1) Rail—</b>							
(i) Fare for III Class 50 km.	Adult Ticket	7.94	1.04	2.25	2.25	216	216
(ii) Bus—S.T. Bus fare for 20 miles.	.. ..	3.14	1.00	2.15	2.15	215	215
<b>(2) Postage—</b>							
(i) Card ..	Single ..	0.57	0.05	0.15	0.15	261	261
(ii) M.O. Charges for Rs. 30 ..	Rs. 30 ..	....	0.45	1.00	1.00		
(3) Rickshaw Fare for 2 miles.	One Passen- ger.	3.29	0.22	0.50	0.50	227	227
Total ..		14.94					
<i>Index Number for Sub- group V(I).</i>						220	220
<b>V. Miscellaneous—</b>							
(a) Pansupari ..		13.66	....	....	....	250	251
(b) Tobacco and Tobacco Products.		16.97	....	....	....	342	342
(c) Household Utilities		2.59	....	....	....	388	388
(d) Washing soap ..		10.26	....	....	....	139	139
(e) Medical care ..		14.83	....	....	....	142	142
(f) Personal care ..		13.40	....	....	....	333	333
(g) Education and Read- ing.		6.73	....	....	....	226	226
(h) Recreation and Amusement.		6.62	....	....	....	267	267
(j) Transport and Com- munication.		14.94	....	....	....	220	220
Total ..		100.00					
<i>Index Number for Group V</i>						248	248

\*—A rise of 1 point

In September 1976, the Consumer Price Index for Jalgaon Centre with base year January 1961 being 1 point higher than that of the standard of life ascertained at the Jalgaon Centre.

The index number for the food group in the average prices of rice, ..

The index number for housing ..

The index number for the clothing group is 297 due to a rise in the price ..

The index number for miscella ..

CONSUMER PRICE INDEX  
JALGAON

(Average prices for ..)

Groups

- I. Food ..
- II. Fuel and Light ..
- III. Housing ..
- IV. Clothing and Footwear ..
- V. Miscellaneous ..

Consumer Price Index No ..

\*Details regarding the scope and pages 758 to 760 of the January 1976 issue.  
Note.—To obtain the equivalent index number on base 1961=100 ..



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Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
Basic Price	Aug. 1976	Sept. 1976	Aug. 1976	Sept. 1976
4	5	6	7	8
Rs.P.	Rs.P.	Rs.P.		
1-04	2-25	2-25	216	218
1-00	2-15	2-15	215	215
0-05	0-15	0-15	261	259
0-45	1-00	1-00		
0-22	0-50	0-50	227	227
			220	220
			250	251
			342	342
			388	388
			139	139
			142	142
			333	333
			226	226
			267	267
			220	220
			248	248

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301—A rise of 1 point

In September 1976, the Consumer Price Index Number for working class for Jalgaon Centre with base year January to December 1961 equal to 100 was 301 being 1 point higher than that in the preceding month. The index relates to the standard of life ascertained during the year 1958-59 family living survey at the Jalgaon Centre.

The index number for the food group increased by 1 point to 327 due to a rise in the average prices of rice, jowar, fish fresh and sugar.

The index number for housing remained steady at 144.

The index number for the clothing and footwear group increased by 2 points to 297 due to a rise in the price of long cloth.

The index number for miscellaneous group remained steady at 251.

CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBERS FOR WORKING CLASS FOR  
JALGAON CENTRE

(Average prices for the calendar year 1961=100)

Groups	Weight proportional to total expenditure.	Group Index Numbers	
		Aug. 1976	Sept. 1976
I. Food .. .. .	60.79	326	327
II. Fuel and Light .. .. .	7.20	325	325
III. Housing .. .. .	6.11	144	144
IV. Clothing and Footwear .. .. .	10.29	295	297
V. Miscellaneous .. .. .	15.61	251	251
Total .. .. .	100.00		
Consumer Price Index Number .. .. .		300	301

\*Details regarding the scope and method of compilation of the index will be found on pages 758 to 760 of the January 1966 issue of *Labour Gazette*.

Note.—To obtain the equivalent old index number on base August 1939=100, the new index number on base 1961=100 should be multiplied by the linking factor viz. 5.29.

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Articles 1	Unit of quantity 2	Weight proportional to total ex- penditure 3	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Basic Price 4	Aug. 1976 5	Sept. 1976 6	Aug. 1976 7	Sept. 1976 8
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
<b>1. Food Group—</b>							
<b>(a) Cereals and Cereal Products—</b>							
(1) Rice ..	Kg..	6.72	0.63	2.59	2.62	411	416
(2) Wheat ..	"	10.89	0.46	1.36	1.36	296	296
(3) Jowar ..	"	21.16	0.35	1.12	1.15	320	329
(4) Grinding charges— For cereals ..	7 kgs.	1.94	0.12	0.35	0.35	292	292
Total ..		40.71					
Index Number for sub- group I(a).						327	332
<b>(b) Pulses and Pulse Products—</b>							
<b>(1) Turdal—</b>							
(i) Jalna ..	Kg.	3.79	0.73	2.50	2.50	338	338
(ii) Gawran (Bharwa) ..	"	..	0.66	2.20	2.20		
(2) Gramdal ..	"	2.13	0.58	1.70	1.70	293	293
<b>(3) Moongdal—</b>							
(i) With husk ..	Kg.	1.35	0.70	2.38	2.38	327	327
(ii) Without husk ..	"	..	0.83	2.60	2.60		
<b>(4) Uriddal—</b>							
(i) With husk ..	Kg.	0.86	0.65	3.25	3.25	476	476
(ii) Without husk ..	"	..	0.83	3.75	3.75		
Total ..		8.13					
Index Number for sub- group I(b).						339	339
<b>(c) Oils and Fats—</b>							
(1) Groundnut oil ..	Kg.	7.21	2.28	7.15	7.00	314	307
(2) Vanaspati (loose). Dalda	½ kg.	1.16	1.99	4.35	4.50	219	226
Total ..		8.37					
Index Number for sub- group I(c).						300	296

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Articles 1	Unit of Quantity 2	Weight proportional to total expenditure 3	Basic Price 4
			Rs.
Wheat	kg.	4.38	1
Rice	kg.	0.91	..
Jowar	"	..	..
Grinding charges	7 kgs.	1.94	..
Total ..		40.71	5.29
Index Number for Sub- group I(a).			
<b>(b) Pulses and Pulse Products—</b>			
<b>(1) Turdal—</b>			
(i) Jalna	Kg.	3.79	..
(ii) Gawran (Bharwa)	"	..	..
(2) Gramdal	"	2.13	..
<b>(3) Moongdal—</b>			
(i) With husk	Kg.	1.35	..
(ii) Without husk	"	..	..
<b>(4) Uriddal—</b>			
(i) With husk	Kg.	0.86	..
(ii) Without husk	"	..	..
Total ..		8.13	9.73
Index Number for sub- group I(b).			
<b>(c) Oils and Fats—</b>			
(1) Groundnut oil	Kg.	7.21	..
(2) Vanaspati (loose). Dalda	½ kg.	1.16	..
Total ..		8.37	1.31
Index Number for sub- group I(c).			
			300
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Article	Price per unit of quantity		Index Number	
	Aug. 1976	Sept. 1976	Aug. 1976	Sept. 1976
	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
	5	6	7	8
P.				
63	2.59	2.62	411	416
46	1.36	1.36	296	294
35	1.12	1.15	320	329
12	0.35	0.35	292	291
			327	332
73	2.50	2.50	338	331
56	2.20	2.20	293	291
18	1.70	1.70	327	321
0	2.38	2.38	476	476
3	2.60	2.60		
5	3.25	3.25		
3	3.75	3.75		
			339	337
			314	307
	7.15	7.00	219	226
	4.35	4.50		
			300	294

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CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBERS FOR WORKING CLASS FOR  
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Articles	Unit of Quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Basic Price	Aug. 1976	Sept. 1976	Aug. 1976	Sept. 1976
1	2	3	Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
(d) Mutton, Fish and Eggs—							
(1) Mutton—							
(i) Goat meat ..	½ kg.	4.38	1.45	5.00	5.00	345	345
(2) Fish (dry)—							
(i) Bombil big ..	kg.	0.91	2.72	9.00	8.50		
(ii) Zingra ..	"	"	2.70	9.00	8.50		
(3) Fish fresh—							
Varieties selected for Aug. 1976—							
(i) Rahu ..	kg.	"	3.22	6.00	"	307	311
(ii) Shingada ..	"	"	2.14	6.50	"		
(iii) Barik Machhli ..	"	"	1.05	4.50	"		
Varieties selected for Sept. 1976—							
(i) Balam ..	kg.	"	2.23	"	6.00		
(ii) Shingada ..	"	"	2.11	"	5.50		
(iii) Barik machhli ..	"	"	1.11	"	4.50		
Total ..		5.29					
Index Number for Sub-group I (d).						338	339
(e) Milk and Milk Products—							
(1) Milk (Buffalo) ..	1 litre	8.42	0.77	2.70	2.50	351	325
(2) Ghee ..	½ kg.	1.31	3.71	13.00	12.62	350	340
Total ..		9.73					
Index Number for Sub-group I (e).						351	327
(f) Condiments and Spices—							
(1) Salt—							
(i) White ..	kg.	0.29	0.13	0.30	0.30	220	220
(ii) Black ..	"	"	0.12	0.25	0.25		
(2) Turmeric—							
(i) Sangli (whole) ..	250 g.	0.30	0.34	1.25	1.25	368	368
(3) Chillies (dry)—							
(i) Azoda ..	kg.	4.56	1.65	8.18	8.18	496	496
(4) Corriander ..	250 g.	0.25	0.31	1.75	1.75	565	565
(5) Mixed spices—							
(i) Garam Masala ..	"	1.86	4.95	16.20	16.20	236	236
(ii) Lahoti powder ..	200 g.	"	1.79	2.60	2.60		
(6) Jira ..	250 g.	0.37	0.68	4.00	3.88	588	571
Total ..		7.62					
Index Number for Sub-group I (f).						424	423

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Articles	Unit of Quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Basic Price	Aug. 1976	Sept. 1976	Aug. 1976	Sept. 1976
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
<b>(g) Vegetable and Vegetable Products—</b>							
<b>(1) Potatoes—</b>							
(i) Big	½ kg.	1.15	0.28	0.60	0.60	211	211
(ii) Small	"	....	0.24	0.50	0.50		
<b>(2) Onions—</b>							
(i) Red	kg.	0.86	0.27	0.27	0.27	119	120
(ii) White	"	..	0.27	0.37	0.38		
(3) Garlic	250g.	0.54	0.20	0.62	0.75	310	375
(4) Other Vegetables							
<i>Varieties selected for Aug. 1976—</i>							
(i) Chavli Shang	250g.	2.92	0.09	0.32	0.27	365	
(ii) Mula	"	....	0.05	0.22			
(iii) Padwal	"	0.13	0.09	0.27			
<i>Varieties selected for Sept. 1976—</i>							
(i) Chavli Shang	"	....	0.08		0.32	328	
(ii) Mula	"	....	0.07		0.22		
(iii) Padwal	"	....	0.10		0.27		
Total		5.47					
<i>Index Number for Sub-group I(g).</i>						289	276
<b>(h) Fruits and Fruit products—</b>							
<b>(1) Banana—</b>							
(i) Big	Doz.	1.61	0.29	1.22	1.22	415	415
(ii) Small	"	....	0.23	0.94	0.94		
Total		1.61					
<i>Index Number for Sub-group I(h).</i>						415	415
<b>(i) Sugar, Honey and related products—</b>							
<b>(1) Sugar—</b>							
(1) Sugar	kg.	5.60	1.23	2.49	2.86	202	233
<b>(2) Gur—</b>							
(i) Karpargaon 1st Quality.	"	1.63	0.57	3.00	3.00	526	526
Total		7.23					
<i>Index Number or Sub-group I(i).</i>						275	299

Articles	Unit of quantity	Weight proportion of pen
1	2	
(1) Tea leaf—	Pkt. of 50 g.	
(2) Broken Bond table	"	
(3) Light table Lsojce	"	
(4) Box drink—	Cup of 3 1/2	
Prepared tea	Dozs.	
Total		
Max Number of Sub-		
group I(j)		
(1) Food—		
(2) Cereals and Cereall	....	
Products		
(3) Pulses and Pulse	....	
Products		
(4) Oils and Fats	....	
(5) Meats, Fish and	....	
Eggs		
(6) Milk and Milk Pro-	....	
ducts		
(7) Confections and	....	
Sweets		
(8) Vegetables and Vege-	....	
table Products		
(9) Fruits and Fruit Pro-	....	
ducts		
(10) Sugar, Honey and	....	
related Products		
(11) Beverages	....	
Total		
Max Number for all Food		
Group I		
(1) Food and Light—		
(2) Firewood and chips—		
(3) Khair		
(4) Dhawda	37 kgs.	
(5) Adhat or Mixed	"	
(6) Kerosene—	"	
(7) Chankar Brand		
(8) Electricity charges	1 Litre	
(9) Match Box—	Per unit	
Match head brand	Box of	
Total		
Index Number for Group II		

INDEX NUMBER FOR WORKING CLASS FOR JALGAON CITY—contd.

Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
	Basic Price	Aug. 1976	Sept. 1976	Aug. 1976	Sept. 1976
	3	4	5	6	7
	Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
1.15	0.28	0.60	0.60	211	
...	0.24	0.50	0.50		
0.86	0.27	0.27	0.27	119	
	0.27	0.37	0.38		
0.54	0.20	0.62	0.75	310	
0.92	0.09	0.32		363	
0.13	0.05	0.22			
	0.09	0.27			
	0.08		0.32		
	0.07		0.22		
	0.10		0.27		
47				289	
				415	
	0.29	1.22	1.22	415	
	0.23	0.94	0.94		
				415	
				202	
	1.23	2.49	2.86	225	
	0.57	3.00	3.00	213	

CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBERS FOR WORKING CLASS FOR JALGAON CENTRE—contd.

Articles	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number		
			Basic Price	August 1976	Sept. 1976	August 1976	Sept. 1976	
			4	5	6	7	8	
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.			
(J) Beverages—								
(i) Tea leaf—								
(i) Brook Bond table	Pkt. of 50 g.	2.11	0.40	0.80	0.80	215	215	
(ii) Lipton table Loojce	"	..	0.41	0.94	0.94			
(2) Hot drink—								
Prepared tea	Cup of 3 1/2 Dozs.	3.73	0.12	0.30	0.30	250	250	
Total ..		5.84						
						237	237	
Index Number of Sub-group I(j).								
I. Food—		40.71	..	..	..	327	332	
(a) Cereals and Cereal Products.	....	8.13	..	..	..	339	339	
(b) Pulses and Pulse Products.	....	8.37	..	..	..	300	296	
(c) Oils and Fats ..	....	5.29	..	..	..	338	339	
(d) Mutton, Fish and Eggs.	....	9.73	..	..	..	351	327	
(e) Milk and Milk Products.	....	7.62	..	..	..	424	423	
(f) Condiments and Spices.	....	5.47	..	..	..	289	276	
(g) Vegetables and Vegetable Products.	....	1.61	..	..	..	415	415	
(h) Fruits and Fruit Products.	....	7.23	..	..	..	275	299	
(i) Sugar, Honey and related Products.	....	5.84	..	..	..	237	237	
(j) Beverages ..	....	100.00						
Total ..						326	317	
Index Number for all Food Group.								
II. Fuel and Light—								
(1) Firewood and chips—								
(i) Khair ..	37 kgs. ..	78.50	3.39	12.21	12.21	358	358	
(ii) Dhawda ..	" ..	..	3.15	12.21	12.21			
(iii) Adjat or Mixed ..	" ..	..	2.71	8.88	8.88			
(2) Kerosene—								
(i) Chakkar Brand ..	1 Litre ..	11.40	0.45	1.25	1.25	279	279	
(3) Electricity charges ..	Per unit ..	6.28	0.50	0.38	0.38	76	76	
(4) Match Box—								
Horse head brand ..	Box of 50 sticks.	3.82	0.05	0.12	0.12	200	200	
Total ..		100.00				325	325	
Index Number for Group II								

CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBERS FOR WORKING CLASS FOR  
INDIA—1974—contd.

Article 1	Unit of Quantity 2	Weight proportion to total expenditure 3	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			1974 4	1974 5	1974 6	August 1974 7	Sept. 1974 8
III Housing—			100	100	100		
(1) Rent—							
(2) Rent for improvements							
Total						144	144
Index Number for Group III						144	144
IV Clothing and Foot-							
(1) Clothing—							
(2) Shoes							
(3) Suits							
(4) Cloth for men							
(5) Long cloth							
(6) Coloured sarees							
Total						299	301
Index Number for Group IV (a)						299	301
(1) Fabric—							
(2) Shirts							
(3) Suits							
(4) Cloth for men							
(5) Long cloth							
(6) Coloured sarees							
Total						251	252
Index Number for Group IV (b)						251	252
(1) Cotton							
(2) Wool							
(3) Silk							
(4) Jute							
(5) Linen							
(6) Other							
Total						297	297
Index Number for Group IV (c)						297	297
(1) Cotton							
(2) Wool							
(3) Silk							
(4) Jute							
(5) Linen							
(6) Other							
Total						224	224
Index Number for Group IV (d)						224	224
(1) Cotton							
(2) Wool							
(3) Silk							
(4) Jute							
(5) Linen							
(6) Other							
Total						147	147
Index Number for Group IV (e)						147	147
(1) Cotton							
(2) Wool							
(3) Silk							
(4) Jute							
(5) Linen							
(6) Other							
Total						311	311
Index Number for Group IV (f)						311	311
(1) Cotton							
(2) Wool							
(3) Silk							
(4) Jute							
(5) Linen							
(6) Other							
Total						285	285
Index Number for Group IV (g)						285	285

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CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBERS FOR WORKING CLASS FOR INDIA—1974—contd.

Index Number for Group III: 144 (Aug), 144 (Sept)

Index Number for Group IV (a): 299 (Aug), 301 (Sept)

Index Number for Group IV (b): 251 (Aug), 252 (Sept)

Index Number for Group IV (c): 297 (Aug), 297 (Sept)

Index Number for Group IV (d): 224 (Aug), 224 (Sept)

Index Number for Group IV (e): 147 (Aug), 147 (Sept)

Index Number for Group IV (f): 311 (Aug), 311 (Sept)

Index Number for Group IV (g): 285 (Aug), 285 (Sept)

Quantity	Index Number	
Sept. 1976	August 1976	Sept. 1976
6	7	8
	144	144
	144	144
4.23	344	344
2.87	231	231
7.14	337	332
5.49	333	341
6.20	292	291
	299	301
49.40	254	254
41.35	251	251
15.70	251	251
	252	252
	299	301
	252	252
	295	297
1.23	224	224
3.15	375	375
3.05	147	147
2.00	311	311
1.25	311	311
	285	285

CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBER FOR WORKING CLASS FOR JALGAON CENTRE—contd.

Articles	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Basic price	August 1976	Sept. 1976	August 1976	Sept. 1976
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
<i>(b) Tobacco and Tobacco Products—</i>							
<i>(1) Bidies—</i>							
<i>(i) Camel brand ..</i>	Bundle of 25 bidies.	5.80	0.19	0.50	0.50	250	250
<i>(ii) Shiledar ..</i>	.. ..	..	0.19	0.45	0.45		
<i>(2) Jarda—</i>							
<i>(i) Gangaram Brand</i>	Pkt. of 50 g.	3.54	0.24	0.75	0.75	330	330
<i>(ii) Chandrakant brand</i>	.. ..	..	0.23	0.80	0.80		
Total ..		9.34					
<i>Index Number for sub-group V(b).</i>						280	280
<i>(c) Household utilities—</i>							
<i>(1) Utensils—</i>							
<i>(i) Lota (Poona) ..</i>	1½ kg. ..	5.28	3.55	17.50	17.50	500	500
<i>(ii) Lota (Nasik) ..</i>	.. ..	..	3.45	17.50	17.50		
Total ..		5.28					
<i>Index Number for Sub-group V(c).</i>						500	500
<i>(d) Washing Soap—</i>							
<i>(1) Laundry—</i>							
<i>(i) Ordinary washing and ironings of cotton.</i>	Per piece ..	2.54	0.10	0.25	0.25	250	250
<i>(2) Washing soap—</i>							
<i>(i) 501 Bar Soap ..</i>	Bar ..	7.44	1.40	3.79	3.79	279	279
<i>(ii) B. Dhantak Co. ..</i>	Cake ..	..	0.40	1.15	1.15		
Total ..		9.98					
<i>Index Number for Sub-group V(d).</i>						272	272
<i>(e) Medical Care—</i>							
<i>(1) Dr. Vaze's Cough syrup.</i>							
	Small bottle	3.80	1.50	2.50	2.50	167	167
<i>(2) Daily mixture ..</i>							
	Per day ..	11.98	0.58	0.62	0.62	107	107
Total ..		15.78					
<i>Index Number for Sub-group V(e).</i>						121	121

CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBER FOR WORKING CLASS FOR  
JALGAON CENTRE—contd.

Articles	Unit of Quantity	Weight Proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Basic price	August 1976	Sept. 1976	August 1976	Sept. 1976
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
(f) Personal care—			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
(1) Hair oil— Tata Co. ..	Small bottle.	4.89	1.32	4.50	4.50	341	341
(2) Barber charges—							
(i) Hair cut with shave	Adult ..	7.32	0.50	1.40	1.40	256	256
(ii) Hair cut ..	" ..	..	0.40	1.25	1.25		
(iii) Shave ..	" ..	..	0.20	0.35	0.35		
(3) Toilet Soap—							
(i) Life Buoy ..	Cake ..	3.02	0.48	1.22	1.22	260	260
(ii) Hamam cake ..	" ..	..	0.49	1.30	1.30		
(4) Blades—							
(i) Bharat Blade ..	Pkt. of 10 blades.	0.11	0.44	1.00	1.00	210	210
(ii) Six Morning ..	2 Pkts. of 5 blades each	..	0.57	1.10	1.10		
Total ..		15.34					
Index Number for Sub-group V(f).						283	283
(g) Education and Reading—							
(1) Books— Bal Bharati Chauthi Pustak.	Copy ..	5.42	0.75	2.20	2.20	293	293
(2) School fees— For VIII Std. ..	Per student per month	3.46	5.00	5.00	5.00	100	100
Total ..		8.88					
Index Number for Sub-group V(g)						218	218
(h) Recreation and Amusement—							
(1) Cinema (Lowest class)	Adult ..	6.69	0.32	0.83	0.83	259	259
Total ..		6.69					
Index Number for Sub-group V(h)						259	259
(i) Transport and Communication—							
(1) Rail— Railway fare 50 km.	Per Passenger.	12.48	0.98	2.25	2.25	230	230
(2) Bus fare— S.T. Bus 32 km. (Full ticket)	" ..	4.09	1.00	2.15	2.15	215	215
(3) Postage—							
(i) Single card ..	Per card for Rs. 30	1.08	0.05	0.15	0.15	261	261
(ii) M. O. charges ..	..	..	0.45	1.00	1.00		
Total ..		17.65					
Index Number for Sub-group V(i)						228	228

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Sub-Group	Unit of Quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure
1	2	3
V. Miscellaneous—		
(a) Pan-Supari ..	..	11.06
(b) Tobacco and Tobacco Products	....	9.34
(c) Household Utilities	..	5.28
(d) Washing Soap ..	....	9.98
(e) Medical Care ..	....	15.78
(f) Personal Care	....	15.34
(g) Education and Reading.	....	8.88
(h) Recreation and Amusement.	....	6.69
(i) Transport and Communications.	....	17.65
Total ..		100.00
Index Number Group V.		



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Price per unit of quantity		Index Number	
August 1976	Sept. 1976	August 1976	Sept. 1976
5	6	7	8
Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
4.50	4.50	341	341
1.40	1.40	256	256
1.25	1.25		
0.35	0.35		
1.22	1.22	260	260
1.30	1.30		
1.00	1.00	210	210
1.10	1.10		
		283	283
2.20	2.20	293	293
5.00	5.00	100	100
		218	218
0.83	0.83	259	259
		259	259
2.25	2.25	230	230
2.15	2.15	215	215
0.15	0.15	261	261
1.00	1.00		
		228	228

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CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBERS FOR WORKING CLASS FOR  
JALGAON CENTRE—concl'd.

Sub-Group	Unit of Quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Basic price	August 1975	Sept. 1976	August 1976	Sept. 1976
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
			Rs. P.				
V. Miscellaneous—	..						
(a) Pan-Supari ..	..	11.06	....			285	285
(b) Tobacco and Tobacco Products	....	9.34	....			280	280
(c) Household Utilities	..	5.28	....			500	500
(d) Washing Soap ..	....	9.98	....			272	272
(e) Medical Care ..	....	15.78	....			121	121
(f) Personal Care	....	15.34	....			283	283
(g) Education and Reading.	....	8.88	....			218	218
(h) Recreation and Amusement.	....	6.69	....			259	259
(i) Transport and Communications.	....	17.65	....			228	228
Total ..		100.00					
Index Number Group V.						251	251

POONA CENTRE\*

287—A rise of 1 point

In September 1976, the Consumer Price Index Number for Working Class for Poona Centre with base year January to December 1961 equal to 100 was 287 being 1 point higher than that in the preceding month. The index relates to the standard of life ascertained during the year 1958-59 family living survey at Poona Centre.

The index number for the food group increased by 2 points to 315 due to a rise in the average prices of rice, jowar, bajari, vanaspati and sugar.

The index number for the fuel and light group remained steady at 347.

The index number for housing remained stationary at 129.

The index number for the clothing and footwear group remained steady at 290.

The index number for the miscellaneous group remained steady at 241.

CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBERS FOR WORKING CLASS FOR POONA CENTRE

(Average prices for the calendar year 1961—100)

Groups	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Group Index Numbers	
		Aug. 1976	Sept. 1976
I. Food .. .. .	55.85	313	315
II. Fuel and light .. .. .	6.89	347	347
III. Housing .. .. .	6.65	129	129
IV. Clothing and Footwear .. .. .	10.31	290	290
V. Miscellaneous .. .. .	20.30	241	241
Total .. .. .	100.00		
Consumer Price Index Number .. .. .		286	287

Details regarding the scope and method of compilation of the index will be found on pages 1727 to 1730 of the August 1965 issue of Labour Gazette. For Errata thereto, see page 217 of September 1965 issue.

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CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBERS FOR  
POONA CENTRE—c.

Articles	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure revised.	Price per	
			Basic price	
1	2	3	4	
			Rs.	P.
I. Food Group—				
(A) Cereals and Products—	Cereal			
(1) Rice .. .. .	kg.	13.81	0.76	
(2) Wheat .. .. .	"	11.28	0.5	
(3) Jowar .. .. .	"	8.39	0.	
(4) Bajari .. .. .	"	3.08	0	
(5) Grinding charges for Cereals.	4 kg.	1.42		
Total .. .. .			37.98	
Index Number for Sub-group I (a).				
(B) Pulses and Products—	Pulse			
Total—				
Levni Chhap or Surti (Fine).	kg.		3.80	
Gramdal .. .. .	"		1.81	
Mungdal—				
Without Husk (Medium).	"		0.68	
Total .. .. .			6.2	
Index Number for Sub-group I (b).				

Index Number for Working Class for December 1961 equal to 100 was 267 preceding month. The index relates to the year 1958-59 family living survey.

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INDEX FOR WORKING CLASS FOR POONA CENTRE

(base year 1961-100)

Weight proportional to total expenditure	Group Index Numbers	
	Aug. 1976	Sept. 1976
55.85	313	315
6.89	347	347
6.65	129	129
10.31	290	290
20.30	241	241
100.00		
	286	287

Location of the index will be found on pages of the Gazette. For Errata thereto, see page

CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBERS FOR WORKING CLASS FOR POONA CENTRE—contd.

Articles	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure revised.	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Basic price	Aug. 1976	Sept. 1976	Aug. 1976	Sept. 1976
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
<b>I. Food Group—</b>							
<b>(a) Cereals and Cereal Products—</b>							
(1) Rice .. ..	kg.	13.81	0.76	2.31	2.56	304	337
(2) Wheat .. ..	" ..	11.28	0.53	1.38	1.38	260	260
(3) Jowar .. ..	" ..	8.39	0.45	1.01	1.02	224	227
(4) Bajri .. ..	" ..	3.08	0.51	1.40	1.41	275	276
(5) Grinding charges for Cereals.	4 kg. ..	1.42	0.14	0.40	0.40	286	286
Total ..		37.98					
Index Number for Sub-group I (a).						270	283
<b>(b) Pulses and Pulse Products—</b>							
<b>Turdal—</b>							
Laxmi Chhap or Surti (Fine).	kg. ..	3.80	0.30	2.47	2.51	309	314
Gramdal .. ..	" ..	1.81	0.60	1.98	1.87	330	312
<b>Mungdal—</b>							
Without Husk (Medium).	" ..	0.68	0.82	2.92	2.68	356	327
Total ..		6.29					
Index Number for Sub-group I (b).						320	315

CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBERS FOR WORKING CLASS FOR  
POONA CENTRE—contd.

Articles	Unit of Quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Basic Price	Aug. 1976	Sept. 1976	Aug. 1976	Sept. 1976
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
			Rs. P.	Rs.P.	Rs.P.		
<b>(c) Oils and Fats—</b>							
Groundnut oil ..	kg.	1.94	2.32	6.80	6.80	293	293
Karadai oil ..	kg.	3.94	1.20				
Vanaspati (Dalda) (Loose) ..	"	1.22	1.66	4.45	4.68	268	282
Total ..		7.10					
Index number for Sub-group I (c).						289	291
<b>(d) Mutton, Fish and Eggs—</b>							
Mutton							
Goat Meat ..	kg.	3.68	1.51	5.00	5.00	330	330
Sheep Meat ..	"	....	1.52	5.00	5.00		
<b>Fish (Dry)—</b>							
Bombil (Big) ..	kg.	1.01	2.60	8.00	8.00	324	325
Bombil (Small) ..	"	....	2.46	8.00	8.00		
Zinga ..	"	....	2.57	8.00	8.00		
<b>Fresh Fish—</b>							
Varieties selected in the month of Aug. 1976—							
(i) Butter fish ..	kg.	....	2.20	7.00	....	265	265
(ii) Bombay Wamb ..	"	....	2.22	8.00	....		
(iii) Amali ..	"	....	1.32	....	....		
Varieties selected in the month of Sept. 1976—							
(i) Butter fish ..	kg.	....	2.12	....	7.71	322	322
(ii) Bombay wamb ..	"	....	2.01	....	6.98		
(iii) Shingada ..	"	....	2.31	....	6.75		
(iv) Hen's Eggs ..	Each	0.57	0.17	0.45	0.45		
Total ..		5.26					
Index Number for Sub-group I (d).						322	322
<b>(e) Milk and Milk Products—</b>							
Milk buffalo	200 ml.	10.66	0.15	0.55	0.55	367	367
Ghee Amul (tinned) ..	kg.	0.93	7.88	23.83	23.83	302	302
Total ..		11.59					
Index Number for Sub-group I (e).						362	362

\* The weight of Karad oil is imputed to groundnut oil.

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POONA CENTRE—contd

Articles	Unit of Quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit	
			Basic price	A
1	2	3	4	5
			Rs. P.	F
<b>(f) Cereals and</b>				
Wheat (Medium) ..	Kg.	0.16	0.11	
Wheat (Dry) Gawaran ..	250 g.	2.04	0.47	
Wheat (Dry) Chinch ..	"	0.15	0.33	
Wheat (Dry) Chinch ..	Kg.	0.24	1.08	
Wheat (Dry) ..	50 g.	3.27	0.84	
Total ..		5.86		
Index Number for Sub-group I (f).				
<b>(g) Vegetables and Vegetable Products—</b>				
Eggs ..	kg.	1.87	0.29	
Small Size ..	"	..	0.23	
Large Size ..	Kg.	0.92	0.31	
Large—Big Size ..	"	..	0.24	
Large—Medium Red ..	"	0.56	0.4	
Other Vegetables ..	"	0.77	0.7	
Vegetables selected for Aug. 1976—				
(i) Bhendi ..	kg.	..	..	0
(ii) Watana ..	"	..	..	0
(iii) Ghewada ..	"	..	..	0
Vegetables selected for Sept. 1976—				
(i) Bhendi ..	kg.	..	..	..
(ii) Watana ..	"	..	..	..
(iii) Ghewada ..	"	..	..	..
Total ..		..	8.54	
Index Number for Sub-group I (g).				
<b>(h) Fruits and Fruit Products—</b>				
Banana—Big Size ..	Doz.	..	1.23	
Small Size ..	"	..	..	
Total ..		..	1.23	
Index Number for Sub-group I (h).				

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 PRICES FOR WORKING CLASS FOR  
 POONA CENTRE—contd.

Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
Basic price	Aug. 1976	Sept. 1976	Aug. 1976	Sept. 1976
4	5	6	7	8
Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
0.32	6.80	6.80	293	289
0.20	4.45	4.68	268	265
0.66				
	5.00	5.00	330	324
	5.00	5.00		
	8.00	8.00		
	8.00	8.00		
	8.00	8.00		
	7.00	7.71		
	8.00	6.98		
	0.45	6.75	265	265
		0.45		
	0.55	23.83		
	23.83		367	367
			302	302
			362	362

groundnut oil.

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CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBERS FOR WORKING CLASS FOR  
 POONA CENTRE—contd.

Articles	Unit of Quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Basic price	Aug. 1976	Sept. 1976	Aug. 1976	Sept. 1976
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
<b>(f) Condiments and Spices—</b>							
Salt White (Medium) ;...	Kg.	0.16	0.11	0.40	0.40	364	364
Chillies (Dry) Gawaran Medium.	250 g.	2.04	0.47	2.31	2.55	598	543
Turmeric, Sangli and Akhi (Medium).	"	0.15	0.33	1.15	1.15	348	348
Tamarind-Old Chinch No. 1.	Kg.	0.24	1.08	3.90	3.90	361	361
Mixed Spices—Garam Masala	50 g.	3.27	0.84	3.86	3.86	460	460
Total ..		5.86					
Index Number for Sub-group I (f).						498	479
<b>(g) Vegetables and Vegetable Products—</b>							
Potatoes—							
Big size ..	½ kg.	1.87	0.29	0.80	0.80	286	290
Small Size	"	..	0.23	0.68	0.70		
Onions							
Big size ..	Kg.	0.92	0.31	0.40	0.40	129	131
Small Size	"	..	0.24	0.31	0.32		
Brinjals—Big Size	"	0.56	0.49	1.58	1.24	322	253
Tomatoes Medium Red No. 2.	"	0.77	0.79	2.55	2.50	323	316
Other Vegetables							
Varieties selected for Aug. 1976—							
(i) Bhendi	Kg.	4.42	0.52	1.50	..	371	
(ii) Watana	"	..	0.85	3.55	..		
(iii) Ghewada	"	..	0.37	1.50	..		
Varieties selected for Sept. 1976—							
(i) Bhendi	Kg.	..	0.49	..	1.44	..	306
(ii) Watana	"	..	1.16	..	2.84		
(iii) Ghewada	"	..	0.31	..	1.18		
Total ..		8.54					
Index Number for Sub-group I (g).						318	281
<b>(h) Fruits and Fruit Products—</b>							
Banana—							
Big Size ..	Doz.	1.23	0.49	2.00	2.00	396	396
Small Size	"	..	0.39	1.50	1.50		
Total ..		1.23					
Index Number for Sub-group I (h).						399	396

CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBERS FOR WORKING CLASS FOR POONA CENTRE—contd.

Articles	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure to Revised weight	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Basic price	Aug. 1976	Sept. 1976	Aug. 1976	Sept. 1976
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
<b>(i) Sugar, Honey and Related Products—</b>							
Sugar ..	Kg. ..	6.29	1 13	3.29	3.54	279	300
Gur ..	" ..	1.20	0.58	3.00	3.00	317	317
Total ..		7.49					
<b>Index Number Sub-group I(i).</b>						<b>317</b>	<b>317</b>
<b>(j) Beverages—</b>							
Tea leaf— Brooke (Medium). Lipton (Medium) ..	Bond Package of 50 gs. ..	3.43	0.38	0.9	0.95	247	247
Hot drinks— Prepared Tea ..	Cup of 3 1/2 ozs.	5.23	0.06	0.20	0.20		
Total ..		8.66					
<b>Index Number Sub-group I(j).</b>						<b>299</b>	<b>299</b>
<b>I. Food Sub-groups—</b>							
(a) Cereals and products.	Cereal ..	37.98	..	..	..	270	283
(b) Pulses and products.	pulse ..	6.29	..	..	..	320	315
(c) Oils and Fats ..	..	7.10	..	..	..	289	291
(d) Mutton, Fish and Eggs.	..	5.26	..	..	..	322	322
(e) Milk and P. oducts.	Milk ..	11.59	..	..	..	362	362
(f) Condiments and spices.	and ..	5.86	..	..	..	498	479
(g) Vegetables and Vegetable products.	Pro- ..	8.54	..	..	..	318	281
(h) Fruits and products.	Fruits ..	1.23	..	..	..	396	396
(i) Sugar, Honey and Related Products.	..	7.49	..	..	..	317	335
(j) Beverages ..	..	8.66	..	..	..	299	299
Total ..		100.00					
<b>Index Number Group I ..</b>						<b>313</b>	<b>315</b>

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CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBERS FOR POONA CENTRE—contd.

Articles	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Basic price	Aug. 1976	Sept. 1976	Index Number
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
1. Food and drink— Rice and chaps. (Medium)	37 lbs. ..	30.00	..	..	..	100
2. Sugar, Honey and Related Products.	5 lbs. ..	20.00	..	..	..	100
3. Beverages ..	Per unit ..	0.40	..	..	..	100
4. Decant— C. 24.00	37 lbs. ..	30.00	..	..	..	100
5. Tea or Rural ..	" ..	..	..	..	..	100
6. Milk for (Fella & 8.00)	Box ..	3.00	..	..	..	100
Total ..		100.00				
<b>Sub-Group II ..</b>						
1. Housing— 2. Rent for rentals	selected	Per month ..				100.00
Total ..						100.00
<b>Sub-Group III ..</b>						
<b>A. Clothing and Foot-</b>						
<b>(a) Clothing—</b>						
(1) Dheel ..	Per metre ..	..	..	..	..	3.57
(2) Saree ..	" ..	..	..	..	..	29.00
(3) Cloth for trousers	" ..	..	..	..	..	5.25
(4) Long cloth ..	" ..	..	..	..	..	11.76
(5) Coloured poplin ..	" ..	..	..	..	..	40.44
Total ..						90.00
<b>Sub-Group Sub-group (1)(a).</b>						
<b>(b) Footwear—</b>						
(1) Shoes— (a) Data Co.	..	Per Pair ..	..	..	..	4.21
(b) Flex Co. (c) Chappals— (1) Data Co. (2) Flex Co.	..	" ..	..	..	..	4.85
Total ..						9.06
<b>Sub-Group Sub-group (1)(b).</b>						

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 NUMBERS FOR WORKING CLASS FOR  
 CENTRE—contd.

Sl. No.	Price per unit of quantity			Index No.	
	Basic Price	Aug. 1976	Sept. 1976	Aug. 1976	Sept. 1976
	4	5	6	7	8
	Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
	1-13	3-29	3-54	273	281
	0-58	3-09	3-00	317	317
	0-38	0-9	0-95	247	247
	0-39	0-95	0-95	313	313
	0-06	0-20	0-20		
				299	299
				270	270
				320	320
				289	289
				322	322
				362	362
				498	498
				318	318
				396	396
				317	317
				299	299
				313	313

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CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBERS FOR WORKING CLASS FOR  
 POONA CENTRE—contd

Articles	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Basic Price	Aug. 1976	Sept. 1976	Aug. 1976	Sept. 1976
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
<b>II. Fuel and Light—</b>							
(1) Firewood and chips (Raywal/medium)	37 kgs. ..	30.63	3.08	11.66	11.66	379	379
(2) Kerosene, Chavi Brand.	5 litres ..	24.03	1.54	6.15	6.15	399	399
(3) Electricity charges ..	Per unit ..	6.45	0.19	0.38	0.38	200	200
(4) Charcoal—							
(i) Big size ..	37 kgs. ..	35.36	7.47	25.22	25.22	317	317
(ii) Patti or Rawal ..	" ..	" ..	5.63	16.65	16.65		
(5) Match box (Tekka of 50 sticks).	Box ..	3.53	0.05	0.15	0.15	300	300
Total ..		100.00					
<b>Index Number Group II ..</b>						347	347
<b>II. Housing—</b>							
(2) Rent for selected tenements.	Per month..	100.00	..	..	..	129	129
Total ..		100.00					
<b>Index Number Group III ..</b>						129	129
<b>IV. Clothing and Footwear—</b>							
<b>(a) Clothing—</b>							
(1) Dhoti ..	Per sq. metre.	3.57	1.28	4.10	4.10	320	320
(2) Saree ..	" ..	29.86	1.28	3.16	3.16	247	247
(3) Cloth for trousers ..	" ..	5.25	2.62	8.72	8.72	333	333
(4) Long cloth ..	" ..	11.76	1.64	5.38	5.34	328	326
(5) Coloured poplin ..	" ..	40.44	2.25	7.03	7.03	312	312
Total ..		90.88					
<b>Index Number Sub-group (IV)(a).</b>						294	294
<b>(b) Footwear—</b>							
<b>(1) Shoes—</b>							
(i) Bata Co. ..	Per Pair ..	4.27	17.14	40.20	40.20	236	236
(ii) Flex Co. ..	" ..	" ..	19.30	46.00	46.00		
<b>(2) Chappals—</b>							
(i) Bata Co. ..	" ..	4.85	6.18	15.70	15.70	262	262
(ii) Flex Co. ..	" ..	" ..	8.40	22.60	22.60		
Total ..		9.12					
<b>Index Number Sub-group IV(b).</b>						250	250

CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBERS FOR WORKING CLASS FOR  
POONA CENTRE—contd.

Articles	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Basic Price	Aug. 1976	Sept. 1976	Aug. 1976	Sept. 1976
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
<b>IV. Clothing and Foot-wear—contd.</b>							
(1) Clothing ..		90.88	..			294	294
(2) Foot wear ..		9.12	..			250	250
Total ..		100.00					
<i>Index Number Group IV</i>						290	290
<b>V. Miscellaneous—</b>							
<i>(a) Pan Supari—</i>							
(1) Pan-leaf—							
(i) Gawran Kachhi ..	Bundle of 100 leaves	1.08	0.33	2.33	2.50	706	758
(2) Pan Finished—							
(i) Poona Masala ..	Each vida	1.82	0.04	0.15	0.15	375	375
(3) Supari—							
(i) Manglori ..	50 gs.	1.57	0.45	0.59	0.59	131	131
Total ..		4.47					
<i>Index Number Sub-group V (a).</i>						369	382
<i>(b) Tobacco and Tobacco Products—</i>							
<i>(1) Bidies—</i>							
(i) Charbhai ..	Bundle of 25 bidies.	2.56	0.15	0.45	0.45	300	300
(ii) Pawar ..	"	..	0.15	0.45	0.45		
<i>(2) Cigarettes—</i>							
(i) Charminar ..	Pkt. of 10 Cigarettes	1.94	0.15	0.75	0.75	462	450
(ii) Pila Hathi ..	"	..	0.20	0.85	0.80		
<i>(3) Chewing Tobacco—</i>							
(i) Akoli Jarda No. 1	50g.	1.92	0.37	0.70	0.70	199	201
(ii) Akoli Jarda No. 2	"	..	0.28	0.60	0.62		
(iii) Satara Jarda ..	"	..	0.31	0.60	0.60		
Total ..		6.42					
<i>Index Number Sub-group V (b).</i>						319	316
<i>(c) Household Utillies</i>							
<i>Utillies Brass—</i>							
(1) Lota ..	kg.	4.76	7.14	32.00	32.00	448	448
Total ..		4.76					
<i>Index Number Sub-group V (c).</i>						448	448

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Articles	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per	
			Basic Price	Price per
1	2	3	4	5
			Rs. P.	
Washing Soap	Per Piece ..	4.23	0.13	
Washing Soap BB	Per Cake..	7.37	0.40	
Total ..		11.60		
<i>Index Sub-Group</i>				
<i>Index Group</i>				
Tablets	Bottle of 70 ml.	17.37	1.89	
Tablets	2 Tablets ..	..	0.12	
Tablets	Daily per day ..	1.35	0.57	
Total ..		18.72		
<i>Index Sub-group</i>				
<i>Index Group</i>				
Small Bottle		3.37	1.00	
Per Adult		6.52	0.00	
Per Adult		..	0.00	
Cake		2.29		
Cake		..		
Bottle		1.98		
Bottle		..		
Packet of 10		0.04		
2 Packets of 5 each		..		
Total ..		14.20		
<i>Index Sub-group</i>				
<i>Index Group</i>				
Pur student		8.86		
Per month		..		
Per Copy		2.55		
Per Copy		..		
Per Copy		2.5		
Per Copy		..		
Total ..		13.00		



per unit of quantity		Index Number	
Aug. 1976	Sept. 1976	Aug. 1976	Sept. 1976
5	6	7	8
Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
		294	294
		250	250
		290	290
2.33	2.50	706	758
0.15	0.15	375	375
0.59	0.59	131	131
		369	369
0.45	0.45	300	300
0.45	0.45		
0.75	0.75	462	450
0.85	0.80		
0.70	0.70	199	201
0.60	0.62		
0.60	0.60		
		319	316
		448	448
32.00	32.00		
		448	448

CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBERS FOR WORKING CLASS FOR  
POONA CENTRE—contd.

Articles	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Basic Price	Aug. 1976	Sept. 1976	Aug. 1976	Sept. 1976
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs.P.		
(d) Washing Soap—							
(1) Laundry charges (Ordinary, Washing and Ironing).	Per Picco ..	4.23	0.13	0.35	0.35	269	269
(2) Washing Soap BB Chhap.	Per Cake..	7.37	0.40	1.05	1.05	262	262
Total ..		11.60					
Index Number Sub-Group V(d).						265	265
(e) Medical Care—							
(1) Patent Medicine—							
(i) Glycodino Terf-Vasaka	Bottle of 70 ml.	17.37	1.89	3.35	3.35	143	143
(ii) Anacin	2 Tablets ..	..	0.12	0.13	0.13		
(2) Mixture, Daily Mixture.	per day ..	1.35	0.57	0.96	0.96	168	168
Total ..		18.72					
Index Number Sub-group V(e).						145	145
(f) Personal Care—							
(1) Hair oil Tata Co. etc.	Small Bottle	3.37	1.34	4.52	4.52	337	337
(2) Barber charges—							
(a) Haircut with shave	Per Adult	6.52	0.75	2.00	2.00	249	249
(b) Haircut	Per Adult	..	0.65	1.50	1.50		
(c) Shave	Per Adult	..	0.20	0.50	0.50		
(3) Toilet Soap—							
(a) Lifebuoy	Cake ..	2.29	0.49	1.20	1.20	256	256
(b) Lux	Cake	..	0.49	1.31	1.31		
(4) Tooth Powder—							
(a) Bytco (Family size)	Bottle	1.98	1.87	4.52	4.52	251	251
(b) Bytco (Small size)	Bottle	..	0.46	1.20	1.20		
(5) Blades—							
(a) Bharat	Packet of 10	0.04	0.43	0.90	0.90	180	180
(b) 6' Morning	2 Packets of 5 each	..	0.60	0.90	0.90		
Total ..		14.20					
Index Number Sub-group V(f).						271	271
(g) Education and Reading—							
(1) School Fees for Std. VIII.	Per student Per month	8.86	4.85	5.33	5.33	110	110
(2) School Books—Std. VIII—							
(i) Kumar bharati	Per Copy	2.55	2.42	2.75	2.75	182	182
(ii) Ankaganit	Per Copy	..	1.75	5.50	5.50		
(iii) Apali Prithwi	Per Copy	..	1.88	2.20	2.20		
(3) News papers—							
(i) Sakal Daily	Per Copy	2.50	0.07	0.30	0.30	429	429
(ii) Maratha Dail.	Per Copy	..	0.07	0.30	0.30		
Total ..		13.91					
Index Number Sub-group V(g).						180	180

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POONA CENTRE—concl'd.

Articles	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total Expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Basic Price	Aug. 1976	Sept. 1976	Aug. 1976	Sept. 1976
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
<i>(h) Recreation and Amusement—</i>							
Cinema—							
Lowest Class ..	Adult ..	6.74	0.52	1.35	1.35	260	260
Total ..		6.74					
Index Number Sub-group V (h).						260	260
<i>(i) Transport and Communication—</i>							
(1) Railway—							
(i) Railway Fare for 50 k.m.	Per passenger	6.46	0.98	2.25	2.25	230	230
(2) Bus Fare—							
(i) P.M.T. Bus fare 3.22 km.	.. ..	11.43	0.10	0.25	0.25	222	222
(ii) S. T. Fare 48 k.m.	.. ..	..	1.50	2.90	2.90		
(3) Postage—							
(i) Single Card ..	Per card ..	1.29	0.05	0.15	0.15	261	261
(ii) M. O. Charges ..	Rs. 25 ..	..	0.45	1.00	1.00		
Total ..		19.18					
Index Number Sub-group V (i).						227	227
V. Miscellaneous—							
(a) Pan, Supari ..	.. ..	4.47	..	..	..	369	382
(b) Tobacco and Tobacco products.	....	6.42	..	..	..	319	316
(c) Household Utilities	....	4.76	..	..	..	448	448
(d) Washing Soap ..	....	11.60	..	..	..	265	265
(e) Medical Care ..	....	18.72	..	..	..	145	145
(f) Personal Care ..	....	14.20	..	..	..	271	271
(g) Education and Reading.	....	13.91	..	..	..	180	180
(h) Recreation and Amusement.	....	6.74	..	..	..	260	260
(i) Transport and Communication.	....	19.18	..	..	..	227	227
Total ..		100.00					
Index Number Group V						241	241

Price per unit of quantity	Index Number			
	Aug. 1976	Sept. 1976		
Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
4	5	6	7	8
P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
52	1.35	1.35	260	260
			260	260
8	2.25	2.25	230	230
0	0.25	0.25	222	222
0	2.90	2.90		
5	0.15	0.15	261	261
1	1.00	1.00		
			227	227
			369	311
			319	316
			448	448
			265	265
			145	145
			271	271
			180	180
			260	260
			227	227
			241	241

ALL INDIA AVERAGE CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBER FOR  
INDUSTRIAL WORKERS (ON BASE 1960=100) FOR 1976—

All India Average Consumer Price Index Number for Industrial Workers (General) on Base 1960=100 for September 1976 is 302 as compared to 298 in August 1976. The Index Number for September 1976 on base 1949 derived from the 1960 base index works out at 367 against 362 for August 1976.



# Labour Intelligence

## INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS IN MAHARASHTRA REVIEW FOR THE MONTH OF JULY 1976

### Industrial Courts, Tribunals and Labour Courts

In all 1873 applications were received by the Industrial Courts, Tribunals and Labour Court during the month. Their break-up are as under :—

Serial No.	Name of the Industrial Court/Tribunal and Labour Court	No. of applications, etc. received during the month under the—			Total	
		B.I.R. Act, 1946	I.D. Act, 1947	Other Acts		
1	2	3	4	5	6	
<b>I. Industrial Courts/Tribunals—</b>						
1	Industrial Court, Maharashtra, Bombay	33	....	75	108	
2	Industrial Court, Maharashtra (Nagpur Bench).	12	....	....	12	
3	Industrial Tribunals, Bombay	..	....	125	125	
4	Industrial Tribunals, Nagpur	..	....	12	12	
<b>II. Labour Courts—</b>						
1	Labour Courts, Bombay	..	136	680	95	911
2	Labour Courts, Poona	..	16	33	23	72
3	Labour Court, Kolhapur	..	....	....	....	....
4	Labour Courts, Nagpur	..	12	278	43	333
5	Labour Courts, Akola	..	....	62	49	111
6	Labour Courts, Sholapur	..	67	55	67	189
Total ..		276	1233	364	1873	

### III. Wage Boards—

In all 3 references were received by the Wage Boards for Cotton and Silk Textile Industry during the month under review.

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of cases handled by the Conciliation machinery in the month of July 1976 is given below :—

Act	Issues relating to pay allowances and Bonus
Industrial Disputes Act, 1947	196
Industrial Relations Act, 1946	27
Industrial Relations (Extension and Amendment) Act, 1964	10
Total	233

Serial No.	Pending at the beginning of month	No. of cases received during the month	Settled amicably	Ended in failure	Withdrawn not pursued by party
1	1611	707	178	298	..
2	245	41	13	24	..
3	30	15	3	3	..
Total	1886	763	194	325	..

Industry-wise and district-wise analysis of the cases received during the month of July 1976 under the Industrial Relations Extension and Amendment Act, 1964 is given below :—

Industry	Cotton Textile	Silk Textile	Wollen Textile	Textile Processing	Hosiery
1	19	4	7	3	..

District	Textile Industry	Paper Industry	Printing Industry	Press Industry	Shc
1	9	..	..	..	..

District-wise analysis is given below :—

District	Bombay	Poona	Sholapur	Satara
1	8	..	1	4

District	Bhandara	Nagpur	Wardha
1	..	14	1

of Agreements settlements, Awards etc. in Agreements, 15 settlements and 3 Awards were registered during the month of July 1976 under the Industrial Relations (Extension and Amendment) Act, 1964.

Conciliation

Analysis of disputes handled by the Conciliation machinery in the State during July, 1976 under various Acts is given below :—

(a) Cause-wise analysis of the cases received during the month :—

Act	Issues relating to pay allowances and Bonus	Employment leave hours of work and Miscellaneous causes.	Total
1. Industrial Disputes Act, 1947	196	511	707
2. Bombay Industrial Relations Act, 1946.	27	14	41
3. Bombay Industrial Relations (Extension and Amendment) Act, 1964.	10	5	15
<b>Total</b>	<b>233</b>	<b>530</b>	<b>763</b>

(b) Result-wise analysis of the cases dealt with during the month.—

Act	Pending at the beginning of month.	No. of cases received during the month	Settled amicably	Ended in failure	Withdrawn or not pursued by parties.	Closed	Total (4 to 7)	Pending at the end of the month
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
I.D. Act 1947	1611	707	178	298	137	352	965	1353
B.I.R. Act 1946	245	41	13	24	12	2	51	235
B.I.R. (Ext. and Amdt.) Act, 1964.	30	15	3	3	1	1	8	37
<b>Total</b>	<b>1886</b>	<b>763</b>	<b>194</b>	<b>325</b>	<b>150</b>	<b>355</b>	<b>1024</b>	<b>1625</b>

Industry-wise and district-wise analysis of the cases received during the month under Bombay Industrial Relations Act, 1946 and Bombay Industrial Relations Extension and Amendment) Act, 1964 are given below :—

Act	Cotton Textile	Silk Textile	Wollen Textile	Textile Processing	Hosiery	Banking	Sugar	Electricity	Transport	Total
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
Bombay Industrial Relations Act, 1946.	19	4	7	3	..	..	8	..	..	41

Act	Textil Industry	Paper Industry	Printing Industry	Press Industry	Shops	Banking	Cinema	Local Bodies	Other Misc.	Total
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
Bombay Industrial Relations (Extension and Amendment) Act, 1964.	9	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	5	15

District-wise analysis is given below :—

	Bombay	Poona	Sholapur	Satara	Thana	Kolhapur	Ahemad-Nagar	Total
Bombay Industrial Relations Act, 1946.	8	..	1	4	8	19	1	41

	Bhandara	Nagpur	Wardha	Chanda	Akola	Buldhana	Total
Bombay Industrial Relations (Ext. and Amendment) Act, 1964	..	14	1	..	..	..	15

Registration of Agreements settlements, Awards etc. 19 Agreements, 13 settlements and 3 Awards were registered under the Bombay Industrial Relations Act, 1946, and Bombay Industrial Relations (Extension and Amendment) Act, 1964, during the month.

Intelligence

INDUSTRIAL DISPUTES IN MAHARASHTRA MONTH OF JULY 1976

Industrial Courts

Industrial Courts, Tribunals and Labour Courts under :—

No. of applications, etc. received during the month under the—				Total
B.I.R. Act, 1946	I.D. Act, 1947	Other Acts		
3	4	5	6	
33	....	75	108	
12	....	....	12	
....	125	....	125	
....	....	12	12	
136	680	95	911	
16	33	23	72	
....	....	....	....	
12	278	43	333	
....	62	49	111	
67	55	67	189	
76	1233	364	1873	

Boards for Cotton and Silk Textile

INDUSTRIAL DISPUTES IN MAHARASHTRA STATE DURING JULY, 1976

	June 1976	July 1976	July 1975
No. of Disputes .. .. .	29	27	51
No. of Workers involved .. .. .	6841	7121	6947
No. of Man-days lost .. .. .	90321	12969	47739

Industry-wise classification is given below :—

Name of the Industry Group	Number of disputes progress			Number of work people involved in all disputes	Aggregate man-days lost in
	Started before beginning of the month i.e. before July 1976	Started during the month i.e. July 1976	Total		
1	2	3	4	5	6
Textile ..	1	6	7	3641	2820
Engineering ..	4	6	10	1877	7168
Miscellaneous ..	2	6	8	960	2198
Chemical ..	....	2	2	643	783
July 1976 Total ..	7	20	27	7121	12969
June 1976 Total ..	9	20	29	6841	44010

7 of the disputes arose over questions of "pay allowances and bonus issues", 15 related to "Retrenchment and grievances about personnel". No. dispute were on leave and hours of work and the remaining 5 were due to other causes.

Out of the 25 disputes that terminated during the course of the month. 5 were settled either entirely or partially in favour of the workers. 4 in favour of the employers, while the result of the remaining 6 disputes was indefinite.

\*The word "Work stoppages" in the official sense means interruption of work and it is hereby used in that sense as virtually synonymous with "Strike". In compiling statistics of the industrial disputes, however, disputes in which 10 or more persons are involved are included.

THE FOLLOWING STATEMENT GIVES THE MAN-DAYS LOST DURING THE MONTH OF JULY 1976 IN THE MAHARASHTRA STATE. THE STATEMENT IS CLASSIFIED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE NUMBER OF MAN-DAYS LOST DURING THE MONTH OF JULY 1976. THE STATEMENT IS CLASSIFIED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE NUMBER OF MAN-DAYS LOST DURING THE MONTH OF JULY 1976. THE STATEMENT IS CLASSIFIED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE NUMBER OF MAN-DAYS LOST DURING THE MONTH OF JULY 1976.

Serial No. 1 Nil

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THE FOLLOWING STATEMENT GIVES THE DETAILS INFORMATION OF IMPORTANT INDUSTRIAL DISPUTES, CAUSING MORE THAN 10,000 MAN-DAYS LOST DURING THE MONTH OF FEBRUARY, 1976

Serial No.	Name of the concern and Sector	Reason	Date of work-stoppages		No. of workers involved	Man-days Lost		Result
			Began	Ended		During the month	Till the close of the month	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9

Nil

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