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## Retail Inflation Eases to 4.83% in April, 2024

### CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBERS ON BASE 2012=100 FOR RURAL, URBAN AND COMBINED FOR THE MONTH OF APRIL 2024

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**I. Key highlights:**

1. The annual inflation rate based on all India Consumer Price Index (CPI) number is 4.83% (Provisional) for the month of April, 2024 (over April, 2023). Corresponding inflation rate for rural and urban is 5.43% and 4.11%, respectively.
2. CPI for the months of January, February and March 2024 are 5.10, 5.09 and 4.85 respectively.
3. Among the top five groups, the year-on-year inflation on groups 'Clothing & Footwear', 'Housing' and 'Fuel & light' has decreased since last month.

**II. All India Inflation rates (on point to point basis i.e. current month over same month of last year, i.e. April 2024 over April 2023), based on General Indices and CFPIs are given as follows:**

**All India year-on-year inflation rates (%) based on CPI (General) and CFPI: April 2024 over April 2023**

		Apr. 2024 (Prov.)			Mar. 2024 (Final)			Apr. 2023		
		Rural	Urban	Comb.	Rural	Urban	Comb.	Rural	Urban	Comb.
Inflation	CPI (General)	5.43	4.11	4.83	5.51	4.14	4.85	4.68	4.85	4.70
	CFPI	8.75	8.56	8.70	8.55	8.41	8.52	3.89	3.69	3.84
Index	CPI (General)	188.5	184.7	186.7	187.8	183.6	185.8	178.8	177.4	178.1
	CFPI	188.9	195.4	191.2	187.8	193.4	189.8	173.7	180.0	175.9

Notes: Prov. – Provisional, Comb. – Combined

**III. Monthly changes in the General Indices and CFPIs are given below:**

**Monthly changes (%) in All India CPI (General) and CFPI: April 2024 over March 2024**

Indices	Apr. 2024 (Prov.)			Mar. 2024 (Final)			Monthly change (%)		
	Rural	Urban	Comb.	Rural	Urban	Comb.	Rural	Urban	Comb.
CPI (General)	188.5	184.7	186.7	187.8	183.6	185.8	0.37	0.60	0.48
CFPI	188.9	195.4	191.2	187.8	193.4	189.8	0.59	1.03	0.74

Note: Figures of April 2024 are provisional.

- IV. Response rate:** The price data are collected from selected 1114 urban Markets and 1181 villages covering all States/UTs through personal visits by field staff of Field Operations Division of NSO, MoSPI on a weekly roster. During the month of April 2024, NSO collected prices from 99.9% villages and 98.5% urban markets while the market-wise prices reported therein were 89.8% for rural and 93.2% for urban.
- V.** Next date of release for May 2024 CPI is 12<sup>th</sup> June 2024 (Wednesday). For more details please visit the website [www.mospi.gov.in](http://www.mospi.gov.in)

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**All-India General, Group and Sub-group level CPI and CFPI numbers for March 2024 (Final) and April 2024 (Provisional) for Rural, Urban and Combined**  
(Base: 2012=100)

Group Code	Sub-group Code	Description	Rural			Urban			Combined		
			Weights	Mar. 24 Index (Final)	Apr. 24 Index (Prov.)	Weights	Mar. 24 Index (Final)	Apr. 24 Index (Prov.)	Weights	Mar. 24 Index (Final)	Apr. 24 Index (Prov.)
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)
	1.1.01	Cereals and products	12.35	189.3	188.8	6.59	188.5	188.9	9.67	189.0	188.8
	1.1.02	Meat and fish	4.38	217.9	223.0	2.73	226.7	232.8	3.61	221.0	226.4
	1.1.03	Egg	0.49	192.7	180.1	0.36	194.3	184.1	0.43	193.3	181.6
	1.1.04	Milk and products	7.72	183.2	183.6	5.33	183.6	184.0	6.61	183.3	183.7
	1.1.05	Oils and fats	4.21	160.2	160.4	2.81	154.7	154.9	3.56	158.2	158.4
	1.1.06	Fruits	2.88	172.8	182.7	2.90	176.7	188.6	2.89	174.6	185.5
	1.1.07	Vegetables	7.46	182.5	184.9	4.41	222.6	225.3	6.04	196.1	198.6
	1.1.08	Pulses and products	2.95	199.7	200.7	1.73	205.0	206.2	2.38	201.5	202.6
	1.1.09	Sugar and Confectionery	1.70	128.0	127.7	0.97	130.1	130.2	1.36	128.7	128.5
	1.1.10	Spices	3.11	236.3	231.8	1.79	228.2	224.7	2.50	233.6	229.4
	1.2.11	Non-alcoholic beverages	1.37	182.1	182.2	1.13	170.3	170.6	1.26	177.2	177.4
	1.1.12	Prepared meals, snacks, sweets etc.	5.56	195.9	196.2	5.54	204.6	204.9	5.55	199.9	200.2
<b>1</b>		<b>Food and beverages</b>	<b>54.18</b>	<b>188.5</b>	<b>189.5</b>	<b>36.29</b>	<b>194.4</b>	<b>196.1</b>	<b>45.86</b>	<b>190.7</b>	<b>191.9</b>
<b>2</b>		<b>Pan, tobacco and intoxicants</b>	<b>3.26</b>	<b>204.0</b>	<b>204.9</b>	<b>1.36</b>	<b>210.2</b>	<b>211.1</b>	<b>2.38</b>	<b>205.7</b>	<b>206.6</b>
	3.1.01	Clothing	6.32	195.8	196.2	4.72	185.8	186.2	5.58	191.9	192.3
	3.1.02	Footwear	1.04	191.1	191.1	0.85	172.3	172.8	0.95	183.3	183.5
<b>3</b>		<b>Clothing and footwear</b>	<b>7.36</b>	<b>195.1</b>	<b>195.5</b>	<b>5.57</b>	<b>183.8</b>	<b>184.2</b>	<b>6.53</b>	<b>190.6</b>	<b>191.0</b>
<b>4</b>		<b>Housing</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>21.67</b>	<b>178.2</b>	<b>179.9</b>	<b>10.07</b>	<b>178.2</b>	<b>179.9</b>
<b>5</b>		<b>Fuel and light</b>	<b>7.94</b>	<b>181.0</b>	<b>179.2</b>	<b>5.58</b>	<b>167.4</b>	<b>165.5</b>	<b>6.84</b>	<b>175.8</b>	<b>174.0</b>
	6.1.01	Household goods and services	3.75	183.3	183.7	3.87	174.0	174.4	3.80	178.9	179.3
	6.1.02	Health	6.83	194.3	194.9	4.81	189.1	189.7	5.89	192.3	192.9
	6.1.03	Transport and communication	7.60	172.0	171.8	9.73	161.9	161.4	8.59	166.7	166.3
	6.1.04	Recreation and amusement	1.37	177.8	178.1	2.04	172.8	173.0	1.68	175.0	175.2
	6.1.05	Education	3.46	186.1	186.7	5.62	181.2	181.8	4.46	183.2	183.8
	6.1.06	Personal care and effects	4.25	191.3	196.9	3.47	192.8	198.8	3.89	191.9	197.7
<b>6</b>		<b>Miscellaneous</b>	<b>27.26</b>	<b>184.2</b>	<b>185.4</b>	<b>29.53</b>	<b>176.0</b>	<b>176.8</b>	<b>28.32</b>	<b>180.2</b>	<b>181.2</b>
<b>General Index (All Groups)</b>			<b>100.00</b>	<b>187.8</b>	<b>188.5</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>183.6</b>	<b>184.7</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>185.8</b>	<b>186.7</b>
<b>Consumer Food Price Index (CFPI)</b>			<b>47.25</b>	<b>187.8</b>	<b>188.9</b>	<b>29.62</b>	<b>193.4</b>	<b>195.4</b>	<b>39.06</b>	<b>189.8</b>	<b>191.2</b>

## Notes:

1. Prov. : Provisional.
2. CFPI : Out of 12 sub-groups contained in 'Food and Beverages' group, CFPI is based on ten sub-groups, excluding 'Non-alcoholic beverages' and 'Prepared meals, snacks, sweets etc.'.
3. - : CPI (Rural) for housing is not compiled.

**All-India year-on-year inflation rates (%) for General, Group and Sub-group level CPI and CFPI numbers for April 2024 (Provisional) for Rural, Urban and Combined**  
(Base: 2012=100)

Group Code	Sub-group Code	Description	Rural			Urban			Combined		
			Apr. 23 Index (Final)	Apr. 24 Index (Prov.)	Inflation Rate (%)	Apr. 23 Index (Final)	Apr. 24 Index (Prov.)	Inflation Rate (%)	Apr. 23 Index (Final)	Apr. 24 Index (Prov.)	Inflation Rate (%)
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)
	1.1.01	Cereals and products	173.3	188.8	8.94	174.8	188.9	8.07	173.8	188.8	8.63
	1.1.02	Meat and fish	206.9	223.0	7.78	213.7	232.8	8.94	209.3	226.4	8.17
	1.1.03	Egg	167.9	180.1	7.27	172.4	184.1	6.79	169.6	181.6	7.08
	1.1.04	Milk and products	178.2	183.6	3.03	178.8	184.0	2.91	178.4	183.7	2.97
	1.1.05	Oils and fats	178.5	160.4	-10.14	168.7	154.9	-8.18	174.9	158.4	-9.43
	1.1.06	Fruits	173.7	182.7	5.18	179.2	188.6	5.25	176.3	185.5	5.22
	1.1.07	Vegetables	142.8	184.9	29.48	179.9	225.3	25.24	155.4	198.6	27.80
	1.1.08	Pulses and products	172.8	200.7	16.15	174.7	206.2	18.03	173.4	202.6	16.84
	1.1.09	Sugar and Confectionery	120.4	127.7	6.06	123.1	130.2	5.77	121.3	128.5	5.94
	1.1.10	Spices	215.5	231.8	7.56	207.8	224.7	8.13	212.9	229.4	7.75
	1.2.11	Non-alcoholic beverages	178.2	182.2	2.24	165.5	170.6	3.08	172.9	177.4	2.60
	1.1.12	Prepared meals, snacks, sweets etc.	190.5	196.2	2.99	197.0	204.9	4.01	193.5	200.2	3.46
<b>1</b>		<b>Food and beverages</b>	<b>175.5</b>	<b>189.5</b>	<b>7.98</b>	<b>182.1</b>	<b>196.1</b>	<b>7.69</b>	<b>177.9</b>	<b>191.9</b>	<b>7.87</b>
<b>2</b>		<b>Pan, tobacco and intoxicants</b>	<b>199.5</b>	<b>204.9</b>	<b>2.71</b>	<b>203.5</b>	<b>211.1</b>	<b>3.73</b>	<b>200.6</b>	<b>206.6</b>	<b>2.99</b>
	3.1.01	Clothing	190.7	196.2	2.88	181.0	186.2	2.87	186.9	192.3	2.89
	3.1.02	Footwear	187.3	191.1	2.03	167.7	172.8	3.04	179.2	183.5	2.40
<b>3</b>		<b>Clothing and footwear</b>	<b>190.2</b>	<b>195.5</b>	<b>2.79</b>	<b>178.9</b>	<b>184.2</b>	<b>2.96</b>	<b>185.7</b>	<b>191.0</b>	<b>2.85</b>
<b>4</b>		<b>Housing</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>175.2</b>	<b>179.9</b>	<b>2.68</b>	<b>175.2</b>	<b>179.9</b>	<b>2.68</b>
<b>5</b>		<b>Fuel and light</b>	<b>181.5</b>	<b>179.2</b>	<b>-1.27</b>	<b>182.1</b>	<b>165.5</b>	<b>-9.12</b>	<b>181.7</b>	<b>174.0</b>	<b>-4.24</b>
	6.1.01	Household goods and services	179.1	183.7	2.57	169.6	174.4	2.83	174.6	179.3	2.69
	6.1.02	Health	187.2	194.9	4.11	181.5	189.7	4.52	185.0	192.9	4.27
	6.1.03	Transport and communication	169.4	171.8	1.42	160.1	161.4	0.81	164.5	166.3	1.09
	6.1.04	Recreation and amusement	173.2	178.1	2.83	168.8	173.0	2.49	170.7	175.2	2.64
	6.1.05	Education	179.4	186.7	4.07	174.2	181.8	4.36	176.4	183.8	4.20
	6.1.06	Personal care and effects	183.8	196.9	7.13	184.4	198.8	7.81	184.0	197.7	7.45
<b>6</b>		<b>Miscellaneous</b>	<b>178.9</b>	<b>185.4</b>	<b>3.63</b>	<b>170.9</b>	<b>176.8</b>	<b>3.45</b>	<b>175.0</b>	<b>181.2</b>	<b>3.54</b>
<b>General Index (All Groups)</b>			<b>178.8</b>	<b>188.5</b>	<b>5.43</b>	<b>177.4</b>	<b>184.7</b>	<b>4.11</b>	<b>178.1</b>	<b>186.7</b>	<b>4.83</b>
<b>Consumer Food Price Index</b>			<b>173.7</b>	<b>188.9</b>	<b>8.75</b>	<b>180.0</b>	<b>195.4</b>	<b>8.56</b>	<b>175.9</b>	<b>191.2</b>	<b>8.70</b>

Notes:

1. Prov. : Provisional.
2. - : CPI (Rural) for housing is not compiled.

**General CPI for States for Rural, Urban and Combined for March 2024 (Final) and April 2024 (Provisional)**  
(Base: 2012=100)

Sl. No.	Name of the State/UT	Rural			Urban			Combined		
		Weights	Mar. 24 Index (Final)	Apr. 24 Index (Prov.)	Weights	Mar. 24 Index (Final)	Apr. 24 Index (Prov.)	Weights	Mar. 24 Index (Final)	Apr. 24 Index (Prov.)
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)
1	Andhra Pradesh	5.40	191.6	192.8	3.64	191.9	192.9	4.58	191.7	192.8
2	Arunachal Pradesh	0.14	190.4	191.6	0.06	--	--	0.10	190.4	191.6
3	Assam	2.63	189.4	190.0	0.79	184.8	185.9	1.77	188.5	189.2
4	Bihar	8.21	182.2	181.8	1.62	188.7	189.8	5.14	183.1	183.0
5	Chhattisgarh	1.68	177.4	179.0	1.22	174.5	176.2	1.46	176.3	177.9
6	Delhi	0.28	169.6	169.7	5.64	169.4	169.2	2.77	169.4	169.2
7	Goa	0.14	172.8	171.4	0.25	174.9	176.0	0.19	174.1	174.2
8	Gujarat	4.54	183.9	184.6	6.82	174.3	175.1	5.60	178.5	179.2
9	Haryana	3.30	188.9	190.4	3.35	177.8	178.8	3.32	183.7	185.0
10	Himachal Pradesh	1.03	173.9	175.5	0.26	178.7	180.4	0.67	174.8	176.4
11	Jharkhand	1.96	182.5	182.3	1.39	184.0	185.2	1.69	183.1	183.4
12	Karnataka	5.09	190.5	191.1	6.81	191.9	193.5	5.89	191.3	192.4
13	Kerala	5.50	193.4	196.5	3.46	191.1	193.6	4.55	192.6	195.5
14	Madhya Pradesh	4.93	184.7	185.2	3.97	187.4	188.0	4.48	185.8	186.4
15	Maharashtra	8.25	186.3	186.7	18.86	179.0	180.4	13.18	181.4	182.5
16	Manipur	0.23	218.6	218.6	0.12	182.3	183.8	0.18	207.1	207.6
17	Meghalaya	0.28	172.3	171.6	0.15	177.2	177.4	0.22	173.8	173.4
18	Mizoram	0.07	203.6	204.0	0.13	173.1	174.4	0.10	185.0	185.9
19	Nagaland	0.14	193.9	195.4	0.12	178.6	178.9	0.13	187.4	188.4
20	Odisha	2.93	188.8	190.5	1.31	181.3	182.6	2.18	186.7	188.3
21	Punjab	3.31	181.4	182.0	3.09	173.8	173.7	3.21	178.0	178.3
22	Rajasthan	6.63	184.9	185.3	4.23	183.6	184.0	5.51	184.4	184.8
23	Sikkim	0.06	196.3	196.1	0.03	184.7	185.5	0.05	192.5	192.6
24	Tamil Nadu	5.55	193.3	194.7	9.20	190.9	192.8	7.25	191.9	193.6
25	Telangana	3.16	201.8	203.2	4.41	195.0	195.7	3.74	198.1	199.1
26	Tripura	0.35	203.7	207.2	0.14	193.1	195.5	0.25	201.0	204.2
27	Uttar Pradesh	14.83	187.2	187.5	9.54	184.8	185.8	12.37	186.3	186.9
28	Uttarakhand	1.06	181.9	182.5	0.73	183.6	185.1	0.91	182.5	183.5
29	West Bengal	6.99	190.5	190.6	7.20	187.3	188.6	7.09	189.0	189.7
30	Andaman & Nicobar Islands	0.05	193.3	193.7	0.07	181.9	183.3	0.06	187.5	188.4
31	Chandigarh	0.02	182.5	183.1	0.34	172.0	173.7	0.17	172.6	174.2
32	Dadra & Nagar Haveli	0.02	173.7	173.8	0.04	180.7	181.0	0.03	178.4	178.6
33	Daman & Diu	0.02	187.2	186.7	0.02	181.5	186.7	0.02	184.8	186.7
34	Jammu & Kashmir*	1.14	196.8	197.0	0.72	191.4	192.7	0.94	194.9	195.5
35	Lakshadweep	0.01	191.0	193.9	0.01	173.4	177.2	0.01	182.0	185.4
36	Puducherry	0.08	195.3	195.3	0.27	190.1	190.7	0.17	191.4	191.9
	<b>All India</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>187.8</b>	<b>188.5</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>183.6</b>	<b>184.7</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>185.8</b>	<b>186.7</b>

## Notes:

1. Prov.: Provisional
2. --: indicates the receipt of price schedules is less than 80% of allocated schedules and therefore indices are not compiled.
3. \*: Figures of this row pertain to the prices and weights of the combined Union Territories of Jammu & Kashmir and Ladakh (erstwhile State of Jammu & Kashmir).

## Annex IV

**Year-on-year inflation rates (%) of major<sup>@</sup> States for Rural, Urban and Combined for April 2024 (Provisional)**  
**(Base: 2012=100)**

Sl. No.	Name of the State/UT	Rural			Urban			Combined		
		Apr. 23 Index (Final)	Apr. 24 Index (Prov.)	Inflation Rate (%)	Apr. 23 Index (Final)	Apr. 24 Index (Prov.)	Inflation Rate (%)	Apr. 23 Index (Final)	Apr. 24 Index (Prov.)	Inflation Rate (%)
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)
1	Andhra Pradesh	181.5	192.8	6.23	184.4	192.9	4.61	182.6	192.8	5.59
2	Assam	179.5	190.0	5.85	177.2	185.9	4.91	179.0	189.2	5.70
3	Bihar	172.7	181.8	5.27	180.1	189.8	5.39	173.8	183.0	5.29
4	Chhattisgarh	168.7	179.0	6.11	167.6	176.2	5.13	168.3	177.9	5.70
5	Delhi	166.1	169.7	2.17	165.6	169.2	2.17	165.6	169.2	2.17
6	Gujarat	176.5	184.6	4.59	167.9	175.1	4.29	171.6	179.2	4.43
7	Haryana	178.5	190.4	6.67	171.2	178.8	4.44	175.1	185.0	5.65
8	Himachal Pradesh	167.9	175.5	4.53	175.3	180.4	2.91	169.2	176.4	4.26
9	Jharkhand	174.5	182.3	4.47	179.6	185.2	3.12	176.4	183.4	3.97
10	Karnataka	178.9	191.1	6.82	185.5	193.5	4.31	182.4	192.4	5.48
11	Kerala	186.4	196.5	5.42	184.2	193.6	5.10	185.6	195.5	5.33
12	Madhya Pradesh	174.8	185.2	5.95	180.2	188.0	4.33	177.0	186.4	5.31
13	Maharashtra	180.1	186.7	3.66	174.0	180.4	3.68	176.0	182.5	3.69
14	Odisha	177.4	190.5	7.38	171.8	182.6	6.29	175.8	188.3	7.11
15	Punjab	174.9	182.0	4.06	167.1	173.7	3.95	171.4	178.3	4.03
16	Rajasthan	176.1	185.3	5.22	174.3	184.0	5.57	175.5	184.8	5.30
17	Tamil Nadu	184.2	194.7	5.70	184.7	192.8	4.39	184.5	193.6	4.93
18	Telangana	191.5	203.2	6.11	185.9	195.7	5.27	188.4	199.1	5.68
19	Uttar Pradesh	176.5	187.5	6.23	178.2	185.8	4.26	177.1	186.9	5.53
20	Uttarakhand	175.9	182.5	3.75	179.2	185.1	3.29	177.1	183.5	3.61
21	West Bengal	183.2	190.6	4.04	183.5	188.6	2.78	183.3	189.7	3.49
22	Jammu & Kashmir*	187.9	197.0	4.84	187.9	192.7	2.55	187.9	195.5	4.04
	<b>All India</b>	<b>178.8</b>	<b>188.5</b>	<b>5.43</b>	<b>177.4</b>	<b>184.7</b>	<b>4.11</b>	<b>178.1</b>	<b>186.7</b>	<b>4.83</b>

Notes:

1. **Prov.** : Provisional.
2. **\*** : Figures of this row pertain to the prices and weights of the combined Union Territories of Jammu & Kashmir and Ladakh (erstwhile State of Jammu & Kashmir).
3. **@** : States having population more than 50 lakhs as per Population Census 2011.

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