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## **Price Bulletin**

**April-2025**



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## **PREFACE**

Price collection is one of the major assignments undertaken by the Directorate of Economics and Statistics. The importance and usefulness of the information pertaining to the price movements has much significance. This Directorate has been collecting the price data related to both Wholesale and Retail. Among the Retail prices, the statement of weekly prices of 89 essential commodities is being collected on every Friday from District Headquarters. In addition to this, Wholesale prices of 52 Agricultural commodities are also being collected on weekly basis.

The Publication entitled "Monthly Price Bulletin" is a regular feature of the Directorate of Economics & Statistics. The price data reflected in these Bulletins gives a bird's eye view of the price scenario of the important consumer/agricultural commodities for the month the Bulletin relates. The purpose behind its publication is to inform the users about the price fluctuations within a given period of time.

The instant Bulletin covers the price data for the month of April, 2025 and its comparison with the data of previous month and the corresponding month of the previous year, 2024 in tabular as well as in graphical form.

The data is collected by the designated price collectors working in the District Statistics & Evaluation Officers on a weekly basis. In case of Retail prices, price data from all twenty districts is collected for the listed commodities whereas in case of wholesale price, price data is collected from nine districts namely Jammu, Udhampur, Kathua, Poonch, Srinagar, Anantnag, Pulwama, Shopian and Baramulla. The weekly district-level data is compiled in this Directorate and presented in the form of a Monthly bulletin.

In addition, Labour Bureau, Shimla consolidates the Consumer Price Index for Industrial workers on Base year 2016=100 of Jammu & Kashmir Centre on the basis of weekly/monthly price data obtained from six markets namely Maharaja Bazar, Pampore- Pantha Chowk, Purani Mandi (Jammu), Bari Brahmana (Samba), Samba Market and Kathua Market. For this purpose, price collectors and supervisors are appointed by this Directorate. The index is used inter-alia, for regulation of wages and dearness allowances of central and state Government Employees. The group wise Consumer Price Index for the Industrial workers for April, 2025 uploaded by the Labour Bureau, Ministry of Labour & Employment and General Index for Agricultural Labourers and Rural Labourers for the month of April, 2025 furnished by the Labour Bureau, Ministry of Labour and Employment has also been replicated in the present bulletin. The Labour Bureau of the Ministry of Labour & Employment has uploaded the group-wise Consumer Price Index for industrial workers for April 2025 on its website.

# RETAIL PRICES OF ESSENTIAL COMMODITIES APRIL-2025

## INTRODUCTION

This section of the bulletin depicts the average retail prices of vital commodities for the month of April, 2025. This report includes statements showing the monthly average retail prices of essential commodities for the month of April in the previous year 2024, the previous month March, 2025 and the current month April 2025, as

well as the percentage of variation over the previous month and the current month of the previous year. A group-wise analysis has been performed with reference to the current month, the preceding month, and the comparable month of the previous year, which is also shown by graphs.

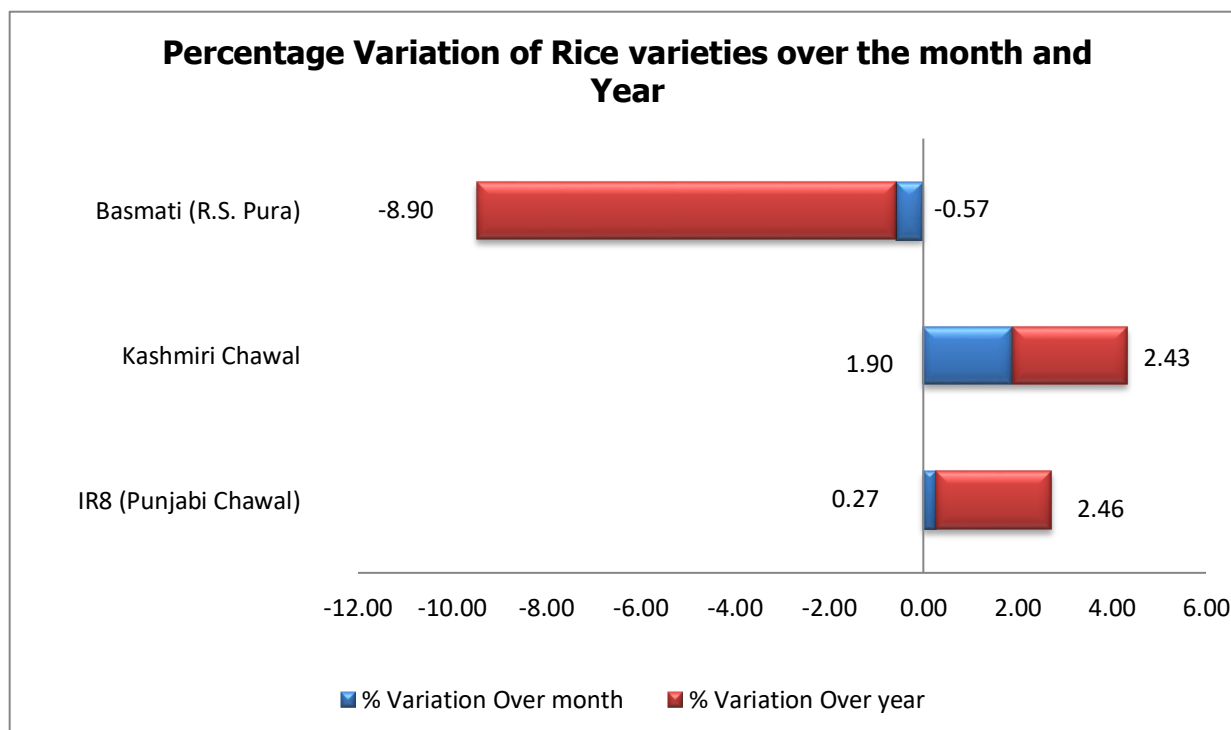


**A&B - CEREALS AND CEREALS PRODUCTS.****Comparison of UT average Retail prices of different varieties of Cereals and Cereals Products.**

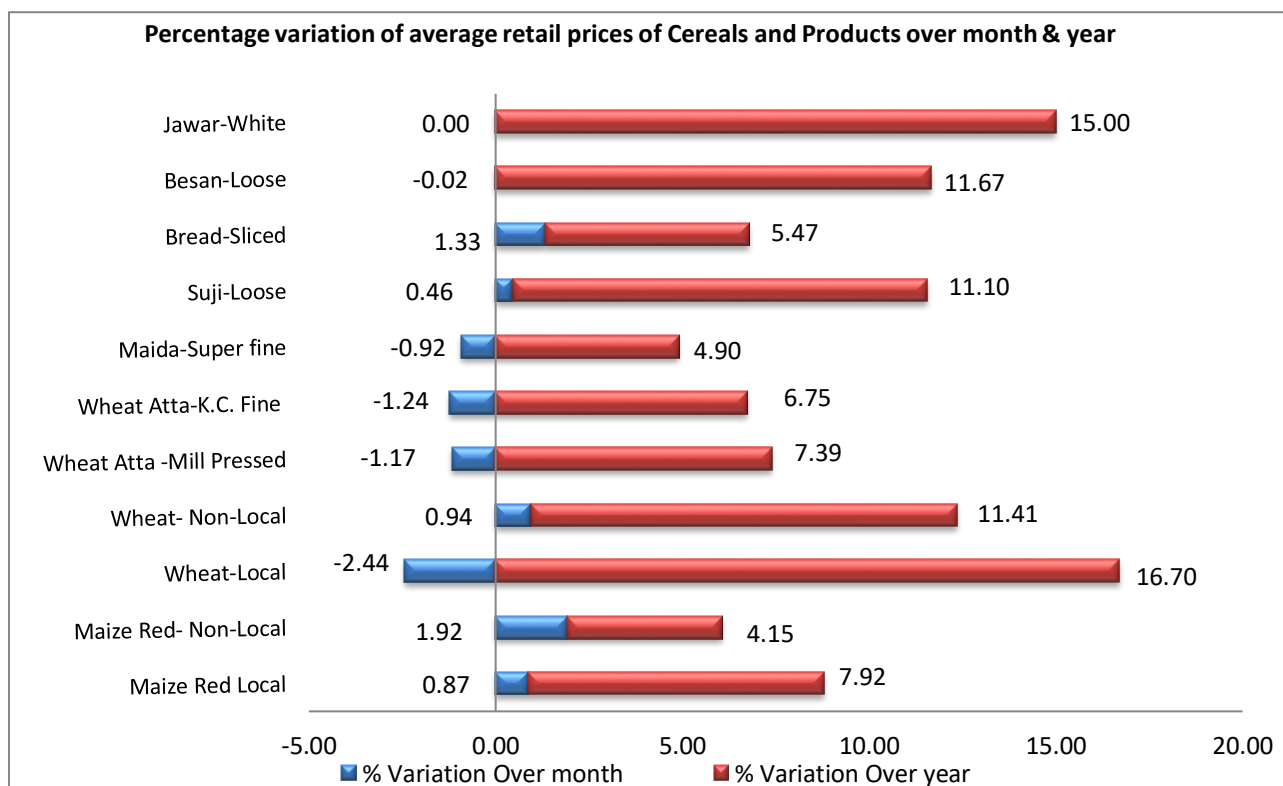
Average retail prices for cereals and cereal products increased when compared to the same month last year. The average retail prices for IR8 and Kashmiri Chawal climbed by 2.46% and 2.43%, respectively, over the previous year, while Basmati Rice (R.S. Pura) decreased by

8.90%. Overall, the UT average retail prices of grains exhibit a mixed trend as compared to the previous month. The pricing and percentage changes in Cereals & Cereals items over a month and a year are shown in the table and graph below.

A. RICE								
S. No.	Name of Commodity	Variety & Quality	Unit	Price ( in Rs.) on			Percentage Variation in prices	
				April-24	March-25	April-25	Over month	Over year
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
1	Rice	IR8 (Punjabi Chawal)	Kg	38.86	39.71	39.82	0.27	2.46
		Kashmiri Chawal	Kg	45.43	45.67	46.53	1.90	2.43
		Basmati (R.S. Pura)	Kg	136.43	125.00	124.29	-0.57	-8.90



B. Cereals								
S. No.	Name of Commodity	Variety & Quality	Unit	Price (in Rs.) on			Percentage Variation in prices	
				April-24	March-25	April-25	Over month	Over year
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
1	Maize Red	Local, Medium Quality	Kg	31.56	33.76	34.06	0.87	7.92
		Non-Local, Medium Quality	Kg	31.00	31.68	32.29	1.92	4.15
2	Wheat	Local, Medium Quality	Kg	27.17	32.50	31.71	-2.44	16.70
		Non-Local, Medium Quality	Kg	31.92	35.23	35.56	0.94	11.41
3	Wheat Atta	Mill Pressed, Medium Quality	Kg	35.43	38.50	38.05	-1.17	7.39
		K.C. Fine 1 Kg	Kg	36.00	38.91	38.43	-1.24	6.75
4	Maida-Super fine	Super fine Medium Quality	Kg	40.99	43.40	43.00	-0.92	4.90
5	Suji-Loose	Made from wheat, Medium Quality loose	Kg	41.46	45.85	46.06	0.46	11.10
6	Bread-Sliced	Sliced/Wrapped	400 gm	40.05	41.68	42.24	1.33	5.47
7	Besan-Loose	Made from Gram dal, Medium Quality loose	Kg	102.06	114.00	113.97	-0.02	11.67
8	Jawar-White	White	Kg	50.00	57.50	57.50	0.00	15.00



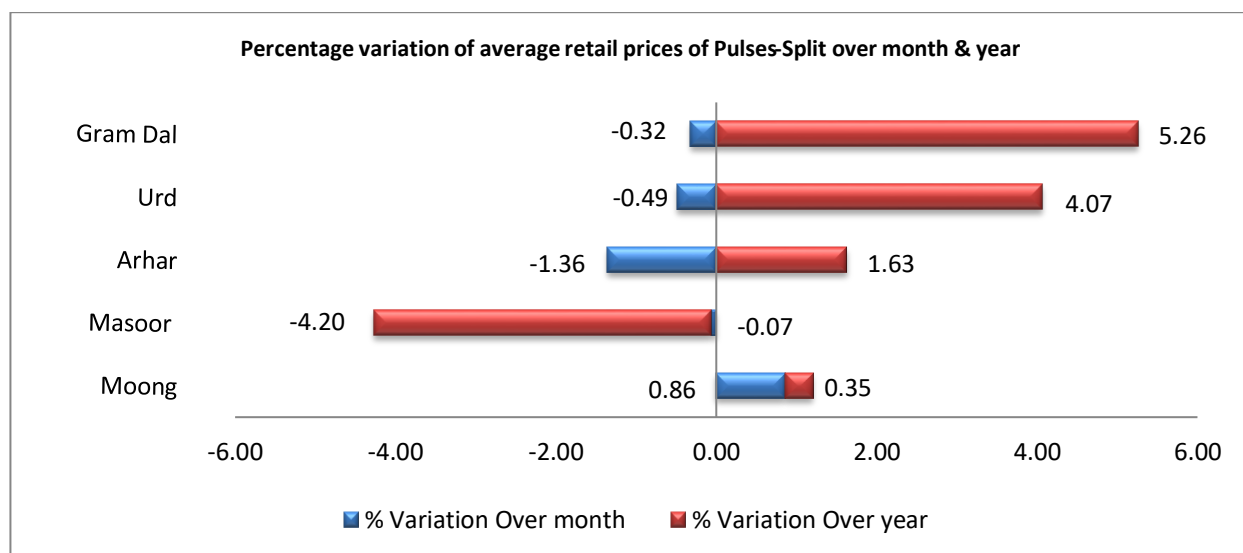
## C. PULSES AND PRODUCTS.

### C (i) - PULSES SPLIT: Comparison of UT average Retail prices of Pulses-Split.

When compared to the same month last year, pulse prices exhibit an upward trend except Masoor Dal (N.L) which shows decreasing trend.

The table and graph below illustrate the price and percentage fluctuations in Pulses-Split over the course of a month and year.

C. (i)-PULSES-SPLIT								
S. No.	Name of Commodity	Variety & Quality	Unit	Price (in Rs.) on			Percentage Variation	
				April-24	March-25	April-25	Over month	Over year
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
1	Moong	Non-Local, Medium Quality	Kg	124.38	123.75	124.81	0.86	0.35
2	Masoor	Non-Local, Medium Quality	Kg	110.69	106.11	106.04	-0.07	-4.20
3	Arhar	Non-Local, Medium Quality	Kg	140.81	145.07	143.10	-1.36	1.63
4	Urd	Non-Local, Medium Quality	Kg	125.56	131.32	130.67	-0.49	4.07
5	Gram Dal	Non-Local, Medium Quality	Kg	92.63	97.81	97.50	-0.32	5.26

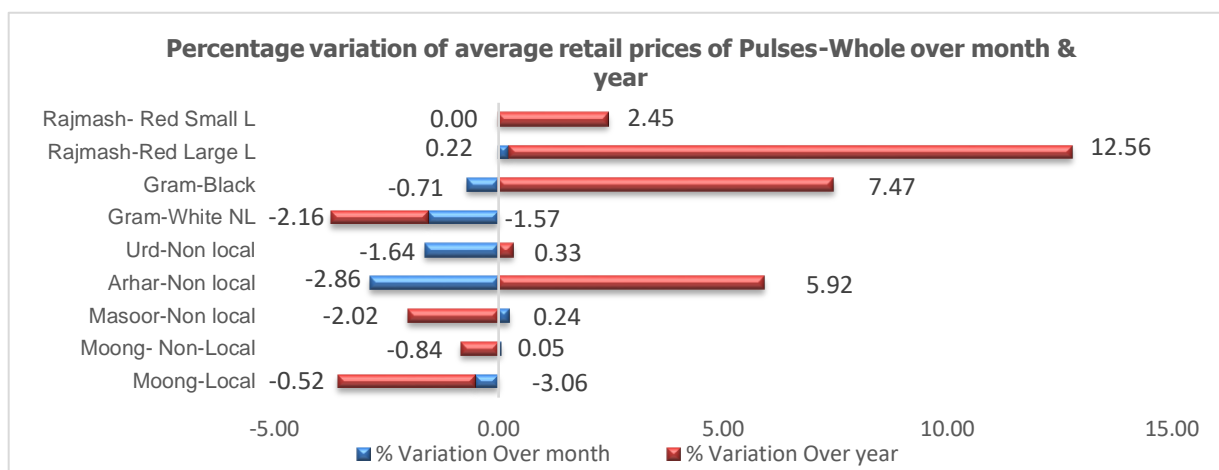


### C (ii) - PULSES WHOLE: Comparison of UT average Retail prices of Pulses Whole.

The table demonstrates that prices for products in the group have a mixed tendency when compared to the previous month as well as corresponding month of the last year.

When compared to the same month last year, the average prices for Arhar (Non-Local), Urd (Non Local), Gram (black) and Rajmash Red large (Local) and Rajmash Red Small (Local) increased by 5.92%, 0.33%, 7.47%, 12.56% and 2.45% respectively. Except Moong (Local, Non-Local), Masoor (Non-local) and Gram (White) which decreased by (3.06%, 0.84%), 2.02% and 2.16% respectively.

C. (ii)- PULSES-WHOLE							
S. No	Name of Commodity	Variety & Quality	Price (in Rs.) on			Percentage Variation in prices	
			April-24	March-25	April-25	Over month	Over year
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
1	Moong	Local	245.00	238.75	237.50	-0.52	-3.06
		Non Local	119.63	118.56	118.63	0.05	-0.84
2	Masoor	Non local	105.89	103.50	103.75	0.24	-2.02
3	Arhar	Non local	136.68	149.04	144.77	-2.86	5.92
4	Urd	Non local	122.51	124.96	122.91	-1.64	0.33
5	Gram	White	155.08	154.15	151.73	-1.57	-2.16
		Black	89.65	97.04	96.35	-0.71	7.47
6	Rajmash	Red Large Local	164.64	184.90	185.31	0.22	12.56
		Red Small Local	165.71	169.77	169.77	0.00	2.45

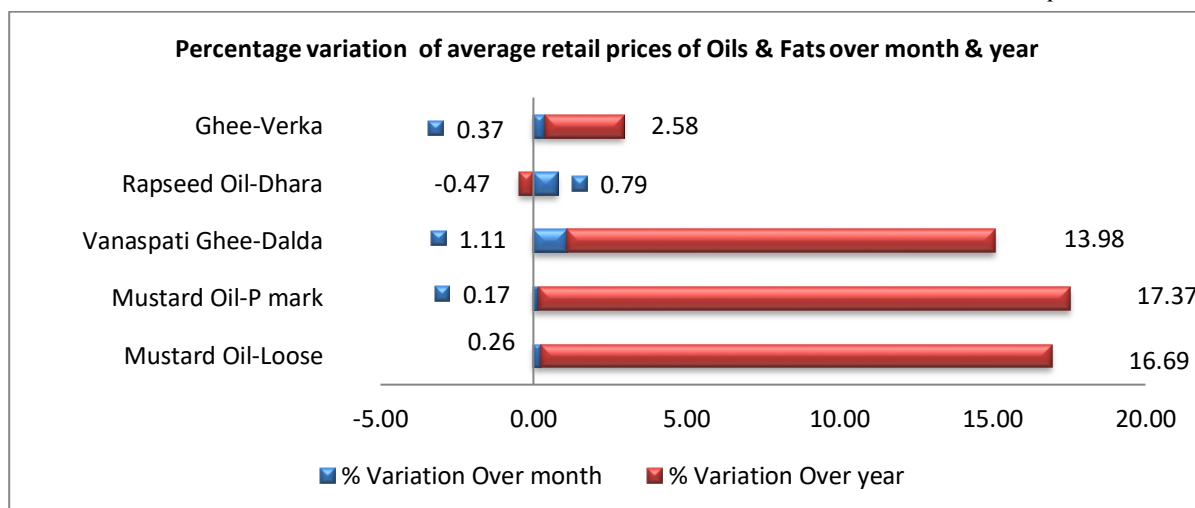


## D. OILS AND FATS

### Comparison of UT average Retail prices of Oils and Fats.

The average prices of commodities in this group show an increasing trend when compared to the same month previous year and the previous month. Over the past year, the average price of Rapseed Oil has decreased by 0.47%.

D Oils & Fats								
S. No.	Name of Commodity	Variety & Quality	Unit	Price (in Rs) on			Percentage Variation in prices	
				April-24	March-25	April-25	Over month	Over year
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
1	Mustard Oil	Loose	1 Ltr	149.67	174.20	174.64	0.26	16.69
		P- mark	5 Ltr	726.71	851.50	852.94	0.17	17.37
2	Vanaspati Ghee	Dalda polypack	1 Ltr	144.47	162.87	164.67	1.11	13.98
3	Rapseed Oil	Dhara	1 Ltr	183.00	180.71	182.14	0.79	-0.47
4	Ghee	Verka	1 kg	623.12	636.84	639.19	0.37	2.58

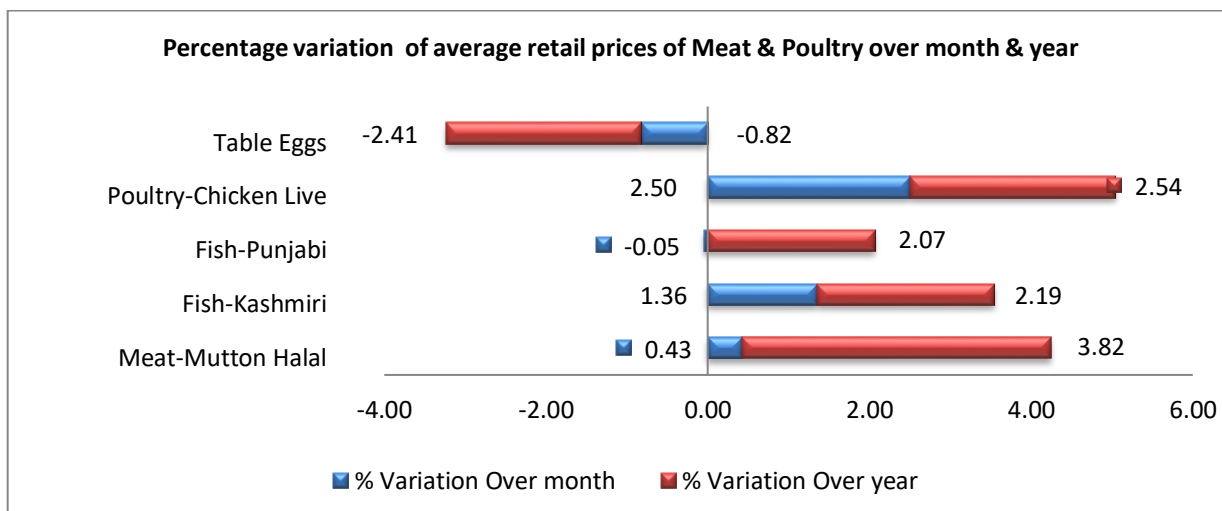


## E. MEAT, FISH, EGGS AND POULTRY

### Comparison of UT average Retail prices of Meat, Fish, Eggs & Poultry.

In comparison to the same month of last year, average prices under this group shows an increasing trend except eggs which have dropped by 2.41%. However, as compared to the previous month, average prices under this group exhibits a mixed trend.

E-Meat, Fish & Poultry								
S. No.	Name of Commodity	Variety & Quality	Unit	Price (in Rs) on			Percentage Variation in prices	
				April-24	March-25	April-25	Over month	Over year
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
1	Meat	Mutton Halal	Kg	599.21	619.47	622.11	0.43	3.82
2	Fish	Kashmiri	Kg	331.82	334.55	339.09	1.36	2.19
		Punjabi (Mirror Carp)	Kg	265.30	270.92	270.79	-0.05	2.07
3	Poultry	Chicken Live Broiler	Kg	152.19	152.25	156.06	2.50	2.54
4	Eggs	Table Eggs	Dozen	77.65	76.40	75.78	-0.82	-2.41

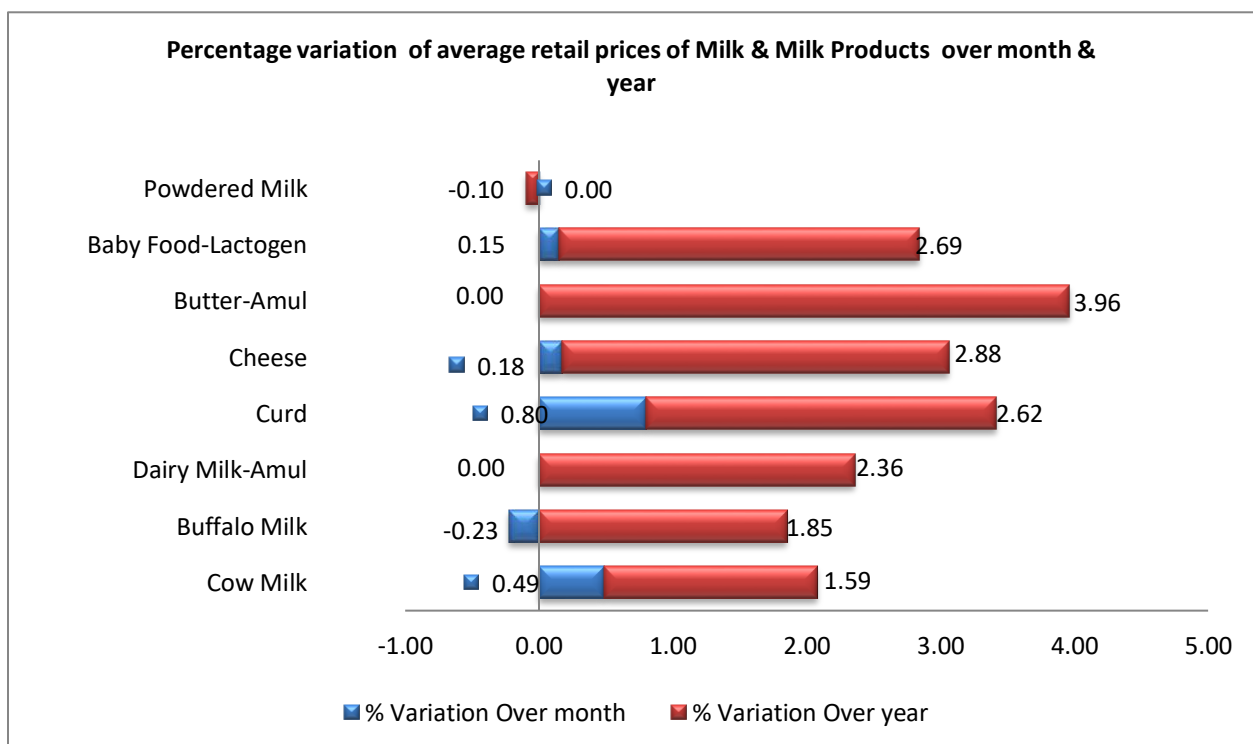


## F. MILK AND MILK PRODUCTS

### Comparison of UT average Retail prices of Milk & Milk Products.

When compared to the previous month's pricing, this group's items show an upward trend. However, compared to the same month of last year, average costs in this category for cow milk, buffalo milk, dairy milk, Fresh curd, cheese fresh, Amul Butter and baby food, have risen by 1.59%, 1.85%, 2.36%, 2.62%, 2.88%, 3.96% and 2.69% respectively, in the previous year.

F- MILK AND MILK PRODUCTS								
S. No	Name of Commodity	Variety & Quality	Unit	Price (in Rs.) on			Percentage Variation in prices	
				April-24	March-25	April-25	Over month	Over year
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
1	Cow Milk	Fresh	1 Ltr	49.88	50.43	50.68	0.49	1.59
2	Buffalo Milk	Fresh	1 Ltr	60.00	61.25	61.11	-0.23	1.85
3	Dairy Milk	Poly Pack (Amul)	1 Ltr	68.58	70.20	70.20	0.00	2.36
4	Curd	Fresh	1 Ltr	58.25	59.30	59.78	0.80	2.62
5	Cheese	Fresh	1 Kg	273.00	280.38	280.88	0.18	2.88
6	Butter-	Amul	100 gm	56.80	59.05	59.05	0.00	3.96
7	Baby Food-	Lactogen	400 gm	465.00	476.78	477.50	0.15	2.69
8	Powdered Milk	Verka Loose	1 Kg	478.64	478.18	478.18	0.00	-0.10



## G. VEGETABLES

### Comparison of UT average Retail prices of Vegetables.

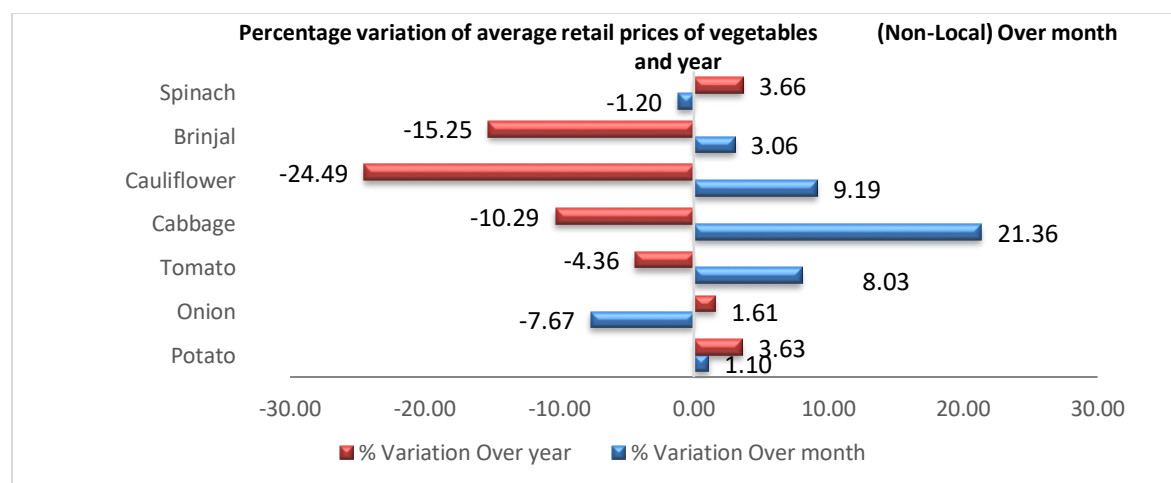
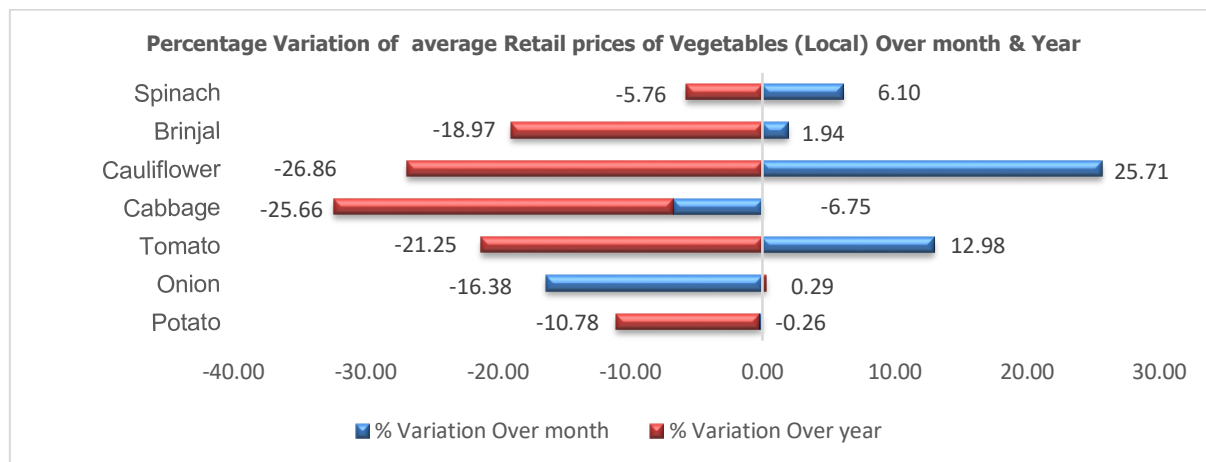
Vegetables like **Cauliflower**, **Tomato**, and **Cabbage** are typically seasonal, with prices fluctuating based on supply. For example, these vegetables might be in high supply during certain months (leading to price drops) and in lower supply during others (causing price increases).

The abundance or scarcity of crops due to harvesting cycles directly impacts the prices. Vegetables such as **Onion** and **Potato** can see price hikes when they are out of season, while price decreases occur during peak harvest months when supply is higher.

Unfavorable weather conditions, like floods or droughts, can significantly affect the production of vegetables, leading to sharp price changes, especially for non-local varieties that may rely on regions with different growing conditions.

The **downward price fluctuations** observed in **April 2025** are likely due to seasonal factors such as **peak harvest seasons** for many vegetables. On the other hand, the **upward price trends** (like for **Potato**, **Onion**) can be attributed to **lower availability** during certain months, compounded by supply chain factors and demand shifts across the year.

G -VEGETABLES								
S. No.	Name of Commodity	Variety & Quality	Unit	Price (in Rs.) on			Percentage Variation in Prices	
				April-24	March-25	April-25	Over month	Over year
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
1	Potato	Local	Kg	25.50	22.81	22.75	-0.26	-10.78
		Non-Local	Kg	27.21	27.89	28.20	1.10	3.63
2	Onion	Local	Kg	28.00	33.58	28.08	-16.38	0.29
		Non-Local	Kg	35.43	38.99	36.00	-7.67	1.61
3	Tomato	Local	Kg	40.00	27.88	31.50	12.98	-21.25
		Non-Local	Kg	42.64	37.75	40.78	8.03	-4.36
4	Cabbage	Local	Kg	30.83	24.58	22.92	-6.75	-25.66
		Non-Local	Kg	33.25	30.07	29.83	-0.80	-10.29
5	Cauliflower	Local	Kg	41.25	24.00	30.17	25.69	-26.87
		Non-Local	Kg	44.00	30.43	33.23	9.19	-24.49
6	Brinjal	Local	Kg	48.75	38.75	39.50	1.94	-18.97
		Non-Local	Kg	49.49	40.70	41.94	3.06	-15.25
7	Spinach	Local	Kg	45.00	39.97	42.41	6.10	-5.76
		Non-Local	Kg	43.54	45.68	45.13	-1.20	3.66

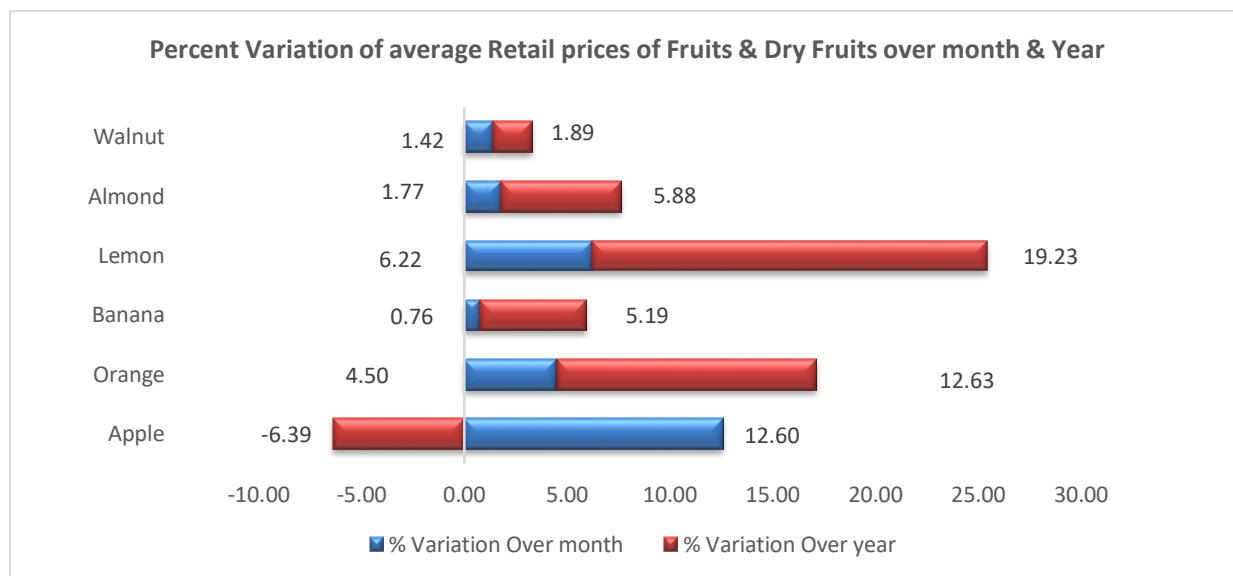


## H. FRUITS AND DRY FRUITS

### Comparison of UT average Retail prices of Fruits and Dry Fruits.

When compared to the previous month's pricing, the average retail price of commodities in this category followed an upward pattern. However, when compared to the same month last year, the average price of Orange and Lemon rose by 12.63% and 19.23% respectively.

H. Fruits and Dry Fruits								
S. No.	Name of Commodity	Variety & Quality	Unit	Price (in Rs.) on			Percentage Variation in Prices	
				April-24	March-25	April-25	Over month	Over year
1	Apple	Delicious	Kg	126.33	105.03	118.26	12.60	-6.39
2	Orange	Medium size	Kg	107.14	115.47	120.67	4.50	12.63
3	Banana	Medium size	Dozen	101.25	105.70	106.50	0.76	5.19
4	Lemon	Fresh	250 gm	39.94	44.83	47.62	6.22	19.23
5	Almond	Mixed Medium	Kg	342.88	356.71	363.03	1.77	5.88
6	Walnut	Mixed Medium	Kg	280.44	281.75	285.75	1.42	1.89



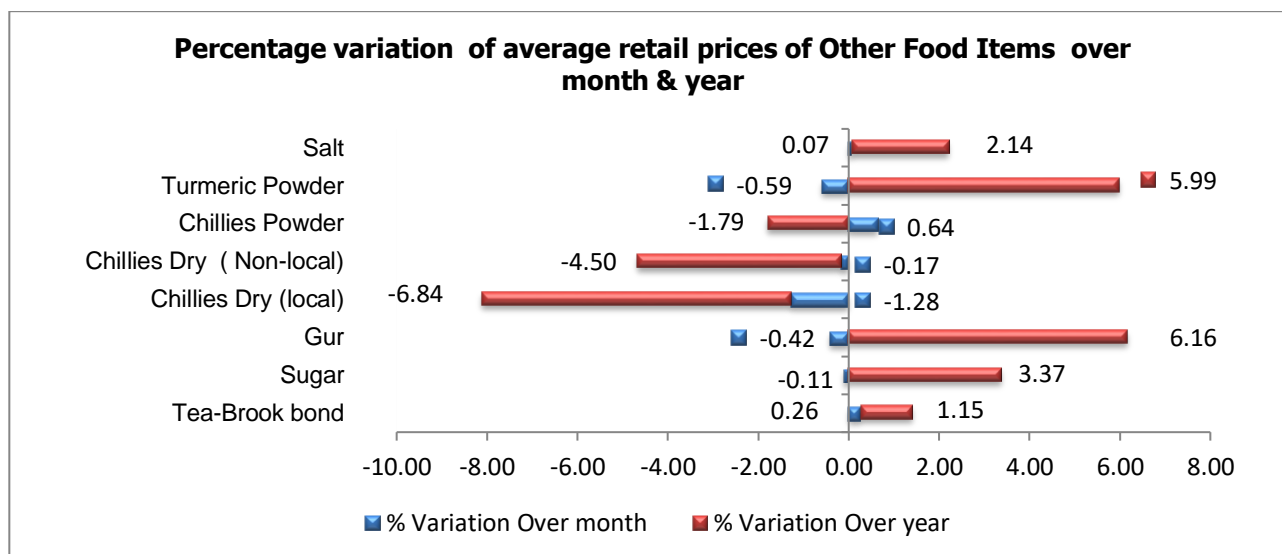
## I. OTHER FOOD ITEMS

### Comparison of UT average Retail prices of Other Food Items.

When compared to the average prices for the same month of previous year, the average prices for items in this category increased except Chilies Dry (Local, Non-Local) and Chilies Powder. The average prices of Sugar, Gur and Turmeric Powder increased by 3.37%, 6.16% and 5.99%, respectively over the year.

When compared to the previous month, the average retail prices of this group of commodities exhibits a mixed trend.

I. OTHER FOOD ITEMS						
S.No.	Name of Commodity	Prices in Rs. on			Percentage Variation in Prices	
		April-24	March-25	April-25	Over month	Over year
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
1	Tea-Brook bond	141.00	142.25	142.63	0.26	1.15
2	Sugar	49.70	51.43	51.38	-0.11	3.37
3	Gur	50.56	53.90	53.68	-0.42	6.16
4	Chilies Dry (local)	331.67	313.00	309.00	-1.28	-6.84
5	Chilies Dry ( Non-local)	302.63	289.50	289.00	-0.17	-4.50
6	Chilies Powder	290.00	283.00	284.81	0.64	-1.79
7	Turmeric Powder	160.75	171.38	170.38	-0.59	5.99
8	Salt	28.00	28.58	28.60	0.07	2.14



## J. NON FOOD ITEMS

### Comparison of UT average Retail prices of Non Food Items.

When compared to prices from the previous month and the same month of the previous year, the average prices of non-food products showed an upward trend. The costs of tobacco, diesel, cooking gas, hair Oil, toilet soap, tooth paste, Blade, Detergent Powder, boot polish and Utensil Soap rose by 11.85%, 1.18% 2.62%, 3.37%, 2.77%, 1.80%, 3.87% 2.47% 6.26% and 6.25%, respectively, in comparison to the same month last year.

J. NON FOOD ITEMS								
S. No.	Name of Commodity	Variety & Quality	Unit	Price (in Rs.) on			Percentage Variation in Prices	
				April-24	March-25	April-25	Over month	Over year
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
1	Tobacco	Hooka Tobacco prepared with (Molases & Tobacco)	250 gm	19.67	20.33	22.00	8.20	11.85
2	Diesel		Litre	84.26	84.03	85.25	1.46	1.18
3	Petrol		Litre	98.74	98.11	98.74	0.64	0.00
4	Cooking Gas	LPG/HP/BP (Cylinder of 14.2Kg)	Each	896.50	905.13	920.03	1.65	2.62
5	Hair oil	Dabur Amla Glass Bottle	100 ml	48.53	50.00	50.17	0.33	3.37
6	Toilet Soap	Rexona Cake	100 gm	36.05	36.99	37.05	0.16	2.77
7	Tooth Paste	Colgate Gel Tube	100 gm	67.75	68.44	68.97	0.77	1.80
8	Blade	Gillette pack of 5 blades	Each	14.20	14.70	14.75	0.34	3.87
9	Detergent Powder	Surf ordinary, Pack of 500gms	Each	67.19	68.75	68.85	0.15	2.47
10	Boot Polish	Cherry blossoms, Tin of 40gms	Each	72.83	75.78	77.39	2.12	6.26
11	Utensil Soap	Vim Bar set.	Each	56.00	52.50	59.50	13.33	6.25

## ANNEXURE

Statement showing the UT Average Retail Prices of Essential Commodities for the month of April, 2025								
S. No.	Name of Commodity	Variety & Quality	Unit	Price (in Rs.) on			Percentage Variation	
				April-24	March-25	April-25	Apr-25 Over Mar-25	Apr-25 Over Apr-24
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
<b>A. Rice</b>								
1	Rice	IR8 (Punjabi Chawal)	Kg	38.86	39.71	39.82	0.27	2.46
		Kashmiri Chawal	Kg	45.43	45.67	46.53	1.90	2.43
		Basmati (R.S. Pura)	Kg	136.43	125.00	124.29	-0.57	-8.90
<b>B. Cereals &amp; products</b>								
1	Maize Red	Local, Medium Quality	Kg	31.56	33.76	34.06	0.87	7.92
		Non-Local, Medium Quality	Kg	31.00	31.68	32.29	1.92	4.15
2	Wheat	Local, Medium Quality	Kg	27.17	32.50	31.71	-2.44	16.70
		Non-Local, Medium Quality	Kg	31.92	35.23	35.56	0.94	11.41
3	Wheat Atta	Mill Pressed, Medium Quality	Kg	35.43	38.50	38.05	-1.17	7.39
		K.C. Fine( 1 Kg)	Kg	36.00	38.91	38.43	-1.24	6.75
4	Maida	Super fine Medium Quality	Kg	40.99	43.40	43.00	-0.92	4.90
5	Suji	Made from wheat, Medium Quality loose	Kg	41.46	45.85	46.06	0.46	11.10
6	Bread	Sliced/Wrapped	400 gm	40.05	41.68	42.24	1.33	5.47
7	Besan	Made from Gram dal, Medium Quality loose	Kg	102.06	114.00	113.97	-0.02	11.67
8	Jawar	White	Kg	50.00	57.50	57.50	0.00	15.00
9	Bajra	Coarse	Kg	34.58	35.17	35.50	0.95	2.66
10	Barley	Medium quality	Kg	34.25	33.33	33.33	0.00	-2.68
<b>C. (i) Pulses-Split</b>								
1	Moong	Non-Local, Medium Quality	Kg	124.38	123.75	124.81	0.86	0.35
2	Masoor	Non-Local, Medium Quality	Kg	110.69	106.11	106.04	-0.07	-4.20
3	Arhar	Non-Local, Medium Quality	Kg	140.81	145.07	143.10	-1.36	1.63
4	Urd	Non-Local, Medium Quality	Kg	125.56	131.32	130.67	-0.49	4.07
5	Gram Dal	Non-Local, Medium Quality	Kg	92.63	97.81	97.50	-0.32	5.26
<b>C. (ii) Pulses-Whole</b>								
1	Moong	Local	Kg	245.00	238.75	237.50	-0.52	-3.06
		Non-Local	Kg	119.63	118.56	118.63	0.05	-0.84
2	Masoor	Non-Local	Kg	105.89	103.50	103.75	0.24	-2.02
3	Arhar	Non-Local	Kg	136.68	149.04	144.77	-2.86	5.92
4	Urd	Non-Local	Kg	122.51	124.96	122.91	-1.64	0.33

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				April-24	March-25	April-25	Apr-25 Over Mar-25	Apr-25 Over Apr-24
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
5	Gram	White- Non-Local	Kg	155.08	154.15	151.73	-1.57	-2.16
6		Black	Kg	89.65	97.04	96.35	-0.71	7.47
7	Rajmash	Red Large Local	Kg	164.64	184.90	185.31	0.22	12.56
		Red Large Non-Local	Kg	149.74	158.39	158.66	0.17	5.96
		Red Small Local	Kg	165.71	169.77	169.77	0.00	2.45
		Red Small Non-local	Kg	136.31	137.83	139.01	0.86	1.98
<b>D. Oils &amp; Fats</b>								
1	Mustard Oil	Loose	1 Ltr	149.67	174.20	174.64	0.26	16.69
		P-Mark	5 Ltr	726.71	851.50	852.94	0.17	17.37
2	Vanaspati Ghee	Dalda Poly Pack	1 Ltr	144.47	162.87	164.67	1.11	13.98
3	Sunflower Oil	Ginni	5 Ltr	784.09	833.86	842.50	1.04	7.45
4	Kardi Oil	Saffola	2 Ltr	411.25	433.33	436.67	0.77	6.18
5	Rapseed Oil	Dhara	1 Ltr	183.00	180.71	182.14	0.79	-0.47
6	Ghee	Verka	1 Kg	623.12	636.84	639.19	0.37	2.58
<b>E. Meat, Fish &amp; Poultry</b>								
1	Meat	Mutton Halal	Kg	599.21	619.47	622.11	0.43	3.82
2	Fish	Kashmiri	Kg	331.82	334.55	339.09	1.36	2.19
		Punjabi (Mirror Carp)	Kg	265.30	270.92	270.79	-0.05	2.07
3	Poultry	Chicken Live Boiler	Kg	152.19	152.25	156.06	2.50	2.54
4	Eggs	Table Eggs	Dozen	77.65	76.40	75.78	-0.82	-2.41
<b>F. Milk &amp; Milk Products</b>								
1	Cow Milk	Fresh	1 ltr	49.88	50.43	50.68	0.49	1.59
2	Buffalo Milk	Fresh	1 Ltr	60.00	61.25	61.11	-0.23	1.85
3	Dairy Milk	Poly Pack (Amul)	1 Ltr	68.58	70.20	70.20	0.00	2.36
4	Curd	Fresh	1 Ltr	58.25	59.30	59.78	0.80	2.62
5	Cheese	Fresh	1 Kg	273.00	280.38	280.88	0.18	2.88
6	Butter	Amul	100 gm	56.80	59.05	59.05	0.00	3.96
7	Baby Food	Lactogen	400 gm	465.00	476.78	477.50	0.15	2.69
8	Powdered Milk	Verka loose	1 kg	478.64	478.18	478.18	0.00	-0.10
<b>G. Vegetables</b>								
1	Potato	Local	Kg	25.50	22.81	22.75	-0.26	-10.78
		Non-Local	Kg	27.21	27.89	28.20	1.10	3.63
2	Onion	Local	Kg	28.00	33.58	28.08	-16.38	0.29
		Non-Local	Kg	35.43	38.99	36.00	-7.67	1.61

Statement showing the UT Average Retail Prices of Essential Commodities for the month of April, 2025								
S. No.	Name of Commodity	Variety & Quality	Unit	Price (in Rs.) on			Percentage Variation	
				April-24	March-25	April-25	Apr-25 Over Mar-25	Apr-25 Over Apr-24
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
3	Tomato	Local	Kg	40.00	27.88	31.50	12.98	-21.25
		Non-Local	Kg	42.64	37.75	40.78	8.03	-4.36
4	Cabbage	Local	Kg	30.83	24.58	22.92	-6.75	-25.66
		Non-Local	Kg	33.25	30.07	29.83	-0.80	-10.29
5	Cauliflower	Local	Kg	41.25	24.00	30.17	25.69	-26.87
		Non-Local	Kg	44.00	30.43	33.23	9.19	-24.49
6	Brinjal	Local	Kg	48.75	38.75	39.50	1.94	-18.97
		Non-Local	Kg	49.49	40.70	41.94	3.06	-15.25
7	Knolkhol	Local	Kg	40.00	34.79	34.61	-0.53	-13.48
		Non-Local	Kg	38.75	33.22	34.78	4.69	-10.25
8	Spinach	Local	Kg	45.00	39.97	42.41	6.10	-5.76
		Non-Local	Kg	43.54	45.68	45.13	-1.20	3.66
<b>H. Fruits &amp; Dry fruits</b>								
1	Apple	Delicious	Kg	126.33	105.03	118.26	12.60	-6.39
2	Orange	Medium size	Kg	107.14	115.47	120.67	4.50	12.63
3	Banana	Medium size	Dozen	101.25	105.70	106.50	0.76	5.19
4	Lemon	Fresh	250gm	39.94	44.83	47.62	6.22	19.23
5	Almond	Mixed Medium	Kg	342.88	356.71	363.03	1.77	5.88
6	Walnut	Mixed Medium	Kg	280.44	281.75	285.75	1.42	1.89
<b>I. Other Food items</b>								
1	Tea	Brook Bond, Red Label	250 gm	141.00	142.25	142.63	0.26	1.15
2	Sugar	Non-Local	Kg	49.70	51.43	51.38	-0.11	3.37
3	Gur	Non-Local	Kg	50.56	53.90	53.68	-0.42	6.16
4	Chillies Dry	Whole Local	Kg	331.67	313.00	309.00	-1.28	-6.84
		Non-Local	Kg	302.63	289.50	289.00	-0.17	-4.50
5	Chillies Powder	Agmark	500 gm	290.00	283.00	284.81	0.64	-1.79
6	Turmeric Powder	Agmark	500 gm	160.75	171.38	170.38	-0.59	5.99
7	Salt	Tata Iodised	Kg	28.00	28.58	28.60	0.07	2.14
<b>J. Non-food Items</b>								
1	Tobacco	Hooka Tobacco prepared with (Molases & Tobacco)	250 gm	19.67	20.33	22.00	8.20	11.85
2	Cigarettes	Capstan Filter	Packet of 10 cig.	65.00	65.00	65.00	0.00	0.00
3	Fire Wood	Chopped	40 Kg.	358.06	358.89	363.89	1.39	1.63
4	Kerosene Oil		Litre	89.00	95.00	95.00	0.00	6.74
5	Diesel		Litre	84.26	84.03	85.25	1.46	1.18

Statement showing the UT Average Retail Prices of Essential Commodities for the month of April, 2025								
S. No.	Name of Commodity	Variety & Quality	Unit	Price (in Rs.) on			Percentage Variation	
				April-24	March-25	April-25	Apr-25 Over Mar-25	Apr-25 Over Apr-24
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
6	Petrol		Litre	98.74	98.11	98.74	0.64	0.00
7	Cooking Gas	LPG/HP/BP (Cylinder of 14.2Kg)	Each	896.50	905.13	920.03	1.65	2.62
8	Electric Bulb	Philips, 100 Watt, 250 Volts	Each	17.58	17.86	17.88	0.12	1.72
9	Battery Cells	Novino 1.5 Volts, Leak proof	Each	23.29	24.57	24.95	1.55	7.13
10	Paracetamol Tablets	Crocin (Strip of 15 tablets)	Each Strip	20.03	21.61	21.29	-1.47	6.30
11	Amoxicillin Capsules	Novomax 250mg.(strip of 15 Capsules)	Each Strip	38.30	40.48	40.43	-0.13	5.55
12	Pencil	Natraj 3.2 HB	Each	5.20	5.44	5.44	-0.05	4.57
13	Rubber	Natraj (ordinary)	Each	4.53	4.55	4.55	0.00	0.44
14	Pen (Ajanta)	Plastic Body with Rubber Tube	Each	10.31	10.31	10.00	-3.01	-3.01
15	Ink	Chel park royal Blue (60 ml. Bottle)	Each	33.75	33.75	33.75	0.00	0.00
16	Ball Pen	Renolds 045, Fine Carbine	Each	7.58	8.55	8.55	0.03	12.83
17	Note Book	100 pages with hard cover	Each	65.40	66.32	66.32	-0.01	1.40
18	Banian	VIP Bonus undershirt 90cm	Each	121.44	126.15	127.50	1.07	4.99
19	Underwear	VIP Frenchy 90 cm	Each	116.43	115.91	116.54	0.54	0.09
20	Socks	Konica, Synthetic, Gents, Standard size	Each	73.68	75.67	77.81	2.83	5.61
21	Hair oil	Dabur Amla Glass Bottle	100 ml	48.53	50.00	50.17	0.33	3.37
22	Toilet Soap	Rexona Cake	100 gm	36.05	36.99	37.05	0.16	2.77
23	Tooth Paste	Colgate Gel Tube	100 gm	67.75	68.44	68.97	0.77	1.80
24	Blade	Gillet pack of 5 blades	Each	14.20	14.70	14.75	0.34	3.87
25	Detergent Powder	Surf ordinary, Pack of 500 gms.	Each	67.19	68.75	68.85	0.15	2.47
26	Boot Polish	Cherry blossoms, Tin of 40 gms	Each	72.83	75.78	77.39	2.12	6.26
27	Clothes Soap	Rin advance ,cake of 250gms.	Each	27.50	27.27	27.27	-0.01	-0.85
28	Utensil Soap	Vim Bar set.	Each	56.00	52.50	59.50	13.33	6.25

## WHOLESALE PRICES OF AGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES FOR APRIL, 2025

### Introduction

Average Wholesale prices of Agricultural commodities for the month of April, 2025. Statement showing the monthly average wholesale prices of agricultural commodities for the month of April of the previous year 2024, previous month March, 2025 and current month of April, 2025 along with the percentage of

variation over the previous month and the current month of the previous year are included in this report. Group Wise analysis has been made with reference to the current month, the previous month and the corresponding month of the previous Year with suitable pictorial representation.



## A&B. CEREALS AND CEREAL PRODUCTS

### Comparison of UT average Wholesale prices of Cereals and Cereals Products.

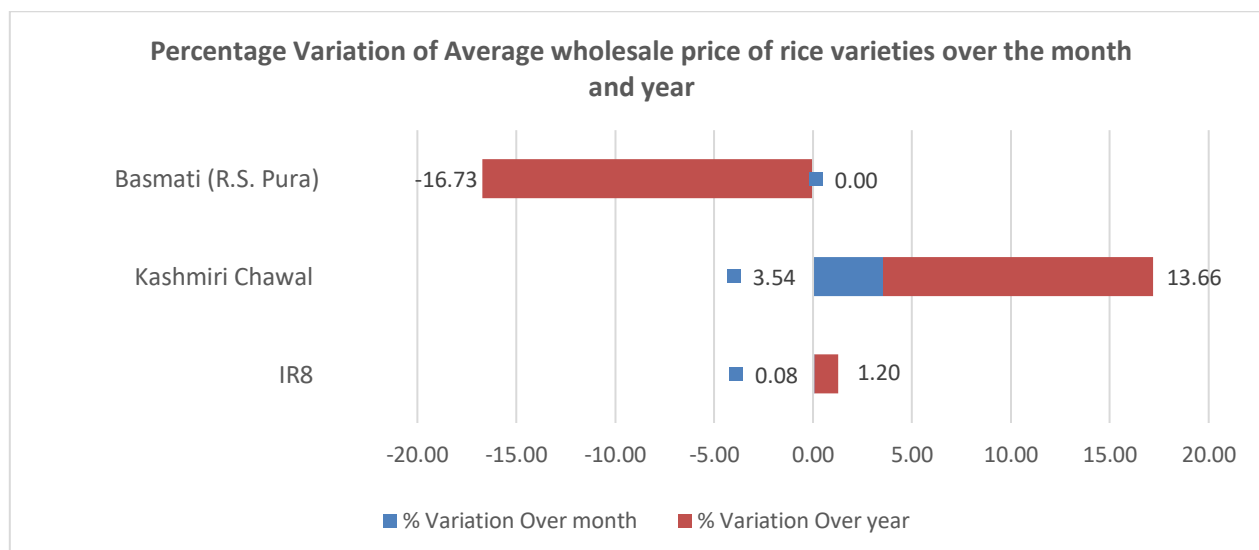
When compared to the previous month's pricing as well as the corresponding month of the previous year, the average prices of cereals and cereal products showed a mixed trend in price variance.

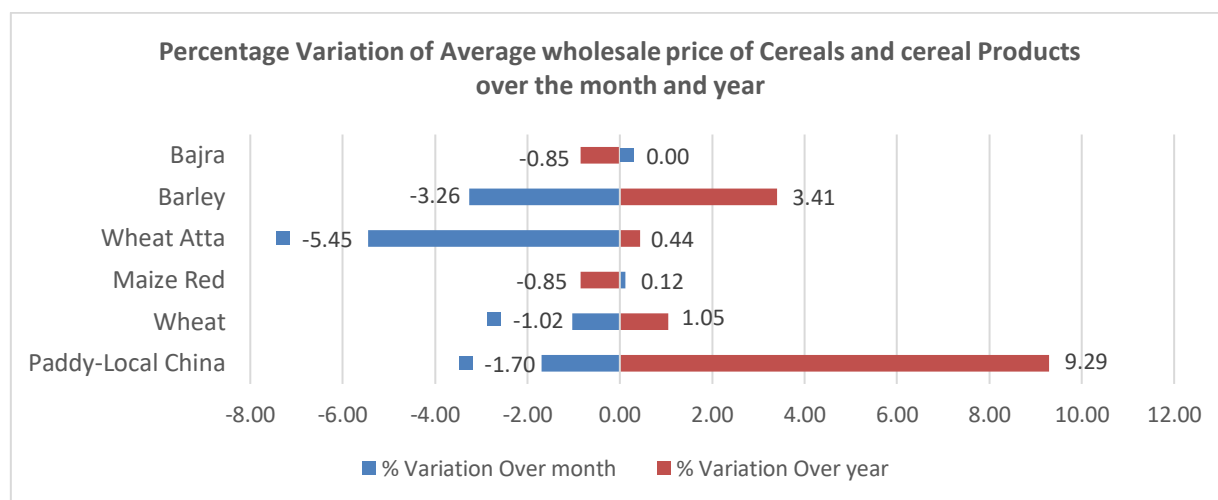
When compared to the previous month, average rice prices for IR8 and Kashmiri Chawal climbed by 0.08% and 3.54%, respectively, while Basmati remained constant.

However, as compared to the same month last year, the average prices of IR8 and Kashmiri Chawal climbed by 1.20% & 13.66% respectively, while Basmati rice declined by 16.73%.

Over the course of the year, the average prices of paddy, wheat, wheat atta and barley increased by 9.29%, 1.05%, 0.44%, and 3.41%, respectively, while those of maize red & Bajra decreased by 0.85% each.

S. No.	Name of Commodity	Variety & Quality	Unit	Price (in Rs.) on			Percentage Variation in Prices	
				April, 2024	March, 2025	April, 2025	Over month	Over year
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
1	Rice	IR8	Qtl	3472.22	3511.11	3513.89	0.08	1.20
		Kashmiri Chawal	Qtl	4208.33	4620.00	4783.33	3.54	13.66
		Basmati (R.S. Pura)	Qtl	13500.00	11241.67	11241.67	0.00	-16.73
2	Paddy	Local China	Qtl	2267.86	2521.43	2478.57	-1.70	9.29
3	Wheat	Local	Qtl	2987.50	3050.00	3018.75	-1.02	1.05
4	Maize Red	Local	Qtl	2691.67	2665.63	2668.75	0.12	-0.85
5	Wheat Atta	Local	Qtl	3238.89	3440.75	3253.25	-5.45	0.44
6	Barley	Local	Qtl	2627.08	2808.33	2716.67	-3.26	3.41
7	Bajra	Local	Qtl	2950.00	2925.00	2925.00	0.00	-0.85





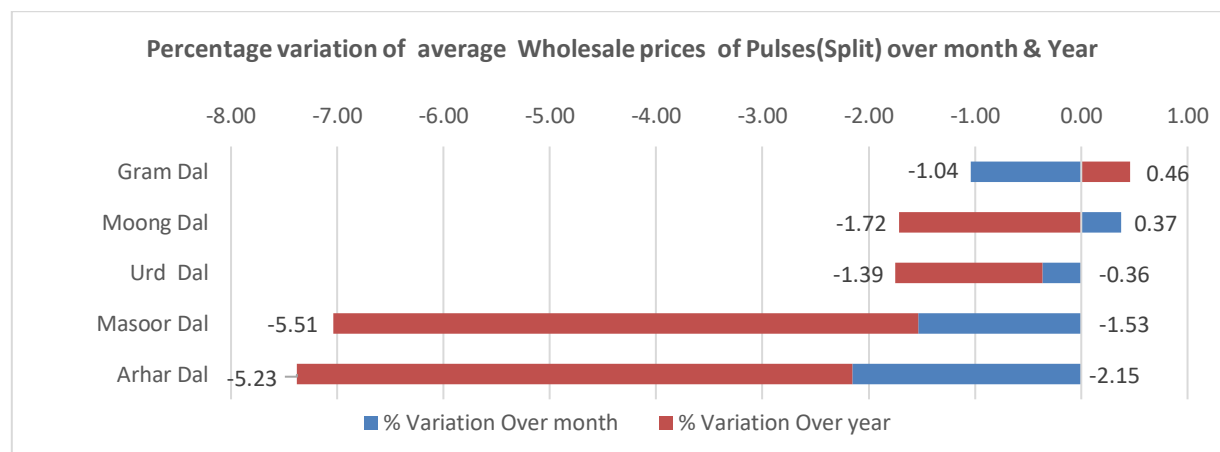
## C PULSES AND PRODUCTS

### C (i) Pulses Split: Comparison of UT average wholesale prices of Pulses-Split.

Over the course of the year, the average wholesale prices of all pulses (except gram Dal) decreased. However, with the exception of Moong Dal, the average wholesale prices of pulses (Split) are declining in comparison to the previous month.

The average wholesale prices of Arhar Dal, Masoor Dal, Urd Dal, and Moong Dal fell by 5.23%, 5.51%, 1.39%, and 1.72%, respectively, in comparison to the prices of the same month last year, while Gram Dal's prices rose by 0.46%.

C(i) Pulses Split								
S. No.	Name of Commodity	Variety & Quality	Unit	Price (in Rs.) on			Percentage Variation in Prices	
				April, 2024	March, 2025	April, 2025	Over month	Over year
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
1	Gram Dal	Non-Local	Qtl	7880.56	8000.00	7916.67	-1.04	0.46
2	Moong Dal	Non-Local	Qtl	10632.50	10411.11	10450	0.37	-1.72
3	Urd Dal	Non-Local	Qtl	11278.13	11162.50	11121.88	-0.36	-1.39
4	Masoor Dal	Non-Local	Qtl	8877.78	8519.44	8388.89	-1.53	-5.51
5	Arhar Dal	Non-Local	Qtl	12785.83	12384.11	12117.50	-2.15	-5.23

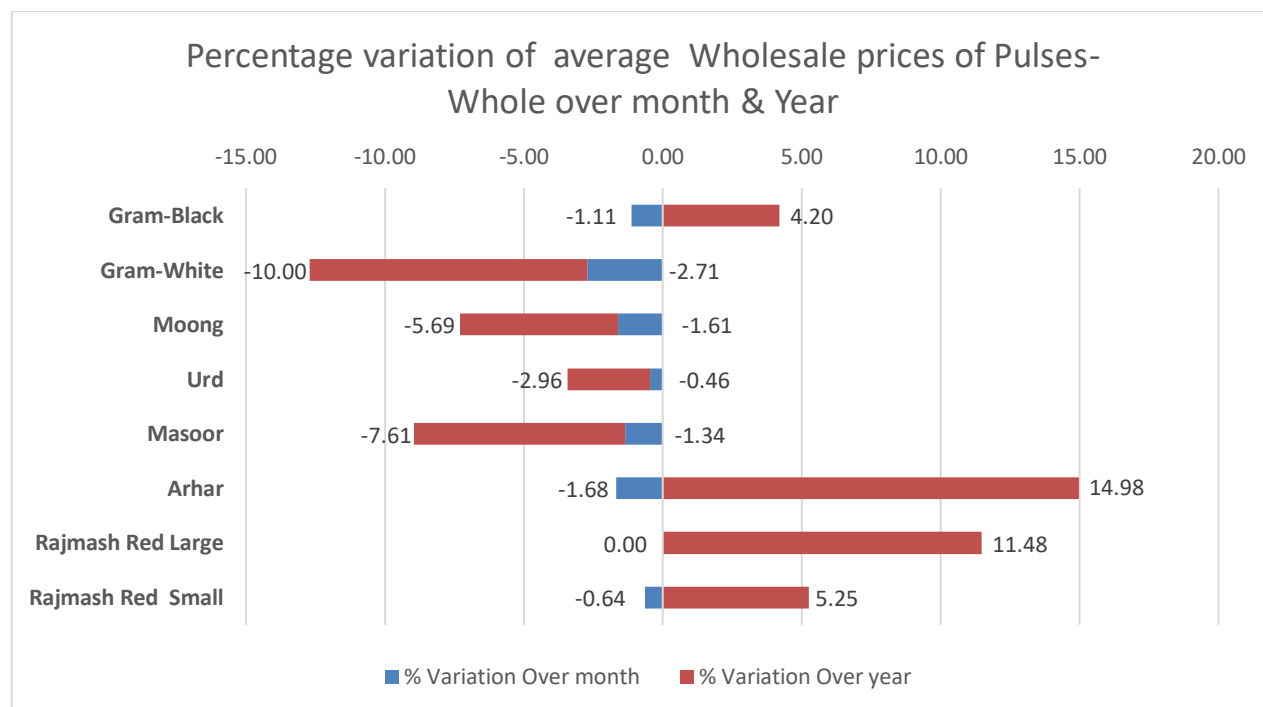


**C (ii) PULSES WHOLE: Comparison of UT average wholesale prices of Pulses-whole.**

When compared to the previous month's pricing as well as the corresponding month of the previous year, the average wholesale prices of pulses-whole showed a mixed trend in price variance.

When compared with the prices of the corresponding month of the previous year, the average wholesale prices of Rajma Red small, Rajmash Red Large, Arhar and Gram Black, increased significantly by 5.25%, 11.48%, 14.98%, and 4.20% respectively and the prices of Gram White, Masoor, Urad and Moong decreased by 10.00%, 7.61%, 2.96% and 5.69 % respectively.

C(ii)- Pulses Whole								
S. No.	Name of Commodity	Variety & Quality	Unit	Price (in Rs.) on			Percentage Variation in Prices	
				April, 2024	March, 2025	April, 2025	Over month	Over year
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
1	Gram	Black	Qtl	7568.06	7975.00	7886.11	-1.11	4.20
		White	Qtl	13883.33	12843.11	12494.44	-2.71	-10.00
2	Moong	Non-Local	Qtl	10097.22	9677.78	9522.22	-1.61	-5.69
3	Urad	Non-Local	Qtl	10640.00	10372.22	10325.00	-0.46	-2.96
4	Masoor	Non-Local	Qtl	8825.00	8264.44	8153.33	-1.34	-7.61
5	Arhar	Non-Local	Qtl	11420.83	13355.00	13131.25	-1.68	14.98
6	Rajmash Red Large	Local	Qtl	12558.33	14000.00	14000.00	0.00	11.48
7	Rajmash Red Small	Local	Qtl	15707.14	16637.50	16531.25	-0.64	5.25



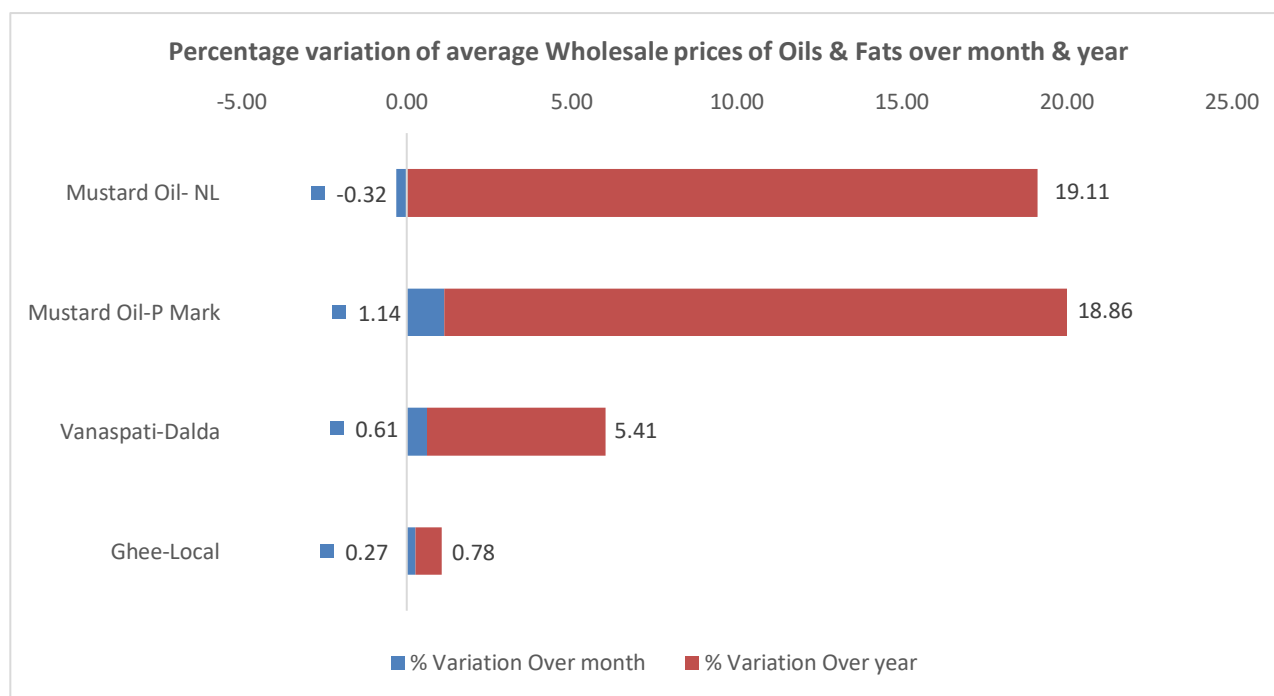
## C. EDIBLE OILS AND FATS

### Comparison of UT average Wholesale prices of Edible Oils & Fats

When the average costs of edible oils and fats were compared to the same month last year, the price variation increased. Except for Mustard Oil (Non Local), average wholesale prices showed an increase when compared to previous months' pricing.

When compared with the prices of the corresponding month of the previous year, the average wholesale prices of Mustard Oil (NL-P, P-Mark), Ghee and Vanaspati (Dalda) increased by (19.11%, 18.86%), 0.78% & 5.41% respectively.

D. Oils and Fats								
S. No.	Name of Commodity	Variety & Quality	Unit	Price (in Rs.) on			Percentage Variation in Prices	
				April, 2024	March, 2025	April, 2025	Over month	Over year
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
1	Mustard Oil	Non-Local"P"	15 Ltr Tin	2063.89	2466.25	2458.33	-0.32	19.11
		P-Mark (5Ltr)	5 Ltr	687.78	808.25	817.50	1.14	18.86
2	Vanaspati	Dalda (10Ltr.Plastic cane)	10 Ltr	1380.83	1446.67	1455.50	0.61	5.41
3	Ghee	Local	15 kg tin	7960.00	8000.00	8021.88	0.27	0.78

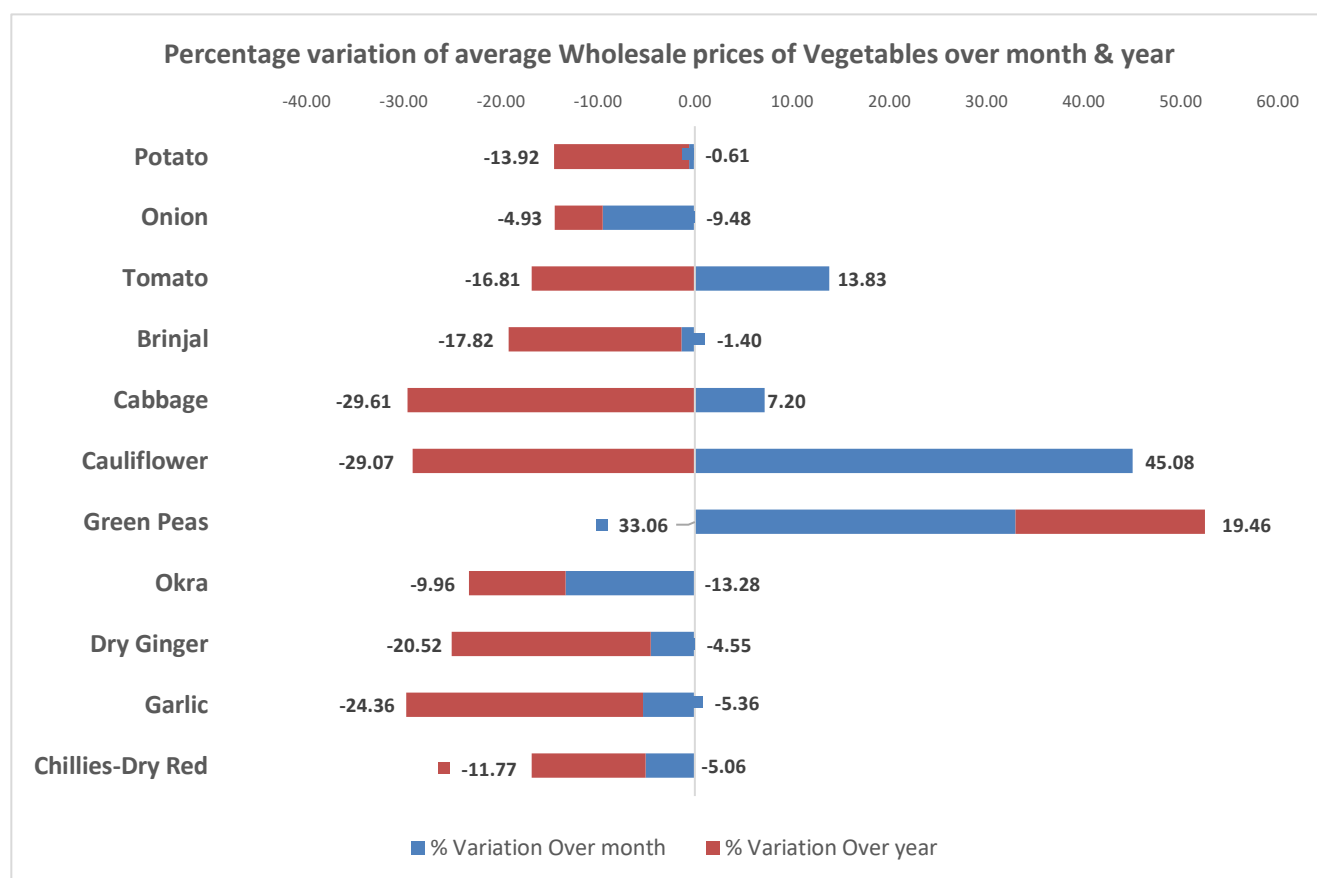


**D.VEGETABLES:****Comparison of UT average Wholesale prices of Vegetables.**

An overall downward trend was observed in the average wholesale prices of Vegetables over the Year except Green Peas. However, when compared to the previous month, a mixed trend was observed in the average wholesale prices of vegetables.

When compared with the prices of the corresponding month of the previous year, a notable decrease of 29.07%, 16.81%, 29.61%, 24.36%, 20.52%, 17.82%, 13.92%, 11.77%, 4.93% & 9.96% was observed in Cauliflower, Tomato, Cabbage, Garlic, Dry Ginger, Brinjal, Potato, Dry Red Chillies, Onion & Okra respectively.

E-Vegetables								
S.No.	Name of Commodity	Variety & Quality	Unit	Price (in Rs.) on			Percentage Variation in Prices	
				April, 2024	March, 2025	April, 2025	Over month	Over year
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
1	Potato	Non-Local	Qtl	2054.69	1779.69	1768.75	-0.61	-13.92
2	Onion	Non-Local	Qtl	2761.11	2900.00	2625.00	-9.48	-4.93
3	Tomato	Non-Local	Qtl	3147.22	2300.00	2618.06	13.83	-16.81
4	Brinjal	Non-Local	Qtl	3459.38	2883.33	2843.06	-1.40	-17.82
5	Cabbage	Non-Local	Qtl	2115.28	1388.89	1488.89	7.20	-29.61
6	Cauliflower	Non-local	Qtl	3000.00	1466.67	2127.78	45.08	-29.07
7	Green Peas	Non-local	Qtl	4332.14	3889.29	5175.00	33.06	19.46
8	Okra	Non-local	Qtl	5941.67	6169.43	5350.00	-13.28	-9.96
9	Dry Ginger	Non-local	Qtl	37640.63	31343.75	29916.67	-4.55	-20.52
10	Garlic	Non-local	Qtl	16839.29	13458.33	12737.50	-5.36	-24.36
11	Chillies-Dry Red	Dry Red	Qtl	29513.89	27427.78	26038.89	-5.06	-11.77



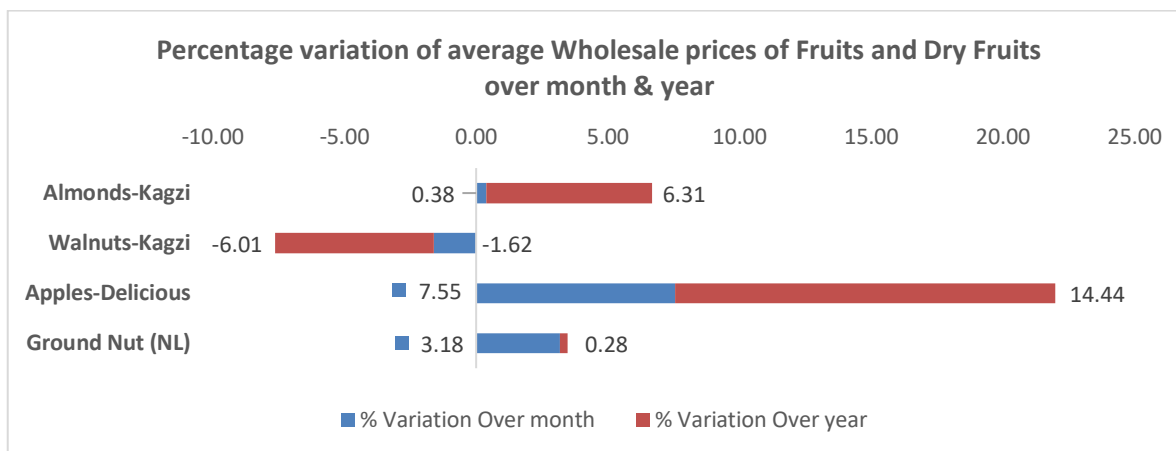
## F.FRUIT & DRY FRUITS

### Comparison of UT average Wholesale prices of fruits & dry fruits.

An increasing trend was observed in the average prices of the commodities under this group over the Year as well as over the month except Walnuts.

Over the year, the average prices of almonds, apples and Ground nut rose by 6.31% and 14.44% and 0.28% respectively, while those of walnuts fell by 6.01%, respectively.

F-Fruits and Dry Fruits								
Sl. No.	Name of Commodity	Variety & Quality	Unit	Price (in Rs.) on			Percentage Variation in Prices	
				April, 2024	March, 2025	April, 2025	Over month	Over year
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
1	Almonds	Kagzi	Qtl	31277.78	33125.00	33250.00	0.38	6.31
2	Walnuts	Kagzi	Qtl	32333.33	30888.89	30388.89	-1.62	-6.01
3	Apple	Delicious	12 Kg Box	1117.00	1188.57	1278.33	7.55	14.44
4	Ground Nut	Non-Local	Qtl	11916.67	11581.25	11950.00	3.18	0.28



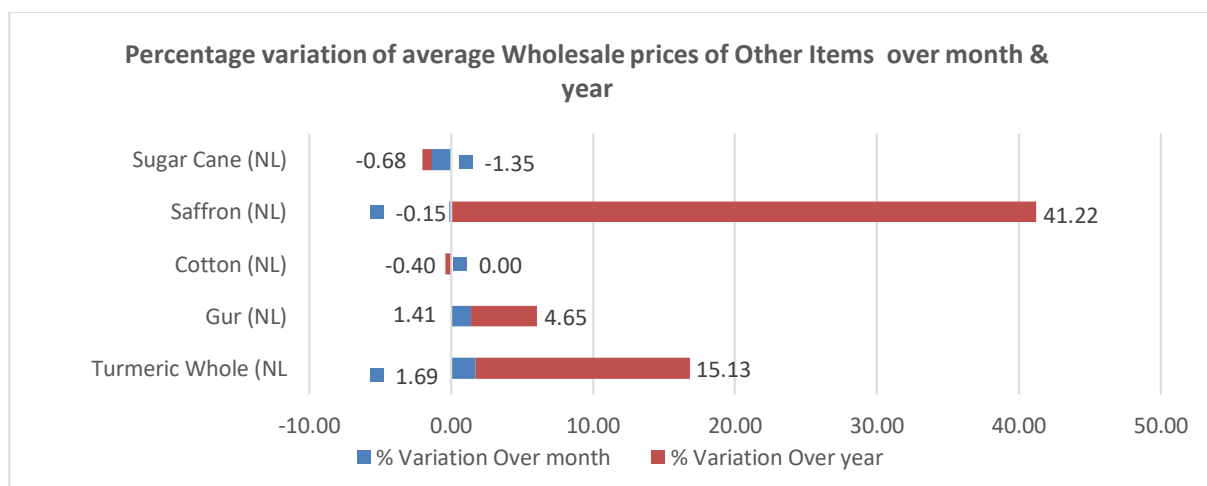
## G - OTHER FOOD ITEMS:

### Comparison of UT average Wholesale prices of Other Food items.

When compared to the previous month's pricing as well as the corresponding month of the previous year, the average costs of other food items showed a mixed trend.

When compared with the prices of the corresponding month of the previous year, the average prices of Turmeric whole, Saffron & Gur increased by 15.13%, 41.22% & 4.65%, respectively.

G.- Other Food Items								
S. No.	Name of Commodity	Variety & Quality	Unit	Price (in Rs.) on			Percentage Variation in Prices	
				April, 2024	March, 2025	April, 2025	Over month	Over year
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
1	Turmeric Whole	Non-local	Qtl	17437.50	19741.67	20075.00	1.69	15.13
2	Gur	Non-local	Qtl	4300.00	4437.50	4500.00	1.41	4.65
3	Cotton	Non-local	Qtl	16500.00	16433.33	16433.33	0.00	-0.40
4	Saffron	Non-local	10gm	1566.67	2215.75	2212.50	-0.15	41.22
5	Sugar Cane	Non-local	Qtl	1225.00	1233.33	1216.67	-1.35	-0.68



**ANNEXURE**

Statement showing the UT Average Wholesale Prices of Essential Commodities for the month of April, 2025								
S.No.	Name of Commodity	Variety & Quality	Unit	Price (in Rs.) on			Percentage Variation of	
				April, 2024	March, 2025	April, 2025	April, 2025 over March 2025	April, 2025 over April, 2024
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
<b>A.Rice</b>								
1	Rice	IR8 (Punjabi Chawal)	Qtl	3472.22	3511.11	3513.89	0.08	1.20
		Kashmiri Chawal (Local Super)	Qtl	4208.33	4620.00	4783.33	3.54	13.66
		Basmati (R.S.Pura)	Qtl	13500.00	11241.67	11241.67	0.00	-16.73
<b>B.Cereals &amp; products</b>								
1	Paddy	Local China	Qtl	2267.86	2521.43	2478.57	-1.70	9.29
		Basmati	Qtl	5212.50	4250.00	4250.00	0.00	-18.47
2	Wheat	Local	Qtl	2987.50	3050.00	3018.75	-1.02	1.05
		Non-Local	Qtl	2550.00	3201.56	3134.38	-2.10	22.92
3	Maize Red	Local	Qtl	2691.67	2665.63	2668.75	0.12	-0.85
		Non-Local	Qtl	2892.86	2828.57	2828.57	0.00	-2.22
4	WheatAtta	Non- Local	Qtl	3238.89	3440.75	3253.25	-5.45	0.44
		Local	Qtl	3150.00	3541.78	3432.00	-3.10	8.95
5	Barley	Local	Qtl	2627.08	2808.33	2716.67	-3.26	3.41
		Non-local	Qtl	2440.63	2712.50	2575.00	-5.07	5.51
6	Bajra	Local	Qtl	2950.00	2925.00	2925.00	0.00	-0.85
		Non-Local	Qtl	2816.67	2800.00	2800.00	0.00	-0.59
<b>C.(i) Pulses-Split</b>								
1	Gram Dal	Non-Local	Qtl	7880.56	8000.00	7916.67	-1.04	0.46
2	Moong Dal	Non-Local	Qtl	10632.50	10411.11	10450.00	0.37	-1.72
3	Urd Dal	Non-Local	Qtl	11278.13	11162.50	11121.88	-0.36	-1.39
4	MasoorDal	Non- Local	Qtl	8877.78	8519.44	8388.89	-1.53	-5.51
5	Arhar Dal	Non- Local	Qtl	12785.83	12384.11	12117.50	-2.15	-5.23
<b>C (ii) Pulses-Whole</b>								
1	Gram	Black	Qtl	7568.06	7975.00	7886.11	-1.11	4.20
		White	Qtl	13883.33	12843.11	12494.44	-2.71	-10.00
2	Moong	Local		21500.00	21000.00	21000.00	0.00	-2.33
		Non-Local	Qtl	10097.22	9677.78	9522.22	-1.61	-5.69
3	Urd	Non-Local	Qtl	10640.00	10372.22	10325.00	-0.46	-2.96
4	Masoor	Non- Local	Qtl	8825.00	8264.44	8153.33	-1.34	-7.61
5	Arhar	Non- Local	Qtl	11420.83	13355.00	13131.25	-1.68	14.98
6	Rajmash Red Large	Local	Qtl	12558.33	14000.00	14000.00	0.00	11.48
		Non-Local	Qtl	12777.78	13450.00	13477.78	0.21	5.48
7	Rajmash Red Small	Local	Qtl	15707.14	16637.50	16531.25	-0.64	5.25
		Non-Local	Qtl	12055.56	11372.22	11325.00	-0.42	-6.06

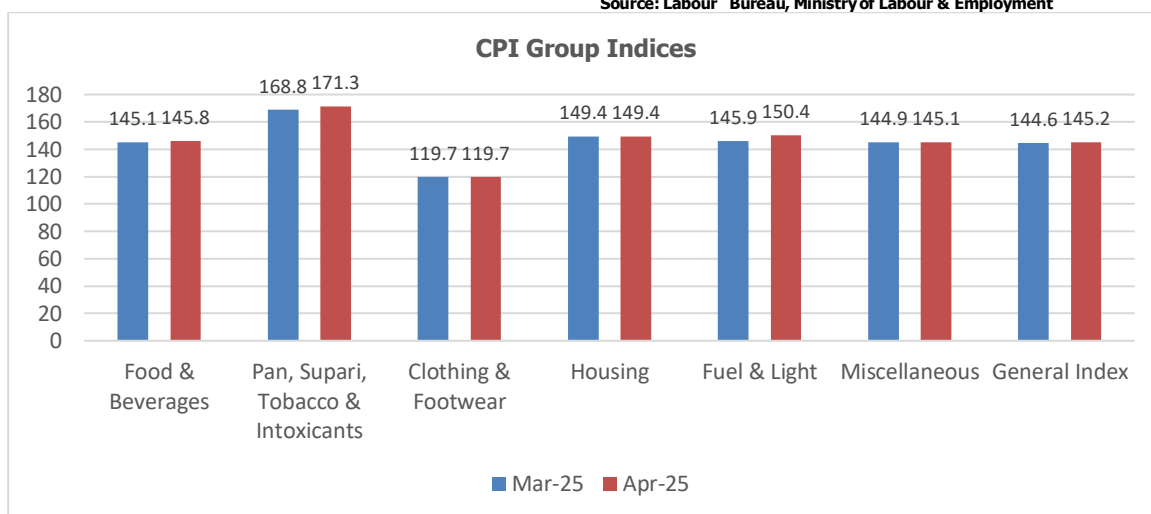
Statement showing the UT Average Wholesale Prices of Essential Commodities for the month of April, 2025								
S.No.	Name of Commodity	Variety & Quality	Unit	Price (in Rs.) on			Percentage Variation of	
				April, 2024	March, 2025	April, 2025	April, 2025 over March 2025	April, 2025 over April, 2024
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
<b>D.Oils &amp; Fats</b>								
1	Mustard Oil	Local (15 kg tin)	15 kg	2210.42	2458.75	2455.00	-0.15	11.06
		Non-Local "P"	15 Ltr Tin	2063.89	2466.25	2458.33	-0.32	19.11
		P-Mark (5Ltrs)	5 Ltr	687.78	808.25	817.50	1.14	18.86
2	Vanaspati	Local Dalda (15 kg tin)	15 kg tin	1727.50	2368.75	2380.00	0.47	37.77
		Non Local Dalda (15 kg tin)	15 Litre Tin	2035.71	2289.75	2293.19	0.15	12.65
		Dalda(10 Ltr. Plastic cane)	10 Ltr	1380.83	1446.67	1455.50	0.61	5.41
3	Ghee	Local	15 kg tin	7960.00	8000.00	8021.88	0.27	0.78
		Non- Local	15 ltr. Tin	8316.67	8441.67	8475.00	0.39	1.90
4	Mustard Seeds	Local	Qtl		7950.00	7200.00	-9.43	#DIV/0!
		Non- Local	Qtl	7025.00	7396.88	7362.50	-0.46	4.80
5	Linseeds	Non-Local	Qtl	11250.00	10525.00	10541.67	0.16	-6.30
6	Mustard Cakes	Local	Qtls		2650.00	2750.00	3.77	#DIV/0!
		Non-Local	Qtls	3270.31	3078.13	3042.19	-1.17	-6.98
<b>E.Vegetables</b>								
1	Potato	Local	Qtl	1500.00	1937.50	1879.17	-3.01	25.28
		Non-Local	Qtl	2054.69	1779.69	1768.75	-0.61	-13.92
2.	Onion	Local	Qtl	-	2612.50	2350.00	-10.05	#VALUE!
		Non-Local	Qtl	2761.11	2900.00	2625.00	-9.48	-4.93
3	Tomato	Local	Qtl	-	1325.00	1612.50	21.70	#VALUE!
		Non-Local	Qtl	3147.22	2300.00	2618.06	13.83	-16.81
4	Brinjal	Local	Qtl	3100.00	2412.50	2200.00	-8.81	-29.03
		Non- Local	Qtl	3459.38	2883.33	2843.06	-1.40	-17.82
5	Cabbage	Non- Local	Qtl	2115.28	1388.89	1488.89	7.20	-29.61
6	Cauliflower	Non-local	Qtl	3000.00	1466.67	2127.78	45.08	-29.07
7	Green Peas	Non-local	Qtl	4332.14	3889.29	5175.00	33.06	19.46
8	Okra	Non-local	Qtl	5941.67	6169.43	5350.00	-13.28	-9.96
9	Mushroom	Local (10 packets)	200 gm	368.00	330.00	287.50	-12.88	-21.88
		Non-local (10 packets)	200 gm	341.25	351.43	318.33	-9.42	-6.72
10	Dry Ginger	Non-local	Qtl	37640.63	31343.75	29916.67	-4.55	-20.52
11	Garlic	Local	Qtl	17500.00	15550.00	13035.71	-16.17	-25.51
		Non-local	Qtl	16839.29	13458.33	12737.50	-5.36	-24.36

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S.No.	Name of Commodity	Variety & Quality	Unit	Price (in Rs.) on			Percentage Variation of	
				April, 2024	March, 2025	April, 2025	April, 2025 over March 2025	April, 2025 over April, 2024
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
12	Chillies	Dry Red	Qtl	29513.89	27427.78	26038.89	-5.06	-11.77
		Green	Qtl	5794.44	5048.61	4345.83	-13.92	-25.00
<b>F.Fruits &amp; Dry fruits</b>								
1	Almonds	Kagzi	Qtl	31277.78	33125.00	33250.00	0.38	6.31
		Mixed	Qtl	23055.56	23400.00	23416.67	0.07	1.57
2	Walnuts	Kagzi	Qtl	32333.33	30888.89	30388.89	-1.62	-6.01
		Mixed	Qtl	24888.89	23722.22	23777.78	0.23	-4.46
3	Apples	Delicious	12 Kg Box	1117.00	1188.57	1278.33	7.55	14.44
4	GroundNut	Non-Local	Qtl	11916.67	11581.25	11950.00	3.18	0.28
<b>G.Other Food items</b>								
1	Turmeric Whole	Non-local	Qtl	17437.50	19741.67	20075.00	1.69	15.13
2	Turmeric Split	Non-local	Qtl	18402.78	19462.50	19462.50	0.00	5.76
3	Mash	Non-local	Qtl	11062.50	10350.00	10233.33	-1.13	-7.50
4	Kulth	Non-local	Qtl	9250.00	7975.00	7500.00	-5.96	-18.92
5	Gur	Non-local	Qtl	4300.00	4437.50	4500.00	1.41	4.65
6	Cotton	Non-local	Qtl	16500.00	16433.33	16433.33	0.00	-0.40
7	Saffron	Local	10 gm	1912.50	2031.25	2030.00	-0.06	6.14
		Non-local	10 gm	1566.67	2215.75	2212.50	-0.15	41.22
8	Gross	Local	Qtl.	-	3066.67	2766.67	-9.78	#DIV/0!
9	Fodder	Local	Qtl.	-	812.50	1041.67	28.21	#DIV/0!
		Non Local	Qtl.	1075.00	762.50	737.50	-3.28	-31.40
10	Sugarcane	Non-local	Qtl	1225.00	1233.33	1216.67	-1.35	-0.68
11	Sesamum	Non-local	Qtl	19000.00	18000.00	18000.00	0.00	-5.26

## Jammu &amp; Kashmir Group-wise CPI-IW for April, 2025

S. No.	Groups	Mar-25	Apr-25
1	2	3	4
I	Food & Beverages	145.10	145.8
II	Pan, Supari, Tobacco & Intoxicants	168.80	171.3
III	Clothing & Footwear	119.70	119.7
IV	Housing	149.40	149.4
V	Fuel & Light	145.90	150.4
VI	Miscellaneous	144.90	145.1
VII	General Index	144.6	145.2

Source: Labour Bureau, Ministry of Labour &amp; Employment



## Jammu &amp; Kashmir CPI- General for Agricultural and Rural Laborers (Base 1986-87=100)

Union Territory		Mar-25	April-25
J&K	Agricultural Labourers	1242	1239
	Rural Labourers	1264	1258

Source: Labour Bureau, Ministry of Labour &amp; Employment

