

# **Government of Jammu and Kashmir**

## **Price Bulletin December -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 on price movements is significant. This Directorate has been collecting price data for both Wholesale and Retail. Among the Retail prices, the statement of weekly prices of 89 essential commodities is being collected on every Friday from the District Headquarters. In addition to this, Wholesale prices of 52 Agricultural commodities are also being collected on a 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 to. The purpose behind its publication is to inform users about the price fluctuations within a given period of time.

The instant Bulletin covers the price data for December 2025 and its comparison with the data of the 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 the case of Retail prices, price data from all twenty districts is collected for the listed commodities, whereas in the 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, the Labour Bureau, Shimla, consolidates the Consumer Price Index for Industrial workers on a base year 2016=100 of Jammu & Kashmir Centre based on 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 the regulation of wages and dearness allowances of central and state Government Employees. The group-wise Consumer Price Index for the Industrial workers for December, 2025, uploaded by the Labour Bureau, Ministry of Labour & Employment and General Index for Agricultural Labourers and Rural Labourers for December, 2025, furnished by the Labour Bureau, Ministry of Labour and Employment, has also been replicated in the present bulletin.

**Note:- Base year of consumer price index for agricultural labourers & rural labourers has been revised from 1986-87 to 2019=100.**

# RETAIL PRICES OF ESSENTIAL COMMODITIES DECEMBER-2025

## INTRODUCTION

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

month December 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.



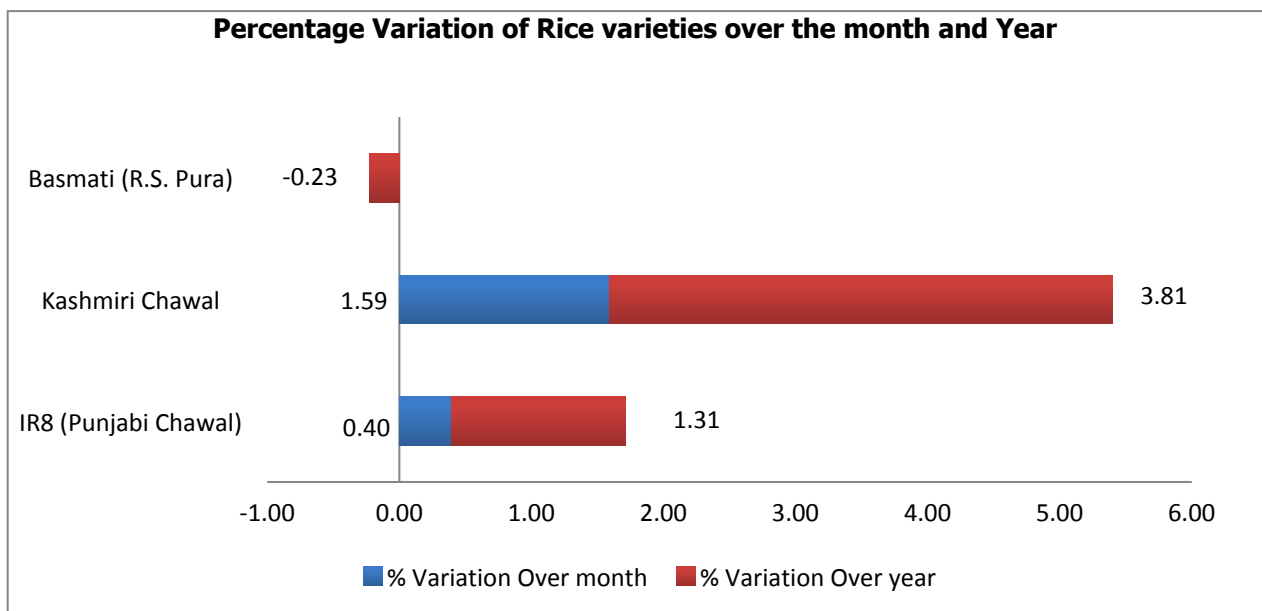
**A&B - CEREALS AND CEREAL PRODUCTS.****Comparison of UT average Retail prices of different varieties of Cereals and Cereals Products.**

When compared with the previous month and the corresponding month of the previous Year, Average retail prices for cereals and cereal products showed a mixed trend.

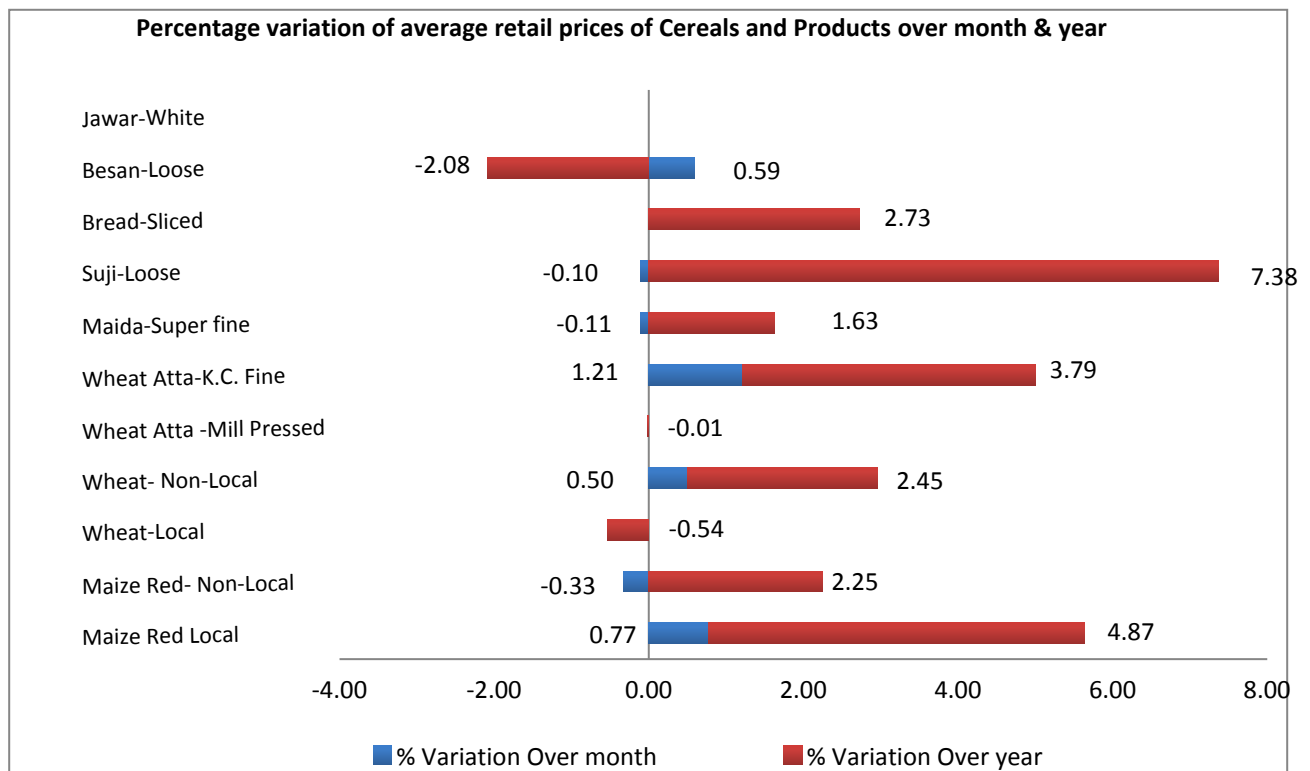
The average retail prices for IR8 and Kashmiri Chawal climbed by 1.31% and 3.81%, respectively, over the previous year, while Basmati Rice (R.S.Pura) decreased by 0.23%. When compared with the previous month, average retail prices for IR8 and Kashmiri Chawal climbed by 0.40%, 1.59% while Basmati rice remained unchanged.

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	
				Dec-24	Nov-25	Dec-25	Over month	Over year
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
1	Rice	IR8 (Punjabi Chawal)	Kg	39.43	39.79	39.95	0.40	1.31
		Kashmiri Chawal	Kg	45.02	46.00	46.73	1.59	3.81
		Basmati (R.S. Pura)	Kg	125.00	124.71	124.71	0.00	-0.23



B. Cereals								
S. No.	Name of Commodity	Variety & Quality	Unit	Price (in Rs.) on			Percentage Variation in prices	
				Dec-24	Nov-25	Dec-25	Over month	Over year
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
1	Maize Red	Local, Medium Quality	Kg	33.01	34.35	34.62	0.77	4.87
		Non-Local, Medium Quality	Kg	31.75	32.57	32.46	-0.33	2.25
2	Wheat	Local, Medium Quality	Kg	31.00	30.83	30.83	0.00	-0.54
		Non-Local, Medium Quality	Kg	34.45	35.12	35.29	0.50	2.45
3	Wheat Atta	Mill Pressed, Medium Quality	Kg	38.11	38.11	38.11	0.00	0.00
		K.C. Fine 1 Kg	Kg	37.39	38.34	38.81	1.21	3.79
4	Maida-Super fine	Super fine Medium Quality	Kg	43.49	44.25	44.20	-0.11	1.63
5	Suji-Loose	Made from wheat, Medium Quality loose	Kg	44.61	47.95	47.90	-0.10	7.38
6	Bread-Sliced	Sliced/Wrapped	400 gm	41.50	42.63	42.63	0.00	2.73
7	Besan-Loose	Made from Gram dal, Medium Quality loose	Kg	113.90	110.87	111.53	0.59	-2.08
8	Jawar-White	White	Kg	57.50	57.50	57.50	0.00	0.00

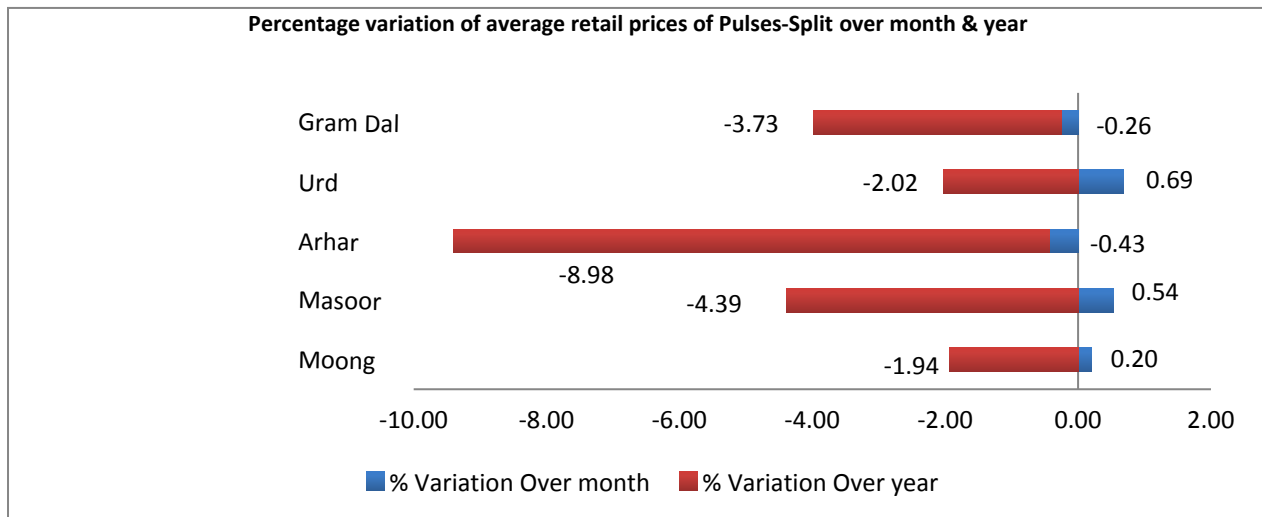


## C. PULSES AND PRODUCTS.

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

When compared to the same month last year, pulse prices exhibit a downward 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	
				Dec-24	Nov-25	Dec-25	Over month	Over year
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
1	Moong	Non-Local, Medium Quality	Kg	126.38	123.68	123.93	0.20	-1.94
2	Masoor	Non-Local, Medium Quality	Kg	108.89	103.56	104.11	0.54	-4.39
3	Arhar	Non-Local, Medium Quality	Kg	149.93	137.06	136.47	-0.43	-8.98
4	Urd	Non-Local, Medium Quality	Kg	130.13	126.63	127.50	0.69	-2.02
5	Gram Dal	Non-Local, Medium Quality	Kg	100.95	97.44	97.19	-0.26	-3.73

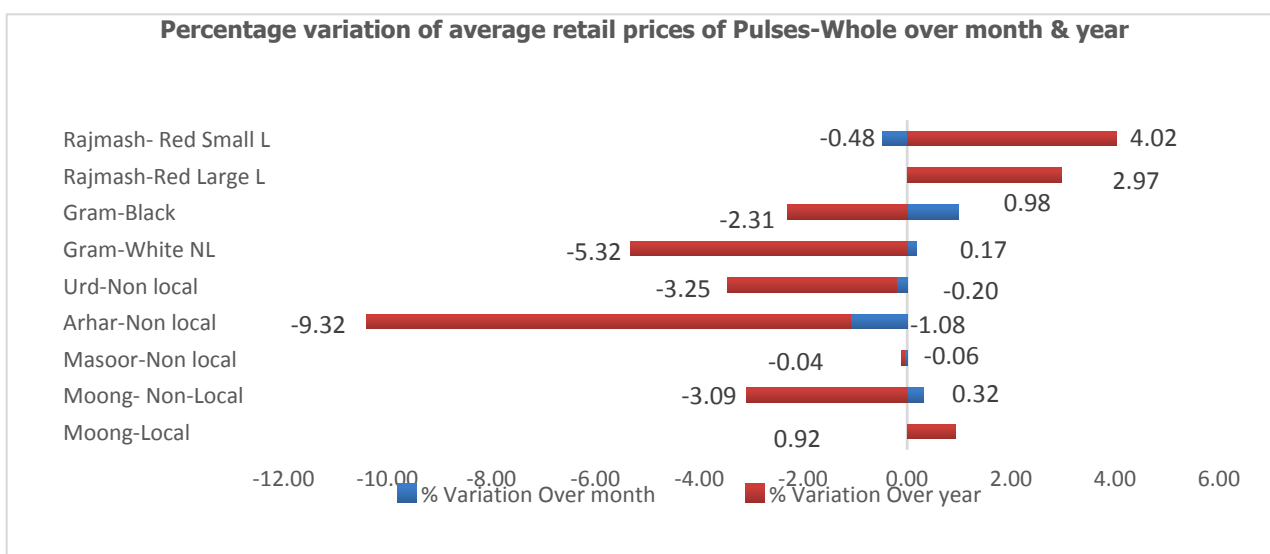


### C (ii) - PULSES WHOLE: Comparison of UT average Retail prices of Pulses Whole.

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

When compared to the same month last year, the average prices for Moong (Non-Local), Masoor (Non-Local), Arhar (Non-Local), Urd (Non Local) and Gram (white, Black) decreased by 3.09%, 0.04%, 9.32%, 3.25% and (5.32%, 2.31%) respectively, except for Rajmash Red Large Local and Rajmash Red Small Local, which increased by 2.97% and 4.02%, respectively.

C. (ii)- PULSES-WHOLE							
S. No	Name of Commodity	Variety & Quality	Price (in Rs.) on			Percentage Variation in prices	
			Dec-24	Nov-25	Dec-25	Over month	Over year
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
1	Moong	Local	234.50	236.67	236.67	0.00	0.92
		Non Local	121.63	117.50	117.88	0.32	-3.09
2	Masoor	Non local	104.68	104.70	104.64	-0.06	-0.04
3	Arhar	Non local	151.70	139.07	137.56	-1.08	-9.32
4	Urd	Non local	126.38	122.53	122.28	-0.20	-3.25
5	Gram	White	156.00	147.45	147.70	0.17	-5.32
		Black	98.54	95.33	96.26	0.98	-2.31
6	Rajmash	Red Large Local	181.98	187.38	187.38	0.00	2.97
		Red Small Local	167.27	174.83	174.00	-0.48	4.02

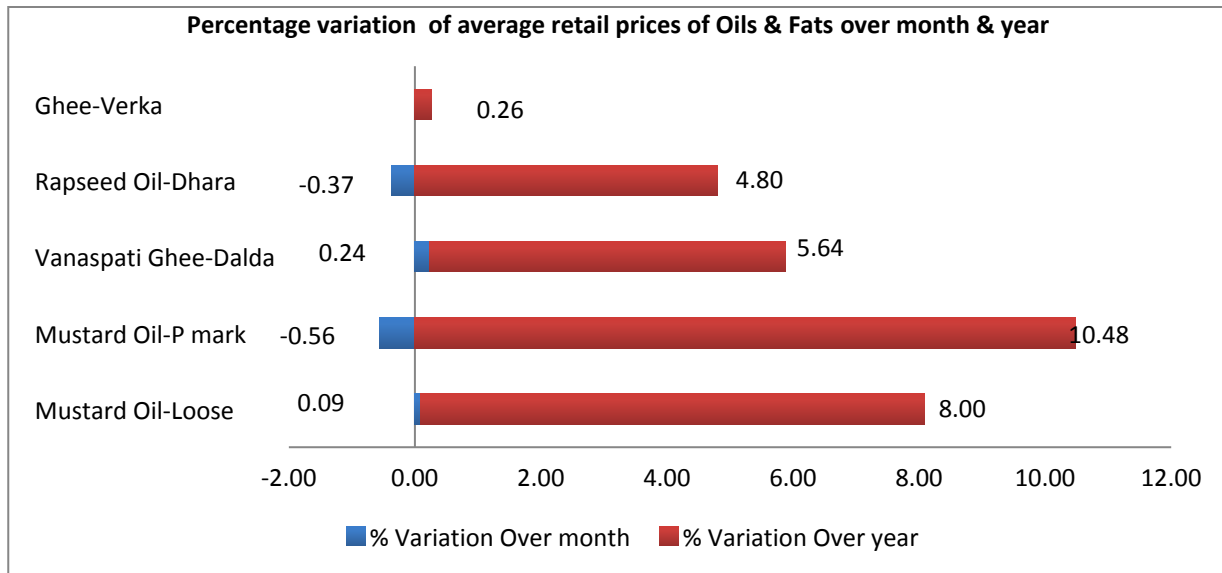


## D. OILS AND FATS

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

The average prices of commodities in this group showed an increasing trend when compared to the same month of the previous year, and when compared with the previous month, average prices of commodities in this group showed a mixed trend.

D Oils & Fats								
S. No.	Name of Commodity	Variety & Quality	Unit	Price (in Rs.) on			Percentage Variation in prices	
				Dec-24	Nov-25	Dec-25	Over month	Over year
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
1	Mustard Oil	Loose	1 Ltr	170.45	183.92	184.08	0.09	8.00
		P- mark	5 Ltr	840.53	933.81	928.61	-0.56	10.48
2	Vanaspatti Ghee	Dalda polypack	1 Ltr	157.18	165.66	166.05	0.24	5.64
3	Rapeseed Oil	Dhara	1 Ltr	181.47	190.89	190.18	-0.37	4.80
4	Ghee	Verka	1 kg	644.41	646.12	646.12	0.00	0.26

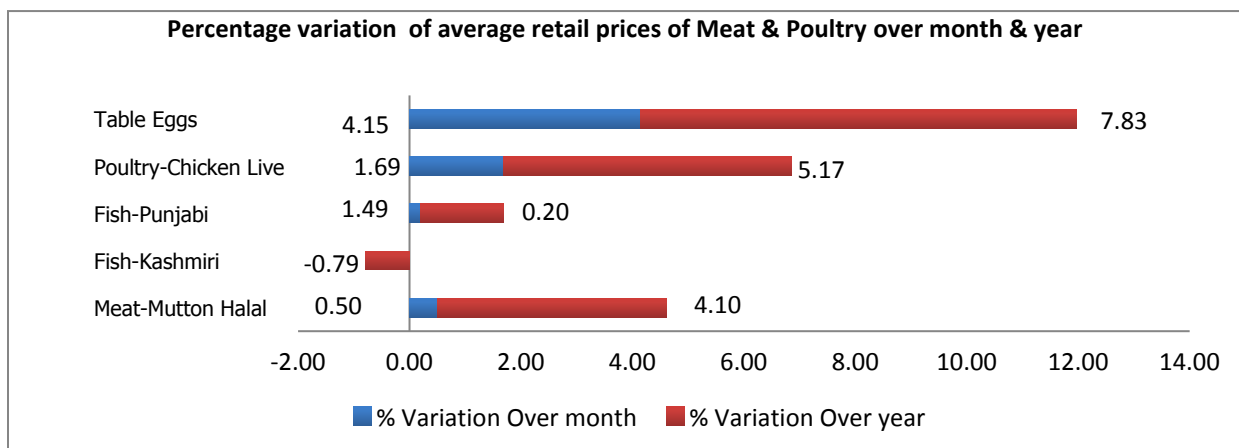


## E. MEAT, FISH, EGGS AND POULTRY

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

In comparison to the same month of last year, average prices under this group show an increasing trend, except for fish Kashmiri. However, as compared to the previous month, average prices under this group exhibit an increasing trend.

E-Meat, Fish & Poultry								
S. No.	Name of Commodity	Variety & Quality	Unit	Price (in Rs.) on			Percentage Variation in prices	
				Dec-24	Nov-25	Dec-25	Over month	Over year
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
1	Meat	Mutton Halal	Kg	609.47	631.32	634.47	0.50	4.10
2	Fish	Kashmiri	Kg	346.36	343.64	343.64	0.00	-0.79
		Punjabi (Mirror Carp)	Kg	264.75	268.16	268.68	0.20	1.49
3	Poultry	Chicken Live Broiler	Kg	154.15	159.41	162.11	1.69	5.17
4	Eggs	Table Eggs	Dozen	83.85	86.81	90.41	4.15	7.83



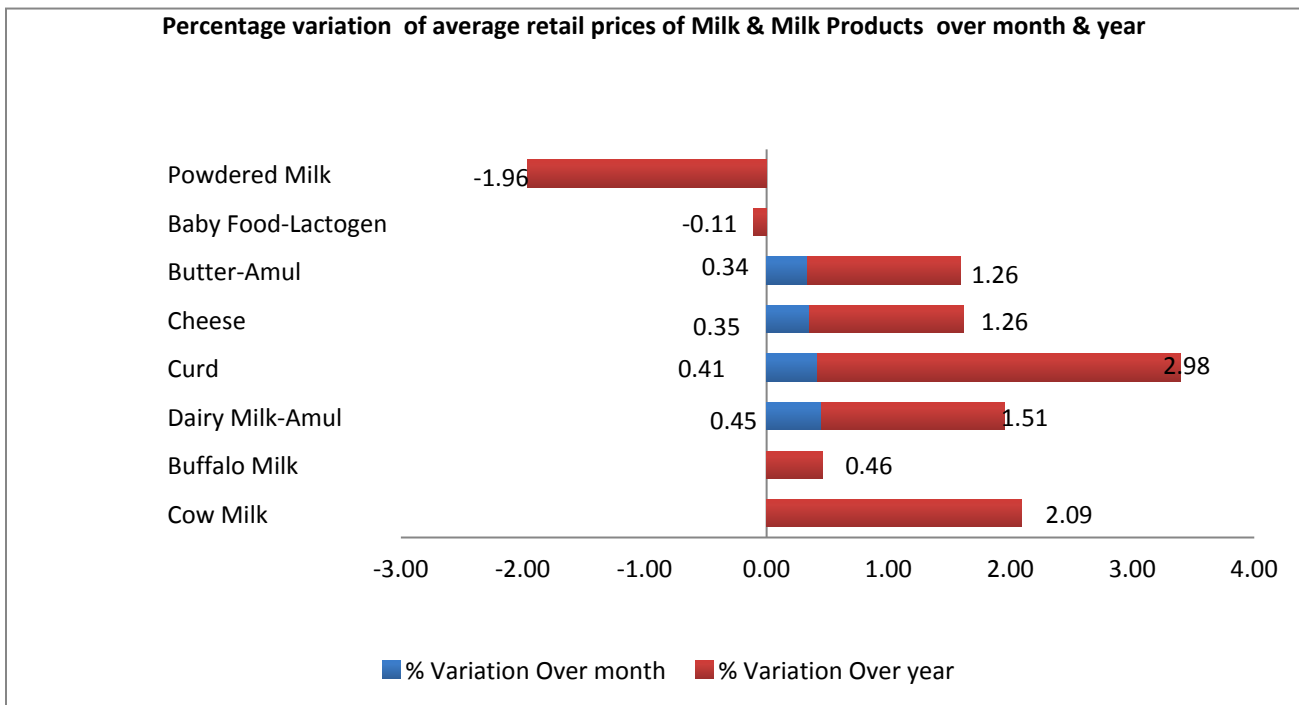
## F. MILK AND MILK PRODUCTS

### 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, and Amul Butter have risen by 2.09%, 0.46%, 1.51%, 2.98%, 1.26% and 1.26% 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	
				Dec-24	Nov-25	Dec-25	Over month	Over year
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
1	Cow Milk	Fresh	1 Ltr	50.25	51.30	51.30	0.00	2.09
2	Buffalo Milk	Fresh	1 Ltr	60.83	61.11	61.11	0.00	0.46
3	Dairy Milk	Poly Pack (Amul)	1 Ltr	69.92	70.66	70.97	0.45	1.51
4	Curd	Fresh	1 Ltr	58.75	60.25	60.50	0.41	2.98
5	Cheese	Fresh	1 Kg	279.38	281.90	282.90	0.35	1.26
6	Butter-	Amul	100 gm	58.91	59.45	59.65	0.34	1.26
7	Baby Food-	Lactogen	400 gm	476.58	476.05	476.05	0.00	-0.11
8	Powdered Milk	Verka Loose	1 Kg	486.36	476.82	476.82	0.00	-1.96

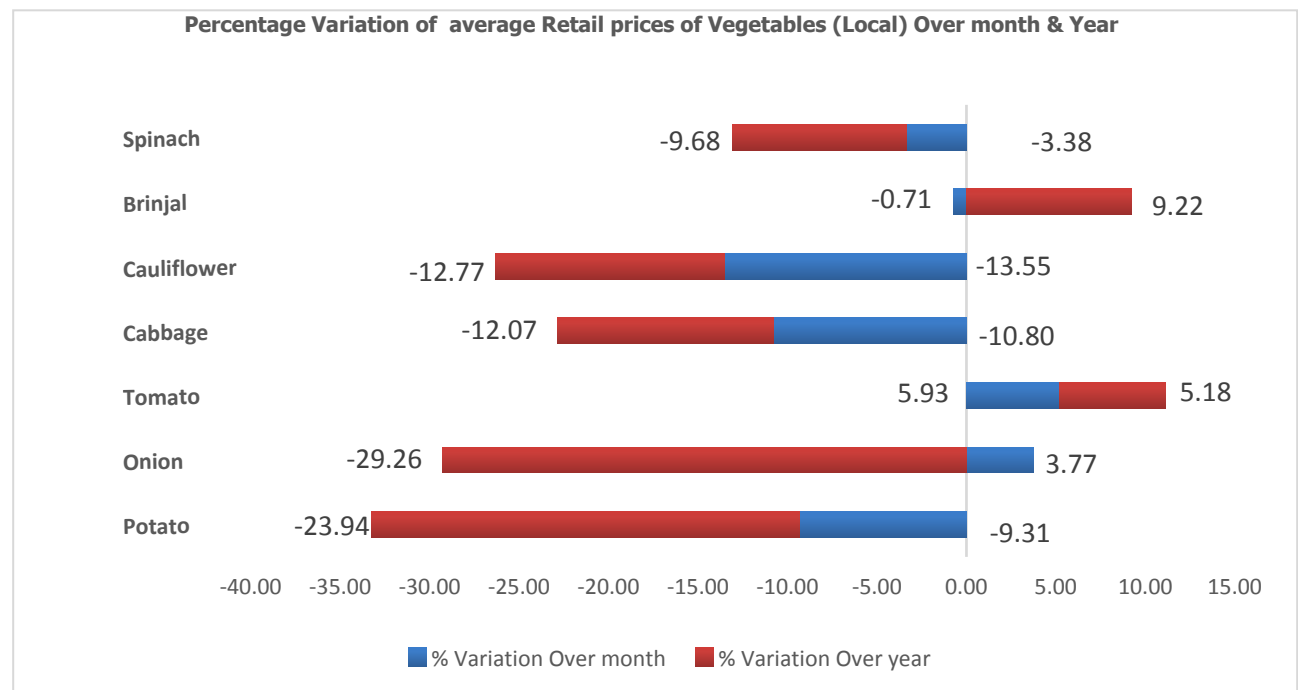
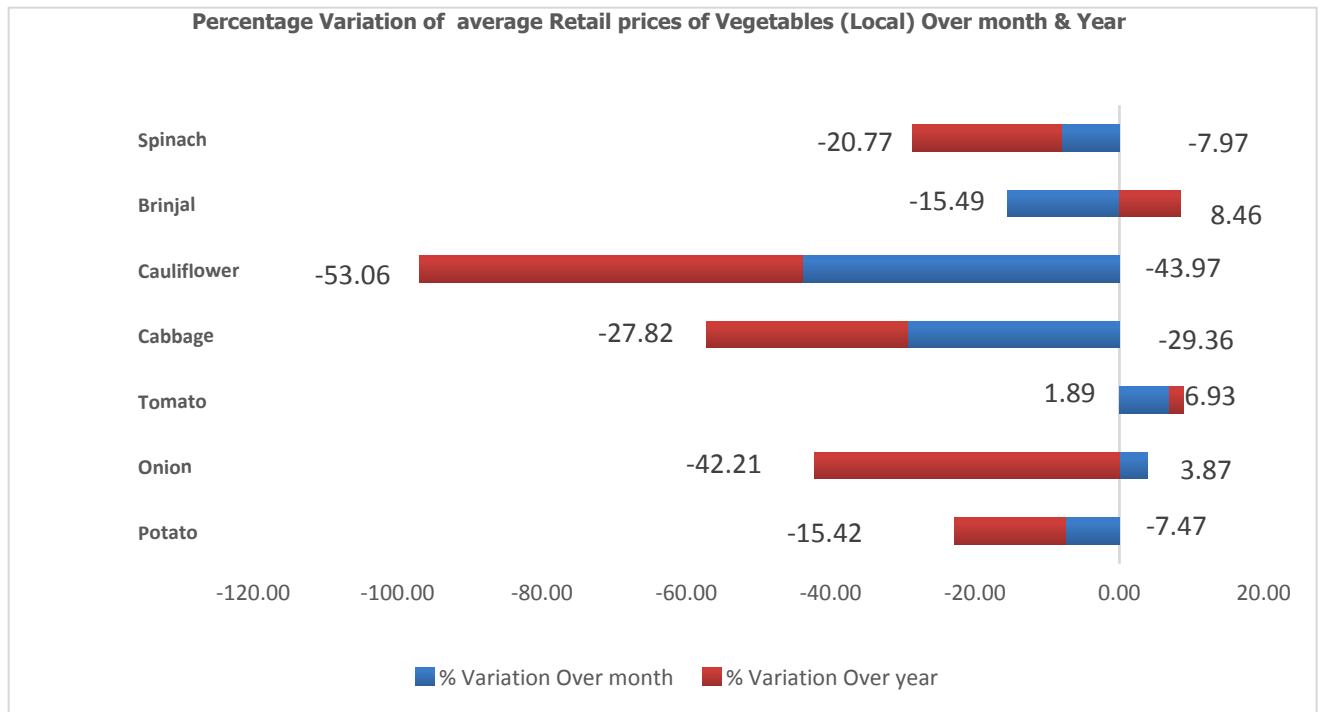


**G. VEGETABLES****Comparison of UT average Retail prices of Vegetables.**

- Vegetables 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).
- Unfavourable 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 December 2025 are likely due to seasonal factors such as peak harvest seasons for many vegetables. On the other hand, the upward price trends can be attributed to lower availability during certain months, compounded by supply chain factors and demand shifts across the year.

<b>G -VEGETABLES</b>								
S. No.	Name of Commodity	Variety & Quality	Unit	Price (in Rs.) on			Percentage Variation in Prices	
				Dec-24	Nov-25	Dec-25	Over month	Over year
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
1	Potato	Local	Kg	37.50	34.28	31.72	-7.47	-15.42
		Non-Local	Kg	36.83	30.89	28.01	-9.31	-23.94
2	Onion	Local	Kg	50.33	28.00	29.08	3.87	-42.21
		Non-Local	Kg	52.59	35.85	37.20	3.77	-29.26
3	Tomato	Local	Kg	53.00	50.50	54.00	6.93	1.89
		Non-Local	Kg	56.03	56.43	59.35	5.18	5.93
4	Cabbage	Local	Kg	38.33	39.17	27.67	-29.36	-27.82
		Non-Local	Kg	41.03	40.45	36.08	-10.80	-12.07
5	Cauliflower	Local	Kg	62.67	52.50	29.42	-43.97	-53.06
		Non-Local	Kg	49.38	49.83	43.08	-13.55	-12.77
6	Brinjal	Local	Kg	36.88	47.33	40.00	-15.49	8.46
		Non-Local	Kg	44.53	48.99	48.64	-0.71	9.22
7	Spinach	Local	Kg	52.88	45.53	41.90	-7.97	-20.77
		Non-Local	Kg	49.03	45.83	44.29	-3.38	-9.68

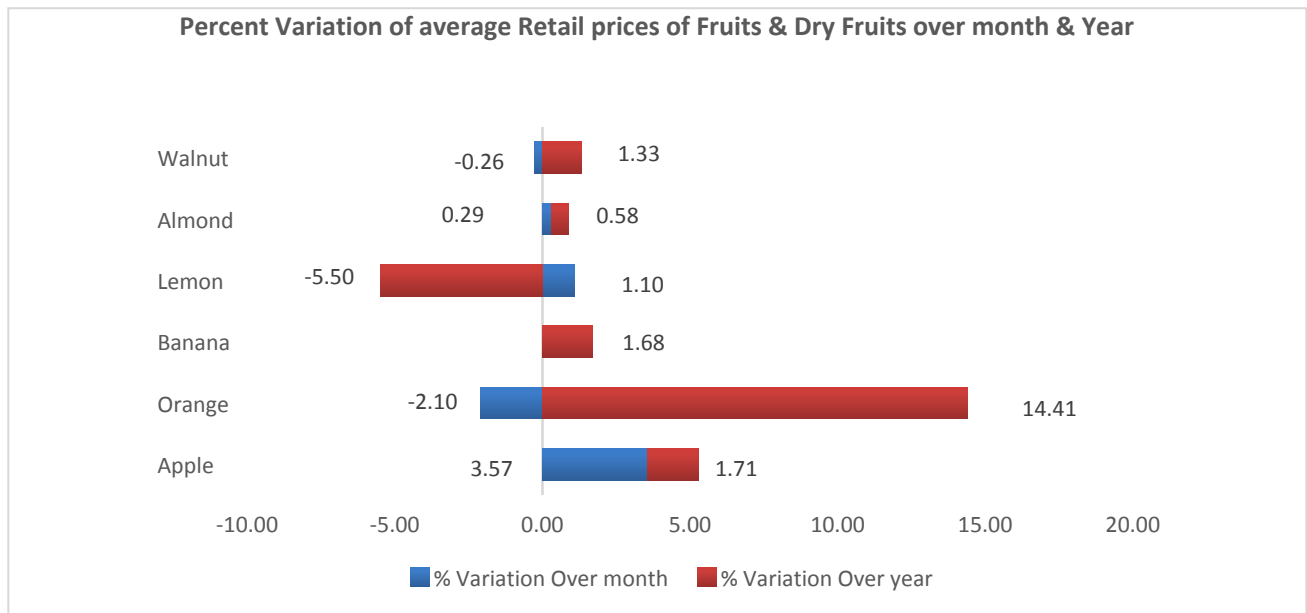


## H. FRUITS AND DRY FRUITS

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

When compared to the previous month's pricing as well as the corresponding month of the previous year, the average retail price of commodities in this category followed a mixed trend.

H. Fruits and Dry Fruits								
S. No.	Name of Commodity	Variety & Quality	Unit	Price (in Rs.) on			Percentage Variation in Prices	
				Dec-24	Nov-25	Dec-25	Over month	Over year
1	Apple	Delicious	Kg	89.25	87.64	90.78	3.57	1.71
2	Orange	Medium size	Kg	103.05	120.43	117.90	-2.10	14.41
3	Banana	Medium size	Dozen	104.00	105.75	105.75	0.00	1.68
4	Lemon	Fresh	250 gm	41.13	38.45	38.87	1.10	-5.50
5	Almond	Mixed Medium	Kg	363.05	364.11	365.16	0.29	0.58
6	Walnut	Mixed Medium	Kg	282.50	287.00	286.25	-0.26	1.33



## I. OTHER FOOD ITEMS

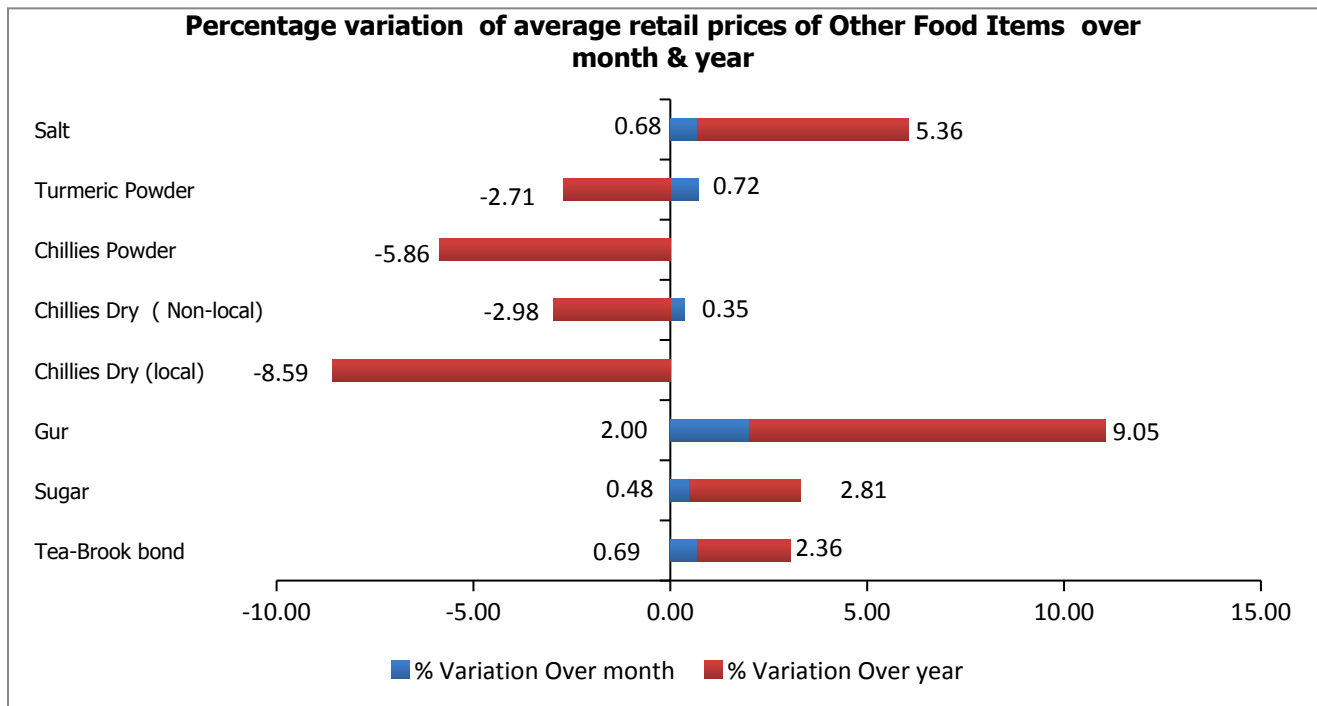
### Comparison of UT average Retail prices for other food items.

When compared to the average prices for the same month of the previous year, the average prices for items in this category showed a mixed trend. When compared with the previous month, the average prices for items in this category showed an increasing Trend.

The average prices of Tea (Brook Bond), Sugar, Gur and Salt increased by 2.36%, 2.81%, 9.05% and 5.36% respectively, over the year.

### I. OTHER FOOD ITEMS

S.No.	Name of Commodity	Prices in Rs. on			Percentage Variation in Prices	
		Dec-24	Nov-25	Dec-25	Over month	Over year
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
1	Tea-Brook bond	142.88	145.25	146.25	0.69	2.36
2	Sugar	50.53	51.70	51.95	0.48	2.81
3	Gur	54.15	57.89	59.05	2.00	9.05
4	Chillies Dry (local)	326.36	298.33	298.33	0.00	-8.59
5	Chillies Dry (Non-local)	297.25	287.40	288.40	0.35	-2.98
6	Chillies Powder	297.50	280.06	280.06	0.00	-5.86
7	Turmeric Powder	179.00	172.90	174.15	0.72	-2.71
8	Salt	28.00	29.30	29.50	0.68	5.36



## J. NON FOOD ITEMS

### Comparison of UT average Retail prices of non-food items.

When compared to the prices from the previous month, the average prices of non-food products showed an increasing trend, except for Petrol which declined by 0.11%. However When compared to the prices from the corresponding month of the previous year, the average prices of non-food products showed an increasing trend except for utensil Soap which declined by 16.37%.

The prices of tobacco, hair Oil, toilet soap, toothpaste and boot polish rose by 1.66%,

5.93%, 2.60%, 3.75% and 11.35%, respectively, in comparison to the same month last year.

<b>J. NON FOOD ITEMS</b>								
<b>S. No.</b>	<b>Name of Commodity</b>	<b>Variety &amp; Quality</b>	<b>Unit</b>	<b>Price (in Rs.) on</b>			<b>Percentage Variation in Prices</b>	
				<b>Dec-24</b>	<b>Nov-25</b>	<b>Dec-25</b>	<b>Over month</b>	<b>Over year</b>
<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>9</b>
1	Tobacco	Hooka Tobacco prepared with (Molasses & Tobacco)	250 gm	20.33	20.67	20.67	0.00	1.66
2	Diesel		Litre	83.73	85.31	85.33	0.01	1.91
3	Petrol		Litre	98.07	98.75	98.64	-0.11	0.58
4	Cooking Gas	LPG/HP/BP (Cylinder of 14.2Kg)	Each	898.40	934.45	937.00	0.27	4.30
5	Hair oil	Dabur Amla Glass Bottle	100 ml	48.97	51.88	51.88	0.00	5.93
6	Toilet Soap	Rexona Cake	100 gm	36.99	37.95	37.95	0.00	2.60
7	Tooth Paste	Colgate Gel Tube	100 gm	68.19	70.75	70.75	0.00	3.75
8	Blade	Gillette pack of 5 blades	Each	14.85	14.85	14.85	0.00	0.00
9	Detergent Powder	Surf ordinary, Pack of 500gms	Each	67.95	68.95	69.20	0.36	1.84
10	Boot Polish	Cherry blossoms, Tin of 40gms	Each	75.35	82.20	83.90	2.07	11.35

## ANNEXURE

Statement showing the UT Average Retail Prices of Essential Commodities for December, 2025								
S. No.	Name of Commodity	Variety & Quality	Unit	Price (in Rs.) on			Percentage Variation	
				Dec-24	Nov-25	Dec-25	Dec-25 Over Nov -25	Dec-25 Over Dec-24
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
<b>A. Rice</b>								
1	Rice	IR8 (Punjabi Chawal)	Kg	39.43	39.79	39.95	0.40	1.31
		Kashmiri Chawal	Kg	45.02	46.00	46.73	1.59	3.81
		Basmati (R.S. Pura)	Kg	125.00	124.71	124.71	0.00	-0.23
<b>B. Cereals &amp; products</b>								
1	Maize Red	Local, Medium Quality	Kg	33.01	34.35	34.62	0.77	4.87
		Non-Local, Medium Quality	Kg	31.75	32.57	32.46	-0.33	2.25
2	Wheat	Local, Medium Quality	Kg	31.00	30.83	30.83	0.00	-0.54
		Non-Local, Medium Quality	Kg	34.45	35.12	35.29	0.50	2.45
3	Wheat Atta	Mill Pressed, Medium Quality	Kg	38.11	38.11	38.11	0.00	-0.01
		K.C. Fine( 1 Kg)	Kg	37.39	38.34	38.81	1.21	3.79
4	Maida	Super fine Medium Quality	Kg	43.49	44.25	44.20	-0.11	1.63
5	Suji	Made from wheat, Medium Quality loose	Kg	44.61	47.95	47.90	-0.10	7.38
6	Bread	Sliced/Wrapped	400 gm	41.50	42.63	42.63	0.00	2.73
7	Besan	Made from Gram dal, Medium Quality loose	Kg	113.90	110.87	111.53	0.59	-2.08
8	Jawar	White	Kg	57.50	57.50	57.50	0.00	0.00
9	Bajra	Coarse	Kg	35.00	35.67	35.67	0.00	1.90
10	Barley	Medium quality	Kg	34.00	34.17	34.17	0.00	0.49
<b>C. Pulses</b>								
1	Moong	Non-Local, Medium Quality	Kg	126.38	123.68	123.93	0.20	-1.94
2	Masoor	Non-Local, Medium Quality	Kg	108.89	103.56	104.11	0.54	-4.39
3	Arhar	Non-Local, Medium Quality	Kg	149.93	137.06	136.47	-0.43	-8.98
4	Urd	Non-Local, Medium Quality	Kg	130.13	126.63	127.50	0.69	-2.02
5	Gram Dal	Non-Local, Medium Quality	Kg	100.95	97.44	97.19	-0.26	-3.73
<b>D. Other Cereals</b>								
1	Moong	Local	Kg	234.50	236.67	236.67	0.00	0.92
		Non-Local	Kg	121.63	117.50	117.88	0.32	-3.09
2	Masoor	Non-Local	Kg	104.68	104.70	104.64	-0.06	-0.04
3	Arhar	Non-Local	Kg	151.70	139.07	137.56	-1.08	-9.32
4	Urd	Non-Local	Kg	126.38	122.53	122.28	-0.20	-3.25

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
5	Gram	White- Non-Local	Kg	156.00	147.45	147.70	0.17	-5.32
6		Black	Kg	98.54	95.33	96.26	0.98	-2.31
7	Rajmash	Red Large Local	Kg	181.98	187.38	187.38	0.00	2.97
		Red Large Non-Local	Kg	157.24	159.18	159.18	0.00	1.24
		Red Small Local	Kg	167.27	174.83	174.00	-0.48	4.02
		Red Small Non-local	Kg	136.78	144.47	144.21	-0.18	5.43
<b>D. Oils &amp; Fats</b>								
1	Mustard Oil	Loose	1 Ltr	170.45	183.92	184.08	0.09	8.00
		P-Mark	5 Ltr	840.53	933.81	928.61	-0.56	10.48
2	Vanaspati Ghee	Dalda Poly Pack	1 Ltr	157.18	165.66	166.05	0.24	5.64
3	Sunflower Oil	Ginni	5 Ltr	835.91	862.27	874.09	1.37	4.57
4	Kardi Oil	Saffola	2 Ltr	427.50	436.00	441.00	1.15	3.16
5	Rapseed Oil	Dhara	1 Ltr	181.47	190.89	190.18	-0.37	4.80
6	Ghee	Verka	1 Kg	644.41	646.12	646.12	0.00	0.26
<b>E. Meat, Fish &amp; Poultry</b>								
1	Meat	Mutton Halal	Kg	609.47	631.32	634.47	0.50	4.10
2	Fish	Kashmiri	Kg	346.36	343.64	343.64	0.00	-0.79
		Punjabi (Mirror Carp)	Kg	264.75	268.16	268.68	0.20	1.49
3	Poultry	Chicken Live Boiler	Kg	154.15	159.41	162.11	1.69	5.17
4	Eggs	Table Eggs	Dozen	83.85	86.81	90.41	4.15	7.83
<b>F. Milk &amp; Milk Products</b>								
1	Cow Milk	Fresh	1 ltr	50.25	51.30	51.30	0.00	2.09
2	Buffalo Milk	Fresh	1 Ltr	60.83	61.11	61.11	0.00	0.46
3	Dairy Milk	Poly Pack (Amul)	1 Ltr	69.92	70.66	70.97	0.45	1.51
4	Curd	Fresh	1 Ltr	58.75	60.25	60.50	0.41	2.98
5	Cheese	Fresh	1 Kg	279.38	281.90	282.90	0.35	1.26
6	Butter	Amul	100 gm	58.91	59.45	59.65	0.34	1.26
7	Baby Food	Lactogen	400 gm	476.58	476.05	476.05	0.00	-0.11
8	Powdered Milk	Verka loose	1 kg	486.36	476.82	476.82	0.00	-1.96
<b>G. Vegetables</b>								
1	Potato	Local	Kg	37.50	34.28	31.72	-7.47	-15.42
		Non-Local	Kg	36.83	30.89	28.01	-9.31	-23.94
2	Onion	Local	Kg	50.33	28.00	29.08	3.87	-42.21
		Non-Local	Kg	52.59	35.85	37.20	3.77	-29.26

Statement showing the UT Average Retail Prices of Essential Commodities for December, 2025								
S. No.	Name of Commodity	Variety & Quality	Unit	Price (in Rs.) on			Percentage Variation	
				Dec-24	Nov-25	Dec-25	Dec-25 Over Nov -25	Dec-25 Over Dec-24
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
3	Tomato	Local	Kg	53.00	50.50	54.00	6.93	1.89
		Non-Local	Kg	56.03	56.43	59.35	5.18	5.93
4	Cabbage	Local	Kg	38.33	39.17	27.67	-29.36	-27.82
		Non-Local	Kg	41.03	40.45	36.08	-10.80	-12.07
5	Cauliflower	Local	Kg	62.67	52.50	29.42	-43.97	-53.06
		Non-Local	Kg	49.38	49.83	43.08	-13.55	-12.77
6	Brinjal	Local	Kg	36.88	47.33	40.00	-15.49	8.46
		Non-Local	Kg	44.53	48.99	48.64	-0.71	9.22
7	Knolkhol	Local	Kg	41.58	42.33	39.38	-6.99	-5.30
		Non-Local	Kg	41.44	40.50	32.83	-18.95	-20.78
8	Spinach	Local	Kg	52.88	45.53	41.90	-7.97	-20.77
		Non-Local	Kg	49.03	45.83	44.29	-3.38	-9.68
<b>H. Fruits &amp; Dry fruits</b>								
1	Apple	Delicious	Kg	89.25	87.64	90.78	3.57	1.71
2	Orange	Medium size	Kg	103.05	120.43	117.90	-2.10	14.41
3	Banana	Medium size	Dozen	104.00	105.75	105.75	0.00	1.68
4	Lemon	Fresh	250gm	41.13	38.45	38.87	1.10	-5.50
5	Almond	Mixed Medium	Kg	363.05	364.11	365.16	0.29	0.58
6	Walnut	Mixed Medium	Kg	282.50	287.00	286.25	-0.26	1.33
<b>I. Other Food items</b>								
1	Tea	Brook Bond, Red Label	250 gm	142.88	145.25	146.25	0.69	2.36
2	Sugar	Non-Local	Kg	50.53	51.70	51.95	0.48	2.81
3	Gur	Non-Local	Kg	54.15	57.89	59.05	2.00	9.05
4	Chillies Dry	Whole Local	Kg	326.36	298.33	298.33	0.00	-8.59
		Non-Local	Kg	297.25	287.40	288.40	0.35	-2.98
5	Chillies Powder	Agmark	500 gm	297.50	280.06	280.06	0.00	-5.86
6	Turmeric Powder	Agmark	500 gm	179.00	172.90	174.15	0.72	-2.71
7	Salt	Tata Iodised	Kg	28.00	29.30	29.50	0.68	5.36
<b>J. Non-food Items</b>								
1	Tobacco	Hooka Tobacco prepared with (Molasses & Tobacco)	250 gm	20.33	20.67	20.67	0.00	1.66
2	Cigarettes	Capstan Filter	Packet of 10 cig.	64.55	64.58	64.58	0.00	0.05
3	Fire Wood	Chopped	40 Kg.	368.75	348.61	348.61	0.00	-5.46
4	Diesel		Litre	83.73	85.31	85.33	0.01	1.91

Statement showing the UT Average Retail Prices of Essential Commodities for December, 2025								
S. No.	Name of Commodity	Variety & Quality	Unit	Price (in Rs.) on			Percentage Variation	
				Dec-24	Nov-25	Dec-25	Dec-25 Over Nov -25	Dec-25 Over Dec-24
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
5	Petrol		Litre	98.07	98.75	98.64	-0.11	0.58
6	Cooking Gas	LPG/HP/BP (Cylinder of 14.2Kg)	Each	898.40	934.45	937.00	0.27	4.30
7	Electric Bulb	Philips, 100 Watt, 250 Volts	Each	17.79	17.53	17.42	-0.60	-2.07
8	Battery Cells	Novino 1.5 Volts, Leak-proof	Each	24.82	25.93	25.25	-2.63	1.73
9	Paracetamol Tablets	Crocin (Strip of 15 tablets)	Each Strip	21.37	21.53	21.44	-0.43	0.31
10	Amoxicillin Capsules	Novomax 250mg.(strip of 15 Capsules)	Each Strip	39.73	40.31	40.18	-0.31	1.14
11	Pencil	Natraj 3.2 HB	Each	5.44	5.44	5.44	0.00	-0.05
12	Rubber	Natraj (ordinary)	Each	4.55	4.55	4.55	0.00	0.00
13	Pen (Ajanta)	Plastic Body with Rubber Tube	Each	10.31	10.00	10.00	0.00	-3.01
14	Ink	Chel Park Royal Blue (60 ml. Bottle)	Each	33.75	33.33	33.33	0.00	-1.23
15	Ball Pen	Renolds 045, Fine Carbine	Each	8.34	8.89	8.89	0.00	6.65
16	Note Book	100 pages with hard cover	Each	66.05	66.84	66.84	0.00	1.20
17	Banian	VIP Bonus undershirt 90cm	Each	122.69	125.00	125.00	0.00	1.88
18	Underwear	VIP Frenchy 90 cm	Each	116.82	117.08	117.08	0.00	0.23
19	Socks	Konica, Synthetic, Gents, Standard size	Each	76.60	78.03	78.03	0.00	1.87
20	Hair oil	Dabur Amla Glass Bottle	100 ml	48.97	51.88	51.88	0.00	5.93
21	Toilet Soap	Rexona Cake	100 gm	36.99	37.95	37.95	0.00	2.60
22	Tooth Paste	Colgate Gel Tube	100 gm	68.19	70.75	70.75	0.00	3.75
23	Blade	Gillet pack of 5 blades	Each	14.85	14.85	14.85	0.00	0.00
24	Detergent Powder	Surf ordinary, Pack of 500 gms.	Each	67.95	68.95	69.20	0.36	1.84
25	Boot Polish	Cherry blossoms, Tin of 40 gms	Each	75.35	82.20	83.90	2.07	11.35
26	Clothes Soap	In advance, a cake of 250gms.	Each	24.83	28.38	28.69	1.10	15.54

## WHOLESALE PRICES OF AGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES FOR DECEMBER, 2025

### Introduction

Average Wholesale prices of Agricultural commodities for the month of December 2025. Statement showing the monthly average wholesale prices of agricultural commodities for December of the previous year 2024, the previous month November 2025 and the current month of December 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

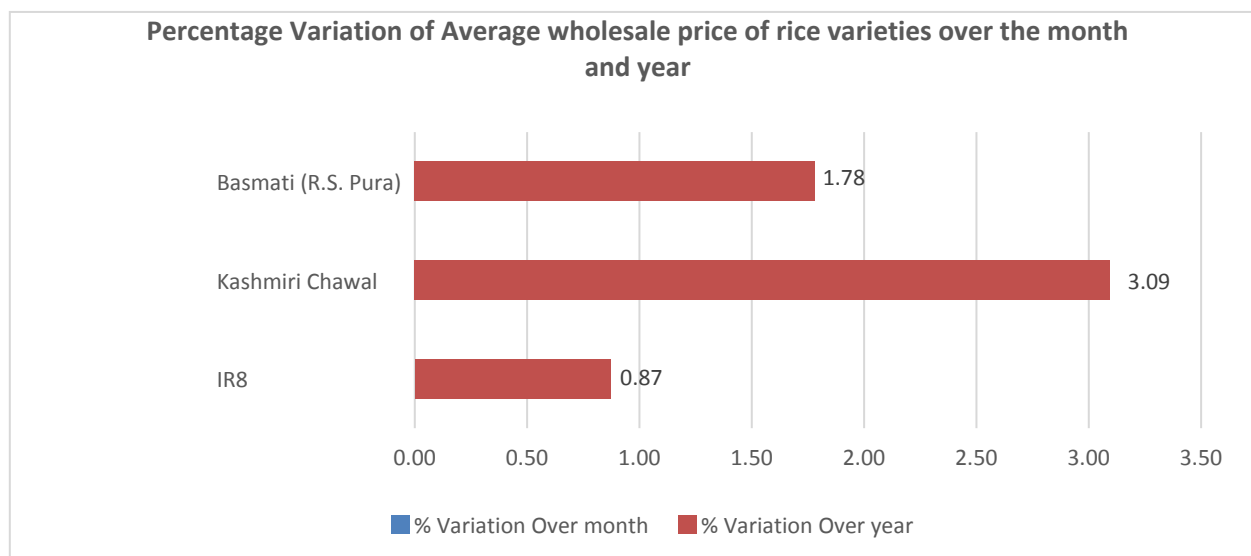
### Comparison of the UT average Wholesale prices of Cereals and Cereals Products.

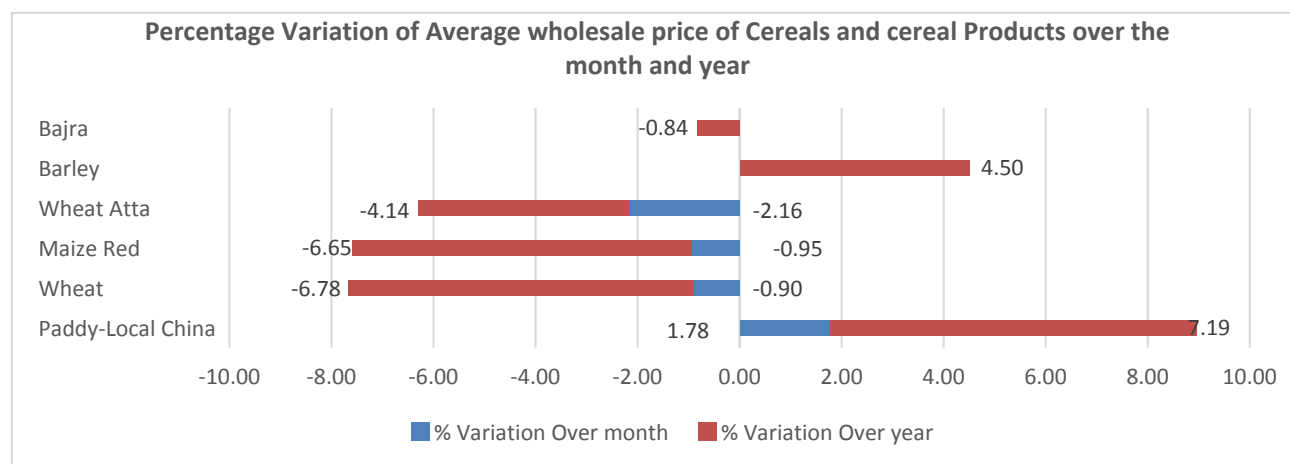
When compared with both the previous month and the corresponding month of the previous year, the average prices of cereals and cereal products exhibited a mixed trend in price variation.

When compared with the previous month, the average prices of rice varieties—Basmati, Kashmiri Chawal, and IR8 remained unchanged. However, when compared with the corresponding month of the previous year, the average prices of IR8, Kashmiri Chawal, and Basmati increased by 0.87%, 3.09%, and 1.78%, respectively.

Over the month, the average price of paddy increased by 1.78%, whereas the average prices of wheat, wheat Atta, and Maize red declined by 0.90%, 2.16%, and 0.95%, respectively. The average prices of Barley and Bajra remained unchanged.

S. No.	Name of Commodity	Variety & Quality	Unit	Price (in Rs.) on			Percentage Variation in Prices	
				December, 2024	November, 2025	December, 2025	Over month	Over year
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
1	Rice	IR8	Qtl	3505.56	3536.11	3536.11	0.00	0.87
		Kashmiri Chawal	Qtl	4590.00	4732.00	4732.00	0.00	3.09
		Basmati (R.S. Pura)	Qtl	11233.33	11433.33	11433.33	0.00	1.78
2	Paddy	Local China	Qtl	2285.71	2407.14	2450.00	1.78	7.19
3	Wheat	Local	Qtl	2950.00	2775.00	2750.00	-0.90	-6.78
4	Maize Red	Local	Qtl	2800.00	2638.75	2613.75	-0.95	-6.65
5	Wheat Atta	Local	Qtl	3403.25	3334.50	3262.50	-2.16	-4.14
6	Barley	Local	Qtl	2775.00	2900.00	2900.00	0.00	4.50
7	Bajra	Local	Qtl	2975.00	2950.00	2950.00	0.00	-0.84





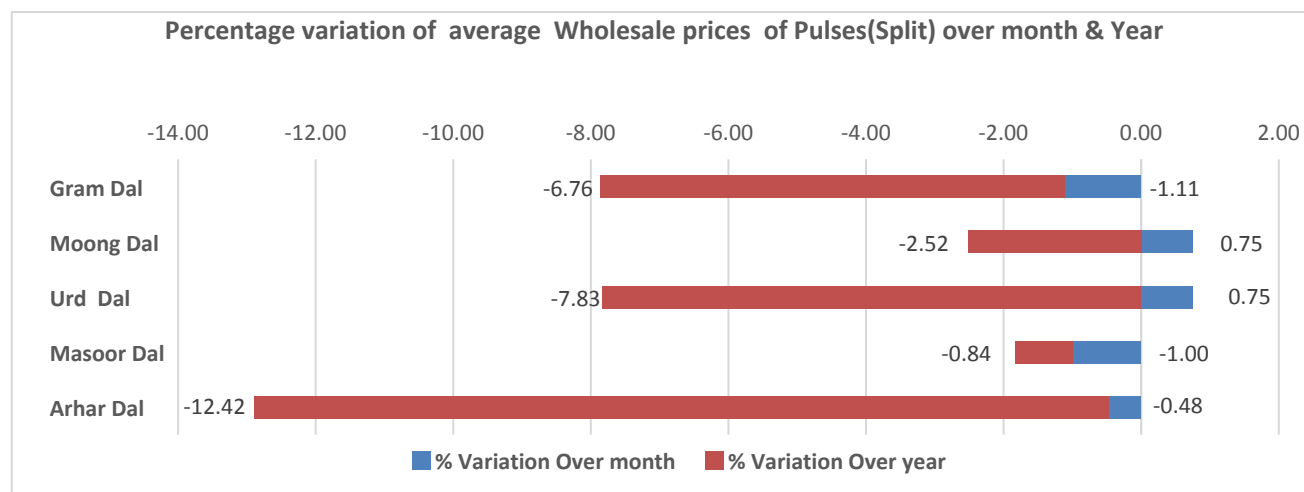
## C. PULSES AND PRODUCTS

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

When compared with the previous month, the average wholesale prices of pulses exhibited a mixed trend. However, when compared with the corresponding month of the previous year, the average wholesale prices of all pulses showed a downward trend.

The average wholesale prices of Gram Dal, Moong Dal, Urd Dal, Masoor Dal and Arhar Dal fell by 6.76%, 2.52%, 7.83%, 0.84% and 12.42%, respectively, in comparison to the prices of the same month last year.

C(i) Pulses Split								
S. No.	Name of Commodity	Variety & Quality	Unit	Price (in Rs.) on			Percentage Variation in Prices	
				December, 2024	November, 2025	December, 2025	Over month	Over year
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
1	Gram Dal	Non-Local	Qtl	8466.67	7983.33	7894.44	-1.11	-6.76
2	Moong Dal	Non-Local	Qtl	10705.56	10358.33	10436.11	0.75	-2.52
3	Urd Dal	Non-Local	Qtl	11853.13	10843.75	10925.00	0.75	-7.83
4	Masoor Dal	Non-Local	Qtl	8633.33	8647.22	8561.11	-1.00	-0.84
5	Arhar Dal	Non-Local	Qtl	13284.17	11689.72	11634.17	-0.48	-12.42

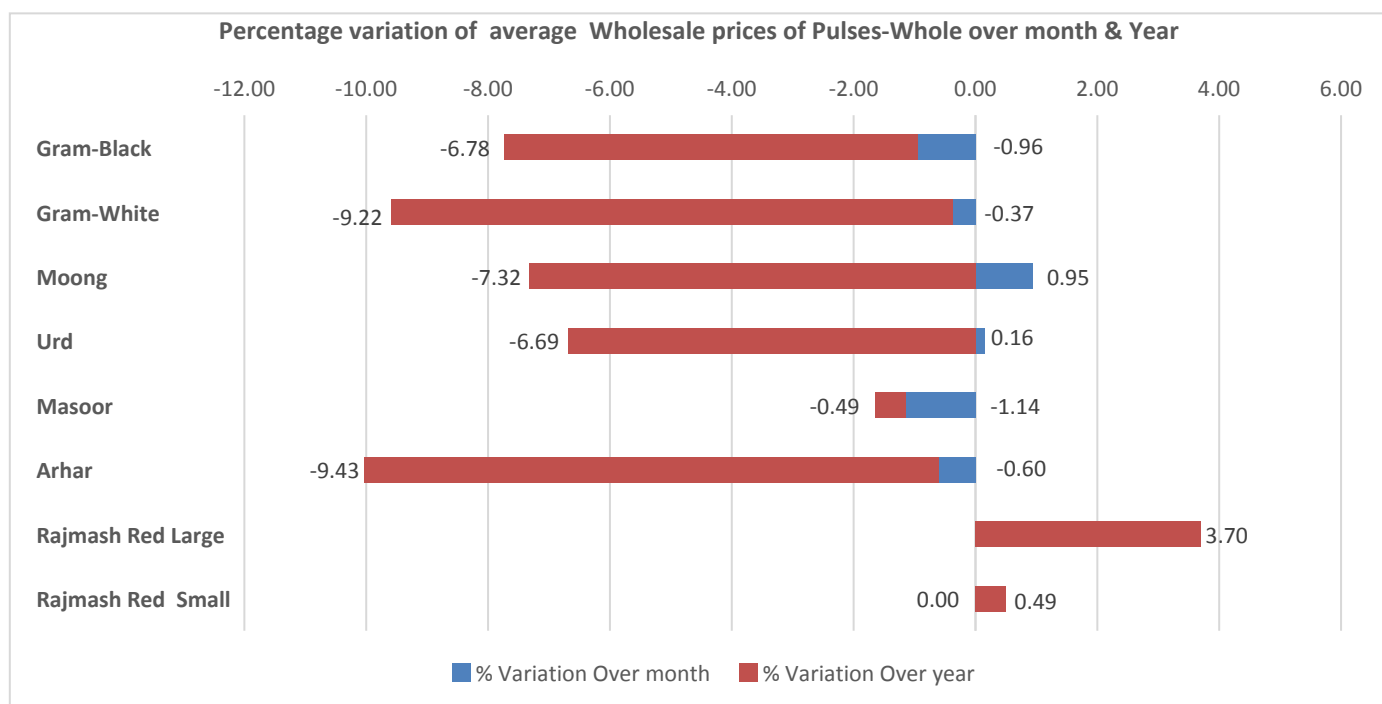


**C (ii) PULSES WHOLE: Comparison of UT average wholesale prices of Pulses-whole.**

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 Large and Rajmash Red small increased by 3.70% and 0.49% respectively, while the prices of Gram White, Moong, Urad, Gram Black, Masoor and Arhar decreased by 9.22%, 7.32%, 6.69%, 6.78%, 0.49% and 9.43% respectively.

C(ii)- Pulses Whole								
S. No.	Name of Commodity	Variety & Quality	Unit	Price (in Rs.) on			Percentage Variation in Prices	
				December, 2024	November, 2025	December, 2025	Over month	Over year
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
1	Gram	Black	Qtl	8316.67	7827.78	7752.78	-0.96	-6.78
		White	Qtl	13202.78	12030.56	11986.11	-0.37	-9.22
2	Moong	Non-Local	Qtl	10244.44	9405.56	9494.44	0.95	-7.32
3	Urad	Non-Local	Qtl	10940.63	10191.67	10208.33	0.16	-6.69
4	Masoor	Non-Local	Qtl	8458.33	8513.89	8416.67	-1.14	-0.49
5	Arhar	Non-Local	Qtl	13815.00	12587.50	12512.50	-0.60	-9.43
6	Rajmash Red Large	Local	Qtl	13910.00	14425.00	14425.00	0.00	3.70
7	Rajmash Red Small	Local	Qtl	17331.25	17416.67	17416.67	0.00	0.49



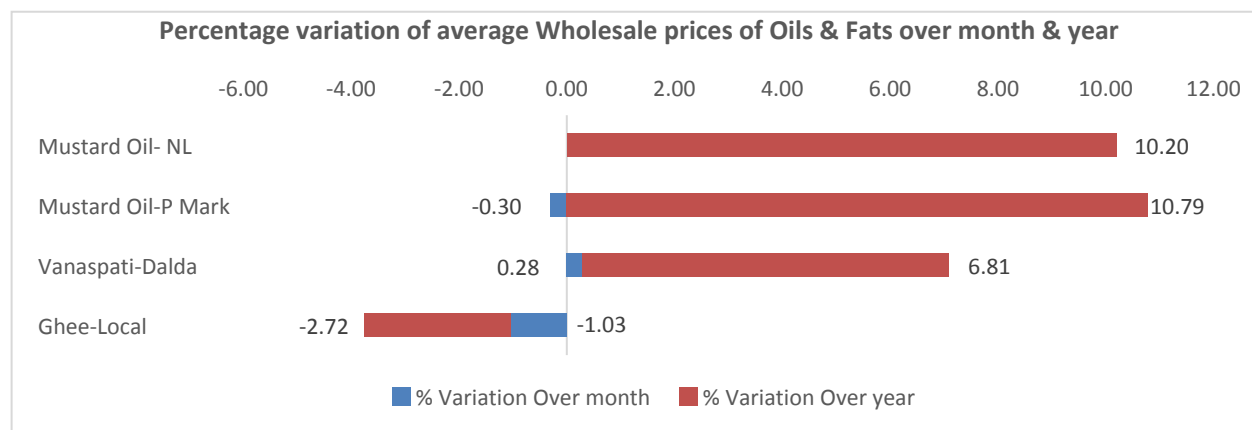
## C. EDIBLE OILS AND FATS

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

Average wholesale prices of edible oils and fats showed an increasing trend when compared to the corresponding month of the previous year, except for Ghee. When compared to the previous month, average wholesale prices of edible oils and fats showed a mixed trend.

When compared with the prices of the corresponding month of the previous year, the average wholesale prices of Mustard Oil (NL-P, P-Mark), Vanaspati (Dalda) and Ghee increased by 10.20%, 10.79%, and 6.81%, respectively, while Ghee declined by 2.72%.

D. Oils and Fats								
S. No.	Name of Commodity	Variety & Quality	Unit	Price (in Rs.) on			Percentage Variation in Prices	
				December, 2024	November, 2025	December, 2025	Over month	Over year
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
1	Mustard Oil	Non-Local"P"	15 Ltr Tin	2450.00	2700.00	2700.00	0.00	10.20
		P-Mark (5Ltr)	5 Ltr	814.31	904.83	902.14	-0.30	10.79
2	Vanaspati	Dalda (10Ltr.Plastic cane)	10 Ltr	1401.67	1492.92	1497.08	0.28	6.81
3	Ghee	Local	15 kg tin	8609.38	8462.50	8375.00	-1.03	-2.72



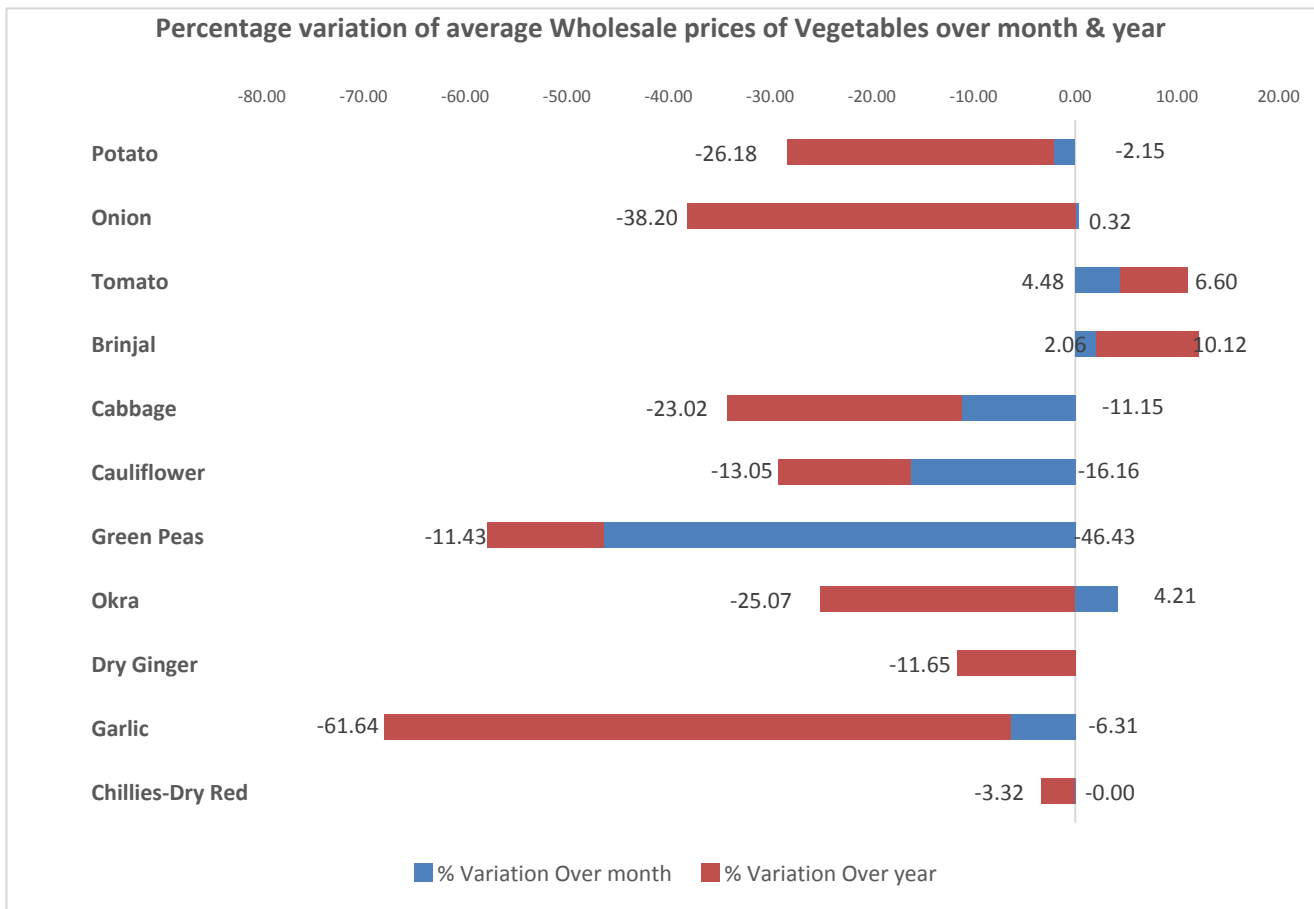
## E. VEGETABLES:

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

When compared to the previous month's pricing as well as the corresponding month of the previous year, a mixed trend was observed in the average wholesale prices of vegetables.

When compared with the corresponding month of the previous year, significant declines of 26.18%, 38.20%, 23.02%, 13.05%, 11.65%, 11.43%, 25.07%, 61.64%, and 3.32% were observed in potato, onion, cabbage, cauliflower, dry ginger, green peas, okra, garlic, and dry red chillies, respectively. In contrast, the average prices of tomato and Brinjal increased by 6.60% and 10.12%, respectively.

E-Vegetables								
S.No.	Name of Commodity	Variety & Quality	Unit	Price (in Rs.) on			Percentage Variation in Prices	
				December, 2024	November, 2025	December, 2025	Over month	Over year
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
1	Potato	Non-Local	Qtl	2599.38	1960.94	1918.75	-2.15	-26.18
2	Onion	Non-Local	Qtl	4193.33	2583.33	2591.67	0.32	-38.20
3	Tomato	Non-Local	Qtl	4071.67	4154.17	4340.28	4.48	6.60
4	Brinjal	Non-Local	Qtl	2809.38	3031.25	3093.75	2.06	10.12
5	Cabbage	Non-Local	Qtl	2930.56	2538.89	2255.89	-11.15	-23.02
6	Cauliflower	Non-local	Qtl	3741.67	3880.56	3253.33	-16.16	-13.05
7	Green Peas	Non-local	Qtl	5840.63	9656.25	5173.00	-46.43	-11.43
8	Okra	Non-local	Qtl	6354.17	4568.75	4761.00	4.21	-25.07
9	Dry Ginger	Non-local	Qtl	35652.78	31500.00	31500.00	0.00	-11.65
10	Garlic	Non-local	Qtl	22593.75	9250.00	8666.67	-6.31	-61.64
11	Chillies-Dry Red	Dry Red	Qtl	27330.56	26422.22	26422.22	0.00	-3.32



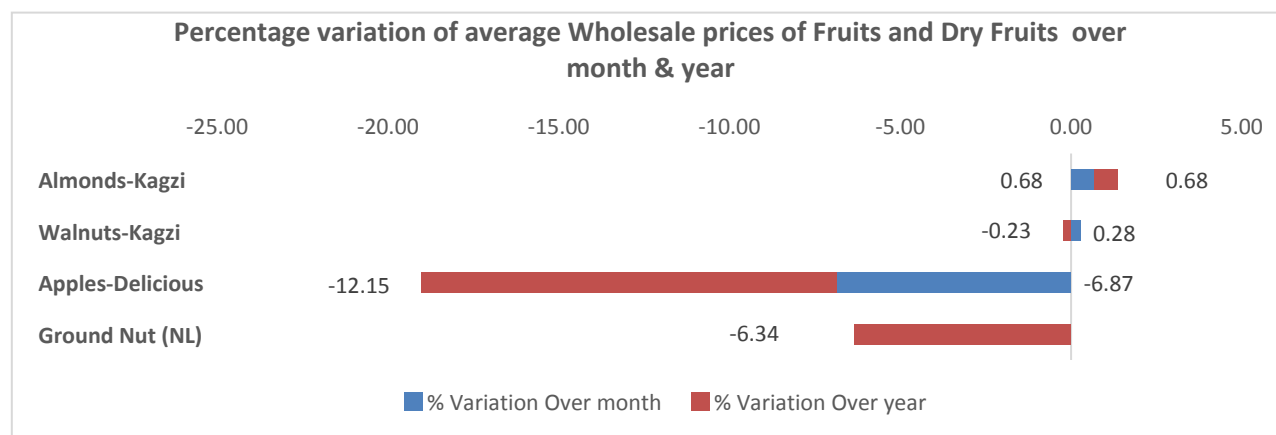
## F.FRUIT & DRY FRUITS

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

When compared with the corresponding month of the previous year, the average prices of commodities under this group exhibited a downward trend, except for almonds (Kagzi). However, when compared with the previous month, a mixed trend was observed in the average prices of fruits and dry fruits.

Over the year, the average prices of Walnuts, Apples, and Ground Nut declined by 0.23%, 12.15% and 6.34% respectively, while that of Almonds increased by 0.68% respectively.

F-Fruits and Dry Fruits								
Sl. No.	Name of Commodity	Variety & Quality	Unit	Price (in Rs.) on			Percentage Variation in Prices	
				December, 2024	November, 2025	December, 2025	Over month	Over year
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
1	Almonds	Kagzi	Qtl	32750.00	32750.00	32972.22	0.68	0.68
2	Walnuts	Kagzi	Qtl	31716.67	31555.56	31644.44	0.28	-0.23
3	Apple	Delicious	12 Kg Box	983.97	928.13	864.38	-6.87	-12.15
4	Ground Nut	Non-Local	Qtl	12064.29	11300.00	11300.00	0.00	-6.34



## G. - OTHER FOOD ITEMS:

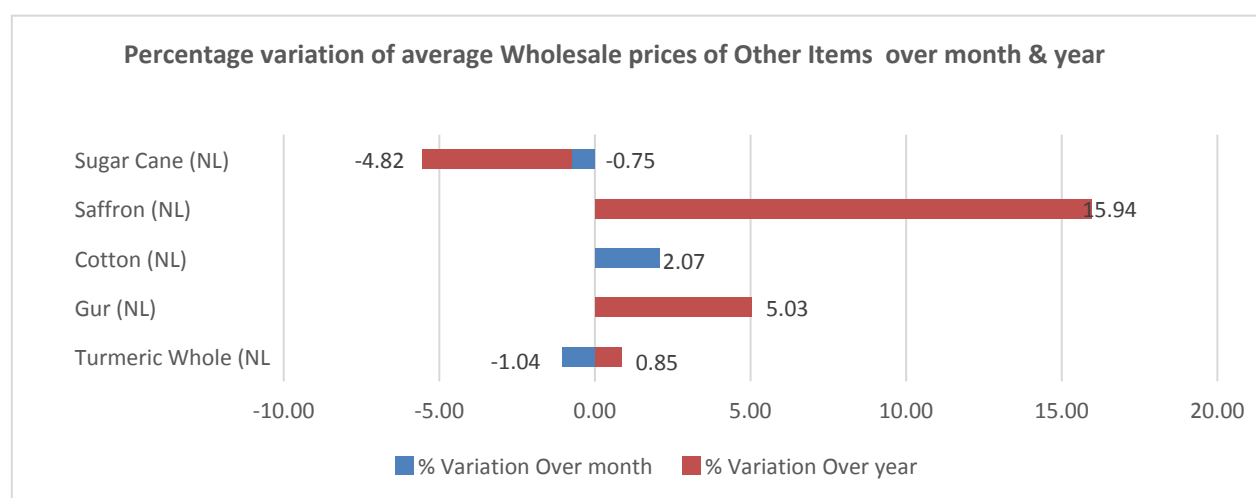
### Comparison of UT average Wholesale prices of Other Food items.

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 corresponding month of the previous year, the average prices of saffron, turmeric (whole), and gur increased by 15.94%, 0.85%, and 5.03%, respectively, while the average price of sugarcane declined by 4.82%. The average price of cotton remained unchanged.

When compared with the previous month's pricing, the average prices of gur and saffron remained unchanged, while the average prices of turmeric (whole) and sugarcane declined by 1.04% and 0.75%, respectively.

G.- Other Food Items								
S. No.	Name of Commodity	Variety & Quality	Unit	Price (in Rs.) on			Percentage Variation in Prices	
				December, 2024	November, 2025	December, 2025	Over month	Over year
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
1	Turmeric Whole	Non-local	Qtl	19700.00	20075.00	19866.67	-1.04	0.85
2	Gur	Non-local	Qtl	4439.06	4662.50	4662.50	0.00	5.03
3	Cotton	Non-local	Qtl	16433.33	16100.00	16433.33	2.07	0.00
4	Saffron	Non-local	10gm	2156.25	2500.00	2500.00	0.00	15.94
5	Sugar Cane	Non-local	Qtl	1383.33	1326.67	1316.67	-0.75	-4.82



**ANNEXURE**

Statement showing the UT Average Wholesale Prices of Essential Commodities for December, 2025								
S.No.	Name of Commodity	Variety & Quality	Unit	Price (in Rs.) on			Percentage Variation of	
				December, 2024	November, 2025	December, 2025	Nov. 2025 over Dec 2025	Dec., 2025 over Dec., 2024
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
<b>A.Rice</b>								
1	Rice	IR8 (Punjabi Chawal)	Qtl	3505.56	3536.11	3536.11	0.00	0.87
		Kashmiri Chawal (Local Super)	Qtl	4590.00	4732.00	4732.00	0.00	3.09
		Basmati (R.S.Pura)	Qtl	11233.33	11433.33	11433.33	0.00	1.78
<b>B.Cereals &amp; products</b>								
1	Paddy	Local China	Qtl	2285.71	2407.14	2450.00	1.78	7.19
		Basmati	Qtl	4387.50	4300.00	4350.00	1.16	-0.85
2	Wheat	Local	Qtl	2950.00	2775.00	2750.00	-0.90	-6.78
		Non-Local	Qtl	3140.63	3021.88	3021.88	0.00	-3.78
3	Maize Red	Local	Qtl	2800.00	2638.75	2613.75	-0.95	-6.65
		Non-Local	Qtl	2842.86	2842.86	2828.57	-0.50	-0.50
4	WheatAtta	Non- Local	Qtl	3403.25	3334.50	3262.50	-2.16	-4.14
		Local	Qtl	3417.00	3422.28	3390.33	-0.93	-0.78
5	Barley	Local	Qtl	2775.00	2900.00	2900.00	0.00	4.50
		Non-local	Qtl	2662.50	2600.00	2600.00	0.00	-2.35
6	Bajra	Local	Qtl	2975.00	2950.00	2950.00	0.00	-0.84
		Non-Local	Qtl	2833.33	2933.33	2933.33	0.00	3.53
<b>C.(i) Pulses-Split</b>								
1	Gram Dal	Non-Local	Qtl	8466.67	7983.33	7894.44	-1.11	-6.76
2	Moong Dal	Non-Local	Qtl	10705.56	10358.33	10436.11	0.75	-2.52
3	Urd Dal	Non-Local	Qtl	11853.13	10843.75	10925.00	0.75	-7.83
4	MasoorDal	Non- Local	Qtl	8633.33	8647.22	8561.11	-1.00	-0.84
5	Arhar Dal	Non- Local	Qtl	13284.17	11689.72	11634.17	-0.48	-12.42
<b>C (ii) Pulses-Whole</b>								
1	Gram	Black	Qtl	8316.67	7827.78	7752.78	-0.96	-6.78
		White	Qtl	13202.78	12030.56	11986.11	-0.37	-9.22
2	Moong	Local	Qtl	21000.00	21500.00	21500.00	0.00	2.38
		Non-Local	Qtl	10244.44	9405.56	9494.44	0.95	-7.32
3	Urd	Local	Qtl	-	9300.00	9300.00	0.00	#VALUE!
		Non-Local	Qtl	10940.63	10191.67	10208.33	0.16	-6.69
4	Masoor	Local	Qtl	-	11500.00	11500.00	0.00	#VALUE!
		Non- Local	Qtl	8458.33	8513.89	8416.67	-1.14	-0.49
5	Arhar	Non- Local	Qtl	13815.00	12587.50	12512.50	-0.60	-9.43
6	Rajmash Red Large	Local	Qtl	13910.00	14425.00	14425.00	0.00	3.70
		Non-Local	Qtl	14055.56	13405.56	13438.89	0.25	-4.39
7	Rajmash Red Small	Local	Qtl	17331.25	17416.67	17416.67	0.00	0.49
		Non-Local	Qtl	11936.11	11780.56	11863.89	0.71	-0.61

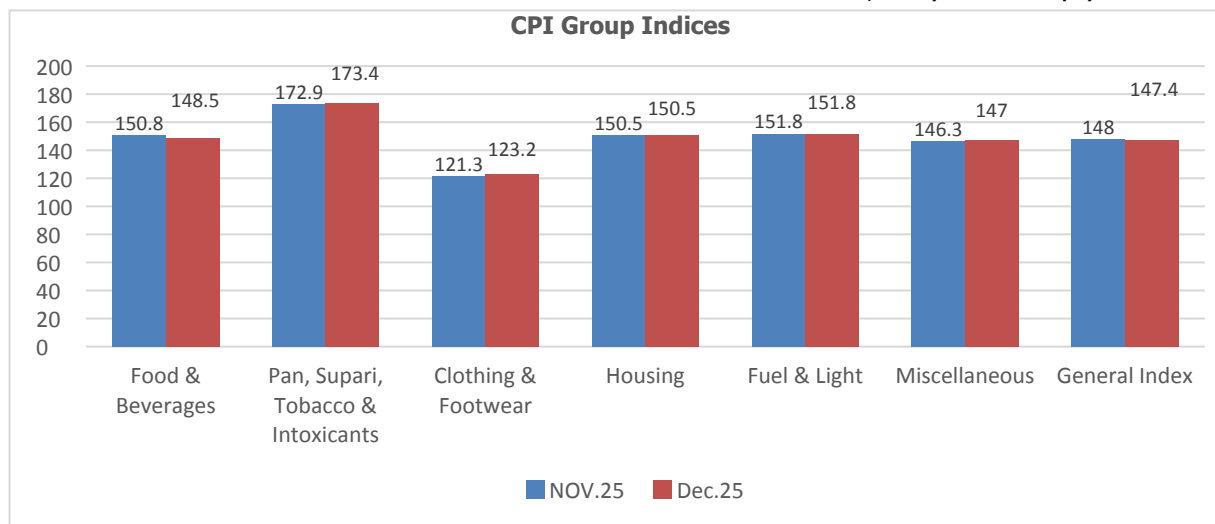
Statement showing the UT Average Wholesale Prices of Essential Commodities for December, 2025								
S.No.	Name of Commodity	Variety & Quality	Unit	Price (in Rs.) on			Percentage Variation of	
				November, 2024	October, 2025	November, 2025	October, 2025 over Nov., 2025	Nov., 2025 over Nov., 2024
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
<b>D.Oils &amp; Fats</b>								
1	Mustard Oil	Local (15 kg tin)	15 kg	2450.00	2700.00	2700.00	0.00	10.20
		Non-Local "P"	15 Ltr Tin	2478.33	2708.06	2703.44	-0.17	9.08
		P-Mark (5Ltrs)	5 Ltr	814.31	904.83	902.14	-0.30	10.79
2	Vanaspati	Local Dalda (15 kg tin)	15 kg tin	2156.25	2110.00	2110.00	0.00	-2.14
		Non Local Dalda (15 kg tin)	15 Litre Tin	2139.86	2304.69	2307.88	0.14	7.85
		Dalda(10 Ltr. Plastic cane)	10 Ltr	1401.67	1492.92	1497.08	0.28	6.81
3	Ghee	Local	15 kg tin	8609.38	8462.50	8375.00	-1.03	-2.72
		Non- Local	15 ltr. Tin	8360.42	8541.67	8541.67	0.00	2.17
4	Mustard Seeds	Local	Qtl	7850.00	6900.00	6900.00	0.00	-12.10
		Non- Local	Qtl	7893.75	7536.00	7536.00	0.00	-4.53
5	Linseeds	Non-Local	Qtl	10833.33	10525.00	10525.00	0.00	-2.85
6	Mustard Cakes	Local	Qtls	-	2750.00	2850.00	3.64	#VALUE!
		Non-Local	Qtls	3212.50	3125.00	3152.78	0.89	-1.86
<b>E.Vegetables</b>								
1	Potato	Local	Qtl	3083.33	2250.00	1975.00	-12.22	-35.95
		Non-Local	Qtl	2599.38	1960.94	1918.75	-2.15	-26.18
2.	Onion	Local	Qtl	3312.50	2243.75	2200.00	-1.95	-33.58
		Non-Local	Qtl	4193.33	2583.33	2591.67	0.32	-38.20
3.	Tomato	Non-Local	Qtl	4071.67	4154.17	4340.28	4.48	6.60
4	Brinjal	Local	Qtl	2912.50	2991.67	2766.67	-7.52	-5.01
		Non- Local	Qtl	2809.38	3031.25	3093.75	2.06	10.12
5	Cabbage	Local	Qtl	-	2050.00	1600.00	-21.95	#VALUE!
		Non- Local	Qtl	2930.56	2538.89	2255.89	-11.15	-23.02
6	Cauliflower	Local	Qtl	-	-	2000.00	#VALUE!	#VALUE!
		Non-local	Qtl	3741.67	3880.56	3253.33	-16.16	-13.05
7	Green Peas	Local	Qtl	-	9000.00	8000.00	-11.11	#VALUE!
		Non-local	Qtl	5840.63	9656.25	5173.00	-46.43	-11.43
8	Okra	Local	Qtl	5100.00	3500.00	4250.00	21.43	-16.67
		Non-local	Qtl	6354.17	4568.75	4761.00	4.21	-25.07
9	Mushroom	Local (10 packets)	200 gm	296.25	300.00	300.00	0.00	1.27
		Non-local (10 packets)	200 gm	326.43	350.00	342.86	-2.04	5.03
10	Dry Ginger	Non-local	Qtl	35652.78	31500.00	31500.00	0.00	-11.65
11	Garlic	Local	Qtl	25250.00	8341.67	8250.00	-1.10	-67.33
		Non-local	Qtl	22593.75	9250.00	8666.67	-6.31	-61.64

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S.No.	Name of Commodity	Variety & Quality	Unit	Price (in Rs.) on			Percentage Variation of	
				November, 2024	October, 2025	November, 2025	October, 2025 over Nov., 2025	Nov., 2025 over Nov., 2024
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
12	Chillies	Dry Red	Qtl	27330.56	26422.22	26422.22	0.00	-3.32
		Green	Qtl	4486.89	4263.89	4533.33	6.32	1.04
<b>F. Fruits &amp; Dry fruits</b>								
1	Almonds	Kagzi	Qtl	32750.00	32750.00	32972.22	0.68	0.68
		Mixed	Qtl	23466.67	23250.00	23250.00	0.00	-0.92
2	Walnuts	Kagzi	Qtl	31716.67	31555.56	31644.44	0.28	-0.23
		Mixed	Qtl	23716.67	24333.33	24388.89	0.23	2.83
3	Apples	Delicious	12 Kg Box	983.97	928.13	864.38	-6.87	-12.15
4	GroundNut	Non-Local	Qtl	12064.29	11300.00	11300.00	0.00	-6.34
<b>G. Other Food items</b>								
1	Turmeric Whole	Non-local	Qtl	19700.00	20075.00	19866.67	-1.04	0.85
2	Turmeric Split	Non-local	Qtl	19728.13	19911.11	19650.00	-1.31	-0.40
3	Mash	Local	QTL	-	11000.00	11000.00	0.00	#VALUE!
		Non-local	Qtl	11225.00	9866.67	9866.67	0.00	-12.10
4	Kulth	Non-local	Qtl	-	8500.00	10833.33	27.45	#VALUE!
5	Gur	Non-local	Qtl	4439.06	4662.50	4662.50	0.00	5.03
6	Cotton	Non-local	Qtl	16433.33	16100.00	16433.33	2.07	0.00
7	Saffron	Local	10 gm	2125.00	2057.50	2057.50	0.00	-3.18
		Non-local	10 gm	2156.25	2500.00	2500.00	0.00	15.94
8	Gross	Local	Qtl.	-	3225.00	3225.00	0.00	#VALUE!
9	Fodder	Local	Qtl.	-	775.00	775.00	0.00	#VALUE!
		Non Local	Qtl.	850.00	731.50	750.00	2.53	-11.76
10	Sugarcane	Non-local	Qtl	1383.33	1326.67	1316.67	-0.75	-4.82
11	Sesamum	Non-local	Qtl	-	18000.00	18000.00	0.00	#VALUE!

**Jammu & Kashmir Group-wise CPI-IW for December, 2025**

S. No.	Groups	November 25	December-25
1	2	3	4
I	Food & Beverages	150.8	148.5
II	Pan, Supari, Tobacco & Intoxicants	172.9	173.4
III	Clothing & Footwear	121.3	123.2
IV	Housing	150.5	150.5
V	Fuel & Light	151.8	151.8
VI	Miscellaneous	146.3	147
VII	General Index	148	147.4

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

**Jammu & Kashmir CPI- General for Agricultural and Rural Labourers (Base 2019=100)**

Union Territory		November-25	December-25
J&K	Agricultural Labourers	146.25	146.48
	Rural Labourers	146.65	146.73

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

