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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 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 the month of August, 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 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 the regulation of wages and dearness allowances of central and state Government Employees. The group-wise Consumer Price Index for the Industrial workers for August, 2025, uploaded by the Labour Bureau, Ministry of Labour & Employment and General Index for Agricultural Labourers and Rural Labourers for the month of August, 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

August-2025

INTRODUCTION

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

month August 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.

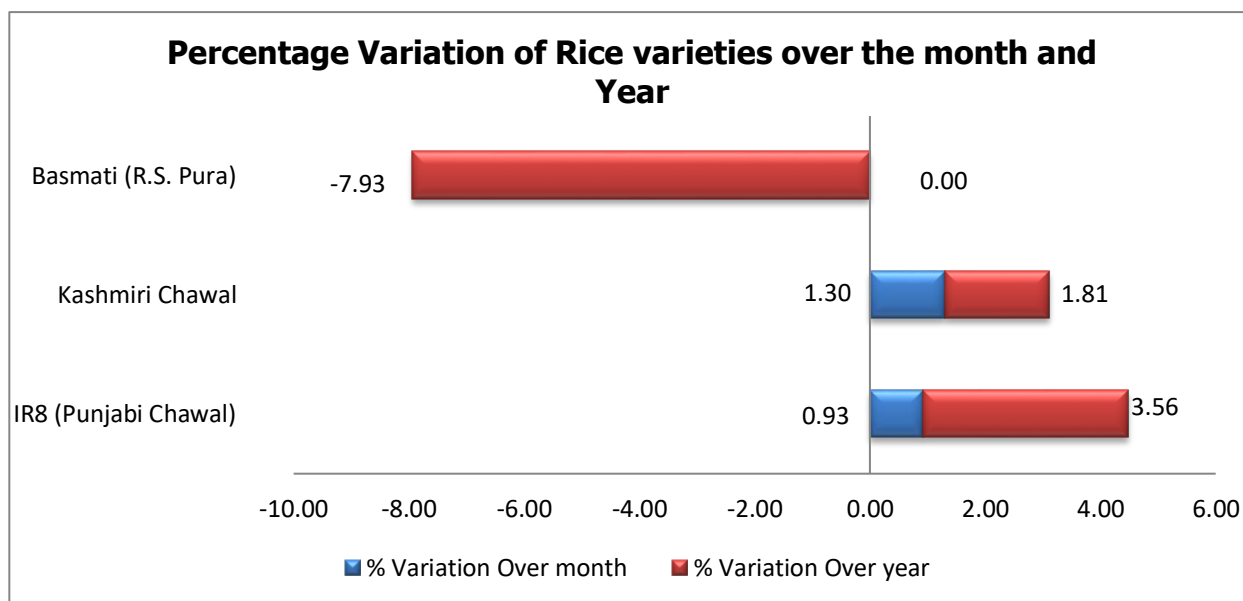


A&B - CEREALS AND CEREALS PRODUCTS.**Comparison of UT average Retail prices of different varieties of Cereals and Cereals Products.**

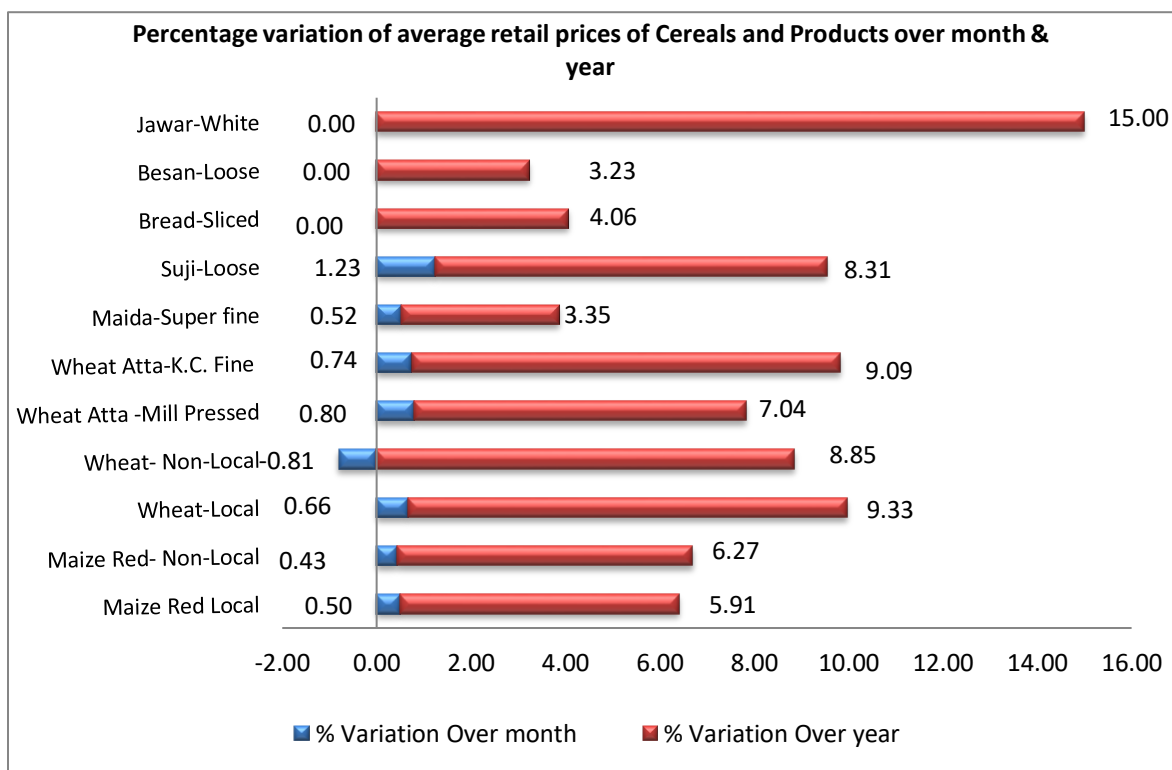
Average retail prices for cereals and cereal products increased when compared to the same month last year. The average retail prices for IR8 and Kashmiri Chawal climbed by 3.56% and 1.81%, respectively, over the previous year, while Basmati Rice (R.S. Pura) decreased by

7.93%. 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	
				Aug-24	July-25	Aug-25	Over month	Over year
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
1	Rice	IR8 (Punjabi Chawal)	Kg	38.83	39.84	40.21	0.93	3.56
		Kashmiri Chawal	Kg	45.87	46.10	46.70	1.30	1.81
		Basmati (R.S. Pura)	Kg	135.00	124.29	124.29	0.00	-7.93



B. Cereals								
S. No.	Name of Commodity	Variety & Quality	Unit	Price (in Rs.) on			Percentage Variation in prices	
				Aug-24	July-25	Aug-25	Over month	Over year
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
1	Maize Red	Local, Medium Quality	Kg	32.49	34.24	34.41	0.50	5.91
		Non-Local, Medium Quality	Kg	31.12	32.93	33.07	0.43	6.27
2	Wheat	Local, Medium Quality	Kg	28.08	30.50	30.70	0.66	9.33
		Non-Local, Medium Quality	Kg	32.34	35.49	35.20	-0.81	8.85
3	Wheat Atta	Mill Pressed, Medium Quality	Kg	35.54	37.74	38.04	0.80	7.04
		K.C. Fine 1 Kg	Kg	35.57	38.52	38.80	0.74	9.09
4	Maida-Super fine	Super fine Medium Quality	Kg	41.59	42.76	42.98	0.52	3.35
5	Suji-Loose	Made from wheat, Medium Quality loose	Kg	42.58	45.56	46.12	1.23	8.31
6	Bread-Sliced	Sliced/Wrapped	400 gm	40.84	42.50	42.50	0.00	4.06
7	Besan-Loose	Made from Gram dal, Medium Quality loose	Kg	109.74	113.29	113.29	0.00	3.23
8	Jawar-White	White	Kg	50.00	57.50	57.50	0.00	15.00



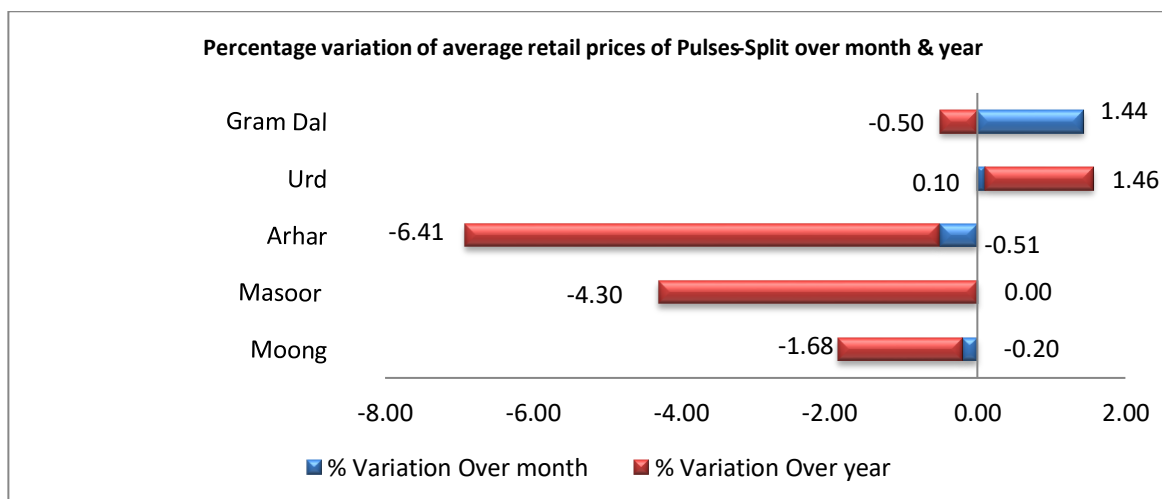
C. PULSES AND PRODUCTS.

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

When compared to the same month last year, pulse prices exhibit a downward trend except Urd (N.L), which shows an increasing 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	
				Aug-24	July-25	Aug-25	Over month	Over year
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
1	Moong	Non-Local, Medium Quality	Kg	126.06	124.19	123.94	-0.20	-1.68
2	Masoor	Non-Local, Medium Quality	Kg	109.65	104.93	104.93	0.00	-4.30
3	Arhar	Non-Local, Medium Quality	Kg	150.21	141.31	140.59	-0.51	-6.41
4	Urd	Non-Local, Medium Quality	Kg	127.74	129.47	129.61	0.10	1.46
5	Gram Dal	Non-Local, Medium Quality	Kg	98.87	96.98	98.38	1.44	-0.50

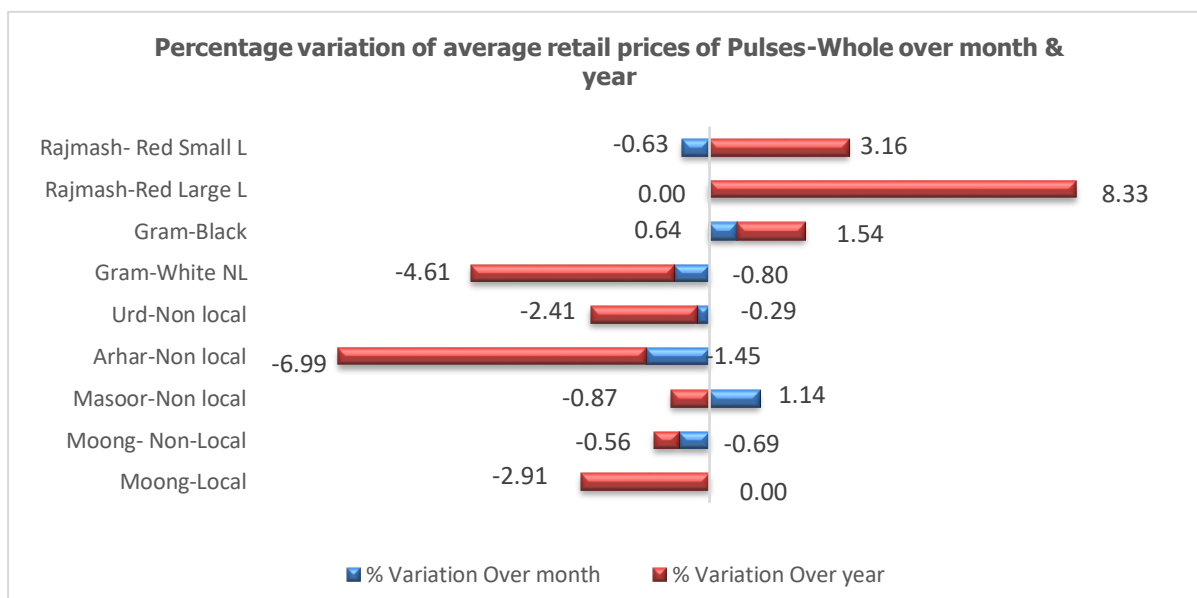


C (ii) - PULSES WHOLE: Comparison of UT average Retail prices of Pulses Whole.

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 (Local, Non-Local), Masoor (Non-Local), Arhar (Non-Local), Urd (Non-Local) and Gram (white) decreased by (2.91%, 0.56%), 0.87%, 6.99%, 2.41% and 4.61%, respectively. Except for Gram Dal (Black), Rajmash Red Large Local and Rajmash Red Small Local, which increased by 1.54%, 8.33% and 3.16% respectively.

C. (ii)- PULSES-WHOLE							
S. No	Name of Commodity	Variety & Quality	Price (in Rs.) on			Percentage Variation in prices	
			Aug-24	July-25	Aug-25	Over month	Over year
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
1	Moong	Local	243.75	236.67	236.67	0.00	-2.91
		Non Local	119.53	119.69	118.86	-0.69	-0.56
2	Masoor	Non local	106.56	104.44	105.63	1.14	-0.87
3	Arhar	Non local	153.47	144.85	142.75	-1.45	-6.99
4	Urd	Non local	125.13	122.46	122.11	-0.29	-2.41
5	Gram	White	156.34	150.33	149.13	-0.80	-4.61
		Black	94.14	94.98	95.59	0.64	1.54
6	Rajmash	Red Large Local	171.07	185.31	185.31	0.00	8.33
		Red Small Local	166.12	172.45	171.36	-0.63	3.16

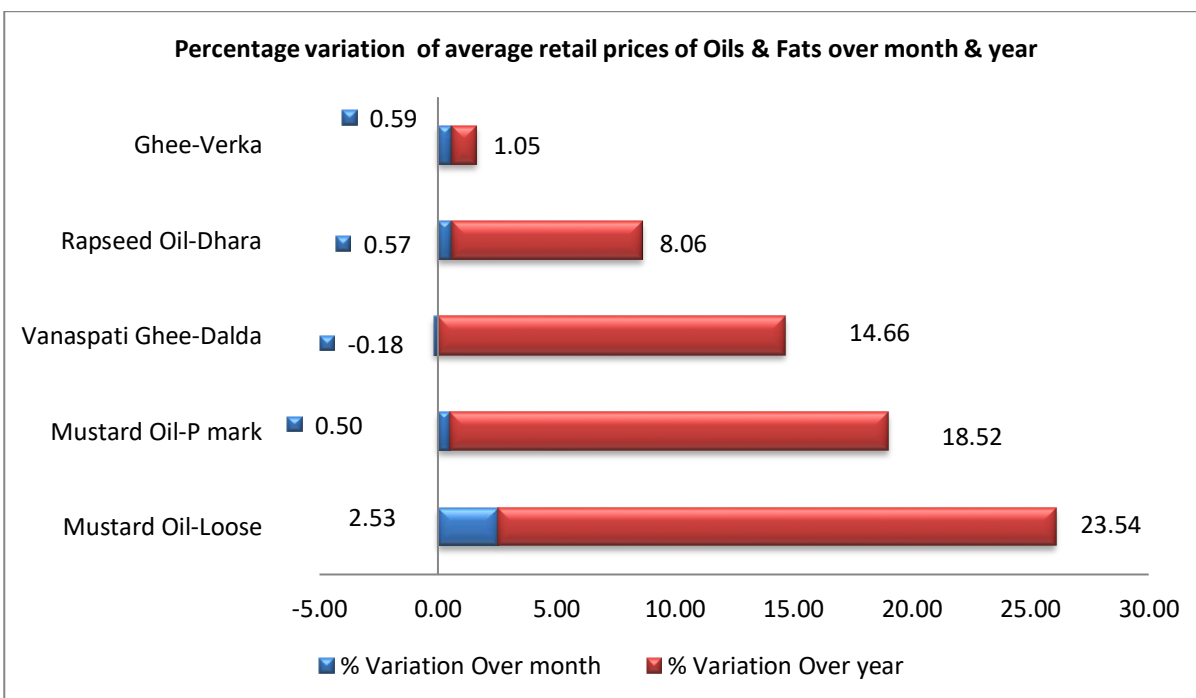


D. OILS AND FATS

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 of the previous year and the previous month.

D Oils & Fats								
S. No.	Name of Commodity	Variety & Quality	Unit	Price (in Rs) on			Percentage Variation in prices	
				Aug-24	July-25	Aug-25	Over month	Over year
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
1	Mustard Oil	Loose	1 Ltr	149.63	180.30	184.86	2.53	23.54
		P- mark	5 Ltr	737.55	869.84	874.15	0.50	18.52
2	Vanaspati Ghee	Dalda polypack	1 Ltr	144.36	165.82	165.52	-0.18	14.66
3	Rapeseed Oil	Dhara	1 Ltr	175.50	188.57	189.64	0.57	8.06
4	Ghee	Verka	1 kg	635.59	638.49	642.24	0.59	1.05



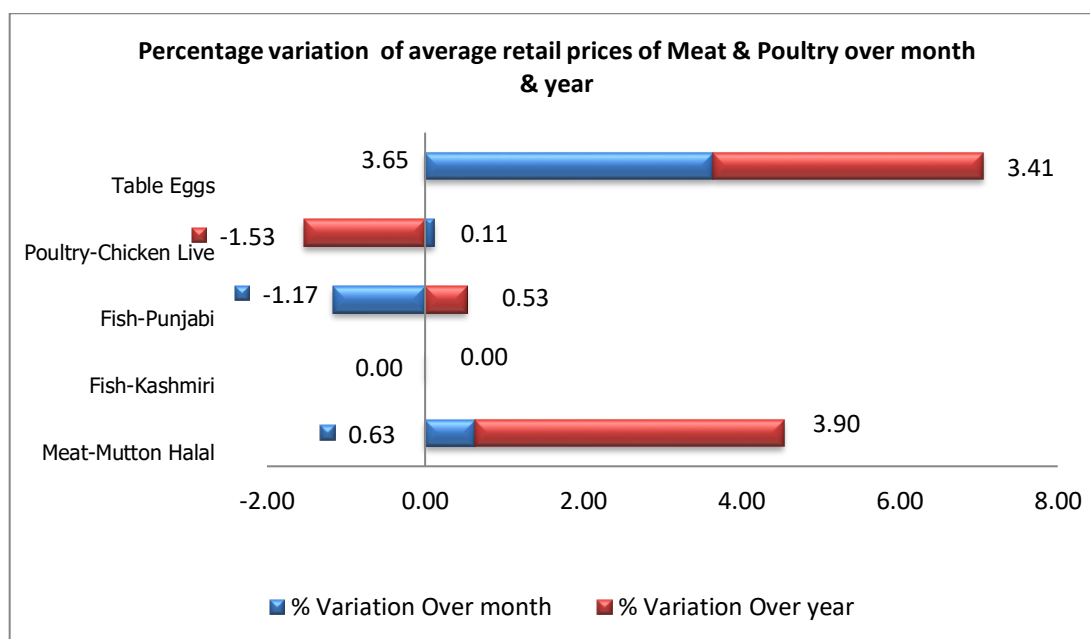
E. MEAT, FISH, EGGS AND POULTRY

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 Poultry which has dropped by 1.53%. 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	
				Aug-24	July-25	Aug-25	Over month	Over year
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
1	Meat	Mutton Halal	Kg	603.55	623.16	627.11	0.63	3.90
2	Fish	Kashmiri	Kg	334.09	334.09	334.09	0.00	0.00
		Punjabi (Mirror Carp)	Kg	265.70	270.26	267.11	-1.17	0.53
3	Poultry	Chicken Live Broiler	Kg	159.04	156.43	156.61	0.11	-1.53
4	Eggs	Table Eggs	Dozen	76.76	76.58	79.38	3.65	3.41



F. MILK AND MILK PRODUCTS

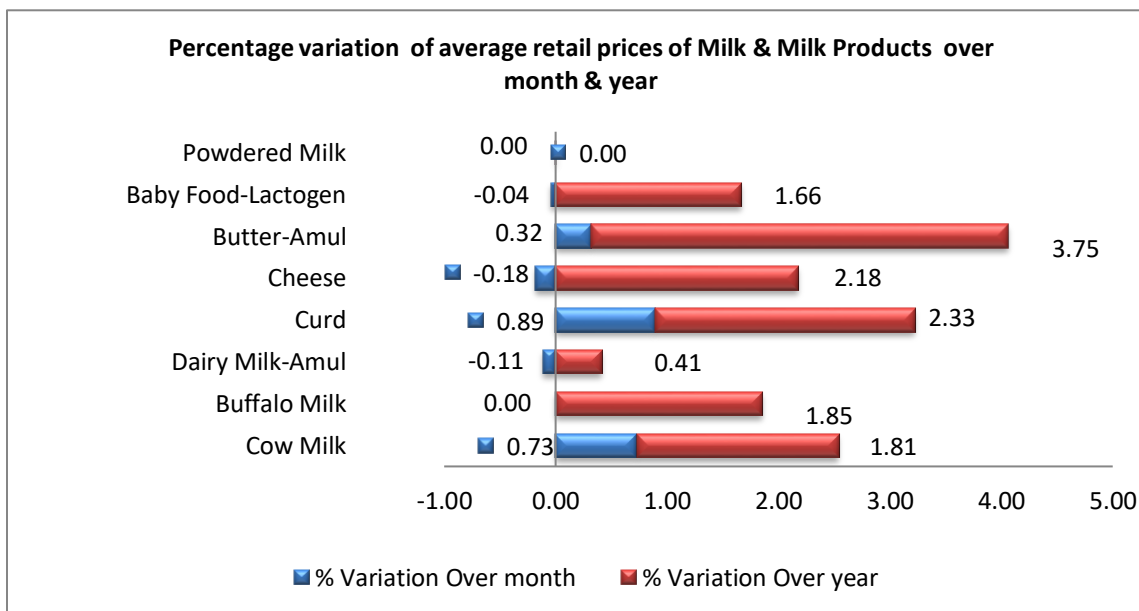
Comparison of UT average Retail prices of Milk & Milk Products.

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 1.81%, 1.85%, 0.41%, 2.33%, 2.18%, 3.75% and 1.66% 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	
				Aug-24	July-25	Aug-25	Over month	Over year
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
1	Cow Milk	Fresh	1 Ltr	50.25	50.79	51.16	0.73	1.81
2	Buffalo Milk	Fresh	1 Ltr	60.00	61.11	61.11	0.00	1.85
3	Dairy Milk	Poly Pack (Amul)	1 Ltr	69.95	70.32	70.24	-0.11	0.41
4	Curd	Fresh	1 Ltr	59.00	59.84	60.38	0.89	2.33
5	Cheese	Fresh	1 Kg	275.63	282.13	281.63	-0.18	2.18
6	Butter-	Amul	100 gm	57.40	59.36	59.55	0.32	3.75
7	Baby Food-	Lactogen	400 gm	470.59	478.62	478.42	-0.04	1.66
8	Powdered Milk	Verka Loose	1 Kg	478.18	478.18	478.18	0.00	0.00



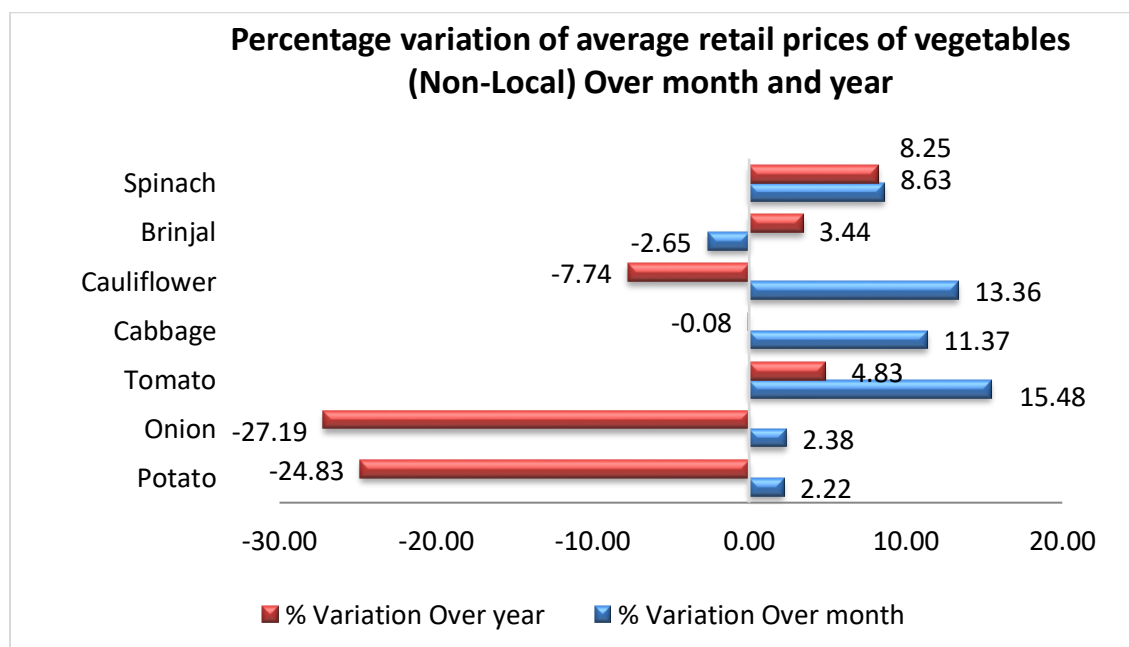
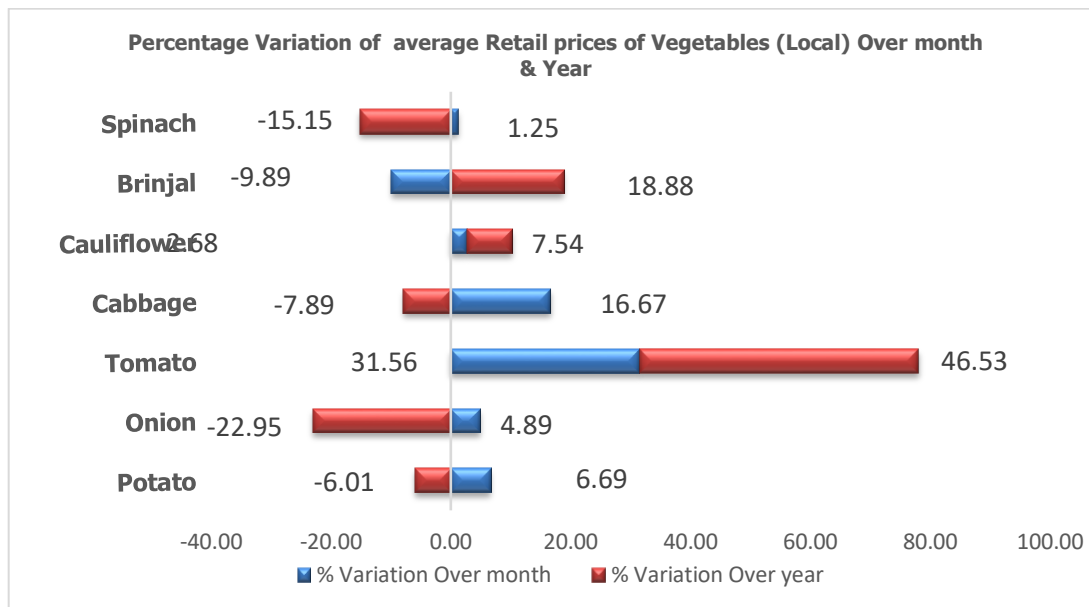
G. VEGETABLES

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 **August 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, Tomato**) 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	
				Aug-24	July-25	Aug-25	Over month	Over year
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
1	Potato	Local	Kg	34.18	30.11	32.13	6.69	-6.01
		Non-Local	Kg	38.13	28.04	28.66	2.22	-24.83
2	Onion	Local	Kg	40.84	30.00	31.47	4.89	-22.95
		Non-Local	Kg	49.13	34.94	35.77	2.38	-27.19
3	Tomato	Local	Kg	50.50	56.25	74.00	31.56	46.53
		Non-Local	Kg	56.83	51.59	59.58	15.48	4.83
4	Cabbage	Local	Kg	42.75	33.75	39.38	16.67	-7.89
		Non-Local	Kg	40.67	36.49	40.64	11.37	-0.08
5	Cauliflower	Local	Kg	62.30	65.25	67.00	2.68	7.54
		Non-Local	Kg	56.25	45.78	51.89	13.36	-7.74
6	Brinjal	Local	Kg	41.50	54.75	49.33	-9.89	18.88
		Non-Local	Kg	45.69	48.55	47.26	-2.65	3.44
7	Spinach	Local	Kg	51.56	43.21	43.75	1.25	-15.15
		Non-Local	Kg	48.50	48.33	52.50	8.63	8.25



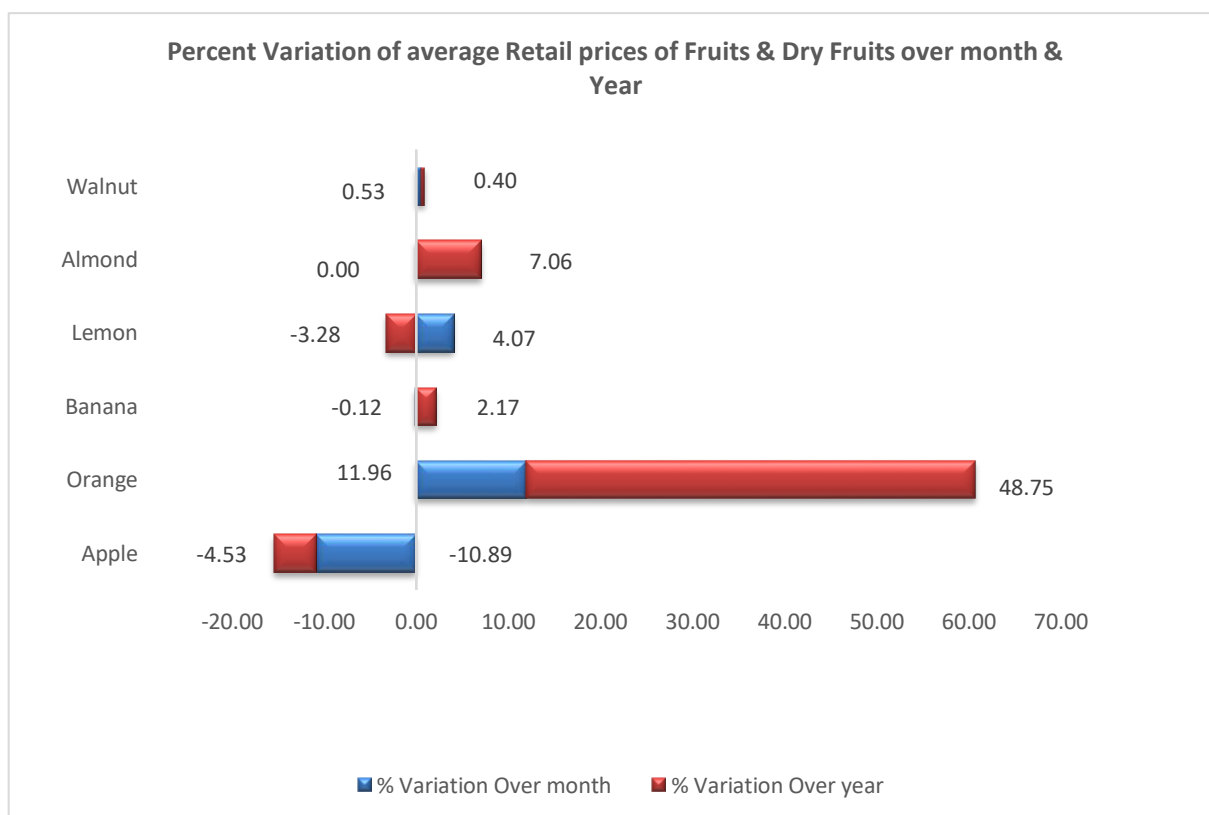
H. FRUITS AND DRY FRUITS

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 a mixed pattern. However, when compared to the same month last year, the average price of Orange and Almond rose by 48.75%

and 7.06% respectively.

H. Fruits and Dry Fruits								
S. No.	Name of Commodity	Variety & Quality	Unit	Price (in Rs.) on			Percentage Variation in Prices	
				Aug-24	July-25	Aug-25	Over month	Over year
1	Apple	Delicious	Kg	120.61	129.22	115.15	-10.89	-4.53
2	Orange	Medium size	Kg	100.00	132.86	148.75	11.96	48.75
3	Banana	Medium size	Dozen	104.73	107.13	107.00	-0.12	2.17
4	Lemon	Fresh	250 gm	40.88	37.99	39.54	4.07	-3.28
5	Almond	Mixed Medium	Kg	348.55	373.16	373.16	0.00	7.06
6	Walnut	Mixed Medium	Kg	283.38	283.00	284.50	0.53	0.40



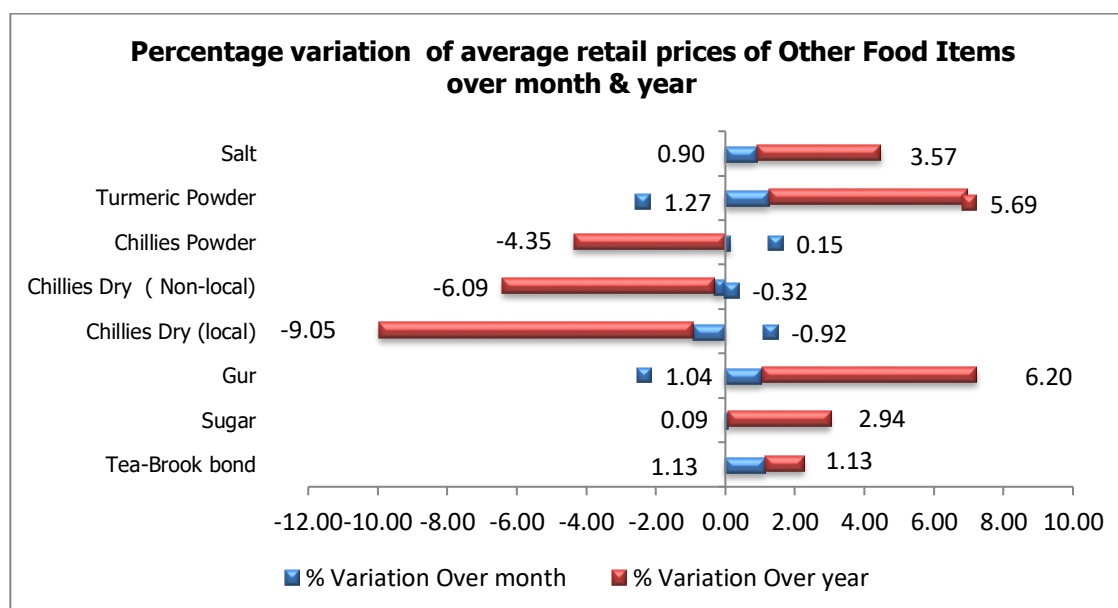
I. OTHER FOOD ITEMS

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 Chillies Dry (Local, Non-Local) and Chillies Powder. The average prices of Sugar, Gur and Turmeric Powder increased by 2.94%, 6.20% and 5.69%, 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	
		Aug-24	July-25	Aug-25	Over month	Over year
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
1	Tea-Brook bond	142.88	142.88	144.50	1.13	1.13
2	Sugar	50.15	51.58	51.63	0.09	2.94
3	Gur	53.08	55.79	56.37	1.04	6.20
4	Chillies Dry (local)	321.36	295.00	292.27	-0.92	-9.05
5	Chillies Dry (Non-local)	303.88	286.28	285.36	-0.32	-6.09
6	Chillies Powder	294.88	281.65	282.06	0.15	-4.35
7	Turmeric Powder	164.75	171.94	174.13	1.27	5.69
8	Salt	28.00	28.74	29.00	0.90	3.57



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 prices of tobacco, hair Oil, toilet soap, tooth paste, Blade, Detergent Powder and boot polish rose by 5.59%, 6.57%, 4.83%, 3.15% 2.03%, 2.96% and 9.21%, respectively, in comparison to the same month last year.

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S. No.	Name of Commodity	Variety & Quality	Unit	Price (in Rs.) on			Percentage Variation in Prices	
				Aug-24	July-25	Aug-25	Over month	Over year
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
1	Tobacco	Hooka Tobacco prepared with (Molases & Tobacco)	250 gm	20.20	21.33	21.33	0.00	5.59
2	Diesel		Litre	83.92	85.27	85.23	-0.05	1.56
3	Petrol		Litre	98.26	98.76	98.73	-0.03	0.48
4	Cooking Gas	LPG/HP/BP (Cylinder of 14.2Kg)	Each	896.40	930.93	931.68	0.08	3.94
5	Hair oil	Dabur Amla Glass Bottle	100 ml	48.53	51.09	51.72	1.23	6.57
6	Toilet Soap	Rexona Cake	100 gm	36.05	37.70	37.79	0.24	4.83
7	Tooth Paste	Colgate Gel Tube	100 gm	68.19	70.34	70.34	0.00	3.15
8	Blade	Gillette pack of 5 blades	Each	14.75	15.05	15.05	0.00	2.03
9	Detergent Powder	Surf ordinary, Pack of 500gms	Each	67.55	69.85	69.55	-0.43	2.96
10	Boot Polish	Cherry blossoms, Tin of 40gms	Each	73.45	79.89	80.21	0.40	9.21
11	Utensil Soap	Vim Bar set.	Each	56.50	53.00	53.18	0.34	-5.88

ANNEXURE

Statement showing the UT Average Retail Prices of Essential Commodities for the month of August, 2025								
S. No.	Name of Commodity	Variety & Quality	Unit	Price (in Rs.) on			Percentage Variation	
				Aug-24	July-25	Aug-25	Aug-25 Over July-25	Aug-25 Over Aug-24
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
A. Rice								
1	Rice	IR8 (Punjabi Chawal)	Kg	38.83	39.84	40.21	0.93	3.56
		Kashmiri Chawal	Kg	45.87	46.10	46.70	1.30	1.81
		Basmati (R.S. Pura)	Kg	135.00	124.29	124.29	0.00	-7.93
B. Cereals & products								
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		Non-Local, Medium Quality	Kg	31.12	32.93	33.07	0.43	6.27
2	Wheat	Local, Medium Quality	Kg	28.08	30.50	30.70	0.66	9.33
		Non-Local, Medium Quality	Kg	32.34	35.49	35.20	-0.81	8.85
3	Wheat Atta	Mill Pressed, Medium Quality	Kg	35.54	37.74	38.04	0.80	7.04
		K.C. Fine(1 Kg)	Kg	35.57	38.52	38.80	0.74	9.09
4	Maida	Super fine Medium Quality	Kg	41.59	42.76	42.98	0.52	3.35
5	Suji	Made from wheat, Medium Quality loose	Kg	42.58	45.56	46.12	1.23	8.31
6	Bread	Sliced / Wrapped	400 gm	40.84	42.50	42.50	0.00	4.06
7	Besan	Made from Gram dal, Medium Quality loose	Kg	109.74	113.29	113.29	0.00	3.23
8	Jawar	White	Kg	50.00	57.50	57.50	0.00	15.00
9	Bajra	Coarse	Kg	34.88	35.67	35.67	0.00	2.26
10	Barley	Medium quality	Kg	32.96	33.33	33.67	1.00	2.14
C. Pulses								
1	Moong	Non-Local, Medium Quality	Kg	126.06	124.19	123.94	-0.20	-1.68
2	Masoor	Non-Local, Medium Quality	Kg	109.65	104.93	104.93	0.00	-4.30
3	Arhar	Non-Local, Medium Quality	Kg	150.21	141.31	140.59	-0.51	-6.41
4	Urd	Non-Local, Medium Quality	Kg	127.74	129.47	129.61	0.10	1.46
5	Gram Dal	Non-Local, Medium Quality	Kg	98.87	96.98	98.38	1.44	-0.50
D. Other Cereals								
1	Moong	Local	Kg	243.75	236.67	236.67	0.00	-2.91
		Non-Local	Kg	119.53	119.69	118.86	-0.69	-0.56
2	Masoor	Non-Local	Kg	106.55	104.44	105.63	1.14	-0.87
3	Arhar	Non-Local	Kg	153.47	144.85	142.75	-1.45	-6.99
4	Urd	Non-Local	Kg	125.13	122.46	122.11	-0.29	-2.41

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				Aug-24	July-25	Aug-25	Aug-25 Over July-25	Aug-25 Over Aug-24
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
5	Gram	White- Non-Local	Kg	156.34	150.33	149.13	-0.80	-4.61
6		Black	Kg	94.14	94.98	95.59	0.64	1.54
7	Rajmash	Red Large Local	Kg	171.07	185.31	185.31	0.00	8.33
		Red Large Non-Local	Kg	150.57	159.47	159.58	0.07	5.98
		Red Small Local	Kg	166.12	172.45	171.36	-0.63	3.16
		Red Small Non-local	Kg	137.17	140.03	140.13	0.08	2.16
D. Oils & Fats								
1	Mustard Oil	Loose	1 Ltr	149.63	180.30	184.86	2.53	23.54
		P-Mark	5 Ltr	737.55	869.84	874.15	0.50	18.52
2	Vanaspati Ghee	Dalda Poly Pack	1 Ltr	144.36	165.82	165.52	-0.18	14.66
3	Sunflower Oil	Ginni	5 Ltr	789.55	858.09	859.00	0.11	8.80
4	Kardi Oil	Saffola	2 Ltr	420.42	434.58	434.58	0.00	3.37
5	Rapseed Oil	Dhara	1 Ltr	175.50	188.57	189.64	0.57	8.06
6	Ghee	Verka	1 Kg	635.59	638.49	642.24	0.59	1.05
E. Meat, Fish & Poultry								
1	Meat	Mutton Halal	Kg	603.55	623.16	627.11	0.63	3.90
2	Fish	Kashmiri	Kg	334.09	334.09	334.09	0.00	0.00
		Punjabi (Mirror Carp)	Kg	265.70	270.26	267.11	-1.17	0.53
3	Poultry	Chicken Live Boiler	Kg	159.04	156.43	156.61	0.11	-1.53
4	Eggs	Table Eggs	Dozen	76.76	76.58	79.38	3.65	3.41
F. Milk & Milk Products								
1	Cow Milk	Fresh	1 ltr	50.25	50.79	51.16	0.73	1.81
2	Buffalo Milk	Fresh	1 Ltr	60.00	61.11	61.11	0.00	1.85
3	Dairy Milk	Poly Pack (Amul)	1 Ltr	69.95	70.32	70.24	-0.11	0.41
4	Curd	Fresh	1 Ltr	59.00	59.84	60.38	0.89	2.33
5	Cheese	Fresh	1 Kg	275.63	282.13	281.63	-0.18	2.18
6	Butter	Amul	100 gm	57.40	59.36	59.55	0.32	3.75
7	Baby Food	Lactogen	400 gm	470.59	478.62	478.42	-0.04	1.66
8	Powdered Milk	Verka loose	1 kg	478.18	478.18	478.18	0.00	0.00
G. Vegetables								
1	Potato	Local	Kg	34.18	30.11	32.13	6.69	-6.01
		Non-Local	Kg	38.13	28.04	28.66	2.22	-24.83
2	Onion	Local	Kg	40.84	30.00	31.47	4.89	-22.95
		Non-Local	Kg	49.13	34.94	35.77	2.38	-27.19

Statement showing the UT Average Retail Prices of Essential Commodities for the month of August, 2025								
S. No.	Name of Commodity	Variety & Quality	Unit	Price (in Rs.) on			Percentage Variation	
				Aug-24	July-25	Aug-25	Aug-25 Over July-25	Aug-25 Over Aug-24
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
3	Tomato	Local	Kg	50.50	56.25	74.00	31.56	46.53
		Non-Local	Kg	56.83	51.59	59.58	15.48	4.83
4	Cabbage	Local	Kg	42.75	33.75	39.38	16.67	-7.89
		Non-Local	Kg	40.67	36.49	40.64	11.37	-0.08
5	Cauliflower	Local	Kg	62.30	65.25	67.00	2.68	7.54
		Non-Local	Kg	56.25	45.78	51.89	13.36	-7.74
6	Brinjal	Local	Kg	41.50	54.75	49.33	-9.89	18.88
		Non-Local	Kg	45.69	48.55	47.26	-2.65	3.44
7	Knolkhol	Local	Kg	41.92	37.60	40.17	6.83	-4.18
		Non-Local	Kg	45.38	42.78	46.32	8.27	2.07
8	Spinach	Local	Kg	51.56	43.21	43.75	1.25	-15.15
		Non-Local	Kg	48.50	48.33	52.50	8.63	8.25
H. Fruits & Dry fruits								
1	Apple	Delicious	Kg	120.61	129.22	115.15	-10.89	-4.53
2	Orange	Medium size	Kg	100.00	132.86	148.75	11.96	48.75
3	Banana	Medium size	Dozen	104.73	107.13	107.00	-0.12	2.17
4	Lemon	Fresh	250gm	40.88	37.99	39.54	4.07	-3.28
5	Almond	Mixed Medium	Kg	348.55	373.16	373.16	0.00	7.06
6	Walnut	Mixed Medium	Kg	283.38	283.00	284.50	0.53	0.40
I. Other Food items								
1	Tea	Brook Bond, Red Label	250 gm	142.88	142.88	144.50	1.13	1.13
2	Sugar	Non-Local	Kg	50.15	51.58	51.63	0.09	2.94
3	Gur	Non-Local	Kg	53.08	55.79	56.37	1.04	6.20
4	Chillies Dry	Whole Local	Kg	321.36	295.00	292.27	-0.92	-9.05
		Non-Local	Kg	303.88	286.28	285.36	-0.32	-6.09
5	Chillies Powder	Agmark	500 gm	294.88	281.65	282.06	0.15	-4.35
6	Turmeric Powder	Agmark	500 gm	164.75	171.94	174.13	1.27	5.69
7	Salt	Tata Iodised	Kg	28.00	28.74	29.00	0.90	3.57
J. Non-food Items								
1	Tobacco	Hooka Tobacco prepared with (Molasses & Tobacco)	250 gm	20.20	21.33	21.33	0.00	5.59
2	Cigarettes	Capstan Filter	Packet of 10 cig.	65.00	64.58	64.58	0.00	-0.64
3	Fire Wood	Chopped	40 Kg.	361.67	352.78	352.78	0.00	-2.46
4	Diesel		Litre	83.92	85.27	85.23	-0.05	1.56

Statement showing the UT Average Retail Prices of Essential Commodities for the month of August, 2025								
S. No.	Name of Commodity	Variety & Quality	Unit	Price (in Rs.) on			Percentage Variation	
				Aug-24	July-25	Aug-25	Aug-25 Over July-25	Aug-25 Over Aug-24
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
5	Petrol		Litre	98.26	98.76	98.73	-0.03	0.48
6	Cooking Gas	LPG/HP/BP (Cylinder of 14.2Kg)	Each	896.40	930.93	931.68	0.08	3.94
7	Electric Bulb	Philips, 100 Watt, 250 Volts	Each	17.32	17.88	17.41	-2.64	0.52
8	Battery Cells	Novino 1.5 Volts, Leak proof	Each	23.64	24.95	24.95	0.00	5.54
9	Paracetamol Tablets	Crocin (Strip of 15 tablets)	Each Strip	20.31	21.46	21.46	0.00	5.68
10	Amoxicillin Capsules	Novomax 250mg.(strip of 15 Capsules)	Each Strip	39.75	40.43	40.43	0.00	1.71
11	Pencil	Natraj 3.2 HB	Each	5.44	5.44	5.44	0.00	-0.05
12	Rubber	Natraj (ordinary)	Each	4.53	4.55	4.55	0.00	0.44
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	33.75	33.33	-1.23	-1.23
15	Ball Pen	Renolds 045, Fine Carbine	Each	7.82	8.76	8.76	0.00	12.06
16	Note Book	100 pages with hard cover	Each	66.11	66.32	66.37	0.08	0.39
17	Banian	VIP Bonus undershirt 90cm	Each	122.14	125.77	125.77	0.00	2.97
18	Underwear	VIP Frenchy 90 cm	Each	117.14	117.92	117.92	0.00	0.66
19	Socks	Konica, Synthetic, Gents, Standard size	Each	75.27	78.07	78.40	0.43	4.16
20	Hair oil	Dabur Amla Glass Bottle	100 ml	48.53	51.09	51.72	1.23	6.57
21	Toilet Soap	Rexona Cake	100 gm	36.05	37.70	37.79	0.24	4.83
22	Tooth Paste	Colgate Gel Tube	100 gm	68.19	70.34	70.34	0.00	3.15
23	Blade	Gillet pack of 5 blades	Each	14.75	15.05	15.05	0.00	2.03
24	Detergent Powder	Surf ordinary, Pack of 500 gms.	Each	67.55	69.85	69.55	-0.43	2.96
25	Boot Polish	Cherry blossoms, Tin of 40 gms	Each	73.45	79.89	80.21	0.40	9.21
26	Clothes Soap	Rin advance ,cake of 250gms.	Each	24.46	28.06	27.27	-2.84	11.47
27	Utensil Soap	Vim Bar set.	Each	56.50	53.00	53.18	0.34	-5.88

WHOLESALE PRICES OF AGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES FOR AUGUST, 2025

Introduction

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

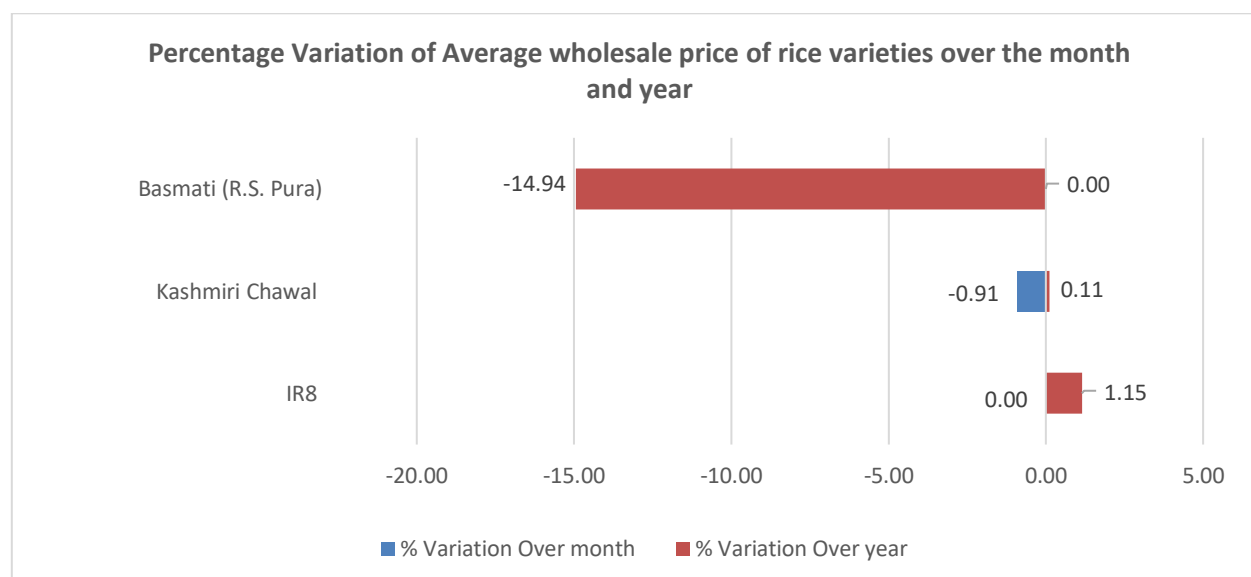
When compared to the previous month's pricing as well as the corresponding month of the previous year, the average prices of cereals and cereal products showed a mixed trend in price variance.

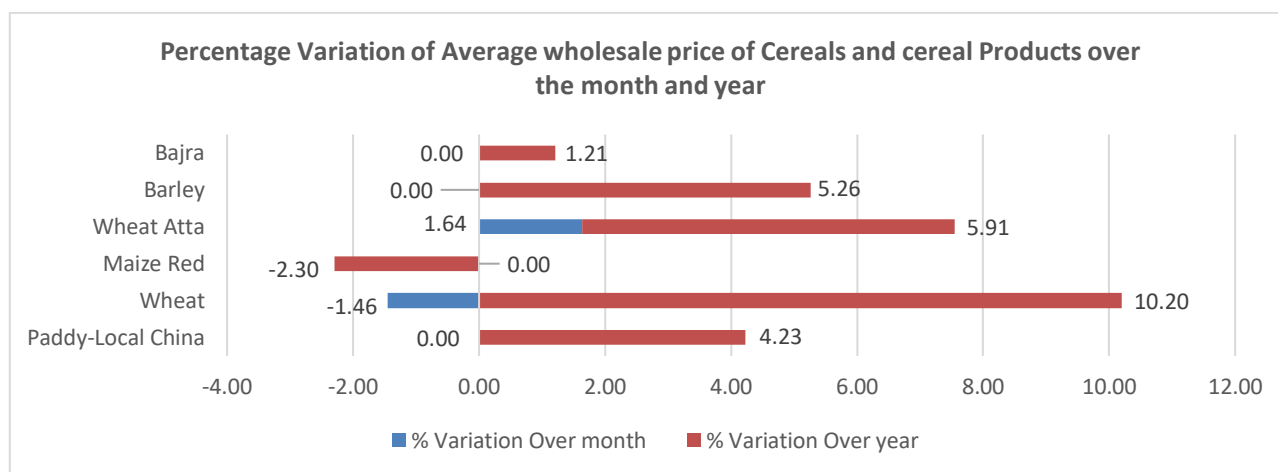
When compared to the previous month, average rice prices for Basmati and IR8 remained constant, while that of Kashmiri Chawal decreased by 0.91%.

However, as compared to the same month last year, the average prices of IR8 and Kashmiri Chawal climbed by 1.15% & 0.11% respectively, while Basmati rice declined by 14.94%.

Over the course of the year, the average prices of paddy, wheat, wheat atta, Bajra and barley increased by 4.23%, 10.20%, 5.91%, 1.21% and 5.26%, respectively, while that of maize red decreased by 2.30% respectively.

S. No.	Name of Commodity	Variety & Quality	Unit	Price (in Rs.) on			Percentage Variation in Prices	
				August, 2024	July, 2025	August, 2025	Over month	Over year
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
1	Rice	IR8	Qtl	3490.56	3530.56	3530.56	0.00	1.15
		Kashmiri Chawal	Qtl	4735.00	4783.33	4740.00	-0.91	0.11
		Basmati (R.S. Pura)	Qtl	13166.67	11200.00	11200.00	0.00	-14.93
2	Paddy	Local China	Qtl	2295.71	2392.86	2392.86	0.00	4.23
3	Wheat	Local	Qtl	2610.00	2918.75	2876.25	-1.46	10.20
4	Maize Red	Local	Qtl	2757.14	2693.75	2693.75	0.00	-2.30
5	Wheat Atta	Local	Qtl	3047.00	3175.00	3227.00	1.64	5.91
6	Barley	Local	Qtl	2723.33	2866.67	2866.67	0.00	5.26
7	Bajra	Local	Qtl	2890.00	2925.00	2925.00	0.00	1.21





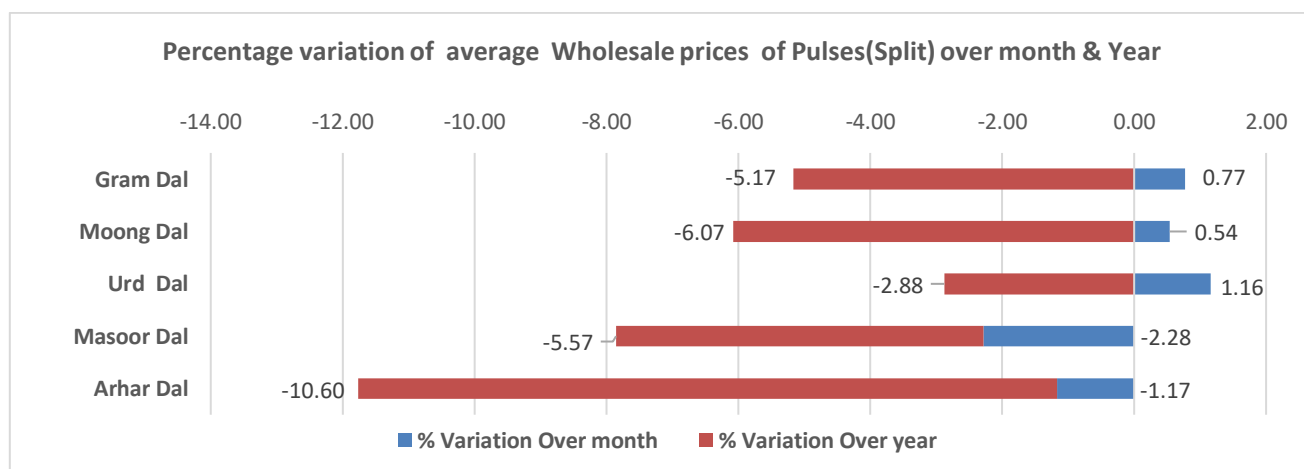
C. PULSES AND PRODUCTS

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 decreased. However, in comparison to the previous month, the average wholesale prices of pulses (Split) showed a mixed trend.

The average wholesale prices of Arhar Dal, Gram Dal, Urd Dal, Masoor Dal and Moong Dal fell by 10.60%, 5.17%, 2.88%, 5.57% and 6.07%, 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	
				August, 2024	July, 2025	August, 2025	Over month	Over year
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
1	Gram Dal	Non-Local	Qtl	8464.44	7965.56	8027.22	0.77	-5.17
2	Moong Dal	Non-Local	Qtl	11051.94	10325.00	10380.56	0.54	-6.08
3	Urd Dal	Non-Local	Qtl	11287.50	10837.00	10962.50	1.16	-2.88
4	Masoor Dal	Non-Local	Qtl	8813.33	8516.67	8322.22	-2.28	-5.54
5	Arhar Dal	Non-Local	Qtl	13469.72	12184.72	12042.50	-1.17	-10.60

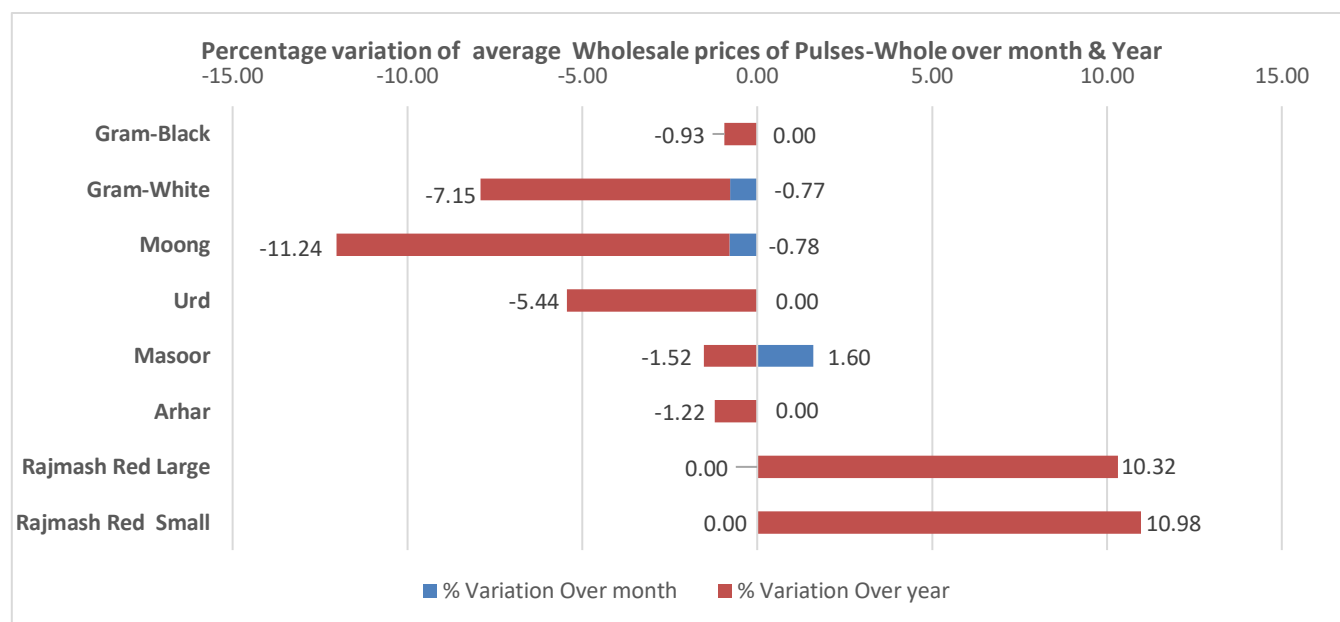


C (ii) PULSES WHOLE: Comparison of UT average wholesale prices of Pulses-whole.

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 and Rajmash Red Large increased significantly by 10.98% and 10.32%, respectively, while the prices of Gram White, Moong, Urad ,Masoor, Gram Black and Arhar and Moong decreased by 7.15%, 11.24%, 5.44% ,1.52%, 0.93 and 1.22% respectively.

C(ii)- Pulses Whole								
S. No.	Name of Commodity	Variety & Quality	Unit	Price (in Rs.) on			Percentage Variation in Prices	
				August, 2024	July, 2025	August, 2025	Over month	Over year
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
1	Gram	Black	Qtl	7996.67	7922.22	7922.22	0.00	-0.93
		White	Qtl	13166.67	12319.44	12225.00	-0.77	-7.15
2	Moong	Non-Local	Qtl	10455.56	9353.89	9280.56	-0.78	-11.21
3	Urad	Non-Local	Qtl	10865.56	10275.00	10275.00	0.00	-5.44
4	Masoor	Non-Local	Qtl	8755.56	8486.67	8622.22	1.60	-1.53
5	Arhar	Non-Local	Qtl	13300.00	13137.50	13137.50	0.00	-1.22
6	Rajmash Red Large	Local	Qtl	12970.00	14308.33	14308.33	0.00	10.32
7	Rajmash Red Small	Local	Qtl	15783.33	17516.67	17516.67	0.00	10.98



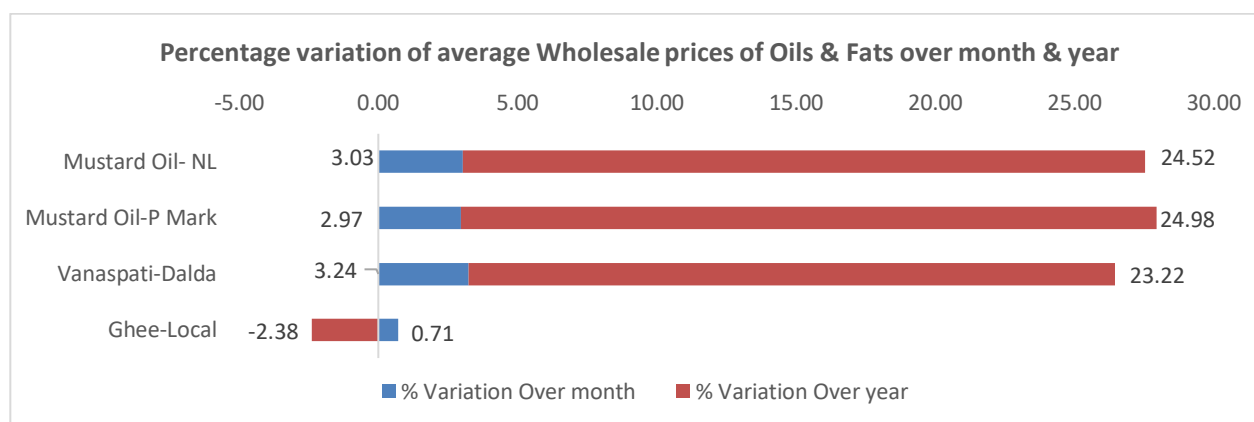
C. EDIBLE OILS AND FATS

Comparison of UT average Wholesale prices of Edible Oils & Fats

Except for Ghee (Local), average wholesale prices of edible oils and fats showed an increase when compared to Corresponding month of the previous year. When compared to the previous month average wholesale prices of edible oils and fats showed an increasing 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) and Vanaspati (Dalda) increased by (24.52%, 24.98%) & 23.22% respectively.

D. Oils and Fats								
S. No.	Name of Commodity	Variety & Quality	Unit	Price (in Rs.) on			Percentage Variation in Prices	
				August, 2024	July, 2025	August, 2025	Over month	Over year
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
1	Mustard Oil	Non-Local"P"	15 Ltr Tin	2257.67	2728.60	2811.20	3.03	24.52
		P-Mark (5Ltr)	5 Ltr	718.36	871.89	897.78	2.97	24.98
2	Vanaspati	Dalda (10Ltr.Plastic cane)	10 Ltr	1245.00	1486.00	1534.11	3.24	23.22
3	Ghee	Local	15 kg tin	8387.50	8130.00	8187.50	0.71	-2.38



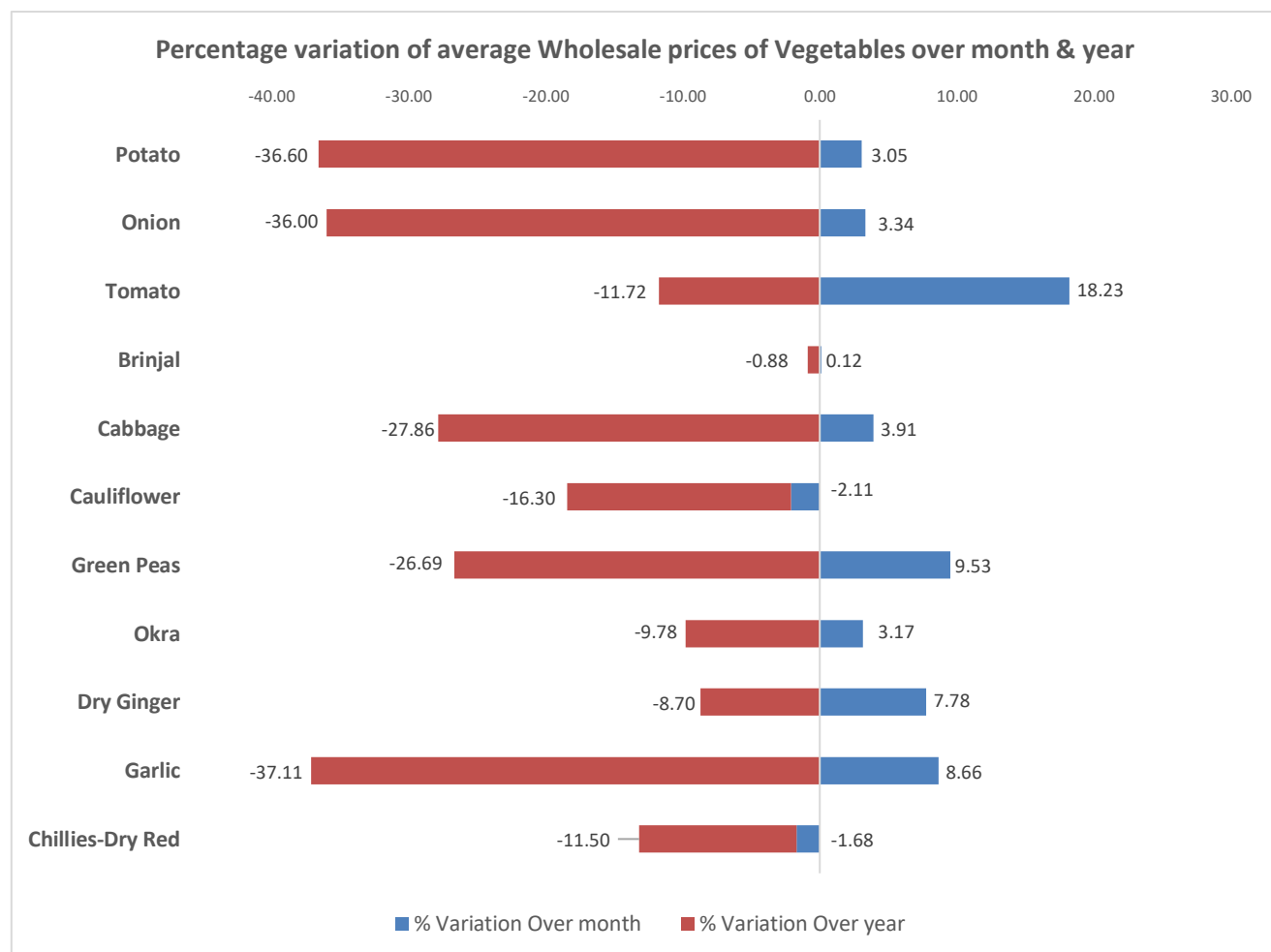
E.VEGETABLES:

Comparison of UT average Wholesale prices of Vegetables.

An overall downward trend was observed in the average wholesale prices of Vegetables over the Year. 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 36.60%, 36.00%, 11.72%, 0.88%, 27.86%, 16.30%, 9.78%, 8.70%, 37.11%, 26.69% & 11.50% was observed in Potato, Onion, Tomato, Brinjal, Cabbage, Cauliflower, Okra, Dry Ginger, Garlic, Green Peas and Chillies Dry Red respectively.

E-Vegetables								
S.No.	Name of Commodity	Variety & Quality	Unit	Price (in Rs.) on			Percentage Variation in Prices	
				August, 2024	July, 2025	August, 2025	Over month	Over year
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
1	Potato	Non-Local	Qtl	2863.75	1761.88	1815.63	3.05	-36.61
2	Onion	Non-Local	Qtl	4105.28	2542.22	2627.22	3.34	-36.00
3	Tomato	Non-Local	Qtl	5048.13	3769.44	4456.44	18.23	-11.72
4	Brinjal	Non-Local	Qtl	2989.29	2959.36	2962.86	0.12	-0.88
5	Cabbage	Non-Local	Qtl	2780.71	1930.56	2006.11	3.91	-27.86
6	Cauliflower	Non-local	Qtl	4161.43	3558.33	3483.13	-2.11	-16.30
7	Green Peas	Non-local	Qtl	7365.83	4930.00	5400.00	9.53	-26.69
8	Okra	Non-local	Qtl	4602.50	4025.00	4152.50	3.17	-9.78
9	Dry Ginger	Non-local	Qtl	37443.75	31718.75	34187.50	7.78	-8.70
10	Garlic	Non-local	Qtl	16458.33	9525.00	10350.00	8.66	-37.09
11	Chillies-Dry Red	Dry Red	Qtl	29391.67	26455.56	26011.11	-1.68	-11.50



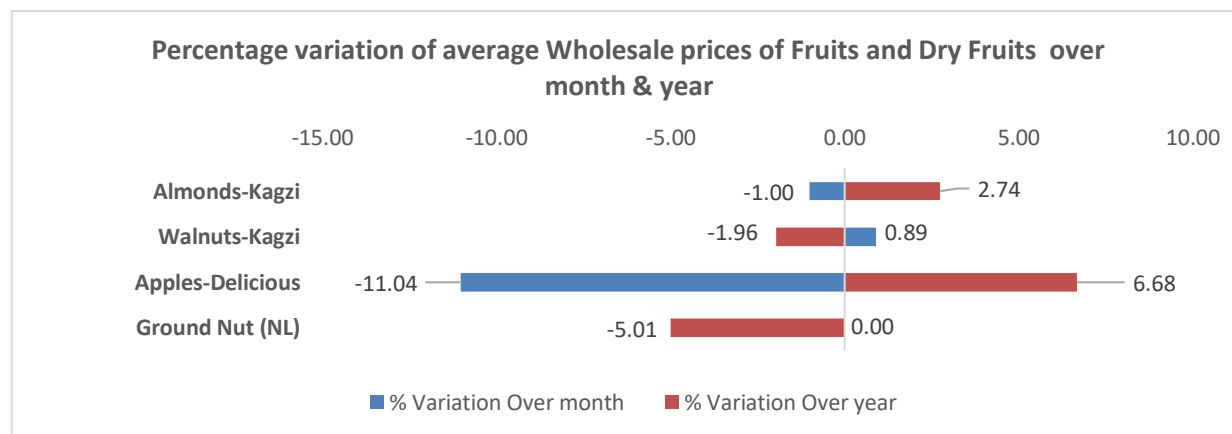
F.FRUIT & DRY FRUITS

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

A mixed trend was observed in the average prices of the commodities under this group over the Year as well as over the month.

Over the year, the average prices of Almonds & Apples rose by 2.74% and 6.36% respectively, while those of Ground Nut & Walnut fell by 5.01% & 1.96% respectively.

F-Fruits and Dry Fruits								
Sl. No.	Name of Commodity	Variety & Quality	Unit	Price (in Rs.) on			Percentage Variation in Prices	
				August, 2024	July, 2025	August, 2025	Over month	Over year
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
1	Almonds	Kagzi	Qtl	32011.11	33222.22	32888.89	-1.00	2.74
2	Walnuts	Kagzi	Qtl	31988.89	31083.33	31361.11	0.89	-1.96
3	Apple	Delicious	12 Kg Box	1110.83	1332.00	1185.00	-11.04	6.64
4	Ground Nut	Non-Local	Qtl	12070.83	11466.67	11466.67	0.00	-5.01



G. - OTHER FOOD ITEMS:

Comparison of UT average Wholesale prices of Other Food items.

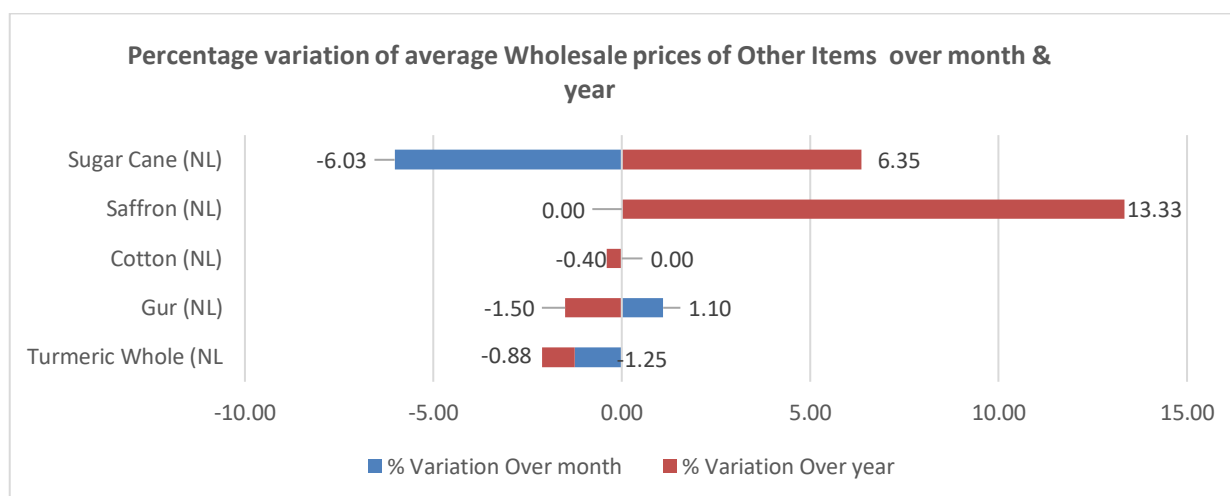
When compared to the corresponding month of the previous year, the average costs of other food items showed Mixed trend except Gur.

When compared with the prices of the corresponding month of the previous year, the average prices of Saffron & Sugercane increased by 13.33% & 6.35%, respectively, while that of Turmeric whole, Gur & Cotton decreased by 0.88%, 1.44% & 0.40% respectively.

When compared with the previous month, the average prices of Turmeric Whole and Sugercane decreased by 1.25% and 6.03% respectively while that of cotton and Saffron

remained constant.

G.- Other Food Items								
S. No.	Name of Commodity	Variety & Quality	Unit	Price (in Rs.) on			Percentage Variation in Prices	
				August, 2024	July, 2025	August, 2025	Over month	Over year
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
1	Turmeric Whole	Non-local	Qtl	20000.00	20075.00	19825.00	-1.25	-0.88
2	Gur	Non-local	Qtl	4673.44	4553.13	4603.13	1.10	-1.50
3	Cotton	Non-local	Qtl	16500.00	16433.33	16433.33	0.00	-0.40
4	Saffron	Non-local	10gm	2000.00	2266.67	2266.67	0.00	13.33
5	Sugar Cane	Non-local	Qtl	1416.67	1603.33	1506.67	-6.03	6.35



ANNEXURE

Statement showing the UT Average Wholesale Prices of Essential Commodities for the month of August, 2025								
S.No.	Name of Commodity	Variety & Quality	Unit	Price (in Rs.) on			Percentage Variation of	
				August, 2024	July, 2025	August, 2025	August, 2025 over July, 2025	August, 2025 over August, 2024
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
A.Rice								
1	Rice	IR8 (Punjabi Chawal)	Qtl	3490.56	3530.56	3530.56	0.00	1.15
		Kashmiri Chawal (Local Super)	Qtl	4735.00	4783.33	4740.00	-0.91	0.11
		Basmati (R.S.Pura)	Qtl	13166.67	11200.00	11200.00	0.00	-14.94
B.Cereals & products								
1	Paddy	Local China	Qtl	2295.71	2392.86	2392.86	0.00	4.23
		Basmati	Qtl	4525.00	4300.00	4300.00	0.00	-4.97
2	Wheat	Local	Qtl	2610.00	2918.75	2876.25	-1.46	10.20
		Non-Local	Qtl	3017.50	3065.63	3075.63	0.33	1.93
3	Maize Red	Local	Qtl	2757.14	2693.75	2693.75	0.00	-2.30
		Non-Local	Qtl	2800.00	2842.86	2842.86	0.00	1.53
4	WheatAtta	Non- Local	Qtl	3047.00	3175.00	3227.00	1.64	5.91
		Local	Qtl	3127.00	3375.00	3398.11	0.68	8.67
5	Barley	Local	Qtl	2723.33	2866.67	2866.67	0.00	5.26
		Non-local	Qtl	2585.00	2550.00	2550.00	0.00	-1.35
6	Bajra	Local	Qtl	2890.00	2925.00	2925.00	0.00	1.21
		Non-Local	Qtl	2760.00	3000.00	2966.67	-1.11	7.49
C.(i) Pulses-Split								
1	Gram Dal	Non-Local	Qtl	8464.44	7965.56	8027.22	0.77	-5.17
2	Moong Dal	Non-Local	Qtl	11051.94	10325.00	10380.56	0.54	-6.07
3	Urd Dal	Non-Local	Qtl	11287.50	10837.00	10962.50	1.16	-2.88
4	MasoorDal	Non- Local	Qtl	8813.33	8516.67	8322.22	-2.28	-5.57
5	Arhar Dal	Non- Local	Qtl	13469.72	12184.72	12042.50	-1.17	-10.60
C (ii) Pulses-Whole								
1	Gram	Black	Qtl	7996.67	7922.22	7922.22	0.00	-0.93
		White	Qtl	13166.67	12319.44	12225.00	-0.77	-7.15
2	Moong	Local	Qtl	19250.00	21000.00	21000.00	0.00	9.09
		Non-Local	Qtl	10455.56	9353.89	9280.56	-0.78	-11.24
3	Urd	Local	Qtl	-	9500.00	9500.00	0.00	#VALUE!
		Non-Local	Qtl	10865.56	10275.00	10275.00	0.00	-5.44
4	Masoor	Local	Qtl	-	11300.00	11300.00	0.00	#VALUE!
		Non- Local	Qtl	8755.56	8486.67	8622.22	1.60	-1.52
5	Arhar	Non- Local	Qtl	13300.00	13137.50	13137.50	0.00	-1.22
6	Rajmash Red Large	Local	Qtl	12970.00	14308.33	14308.33	0.00	10.32
		Non-Local	Qtl	13177.78	13533.33	13533.33	0.00	2.70
7	Rajmash Red Small	Local	Qtl	15783.33	17516.67	17516.67	0.00	10.98
		Non-Local	Qtl	12220.00	11402.78	11347.22	-0.49	-7.14

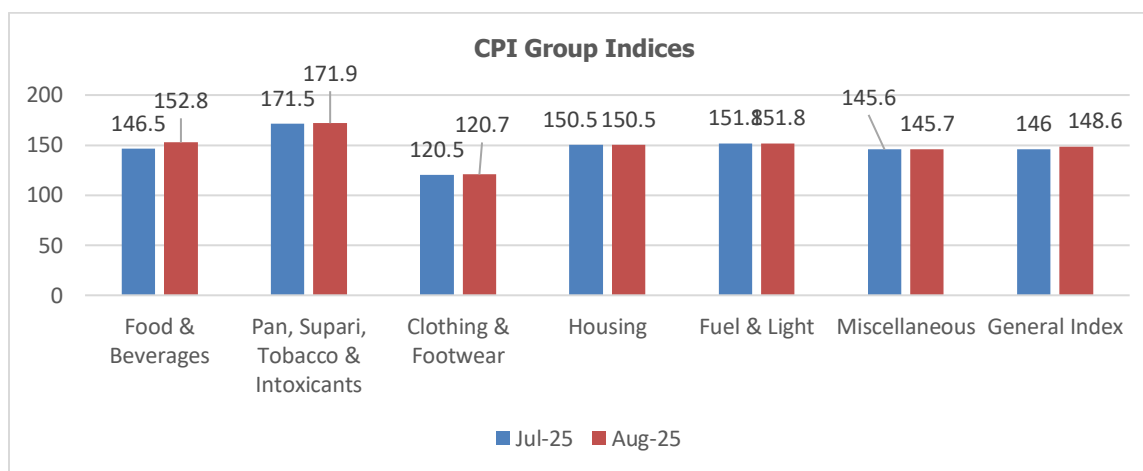
Statement showing the UT Average Wholesale Prices of Essential Commodities for the month of August, 2025								
S.No.	Name of Commodity	Variety & Quality	Unit	Price (in Rs.) on			Percentage Variation of	
				August, 2024	July, 2025	August, 2025	August, 2025 over July, 2025	August, 2025 over August, 2024
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
D.Oils & Fats								
1	Mustard Oil	Local (15 kg tin)	15 kg	2257.67	2728.60	2811.20	3.03	24.52
		Non-Local "P"	15 Ltr Tin	2159.53	2659.28	2744.22	3.19	27.07
		P-Mark (5Ltrs)	5 Ltr	718.36	871.89	897.78	2.97	24.98
2	Vanaspati	Local Dalda (15 kg tin)	15 kg tin	1725.00	2192.50	2159.00	-1.53	25.18
		Non Local Dalda (15 kg tin)	15 Litre Tin	1855.71	2334.13	2326.38	-0.33	25.36
		Dalda(10 Ltr. Plastic cane)	10 Ltr	1245.00	1486.00	1534.11	3.24	23.22
3	Ghee	Local	15 kg tin	8387.50	8130.00	8187.50	0.71	-2.38
		Non- Local	15 ltr. Tin	8348.33	8435.00	8545.83	1.31	2.37
4	Mustard Seeds	Local	Qtl	7700.00	6650.00	6800.00	2.26	-11.69
		Non- Local	Qtl	7398.75	7596.88	7667.00	0.92	3.63
5	Linseeds	Non-Local	Qtl	11333.33	10541.67	10541.67	0.00	-6.99
6	Mustard Cakes	Local	Qtls	-	2575.00	2766.67	7.44	#VALUE!
		Non-Local	Qtls	3302.86	3128.13	3103.13	-0.80	-6.05
E.Vegetables								
1	Potato	Local	Qtl	2870.00	2040.00	2185.00	7.11	-23.87
		Non-Local	Qtl	2863.75	1761.88	1815.63	3.05	-36.60
2.	Onion	Local	Qtl	3175.00	1968.75	2120.00	7.68	-33.23
		Non-Local	Qtl	4105.28	2542.22	2627.22	3.34	-36.00
3	Tomato	Local	Qtl	-	3025.00	3600.00	19.01	#VALUE!
		Non-Local	Qtl	5048.13	3769.44	4456.44	18.23	-11.72
4	Brinjal	Local	Qtl	3377.50	2666.67	2640.00	-1.00	-21.84
		Non- Local	Qtl	2989.29	2959.36	2962.86	0.12	-0.88
5	Cabbage	Local	Qtl	-	1350.00	1730.00	28.15	#VALUE!
		Non- Local	Qtl	2780.71	1930.56	2006.11	3.91	-27.86
6	Cauliflower	Local	Qtl	4100.00	2775.00	3017.00	8.72	-26.41
		Non-local	Qtl	4161.43	3558.33	3483.13	-2.11	-16.30
7	Green Peas	Local	Qtl	-	6750.00	6000.00	-11.11	#VALUE!
		Non-local	Qtl	7365.83	4930.00	5400.00	9.53	-26.69
8	Okra	Local	Qtl	-	3183.33	3437.50	7.98	#VALUE!
		Non-local	Qtl	4602.50	4025.00	4152.50	3.17	-9.78
9	Mushroom	Local (10 packets)	200 gm	342.50	337.50	306.67	-9.13	-10.46
		Non-local (10 packets)	200 gm	327.50	355.36	341.67	-3.85	4.33
10	Dry Ginger	Non-local	Qtl	37443.75	31718.75	34187.50	7.78	-8.70
11	Garlic	Local	Qtl	-	7804.17	7978.57	2.23	#VALUE!
		Non-local	Qtl	16458.33	9525.00	10350.00	8.66	-37.11

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				August, 2024	July, 2025	August, 2025	August, 2025 over July, 2025	August, 2025 over August, 2024
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
12	Chillies	Dry Red	Qtl	29391.67	26455.56	26011.11	-1.68	-11.50
		Green	Qtl	5620.56	4186.11	4371.11	4.42	-22.23
F. Fruits & Dry fruits								
1	Almonds	Kagzi	Qtl	32011.11	33222.22	32888.89	-1.00	2.74
		Mixed	Qtl	23722.22	23250.00	23916.67	2.87	0.82
2	Walnuts	Kagzi	Qtl	31988.89	31083.33	31361.11	0.89	-1.96
		Mixed	Qtl	24166.67	24138.89	24305.56	0.69	0.57
3	Apples	Delicious	12 Kg Box	1110.83	1332.00	1185.00	-11.04	6.68
4	GroundNut	Non-Local	Qtl	12070.83	11466.67	11466.67	0.00	-5.01
G. Other Food items								
1	Turmeric Whole	Non-local	Qtl	20000.00	20075.00	19825.00	-1.25	-0.88
2	Turmeric Split	Non-local	Qtl	19686.11	19550.00	19550.00	0.00	-0.69
3	Mash	Local	QTL	-	11080.00	10250.00	-7.49	#VALUE!
		Non-local	Qtl	11175.00	10095.00	10075.00	-0.20	-9.84
4	Kulth	Non-local	Qtl	-	7500.00	7500.00	0.00	#VALUE!
5	Gur	Non-local	Qtl	4673.44	4553.13	4603.13	1.10	-1.50
6	Cotton	Non-local	Qtl	16500.00	16433.33	16433.33	0.00	-0.40
7	Saffron	Local	10 gm	1987.50	2057.67	2005.75	-2.52	0.92
		Non-local	10 gm	2000.00	2266.67	2266.67	0.00	13.33
8	Grass	Local	Qtl.	-	2950.00	2633.33	-10.73	#VALUE!
9	Fodder	Local	Qtl.	-	750.00	750.00	0.00	#VALUE!
		Non Local	Qtl.	983.33	730.00	750.00	2.74	-23.73
10	Sugarcane	Non-local	Qtl	1416.67	1603.33	1506.67	-6.03	6.35
11	Sesamum	Non-local	Qtl	-	18000.00	18000.00	0.00	#VALUE!

Jammu & Kashmir Group-wise CPI-IW for July, 2025

S. No.	Groups	July-25	August-25
1	2	3	4
I	Food & Beverages	146.5	152.8
II	Pan, Supari, Tobacco & Intoxicants	171.5	171.9
III	Clothing & Footwear	120.5	120.7
IV	Housing	150.5	150.5
V	Fuel & Light	151.8	151.8
VI	Miscellaneous	145.6	145.7
VII	General Index	146.0	148.6

Source: Labour Bureau, Ministry of Labour & Employment



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

Union Territory		July-25	August-25
J&K	Agricultural Labourers	144.93	146.62
	Rural Labourers	145.32	146.96

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