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 ACCESS PRICE INDEX NUMBERS FOR WORKING
 PUNE CENTRE—contd.

Sl. No.	Kind of Quantity	Weight proper to total weight	Price per unit of quantity		
			Basic Price	Aug. 1979	S
1	2	3	4	5	6
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	P
1	1000	0.16	0-11	0-43	
2	1000	2.64	0-47	2-35	
3	1000	0.13	0-33	2-39	
4	1000	0.24	1-09	7-54	
5	1000	3.37	0-84	4-49	
6	1000	3.83			
7	1000				
8	1000				
9	1000				
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77	1000				
78	1000				
79	1000				
80	1000				
81	1000				
82	1000				
83	1000				
84	1000				
85	1000				

*The weight of karadai oil is imputed to groundnut oil.

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NUMBER FOR WORKING CLASS

Number for Working Class in
iber 1961 equal to 100 was 35
month. The index relates to the
3-59 family living survey at Pune

used by 5 points to 370 due to
ongdal, dry chillies, tamarind

increased by 28 points to 455
erosene and charcoal

ly at 130 being a six month

ar group increased by 4 points

decreased by 1 point to 258

WORKING CLASS FOR

1961=100

	Group Index Number	
	Aug. 1979	Sept. 1979
1	375	370
2	427	455
3	130	130
4	362	366
5	259	258
6	338	337

will be found on pages 1727 to 1728
go 217 of September 1965 issue.

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Articles	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure revised.	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Basic price	Aug. 1979	Sept. 1979	Aug. 1979	Sept. 1979
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
I. Food Group—							
(a) Cereals and Products—	Cereal						
(1) Rice ..	kg.	13.81	0.76	1.80	1.80	237	237
(2) Wheat ..	"	11.28	0.53	1.55	1.48	292	279
(3) Jowar ..	"	8.39	0.45	1.65	1.49	367	331
(4) Bajri ..	"	3.08	0.51	1.48	1.51	290	296
(5) Grinding charges for Cereals.	4 kgs.	1.42	0.14	0.60	0.60	429	429
Total ..		37.98					
Index Number for Sub-group I (a).						291	282
(b) Pulses and Products—	Pulse						
Turdal—Laxmi Chhap or Surti (Fine).	kg.	3.80	0.80	5.45	5.49	681	686
Gramdal ..	"	1.81	0.60	3.05	3.00	508	500
Mungdal—Without Husk (Medium).	"	0.68	0.82	5.70	5.52	695	673
Total ..		6.29					
Index Number for Sub-group I (b).						633	631

PUNE*

337—A fall of 1 Point

In September 1979, the Consumer Price Index Number for Working Class for Pune Centre with base year January to December 1961 equal to 100 was 337 being 1 point lower than that in the preceding month. The index relates to the standard of life ascertained during the year 1958-59 family living survey at Pune Centre.

The index number for the food group decreased by 5 points to 370 due to, a fall in the average prices of wheat, jawar, moongdal, dry chillies, tamarind vegetables and bananas.

The index number for the fuel and light group increased by 28 points to 455 due to a rise in the average prices of firewood, kerosene and charcoal.

The index number for housing remained steady at 130 being a six monthly item.

The index number for the clothing and footwear group increased by 4 points to 366 due to a rise in the average price of saree.

The index number for the miscellaneous group decreased by 1 point to 258 due to a fall in the average price of pan-leaf.

CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBERS FOR WORKING CLASS FOR
PUNE CENTRE

(Average prices for the calendar year 1961=100)

Groups	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Group Index Numbers	
		Aug. 1979	Sept. 1979
I. Food	55.85	375	370
II. Fuel and light	6.89	427	455
III. Housing	6.65	130	130
IV. Clothing and Footwear	10.31	362	366
V. Miscellaneous	20.30	259	258
Total	100.00		
Consumer Price Index Number .. .. .	....	338	337

* Details regarding the scope and method of compilation of the index will be found on pages 1727 to 1730 of the August 1963 issue of Labour Gazette. For Errata thereto, see page 217 of September 1963 issue.

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

Items	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure revised	Price per unit of quantity		
			Basic price	Aug. 1979	Sept. 1979
			4	5	6
			Ra. P.	Ra. P.	Ra.
Wheat	100 lbs	13.11	0.76	1.80	1
Jawar	100 lbs	11.28	0.53	1.55	
Moongdal	100 lbs	8.39	0.45	1.65	
Dry chillies	100 lbs	3.08	0.51	1.48	
Tamarind	100 lbs	1.42	0.14	0.60	
Vegetables	100 lbs				
Firewood	100 lbs				
Kerosene	100 lbs				
Charcoal	100 lbs				
Total			37.58		
Wheat	100 lbs				
Jawar	100 lbs				
Moongdal	100 lbs				
Dry chillies	100 lbs				
Tamarind	100 lbs				
Vegetables	100 lbs				
Firewood	100 lbs				
Kerosene	100 lbs				
Charcoal	100 lbs				
Total					

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per unit of quantity		Index Number	
Aug 1979	Sept 1979	Aug 1979	Sept 1979
5	6	7	8
Ra. P.	Ra. P.		
5.50	5.50	417	417
2.00	2.00	342	342
1.50	1.50	295	295
0.50	0.50	228	228
1.41	1.41	228	228
1.45	1.45	228	228
1.30	1.30	228	228
2.00	2.00	267	267
6.00	6.00	120	120
1.05	1.05	328	328
2.25	2.25	230	230
2.15	2.15	215	215
0.15	0.15	261	261
1.00	1.00	228	228

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Sub-Group	Unit of Quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Basic price	Aug 1978	Sept 1979	Aug 1979	Sept 1979
			Ra. P.	Ra. P.	Ra. P.		
V. Miscellaneous—							
(a) Pan-Supari	100 gms	11.05	...	...	...	302	302
(b) Tobacco and Tobacco Products	100 gms	9.34	...	...	...	350	350
(c) Household Utilities	100 gms	5.28	...	...	...	507	507
(d) Washing Soap	100 gms	9.98	...	...	...	270	289
(e) Medical Care	100 gms	15.78	...	...	...	154	154
(f) Personal Care	100 gms	15.34	...	...	...	356	356
(g) Education and Reading	100 gms	8.88	...	...	...	210	210
(h) Recreation and Amusement	100 gms	6.69	...	...	...	328	328
(i) Transport and Communications	100 gms	17.65	...	...	...	228	228
Total		100.00					
Index Number for Group V.						279	281

* If the price of any item in the index is not available for a particular month, it will be estimated on the basis of the prices of similar items in the same month of the previous year.

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JALGAON CENTRE—contd.

Articles	Unit of Quantity	Weight Proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Basic price	Aug 1979	Sept 1979	Aug 1979	Sept 1979
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
(f) Personal care—			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
(1) Hair oil— Tata Co. ..	Small bottle.	4.89	1.32	5.50	5.50	417	417
(2) Barber charges— (i) Hair cut with shave	Adult ..	7.32	0.50	2.00	2.00	111	111
(ii) Hair cut ..	" ..	" ..	0.40	1.50	1.50	342	342
(iii) Shave ..	" ..	" ..	0.20	0.50	0.50		
(3) Toilet Soap— (i) Life Buoy ..	Cake ..	3.02	0.48	1.41	1.41	295	295
(ii) Hamam cake ..	" ..	" ..	0.49	1.45	1.45		
(4) Blades— (i) Bharat Blade ..	Pkt. of 10 blades.	0.11	0.44	....	....	228	228
(ii) Six Morning ..	2 Pkts. of 5 blades each	" ..	0.57	1.30	1.30		
Total ..		15.34					
Index Number for Sub-group V(f).						355	355
(g) Education and Reading—							
(1) Books— Bal Bharati Chautha Pustak ..	Copy ..	5.42	0.75	2.00	2.00	267	267
(2) School fees— For VIII Std. ..	Per student per month	3.46	5.00	6.00	6.00	120	120
Total ..		8.88					
Index Number for Sub-group V(g)						210	210
(h) Recreation and Amusement—							
(1) Cinema (Lowest class)	Adult ..	6.69	0.32	1.05	1.05	328	328
Total ..		6.69					
Index Number for Sub-group V(h)						328	328
(i) Transport and Communication—							
(1) Rail— Railway fare 50 km.	Per Passenger.	12.48	0.98	2.25	2.25	230	230
(2) Bus fare— S.T. Bus 32 km. (Full ticket)	" ..	4.09	1.00	2.15	2.15	215	215
(3) Postage— (i) Single card ..	Per card for Rs. 30	1.08	0.05	0.15	0.15	261	261
(ii) M. O. charges ..	" ..	" ..	0.45	1.00	1.00		
Total ..		17.65					
Index Number for Sub-group V(i)						228	228

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Date of survey	Index Number for working class for Jalgaon Centre—contd.	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
		Basic price	Aug 1979	Sept 1979	Aug 1979	Sept 1979
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.	
						32
						150
						157
						278
						151
						154
						210
						21
						27
						2

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Articles	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Basic price	Aug 1979	Sept 1979	Aug 1979	Sept 1979
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
(b) Tobacco and Tobacco Products—							
(i) Bidies—							
(i) Camel brand ..	Bundle of 25 bidies.	5.80	0.19	0.70	0.70	368	368
(ii) Shiledar ..	"	"	0.19	"	"	"	"
(2) Jarda—							
(i) Gangaram Brand	Pkt. of 50 g.	3.54	0.24	0.75	0.75	319	319
(ii) Chandrakant brand	"	"	0.23	0.75	0.75	"	"
Total ..		9.34					
Index Number for sub-group V(b).						350	350
(c) Household utilities—							
(i) Utensils—							
(i) Lota (Pune) ..	1 kg.	5.28	3.55	18.00	18.00	507	507
(ii) Lota (Nashik) ..	"	"	3.45	"	"	"	"
Total ..		5.28					
Index Number for Sub-group V(c).						507	507
d) Washing Soap—							
(i) Laundry—							
(i) Ordinary washing and ironings of cotton cloth.	Per piece ..	2.54	0.10	0.25	0.25	250	250
(2) Washing soap—							
(i) 501 Bar Soap ..	Bar ..	7.44	1.40	3.73	4.27	277	303
(ii) H. Dhantak Co. ..	Cake ..	"	0.40	1.15	1.20	"	"
Total ..		9.98					
Index Number for Sub-group V(d).						270	289
(e) Medical Care—							
(i) Dr. Vaze's Cough syrup.	Small bottle	3.80	1.50	3.50	3.50	233	233
(2) Daily mixture ..	Per day ..	11.98	0.58	0.75	0.75	129	129
Total ..		15.78					
Index Number for Sub-group V(e).						154	154

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Article	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price P.	
			Basic price	
1	2	3	4	
			Rx. P.	
W. H. H. and P. H. H.				
W. H. H. and P. H. H.				
W. H. H. and P. H. H.	Box of 25	5.40	0.1	
W. H. H. and P. H. H.	Box of 25	..	0.1	
W. H. H. and P. H. H.	Box of 50 g.	3.54	0-	
W. H. H. and P. H. H.	..	..	0-	
Total ..		9.34		
W. H. H. and P. H. H.				
W. H. H. and P. H. H.	1 kg.	5.28		
W. H. H. and P. H. H.	..	..
Total ..		5.28		
W. H. H. and P. H. H.				
W. H. H. and P. H. H.	For piece ..	2.54		
W. H. H. and P. H. H.	..	..
W. H. H. and P. H. H.	..	7.44		
Total ..		..
W. H. H. and P. H. H.			9.98	
W. H. H. and P. H. H.				
W. H. H. and P. H. H.	Small bottle	3.75		
W. H. H. and P. H. H.	Per day ..	11-		
Total ..		15		
W. H. H. and P. H. H.				

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Unit of quantity		Index Number	
Aug 1979	Sept 1979	Aug 1979	Sept 1979
5	6	7	8
Ra. P.	Ra. P.		
0.65	0.59		
0.58	0.54	216	210
1.29	1.40		
1.42	1.44	502	516
1.00	1.00	500	500
0.68			
0.31		692	
0.63			
	0.52		
	0.24		496
		547	541
1.26	1.20	463	424
1.13	1.00		
		463	424
2.96	2.96		
2.84	2.98	498	523
		399	398

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Articles	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Basic Price	Aug 1979	Sept 1979	Aug 1979	Sept 1979
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
(J) Beverages—			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
(i) Tea leaf—							
(i) Brook Bond table brand	Pkt. of 50 g.	2.11	0.40	0.87	0.87	243	243
(ii) Lipton table Loojee	"	"	0.41	1.10	1.10	333	333
(2) Hot drink—							
Prepared tea	Cup of 3 1/2 Dorr.	3.73	0.12	0.40	0.40	301	301
Total ..		5.84					
Index Number of Sub-group (J).						301	301
I. Food—							
(a) Cereals and Cereal Products.		40.71				354	359
(b) Pulses and Pulse Products.		8.13				628	628
(c) Oils and Fats		8.37				465	499
(d) Mutton, Fish and Eggs.		5.29				413	415
(e) Milk and Milk Products.		9.73				365	365
(f) Condiments and Spices.		7.62				496	499
(g) Vegetables and Vegetable Products.		5.47				547	443
(h) Fruits and Fruit Products.		1.61				463	424
(i) Sugar, Honey and related Products.		7.23				299	304
(f) Beverages.		5.84				301	301
Total ..		100.00					
Index Number for all Food Group.						406	405
II. Fuel and Light—							
(i) Firewood and chips—							
(i) Khair	37 kgs.	78.50	3.39			476	476
(ii) Dhawda	"	"	3.15	13.88	13.88	476	476
(iii) Adjat or Mixed	"	"	2.71	13.88	13.88	476	476
(2) Kerosene—							
(i) Chakkur Brand	Per Litre	11.40	0.45	1.38	1.49	1.307	331
(3) Electricity charges	Per unit	6.28	0.50	0.31	0.31	62	62
(4) Match Box							
Horse head brand	Box of 50 sticks.	3.82	0.06	0.13	0.13	217	217
Total ..		100.00					
Index Number for Group II						421	424

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JALGAON CENTRE—contd.

Articles	Unit of Quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Basic Price	Aug 1979	Sept 1979	Aug 1979	Sept 1979
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
(g) Vegetable and Vegetable Products—							
(1) Potatoes—							
(i) Big	kg.	1.15	0.28	0.65	0.59	—	—
(ii) Small	"	....	0.24	0.58	0.54	236	218
(2) Onions—							
(i) Red	kg.	0.86	0.27	1.29	1.40	—	—
(ii) White	"	....	0.27	1.42	1.44	502	526
(3) Garlic	250g.	0.54	0.20	1.00	1.00	500	500
(4) Other Vegetables							
Varieties selected for August 1979—							
(i) Chawli Sheng	250g.	2.92	0.09	0.63	—	—	—
(ii) Muli	"	....	0.05	0.31	—	692	—
(iii) Padwal	"	....	0.09	0.63	—	—	—
Varieties selected for September 1979—							
(i) Chawli Sheng	"	....	0.08	—	0.52	—	—
(ii) Muli	"	....	0.07	—	0.24	—	—
(iii) Padwal	"	....	0.10	—	—	—	496
Total		5.47					
Index Number for Sub-groups						547	543
(h) Fruits and Fruit products—							
(1) Banana—							
(i) Big	Dozen	1.61	0.29	1.26	1.20	—	—
(ii) Small	"	....	0.23	1.13	1.00	463	424
Total		1.61					
Index Number for Sub-group (h)						463	424
(i) Sugar, Honey and related products—							
(1) Sugar	kg.	5.60	1.23	2.96	2.96	241	241
(2) Gur—							
(i) Kopargaoon 1st Quality	"	1.63	0.57	2.84	2.98	498	523
Total		7.23					
Index Number for Sub-group (i)						399	304

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Articles	Unit of Quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity	
			Basic Price	Aug 1979
1	2	3	4	5
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.
(j) Cereals and Cereal products—				
(1) Rice—				
(i) White	kg.	2.11	0.48	—
(ii) Brown	"	—	0.41	—
(iii) Coarse	"	—	0.12	—
(2) Wheat	kg.	—	—	—
(i) Hard	"	—	—	—
(ii) Soft	"	—	—	—
(3) Other Cereals				
(i) Bajra	kg.	—	—	—
(ii) Jowar	"	—	—	—
(iii) Ragi	"	—	—	—
(iv) Sorghum	"	—	—	—
(v) Millets	"	—	—	—
(vi) Other	"	—	—	—
(4) Cereal products				
(i) Atta	kg.	—	—	—
(ii) Flour	"	—	—	—
(iii) Other	"	—	—	—
(5) Total				
Index Number for Sub-group (j)				
(k) Meat and Meat products—				
(1) Meat—				
(i) Beef	kg.	—	—	—
(ii) Mutton	"	—	—	—
(iii) Pork	"	—	—	—
(iv) Other	"	—	—	—
(2) Meat products				
(i) Sausages	kg.	—	—	—
(ii) Other	"	—	—	—
(3) Total				
Index Number for Sub-group (k)				
(l) Fish and Fish products—				
(1) Fish—				
(i) Fresh	kg.	—	—	—
(ii) Dried	"	—	—	—
(iii) Other	"	—	—	—
(2) Fish products				
(i) Fish oil	kg.	—	—	—
(ii) Other	"	—	—	—
(3) Total				
Index Number for Sub-group (l)				
(m) Eggs and Egg products—				
(1) Eggs—				
(i) Fresh	kg.	—	—	—
(ii) Dried	"	—	—	—
(iii) Other	"	—	—	—
(2) Egg products				
(i) Egg powder	kg.	—	—	—
(ii) Other	"	—	—	—
(3) Total				
Index Number for Sub-group (m)				
(n) Beverages—				
(1) Tea—				
(i) Tea leaves	kg.	—	—	—
(ii) Tea powder	"	—	—	—
(iii) Other	"	—	—	—
(2) Coffee—				
(i) Coffee beans	kg.	—	—	—
(ii) Coffee powder	"	—	—	—
(iii) Other	"	—	—	—
(3) Other Beverages				
(i) Fruit juices	kg.	—	—	—
(ii) Other	"	—	—	—
(4) Total				
Index Number for Sub-group (n)				
(o) Tobacco and Tobacco products—				
(1) Tobacco—				
(i) Cigarettes	kg.	—	—	—
(ii) Other	"	—	—	—
(2) Tobacco products				
(i) Cigarette powder	kg.	—	—	—
(ii) Other	"	—	—	—
(3) Total				
Index Number for Sub-group (o)				
(p) Miscellaneous—				
(1) Soap—				
(i) Bar	kg.	—	—	—
(ii) Liquid	"	—	—	—
(2) Other				
(i) Miscellaneous	kg.	—	—	—
(ii) Total				
Index Number for Sub-group (p)				

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Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
Basic Price	Aug 1979	Sept 1979	Aug 1979	Sept 1979
Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
14.15	1.05-82	1.06-82	117	118
0.63	2.03	2.00	322	317
0.46	1.54	1.58	335	341
0.35	1.33	1.35	380	386
0.12	0.35	0.35	292	292
354			354	359
73	5.00	5.00	685	685
66				
58	3.00	3.00	517	517
70	4.83	4.83	670	670
93	5.40	5.40		
55	4.11	4.10	588	586
13	4.51	4.50		
428			428	428
530			530	530
291			291	291
465			465	469

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Articles			Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
1	2	3	Basic Price	Aug 1979	Sept 1979	Aug 1979	Sept 1979
	Unit of Quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
(d) Mutton, Fish and Eggs—							
(i) Mutton—							
(i) Goat meat	kg.	4.38	1.45	6.00	6.00	414	414
(2) Fish (dry)—							
(i) Bombil big	kg.	0.91	2.72	12.00	12.00		
(ii) Zinga			2.70	12.00	12.00		
(3) Fish fresh—							
Varities selected for August 1979—							
(i) Rahu	kg.		3.22	8.00			
(ii) Shingada			2.14	7.00			
(iii) Barik machhi			1.05	6.00			
Varities selected for September 1979—							
(i) Balm			2.23		8.00		
(ii) Shingada			2.11		7.00		
(iii) Barik machhi			1.13		6.00		
Total		5.29					
Index Number for Sub-group 1 (d).						413	415
(e) Milk and Milk Products—							
(1) Milk (Buffalo)	1 litre	8.42	0.77	2.30	2.30	364	364
(2) Ghee	kg.	1.31	3.71	13.77	14.00	371	377
Total		9.73					
Index Number for Sub-group 1 (e).						365	365
(f) Condiments and Spices—							
(1) Salt—							
(i) White	kg.	0.29	0.13	0.40	0.40	321	321
(ii) Black			0.12	0.40	0.40		
(2) Turmeric							
(i) Sangli (whole)	250 g.	0.30	0.34	1.62	1.75	476	515
(3) Chillies (dry)—							
(i) Asoda	kg.	4.56	1.65	10.00	10.00	606	606
(4) Coriander	250 g.	0.24	0.31	0.88	0.90	284	290
(5) Mixed spices—							
(i) Garam Masala (whole)		1.86	4.95	13.61	13.72	275	277
(ii) Lahori powder	200 g.		1.79				
(6) Jeera	250 g.	0.37	0.63	3.75	3.75	551	551
Total		7.62					
Index Number for Sub-group 1 (f).						496	499

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

Articles	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Basic Price	Aug. 1979	Sept. 1979	Aug. 1979	Sept. 1979
I. Food Group—							
(a) Cereals and Cereal Products—							
(1) Rice	Kg.	6.72	0.63	2.03	2.60	322	317
(2) Wheat	"	10.89	0.46	1.54	1.58	335	343
(3) Jowar	"	21.16	0.35	1.33	1.35	380	386
(4) Grinding charges— For cereals	7 kgs.	1.94	0.12	0.35	0.35	292	292
Total ..		40.71					
Index Number for sub-group I(a)						354	359
(b) Pulses and Pulse Products—							
(1) Turdal—							
(i) Jalsa	Kg.	3.79	0.73	5.00	5.00	685	685
(ii) Gawran (Bharwa)	"		0.66	....	....	....	....
(2) Gramdal	"	2.13	0.53	3.00	3.00	517	517
(3) Moongdal—							
(i) With husk	Kg.	1.35	0.70	4.83	4.83	670	670
(ii) Without husk	"		0.83	5.40	5.40		
(4) Uriddal—							
(i) With husk	Kg.	0.86	0.65	4.11	4.10	588	586
(ii) Without husk	"		0.83	4.51	4.50		
Total ..		8.13					
Index Number for sub-group I(b)						428	428
(c) Oils and Fats—							
(1) Groundnut oil	Kg.	7.21	2.28	11.23	12.08	493	530
(2) Vanaspathi (loose)	kg.	1.16	1.99	5.79	6.18	291	311
Total ..		8.37					
Index Number for sub-group I(c)						465	499

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CANDLER JALGAON			Price per unit of quantity		
Item	Unit of Quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Basic Price	Aug 1979	Index
			4	5	
Non-Food Group					
(a) Housing and Utilities					
Rent of house	Rs. P.		1.45	6.00	
Electricity	Rs. P.	0.91	2.72	12.00	
Water	Rs. P.		2.70	12.00	
Telephone	Rs. P.				
Gas	Rs. P.		3.21	8.00	
Transport	Rs. P.		2.14	7.00	
Medical	Rs. P.		1.05	6.00	
Education	Rs. P.				
Recreation	Rs. P.		2.21		
Miscellaneous	Rs. P.		2.11		
Total			1.13		
			5.73		
(b) Clothing and Personal Goods					
Clothing	Rs. P.				
Personal Goods	Rs. P.		8.42	0.77	2.3
Total			1.31	3.71	13.7
			9.73		
(c) Food Group					
Food	Rs. P.				
Non-Food	Rs. P.				
Total			0.23	0.13	
Food	Rs. P.	250 g.			
Non-Food	Rs. P.	250 g.	0.30	0.12	
Total		250 g.	4.36	0.34	
Food	Rs. P.	250 g.	0.24	1.63	
Non-Food	Rs. P.	250 g.	1.86	0.31	
Total		250 g.		4.99	
Food	Rs. P.		0.37	1.79	
Non-Food	Rs. P.		7.62	0.63	

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e per unit of quantity		Index Number	
AUG. 1979	SEPT. 1979	AUG. 1979	SEPT. 1979
5	6	71	1
Ra. P.	Ra. P.		
2-25	2-25	216	216
2-15	2-15	215	215
0-15	0-15	261	261
1-00	1-00	435	435
1-00	1-00	270	270
		379	379
		455	455
		412	412
		139	139
		151	151
		427	427
		271	271
		267	267
		270	270
		310	310

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JALGAON* CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBERS FOR WORKING CLASS FOR JALGAON CENTRE

364—Index remained steady

In September 1979, the consumer price Index Number for Working Class for the Jalgaon Centre with base year January to December 1961 equal to 100 was 364 being remained steady. The Index relates to the standard of life ascertained during the year 1958-59 family living survey at Jalgaon Centre.

The Index Number for Food group decreased by 1 point to 405 due to a fall in the average prices of rice, jowar, onion, groundnut oil and vanaspati.

The Index Number for the fuel and light group increased by 3 points to 424 due to a rise in the average price of kerosene oil.

The Index Number for housing remained steady at 158 being a six monthly item.

The Index Number for clothing and footwear group increased by 1 point to 330 due to a rise in the average price of long-cloth.

The Index Number for the Miscellaneous group increased by 2 points to 281 due to a rise in the average prices of washing soap.

CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBERS FOR WORKING CLASS FOR JALGAON CENTRE

(Average prices for the calendar year 1961=100)

Groups	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Group Index Numbers	
		Aug. 1979	Sept. 1979 (C)
I. Food	60.79	406	405
II. Fuel and Light	7.20	421	424
III. Housing	6.11	158	158
IV. Clothing and Footwear	10.29	329	330
V. Miscellaneous	15.61	279	281
Total	100.00		
Consumer Price Index Number		364	364

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

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

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A household study
September 1963, the consumer price Index Number for Work
group with base year January to December 1961 equ
household study. The Index relates to the standard
living cost per 1958-59 family living survey at Jalgaon Ce
The Index for Food group decreased by 1 point to 40
average price of rice, sugar, onion, groundnut oil and van
The Index for the fuel and light group increased by :
average price of kerosene oil.
The Index for housing remained steady at 153 being
The Index for clothing and footwear group increase
average price of long-cloth.
The Index for the Miscellaneous group increased by
average prices of washing soap.

ASSIGNMENT INDEX NUMBERS FOR WORKING C
JALGAON CENTRE
(Large print for the calendar year 1961-1962)

Group	Weight proportional to total expenditure.	Group
1. Total		1977
1.1. Freight	60.79	40
1.2. Fuel	7.20	42
1.3. Capital Expenditure	6.11	19
1.4. Wages	10.29	32
Total	15.61	27
General Price Index Number	100.00	

The index number ... 100-00

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... the January 1968 issue of Labor Gazette.
... from the sequential old index number on base August
... on base 1961=100 should be multiplied

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Unit of quantity		Index Number	
Aug. 1979	Sept. 1979	Aug. 1979	Sept. 1979
5	6	7	8
Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
0.40	0.40	651	651
0.30	0.30	375	375
0.15	0.15	195	195
0.80	0.80		
0.45	0.45	346	346
0.65	0.65	671	671
0.50	0.90	214	214
0.30	0.30		
5.00	35.00	449	449
1.80	2.80	311	311
25	0.25	208	208
25	0.25	100	100
		139	139

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CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBERS FOR WORKING CLASS FOR
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Articles	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Basic Price	Aug. 1979	Sept. 1979	Aug. 1979	Sept. 1979
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
(e) Medical Care—							
(i) Patent Medicine—							
(i) Anacin	2 Tablets	9.36	0.13	0.15	0.15	161	161
(ii) Aspro	Bottle	....	0.37	0.15	0.80	134	134
(iii) Zinda Tilasmab	Per day	5.47	0.62	0.83	0.83	151	151
(2) Mixture Doctor's daily Mixture							
Total		14.83					
Index Number for sub-group V(e).						151	151
(f) Personal Care—							
(i) Hair Oil—							
(i) Tata Co. Coconut Oil	Small bottle	4.20	1.34	5.10	5.10	381	381
(2) Barber charges—							
(i) Hair cut with shave	Adult	7.20	0.41	2.00	2.00	491	491
(ii) Hair cut	"	....	0.31	1.50	1.50		
(iii) Shave	"	....	0.14	0.70	0.70		
(3) Toilet soap—							
(i) Hamam	Cake	1.93	0.48	1.50	1.50	297	297
(ii) Lifebuoy	"	....	0.48	1.35	1.35		
(4) Blades—							
(i) Bharat	Packet of 10 blades	0.07	0.47	1.25	1.25	266	266
(ii) G Morning	2 pkts. of 5 blades each	....	0.54	....	....
Total		13.40					
Index Number for sub-group V(f).						427	427
(g) Education and Reading—							
(i) School fees for VIII Standard	Per student	3.30	2.14	7.00	7.00	327	327
(2) School Books—							
(i) Marathi Vachan Mala	Per copy	3.43	0.75	2.05	2.05	216	216
(ii) Subodh Ganit	"	....	0.69	1.10	1.10		
Total		6.73					
Index Number for sub-group V(g).						271	271
(h) Recreation and Amusement—							
(i) Cinema—							
Lower Class	Full ticket	6.62	0.30	0.80	0.80	267	267
Total		6.62					
Index Number for sub-group V(h).						267	267

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Unit of quantity		Index Number	
Aug. 1979	Sept. 1979	Aug. 1979	Sept. 1979
5	6	7	8
Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.
0.90	0.90	271	271
1.00	1.00	329	329
0.25	0.25		
0.12	0.12		
		317	317
		366	379
		685	699
		520	537
		479	475
		389	389
		518	516
		501	418
		442	438
		276	283
		317	317
		419	427
8.00	8.00	464	464
7.00	7.00	612	613
1.59	1.60	250	250
0.15	0.15		
		473	474

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Articles	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Basic price	Aug. 1979	Sept. 1979	Aug. 1979	Sept. 1979
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.
III. House Rent—							
(1) Rent of selected Tenements.	P. M.	100.00	.....	.....	.....	195	196
Total		100.00					
Index Number for Group III						196	195
IV. Clothing and Footwear—							
(a) Clothing—							
(1) Dhori	Per Sq. Metre	11.53	1.08	3.54	3.54	328	328
(2) Saree	"	19.77	1.24	3.63	3.70	297	298
(3) Cloth for Trousers	"	1.38	2.74	6.98	6.98	255	255
(4) Long Cloth	"	27.48	1.44	5.67	5.60	394	389
(5) Coloured fabrics	"	31.21	1.81	6.69	6.69	370	370
Total		91.57				354	353
Index Number for sub-group IV(a).							
(b) Footwear—							
(1) Shoes—							
(i) Hata, Janata	Per Pair	4.89	15.02	42.50	42.50	248	248
(ii) Carona Master Junior.	"	.....	18.34	39.15	39.15	297	297
(2) Chappals—							
(i) Hata All wear	Per Pair	3.54	4.45	13.60	13.60	297	297
(ii) Rubber Sole.	"	.....	6.18	15.70	15.70	297	297
(iii) Panther Bata	"	.....	8.35	25.30	25.30	297	297
(iv) Carona Kolhapur	"	.....	8.65	28.05	28.05	297	297
Total		8.43				269	269
Index Number for sub-group IV(b).							
IV. Clothing and Footwear—							
(a) Clothing		91.57	354	353
(b) Footwear		8.43	269	269
Total		100.00				347	346
Index Number for Group V.							

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NANDED CENTRE—contd.

Articles	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Basic price	Aug. 1979	Sept. 1979	Aug. 1979	Sept. 1979
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
(J) Averages—			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
(1) Tea leaf—							
(i) Brooke Bond ..	Packet of 50 gms.	1.13	0.35	0.90	0.90	271	271
(ii) Lipton ..	"	....	0.35	1.00	1.00		
(2) Hot drink—							
(i) Chalu Chaha ..	Per Cup ..	4.49	0.07	0.25	0.25	329	329
(ii) Canloen tea ..	"	....	0.04	0.12	0.12		
Total ..		5.62					
Index Number Sub-group I(J).						317	317
I. Food Group—							
(a) Cereals and Cereal Products		53.29	..	..	..	366	379
(b) Pulses and Pulse Products		8.64	..	..	..	683	699
(c) Oils and Fats ..		4.84	..	..	..	520	517
(d) Mutton, Fish and Eggs		6.23	..	..	..	479	475
(e) Milk and Milk Products		4.83	..	..	..	389	389
(f) Condiments and Spices		7.12	..	..	..	508	516
(g) Vegetable and Vegetable Products		4.29	..	..	..	501	478
(h) Fruits and Fruit Products		0.87	..	..	..	442	438
(i) Sugar, Honey and Related Products		4.27	..	..	..	276	283
(j) Beverages ..		5.62	..	..	..	317	317
Total ..		100.00					
Index Number for food Group I						419	427
II. Fuel and Light—							
(1) Firewood and Chips	20 kgs.						
(i) Dhawda (old) ..	"	80.76	1.66	8.00	8.00	464	464
(ii) Gaheri ..	"	....	1.57	7.00	7.00		
(2) Kerosene—							
(i) Rock oil white in colour	Per litre ..	13.99	0.26	1.59	1.60	612	615
(3) Match Box—							
(i) Wingo, Home Brand ..	Per Box (50 sticks)	5.25	0.06	0.15	0.15	250	250
Total ..		100.00					
Index Number for Group II						473	474

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NANDED CENTRE—contd.

Item	Unit	Weight	Basic Price	Aug. 1979	Sept. 1979	Aug. 1979	Sept. 1979
(1) Firewood and Chips	20 kgs.						
(i) Dhawda (old)	"	80.76	1.66	8.00	8.00	464	464
(ii) Gaheri	"	....	1.57	7.00	7.00		
(2) Kerosene—							
(i) Rock oil white in colour	Per litre	13.99	0.26	1.59	1.60	612	615
(3) Match Box—							
(i) Wingo, Home Brand	Per Box (50 sticks)	5.25	0.06	0.15	0.15	250	250
Total		100.00					
Index Number for Group II						473	474

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Price per unit of quantity		Index Number	
Aug. 1979	Sept. 1979	Aug. 1979	Sept. 1979
5	6	7	8
P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.	
6.00	6.00	486	486
4.00	4.00		
9.00	9.00	414	
8.00	8.00		
7.00	7.00		
8.00	8.00		
0.50	0.50	385	385
14.00	14.00	465	465
0.48	0.50	400	417
0.50	0.50	833	833
7.00	7.00	529	529
6.20	6.20		
1.00	1.00	400	400
1.00	1.00	475	500
		508	516

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

Articles	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Basic Price	Aug. 1979	Sept. 1979	Aug. 1979	Sept. 1979
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
(2) Vegetable and Vegetable Products—							
(1) Potatoes—			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
(i) Big size	1 kg.	0.69	0.30	0.78	0.70	261	232
(ii) Small size	"	....	0.26	0.68	0.60		
(2) Onions—							
(i) Red	Kg.	0.97	0.31	1.35	1.56	465	548
(ii) White	"	....	0.31	1.53	1.84		
(3) Brinjals (Kali)	250 gms.	0.50	0.11	0.55	0.63	500	573
(4) Tomatoes—							
(i) Red	250 gms.	0.39	0.21	1.00	0.95	546	472
(ii) Green	"	....	0.13	0.80	0.64		
(5) Garlic Gawathan	50 gms.	0.54	0.15	0.24	0.21	480	420
Other vegetables—							
Varieties available in the month of Aug. 1979.							
(i) Dodka	250 gms.	1.20	0.06	0.55		663	600
(ii) Ladies finger	"	....	0.14	0.58			
Varieties available in the month of Sept. 1979.							
(i) Gawar phali	250 gms.	....	0.10	....	0.50		550
(ii) Dodka	"	....	0.10	....	0.60		
Total		4.29				501	478
Index Number Sub-group I (a).							
(b) Fruit and Fruit Products—							
(1) Banana—							
(i) Big size	Per Dozen	0.87	0.35	1.60	1.56	442	438
(ii) Medium	"	....	0.29	1.20	1.20		
(iii) Small	"	....	0.22	1.00	1.00		
Total		0.87					
Index Number Sub-group I (b).							
(i) Sugar, Honey and Related products—							
(1) Sugar—							
(i) D-grade	Kg.	3.57	1.17	3.09	3.10	1256	1265
(2) Gur—							
(i) Gawran 1st quality	200 gms.	0.70	0.10	0.40	0.40	375	375
(ii) Gawran 2nd quality	"	0.10	0.35			
Total		4.27					
Index Number Sub-group I (c).							
Total							
						276	283

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CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBERS FOR WORKING CLASS FOR
NANDED CENTRE—*contd.*

Articles	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Basic price	Aug. 1979	Sept. 1979	Aug. 1979	Sept. 1979
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
(d) Mutton, Fish and Eggs—			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
(1) Mutton—							
(i) Goat Meat ..	½ Kg.	5.62	1.08	6.00	6.00	486	486
(ii) Beef ..	Kg.	....	0.96	4.00	4.00		
(2) Fish (dry)—							
(i) Bombil ..	Kg.	0.61	2.46	9.00	9.00	414	
(ii) Zinga ..	"	....	2.02	8.00	8.00		
(3) Fish (fresh)—							
Varieties available in Aug. 1979—							
(i) Rahu ..	Kg.	....	1.73	7.00			
(ii) Katema ..	"	....	1.64	8.00		375	
Varieties available in Sept. 1979—							
(i) Rahu ..	Kg.	....	2.06		7.00		
(ii) Katema ..	"	....	2.00		8.00		
Total ..		6.23					
Index Number Sub-group I(d).						479	475
(e) Milk and Milk Products—							
(1) Milk (Buffalo) ..	200 ml.	4.54	0.13	0.50	0.50	385	385
(2) Ghee (Buffalo) ..	½ Kg.	0.29	3.01	14.00	14.00	465	465
Total ..		4.83					
Index Number Sub-group I(e).						389	389
(f) Condiments and Spices—							
(1) Salt white ..	Kg.	0.28	0.12	0.48	0.50	400	417
(2) Turmeric Khandaki ..	50 gms.	0.24	0.06	0.50	0.50	833	833
(3) Chillies (dry)—							
(i) Garwarani (fine) ..	Kg.	4.22	1.30	7.00	7.00	529	522
(ii) Garwarani (med.) ..	"	....	1.18	6.12	6.20		
(4) Tamarind, Kadiwall ..	200 gms.	0.77	0.25	1.00	1.00	400	400
(5) Mixed spices, Boj-wur ..	50 gms.	1.61	0.20	0.95	1.00	475	500
Total ..		7.12					
Index Number Sub-group I(f).						508	516

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Articles	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Basic price	Aug. 1979	Sept. 1979	Aug. 1979	Sept. 1979
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
(d) Mutton, Fish and Eggs—			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
(1) Mutton—							
(i) Goat Meat ..	½ Kg.	5.62	1.08	6.00	6.00	486	486
(ii) Beef ..	Kg.	....	0.96	4.00	4.00		
(2) Fish (dry)—							
(i) Bombil ..	Kg.	0.61	2.46	9.00	9.00	414	
(ii) Zinga ..	"	....	2.02	8.00	8.00		
(3) Fish (fresh)—							
Varieties available in Aug. 1979—							
(i) Rahu ..	Kg.	....	1.73	7.00			
(ii) Katema ..	"	....	1.64	8.00		375	
Varieties available in Sept. 1979—							
(i) Rahu ..	Kg.	....	2.06		7.00		
(ii) Katema ..	"	....	2.00		8.00		
Total ..		6.23					
Index Number Sub-group I(d).						479	475
(e) Milk and Milk Products—							
(1) Milk (Buffalo) ..	200 ml.	4.54	0.13	0.50	0.50	385	385
(2) Ghee (Buffalo) ..	½ Kg.	0.29	3.01	14.00	14.00	465	465
Total ..		4.83					
Index Number Sub-group I(e).						389	389
(f) Condiments and Spices—							
(1) Salt white ..	Kg.	0.28	0.12	0.48	0.50	400	417
(2) Turmeric Khandaki ..	50 gms.	0.24	0.06	0.50	0.50	833	833
(3) Chillies (dry)—							
(i) Garwarani (fine) ..	Kg.	4.22	1.30	7.00	7.00	529	522
(ii) Garwarani (med.) ..	"	....	1.18	6.12	6.20		
(4) Tamarind, Kadiwall ..	200 gms.	0.77	0.25	1.00	1.00	400	400
(5) Mixed spices, Boj-wur ..	50 gms.	1.61	0.20	0.95	1.00	475	500
Total ..		7.12					
Index Number Sub-group I(f).						508	516

NANDED

391—A rise of 5 points.

In September 1979, the Consumer Price Index Number for Working Class for the Nanded Centre, with base year January to December 1961 equal to 100 was 391 being 5 points higher than that in the preceding month. The index relates to the standard of life ascertained during the year 1958-59 family living survey at Nanded Centre.

The index number for the food group increased by 8 points to 427 due to a rise in the average prices of rice, jowar, moongdal, groundnut oil, spices and sugar.

The index number for the fuel and light group increased by 1 point to 474 due to a rise in the average price of kerosene.

The index number for housing remained steady at 196 being a six monthly item.

The index number for the clothing and footwear group decreased by 1 point to 346 due to a fall in the price of long cloth.

The index number for the miscellaneous group remained steady at 310.

CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBERS FOR WORKING CLASS FOR
NANDED CITY

(Average prices for the calendar year 1961=100)

Groups	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Group Index Number	
		Aug. 1979	Sept. 1979
I. Food	61.46	419	427
II. Fuel and Light .. .	5.88	473	474
III. Housing .. .	4.62	196	196
IV. Clothing and Footwear .. .	12.22	347	346
V. Miscellaneous .. .	15.82	310	310
Total .. .	100.00		
Consumer Price Index Number .. .		386	391

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

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

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OR WORKING CLASS FOR
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per unit of quantity

Aug. 1979		Sept. 1979	
5	6	7	8
Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
0.35	0.35	318	318
1.40	1.30	333	319
		328	311
0.20	0.15	167	125
1.50	1.50	221	221
		200	181
5.20	5.20	400	400
1.75	1.75		
1.25	1.25	317	317
0.50	0.50		
1.50	1.50	312	312
1.50	1.50	263	263
		343	343
7.00	7.00	233	233
1.05	1.30	169	210
		207	223

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

Articles	Unit of Quantity	Weight proportional of total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Basic Price	Aug. 1979	Sept. 1979	Aug. 1979	Sept. 1979
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
(h) Recreation and Amusement—							
Cinema—							
Lowest class ..	Full ticket.	6.90	0.44	1.05	1.05	239	239
Total ..		6.90					
Index Number Sub-group V(h).						239	239
(i) Transport and Communication—							
(1) Rail—							
Fare for 50 km. ..	Full ticket	6.19	1.04	2.25	2.25	216	216
(2) Bus—							
S.T. fare for 30 miles ..		5.30	1.50	2.90	2.90	193	193
(3) Postage—							
(1) Post card ..	Per card ..	1.10	0.05	0.15	0.15	261	261
(2) Money Order	For Rs.30..		0.45	1.00	1.00		
Total ..		12.59					
Index Number Sub-group V(i).						211	211
V. Miscellaneous Group—							
(a) Pansupari ..	....	12.17	....	....	....	370	369
(b) Tobacco and Tobacco Products.	....	18.56	....	....	....	296	312
(c) Household utilities	....	2.55	....	....	....	557	557
(d) Washing Soap ..	....	14.13	....	....	....	328	312
(e) Medical care ..	....	12.28	....	....	....	200	184
(f) Personal care ..	....	17.59	....	....	....	343	343
(g) Education and Reading.	....	3.23	....	....	....	207	223
(h) Recreation and Amusement.	....	6.90	....	....	....	239	239
(i) Transport and Communication.	....	12.59	....	....	....	211	211
Total ..		100.00					
Index Number for Miscellaneous Group V.						295	294

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

Articles	Unit of Quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Basic Price	Aug. 1979	Sept. 1979	Aug. 1979	Sept. 1979
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
(d) Washing Soap— (1) Laundry— Ordinary washing and ironing of cotton shirt.	Per piece ..	4.86	0.11	0.35	0.35	318	318
(2) Washing Soap— Sunlight	Per Cake ..	9.27	0.42	1.40	1.30	333	310
Total ..		14.13					
Index Number Sub-group V(d).						328	312
(e) Medical care— (1) Patent Medicine Anacia	Two tablets, Per day ..	4.67	0.12	0.20	0.15	167	125
(2) Mixture (Daily) ..		7.61	0.68	1.50	1.50	221	221
Total ..		12.28					
Index Number Sub-group V(e).						200	184
(f) Personal Care— (1) Hair Oil, Tata Co.	Small bottle	5.82	1.30	5.20	5.20	400	400
(2) Barber charges— (i) Hair cut with shave.	Adult ..	8.70	0.50	1.75	1.75		
(ii) Haircut	.. ..	..	0.37	1.25	1.25	317	317
(iii) Shave	.. ..	..	0.19	0.50	0.50		
(3) Toilet Soap— (i) Life Buoy	Per Cake ..	2.74	0.48	1.50	1.50	312	312
(ii) Hamam	.. ..	..	0.48	1.50	1.50		
(4) Blade Six morning	2 pkts. of 5 blades each	0.33	0.57	1.50	1.50	263	263
Total ..		17.59					
Index Number Sub-group V(f).						343	343
(g) Education and Reading— (1) School fees for Std. X.	Per Student per month	1.90	3.01	7.00	7.00	233	233
(2) School Books, Prathamik Ganit, (Govt. Publication)	Per Copy	1.33	0.62	1.05	1.30	169	210
Total ..		3.23					
Index Number Sub-group V(g).						207	223

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

Article	Unit of Quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity		Aug. 1979	Sept. 1979
			Basic Price	Aug. 1979		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
Personal Expenditure on Food	Per 1000	6-90	0-44	1-03		
	Total	6-90				
Food and Drink	Per 1000	6-19	1-04	2-25		
Food	..	5-30	1-50	2-90		
Drink	Per 1000	1-10	0-65	0-15		
Food and Drink	Per 1000	..	0-43	1-00		
Total		12-59				
Personal Expenditure on Housing						
Housing	..	13-17				
Personal Expenditure on Transport	..	10-56				
Transport	..	2-55				
Personal Expenditure on Recreation	..	14-13				
Recreation	..	12-78				
Personal Expenditure on Education	..	17-59				
Education	..	3-73				
Personal Expenditure on Health	..	6-90				
Health	..	12-59				
Personal Expenditure on Miscellaneous	..	100-00				

WORKING CLASS FOR

of quantity		Index Number	
Aug. 1979	Sept. 1979	Aug. 1979	Sept. 1979
5	6	7	8
P.	P.		
40	12.47	379	431
10	11.95		
42	1.60	645	727
15	0.15	250	250
		405	457
...	....	272	272
		272	272
64	3.70	340	346
37	3.42	263	267
57	8.75	363	371
76	6.76	412	412
57	7.64	461	411
		366	358
95	48.95	299	299
50	52.50	299	299

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

Articles	Unit of Quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Basic Price	Aug. 1979	Sept. 1979	Aug. 1979	Sept. 1979
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
IV. Clothing and Footwear—contd.			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
(a) Clothing ..	....	94.92	....	....	....	366	358
(b) Footwear ..	....	3.08	....	....	....	299	299
Total ..		100.00					
Index Number Group IV						363	353
V. Miscellaneous—							
(a) <i>Pan-supari—</i>							
(1) Pan leaf—							
Madras I ..	Bundle of 100 leaves.	3.84	0.50	1.53	1.32	306	264
(2) Pan Finished—							
With Masala ..	Vida ..	2.19	0.04	0.25	0.25	625	625
(3) Supari—							
Mangluri ..	50 gms. ...	4.36	0.41	0.85	0.90	207	220
(4) Katha—							
Kanpur ..	" ..	1.78	0.72	4.28	4.65	394	646
Total ..		12.17					
Index Number Sub-group V(a).						370	369
(b) <i>Tobacco and Tobacco Products—</i>							
(1) Bidi—							
Totapuri ..	Bundle of 25 biddies.	15.38	0.15	0.47	0.50	313	333
(2) Jarda—							
Hazivazir ..	Packet of 25 gms.	3.18	0.19	0.40	0.40	211	211
Total ..		18.56					
Index Number Sub-group V(b).						296	312
(c) <i>Household Utillies—</i>							
Utensils Brass—							
Lota (Poona Market) ..	Kg. ..	2.55	7.18	0.40	0.40	557	557
Total ..		2.55					
Index Number Sub-group V(c).						557	557

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CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBERS FOR WORK
AURANGABAD CENTRE - *contd.*

Index		List of Quantity	Weight or Measure	Price		Total Price
1	2			Rs. P.	As. S.	
100 lbs. of Fine...	54-92	
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E—contd.

Unit of quantity		Index Number	
Aug. 1979	Sept. 1979	Aug. 1979	Sept. 1979
5	6	7	8
Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
0.50	0.50	312	312
		312	312
0.35	0.36	318	327
2.54	2.00	747	388
4.97	5.58	552	620
3.00	3.00	612	612
2.50	2.50	595	595
4.50	4.66	652	675
		567	602
0.76	0.74	253	247
1.48	1.56	592	624
0.91	0.85	379	354
1.90	1.08	756	390
1.50	0.71
0.20	0.20	333	333
0.75	373
0.75
....	0.75	419
....	0.59
		422	399

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

Articles	Unit of Quantity	Weight Proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Basic Price	Aug. 1979	Sept. 1979	Aug. 1979	Sept. 1979
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.					
(h) Fruits and fruit products— Banana— Medium	Doz.	1.14	0.32	1.66	1.58	519	494
Total		1.14				519	494
Index Number sub-group 1 (h).							
(i) Sugar, Honey and Related Product— (1) Sugar— Medium (2) Gur— Superior	Kg.	3.45	1.17	2.87	3.02	245	258
	"	1.81	0.46	2.54	2.83	552	615
Total		5.26				351	381
Index Number sub-group 1 (i).							
(j) Beverages— Tea leaf— Brooke Bond (2) Prepared Tea— Chalu Chaha	50 gms.	1.86	0.41	0.98	1.02	239	249
	Cup of 3 1/2 Ozs.	4.28	0.08	0.30	0.28	375	350
Total		6.14				334	319
Index Number sub-group 1 (j).							
Food Group— (a) Cereals and cereal products. (b) Pulses and pulse products. (c) Oils and fats (d) Mutton, fish and eggs. (e) Milk and Milk products. (f) Condiments and spices. (g) Vegetables and vegetable products. (h) Fruits and fruit products. (i) Sugar, honey and related products. (j) Beverages	....	48.20	....	....	....	390	378
	....	7.86	....	....	....	691	684
	....	5.97	....	....	....	460	501
	....	4.94	....	....	....	459	457
	....	6.65	....	....	....	312	312
	....	7.83	....	....	....	567	602
	....	6.01	....	....	....	422	399
	....	1.14	....	....	....	519	494
	....	5.26	....	....	....	358	381
	....	6.14	....	....	....	334	319
Total		100.00				428	425
Index Number—Food Group I.						428	425

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

Articles 1	Unit of quantity 2	Weight proportional to total expenditure 3	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Basic price 4	Aug. 1979 5	Sept. 1979 6	Aug. 1979 7	Sept. 1979 8
(e) Milk and Milk Products— Milk— (Buffalo Milk) ..	200 ml. ..	6.65	Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
			0.16	0.50	0.50	312	312
Total ..		6.65					
Index Number sub-group I(e).						312	312
(f) Condiments and Spices—							
(1) Salt— White ..	Kg. ..	0.35	0.11	0.35	0.36	318	327
(2) Turmeric— Whole ..	250 gms. ..	0.31	0.34	2.54	2.00	747	588
(3) Chillies (dry)— Superior quality ..	½ kg. ..	4.62	0.90	4.97	5.38	552	620
(4) Tamarind ..	" ..	0.45	0.49	3.00	3.00	612	612
(5) Mixed spices— Bojwar ..	250 gms. ..	1.80	0.42	2.50	2.50	595	595
(6) Jira— Thick Blackish (gray) ..	" ..	0.30	0.69	4.50	4.66	652	675
Total ..		7.83					
Index Number sub-group I(f).						567	602
(g) Vegetables and Vegetable Products—							
(1) Potatoes— Medium ..	½ kg. ..	1.35	0.30	0.76	0.74	253	247
(2) Onions— Red ..	Kg. ..	1.06	0.25	1.48	1.56	592	624
(3) Brinjals— Medium ..	½ kg. ..	0.48	0.24	0.91	0.85	379	354
(4) Tomatoes— (i) Red ..	" ..	0.64	0.28	1.90	1.08	756	390
(2) Green ..	" ..	.....	0.18	1.50	0.71	.....	.....
(5) Garlic— Medium ..	50 gms. ..	0.68	0.06	0.20	0.20	333	333
Other Vegetables— Varieties available in the month of Aug. 1979—							
(i) Bhendi ..	½ kg. ..	1.80	0.27	0.75	.....	373	.....
(ii) Gaurar ..	" ..	.....	0.16	0.75	.....	.....	.....
Varieties available in the month of Sept. 1979—							
(i) Dodka ..	½ kg.	0.18	0.75	419
(ii) Gaurar ..	"	0.14	0.59
Total ..		6.01					
Index Number sub-group I(g).						422	399

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 INDEX PRICE INDEX NUMBERS FOR WORKING CLASS I
 AIR-RAILROAD CENTRE—coal

	Price per unit of quantity	Index
		100

CASHIER PRICE INDEX NUMBERS FOR 1979 AURANGABAD CENTRE—contd.							
S.No.	Name of Commodity	Unit of Quantity	Weight Proportional to total requirement	Price per unit of quantity			Index
				Basic Price	Aug. 1979	Sept. 1979	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
1	1-14	0-32	1-55	1-58	
2	1-14				
3	3-43	1-17	2-87	3-02	
4	1-11	0-46	2-54	2-83	
5	5-28				
6	1-16	0-41	0-58	1-02	
7	4-21	0-38	0-30	0-23	
8	6-16				
9	48-20			
10	7-16			
11	5-97			
12	4-94			
13	6-65			
14	7-13			
15	6-01			
16	1-14			
17	5-26			
18	6-14			
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Additional Deduction	Group Index Number	
	August 1979	September 1979
72	428	425
50	405	457
87	272	272
29	363	355
62	295	294
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	388	390

of the index will be found on
August 1943 to July 1944=100,
multiplied by the linking factor

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

Articles	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Basic Price	Aug. 1979	Sept. 1979	Aug. 1979	Sept. 1979
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
I. Food Group—			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
(a) Cereals and Cereal Products—							
(1) Rice ..	Kg. ..	5.40	0.69	2.37	2.38	343	345
(2) Wheat ..	" ..	10.12	0.42	1.70	1.66	405	395
(3) Jowar ..	" ..	30.33	0.38	1.46	1.40	384	368
(4) Grinding charges for cereals ..	" ..	2.35	0.02	0.10	0.10	500	500
Total ..		48.20					
Index Number sub-group I(a)						390	378
(b) Pulses and Pulse Products—							
(1) Turdal, without husk ..	Kg. ..	3.96	0.70	5.46	5.44	780	777
(2) Gramdal, Katori ..	" ..	2.05	0.60	2.99	2.93	498	488
(3) Moongdal, without husk ..	" ..	1.11	0.71	5.50	5.34	775	752
(4) Masurdal Thick grain ..	" ..	0.74	0.64	3.97	3.97	620	620
Total ..		7.86					
Index Number sub-group I(b)						691	684
(c) Oils and Fats—							
(1) Groundnut oil Whilish ..	½ Ltr. ..	2.00	1.07	5.12	5.55	478	519
(2) Karad Oil ..	" ..	3.49	1.11	5.13	5.60	462	505
(3) Vanaspathi Dalda ..	½ Kg. (loose) ..	0.48	1.58	5.90	6.31	373	399
Total ..		5.97					
Index Number sub-group I(c)						460	501
(d) Mutton Fish and Eggs—							
(1) Mutton, Goat meat ..	½ Kg. ..	4.70	1.26	5.88	5.85	467	464
(2) Fish (dry)—							
(a) Bombil ..	Kg. ..	0.24	2.90	10.00	10.00	317	318
(b) Zinga ..	" ..	.....	2.13	6.17	6.20		
(c) Nathmi ..	" ..	.....	1.93	.....	.....
Total ..		4.94					
Index Number sub-group I(d)						459	457

AURANGABAD*

390—A rise of 2 Points

In September 1979, the Consumer Price Index Number for Working Class (New Series) for the Aurangabad Centre with base year January to December 1961 equal to 100 was 390 being 2 Points higher than that in the preceeding month. The index relates to the standard of life ascertained during the year 1958-59 family living survey at Aurangabad Centre.

The index number for the food group decreased by 3 points to 425 due to a rise in the average prices of wheat, jowar, pulses, mutton, turmeric, vegetables, banana and prepared tea.

The index number for the fuel and light group increased by 52 points to 457 due to a rise in the average prices of firewood and kerosene.

The index number for housing remained steady at 272 being the six monthly item.

The index number for the clothing and footwear group decreased by 8 points to 355 due to a fall in the prices of coloured fabric.

The index number for the miscellaneous group decreased by 1 point to 294 due to a fall in the average prices of pan leaf, sunlight soap and patent medicine.

CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBERS FOR WORKING CLASS
FOR AURANGABAD CENTRE

(Average prices for the calendar year 1961=100)

Groups	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Group Index Number	
		August 1979	September 1979
I. Food	60.72	428	425
II. Fuel and Light	7.50	405	457
III. Housing	8.87	272	272
IV. Clothing and Footwear	9.29	363	355
V. Miscellaneous	13.62	295	294
Total	100.00		
Consumer Price Index Number .. .. .	....	388	390

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

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

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CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBERS F
AURANGABAD CENTRE

Article	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Basic Price
1	2	3	4
Food Group			
Wheat and Cereals	Kg.	5.40	0.6
Pulses	"	10.12	0.4
Mutton	"	30.33	0.3
Vegetables	"	2.35	0.6
Banana	"		
Prepared tea	"		
Total ..		48.20	
Fuel and Light Group			
Firewood	Kg.	3.96	0
Kerosene	"	2.05	0
Patent medicine	"	1.11	0
Total ..		7.86	
Housing Group			
Household fuel	Ltr.	2.00	
Household electricity	Kw. (Dose)	3.49	
Household gas	"	0.48	
Total ..		5.97	
Clothing and Footwear Group			
Woolen cloth	Kg.	4.70	
Cotton cloth	"	0.24	
Shoes	"		
Total ..		4.94	
Miscellaneous Group			
Pan leaf	"		
Soap	"		
Patent medicine	"		
Total ..			

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Rs. per unit of quantity		Index Number	
Aug. 1979	Sept. 1979	Aug. 1979	Sept. 1979
5	6	7	8
Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
10.00	10.00	333	333
2.00	2.00	267	267
0.70	0.70	101	101
		229	229
5.10	5.10	372	372
1.50	1.50	300	300
1.37	1.46	298	317
2.42	2.41	278	277
2.50	2.50	333	333
115.36	115.36	177	177
5.51	5.51	551	551
		310	310
7.00	7.00	127	127
2.50	2.50	125	125
0.98	0.98	408	408
0.21	0.21	175	175
1.27	1.49	302	355
		229	258

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

Articles	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Basic price	Aug. 1979	Sept. 1979	Aug. 1979	Sept. 1979
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
(d) Transport and Communication—			Ra. P.	Ra. P.	Ra. P.		
(1) Railway fare of 80km.	Per Passenger.	45.49	1.61	3.45	3.45	214	214
(2) Bus fare ..	Per Adult	29.19	0.15	0.30	0.30	200	200
(3) Post card ..	Each ..	3.86	0.05	0.15	0.15	300	300
(4) Rickshaw charges ..	Per Adult	21.46	0.37	1.53	1.50	405	405
Total ..		100.00					
Sub-group V(d) Index						254	254
(e) Others—							
(1) Cot ..	Each ..	5.94	5.50	25.00	25.00	455	455
(2) Trunk/Box ..	"	2.05	5.01	42.02	42.02	839	839
(3) Earthenware ..	"	2.05	0.30	3.00	3.00	1000	1000
(4) Utensil Aluminium Kg.		4.79	8.50	30.00	29.33	353	345
(5) Utensil Brass ..	"	11.42	7.71	34.00	33.67	441	437
(6) Laundry charges ..	Per piece ..	9.59	0.12	0.32	0.32	267	267
(7) Washing Soap ..	Bar ..	33.11	1.30	4.21	4.64	324	357
(8) Tailoring Charges { Shirt	Each ..	31.05	0.88	4.00	4.00	394	394
{ Blouse	"	....	0.75	2.50	2.50		
Total ..		100.00					
Sub-group V(e) Index						387	397
Miscellaneous—							
(a) Medical care ..		28.00	..	..	..	229	229
(b) Personal care and effects		18.30	..	..	..	310	313
(c) Education, Recreation and amusements.		19.55	..	..	..	229	258
(d) Transport and Communication.		12.25	..	..	..	254	254
(e) Others		21.90	..	..	..	387	397
Total ..		100.00					
Miscellaneous Group Index						282	290

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

Articles	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Basic Price	Aug. 1979	Sept. 1979	Aug. 1979	Sept. 1979
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
4. Miscellaneous—							
(a) Medical care—							
(1) Doctor's fee ..	Per visit ..	22.98	3.00	10.00	10.00	333	333
(2) Medicine ..	Ptial of 3 doses ..	45.06	0.75	2.00	2.00	267	267
(3) E. S. I. Premium ..	....	31.96	0.69	0.70	0.70	101	101
Total ..		100.00					
Sub-group V(a) Index ..						229	229
(b) Personal care and effects—							
(1) Hair oil ..	Bottle of 114 ml. ..	24.01	1.37	5.10	5.10	372	372
(2) Barber charges ..	Per Adult ..	38.30	0.50	1.50	1.50	300	300
(3) Toilet soap ..	Per Cake ..	15.80	0.46	1.37	1.46	298	317
(4) Tooth powder (Medium size) ..	Bottle ..	2.74	0.87	2.42	2.41	278	277
(5) Ornaments (glass) ..	Doses ..	4.25	0.75	2.50	2.50	333	333
(6) Watch ..	Each ..	12.16	65.00	115.36	115.36	177	177
(7) Face powder (Small) ..	Tin ..	2.74	1.00	5.51	5.51	551	551
Total ..		100.00					
Sub-group V(b) Index ..						310	313
(c) Education, Recreation and Amusements—							
(1) School fee ..	Per student ..	23.53	5.50	7.00	7.00	127	127
(2) School Book ..	Each ..	17.63	2.00	2.50	2.50	125	125
(3) Toy ..	..	1.02	0.24	0.98	0.98	408	408
(4) Stationery (Ex. book) ..	Mech. (40 pages) ..	1.79	0.12	0.21	0.21	175	175
(5) Cinema ..	Per Adult ..	56.01	0.42	1.27	1.49	302	355
Total ..		100.00					
Sub-group V(c) Index ..						229	258

Article	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Basic price	Price per unit
1	2	3	4	5
			Rs. P.	Rs.
5. Transport and Communication—				
(1) Motor vehicle (Petrol) ..	Per litre ..	45.40	1.61	1.61
(2) Motor vehicle (Diesel) ..	Per litre ..	28.19	0.15	0.15
(3) Bus ..	Each ..	3.16	0.05	0.05
(4) Railway charges ..	Per Adult ..	21.46	0.37	0.37
Total ..		100.00		
Sub-group VI(a) Index ..				
(1) ..	Each ..	5.94	5.50	5.50
(2) ..	..	2.05	5.01	5.01
(3) ..	..	2.05	0.30	0.30
(4) ..	..	4.79	1.50	1.50
(5) ..	Per piece ..	11.42	7.71	7.71
(6) ..	Per ..	9.59	0.12	0.12
(7) ..	Each ..	33.11	1.30	1.30
(8) ..	..	31.05	0.14	0.14
Total ..		100.00		
Sub-group VI(b) Index ..				
(1)	21.00
(2)	11.30
(3)	15.55
(4)	12.25
(5)	21.90
Total ..		100.00		
Sub-group VI(c) Index ..				

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Price per unit of quantity		Index Number	
Aug. 1979	Sept. 1979	Aug. 1979	Sept. 1979
5	6	7	8
Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
0.44	0.45	338	346
10.31	10.25	333	329
9.00	9.38	312	326
1.50	1.50	356	356
3.94	3.99	372	376
4.25	4.12	366	353
13.00	13.00	439	439
16.88	17.00	484	487
		404	411
..	1.42	..	364
..	1.53	..	373
..	1.46	..	442
..	1.15	..	192
..	2.18	..	484
..	1.50	..	484
..	1.12	..	295
..	2.10	..	636
3.05	3.11	250	255
2.70	2.97	375	412
0.50	0.50	263	263
8.00	8.00	374	374
7.88	7.88	489	489
0.40	0.40	667	667
		392	395
		310	317
		623	623
		542	552
		417	431
		290	290
		404	411
		340	368
		392	395
		372	380

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

Articles	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Basic Price	Aug. 1979	Sept. 1979	Aug. 1979	Sept. 1979
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
I-B. Pan, Supari, Tobacco, etc.							
(1) Pan-leaf ..	100 leaves..	14.85	0.29	1.03	1.00	355	345
(2) Pan (ready-made) ..	Each ..	13.61	0.03	0.15	0.15	500	500
(3) Supari ..	kg. ..	26.60	6.71	14.88	15.48	222	231
(4) Katha ..	" ..	5.36	8.57	48.62	49.12	567	573
(5) Bidi ..	Katta of 25 ..	21.44	0.16	0.56	0.56	350	350
(6) Cigarettes ..	Pkt. of 10 ..	8.04	0.15	0.89	0.89	593	593
(7) Chewing and leaf tobacco.	kg. ..	10.10	5.00	8.25	8.25	165	165
Total ..		100.00					
I-B. Group Index ..						350	351
II. Fuel and Light—							
(1) Fire-wood ..	40 kg. ..	69.55	2.38	8.83	9.37	371	394
(2) Coke ..	" ..	5.90	2.88	16.80	20.00	583	694
(3) Kerosene Oil ..	Litre ..	14.13	0.34	1.56	1.73	459	509
(4) Electricity Charges ..	Unit ..	2.74	0.29	0.36	0.36	124	124
(5) Coal ..	40 kg. ..	2.61	6.38	28.11	28.50	441	447
(6) Match box ..	Each (50 sticks) ..	5.07	0.03	0.15	0.15	300	300
Total ..		100.00					
Group II Index for Fuel and Light.						387	417
III. Housing—Residential House ..	....	100.00	....	....	....	193	193
Total ..		100.00					
Group III Index for Housing.						193	193
IV. Clothing, Bedding and Footwear—							
(1) Dhoti Emp. Mill ..	Pair ..	9.87	12.10	53.60	55.15	440	445
(2) Dhoti Model Mill ..	" ..	..	10.68	46.67	46.46	..	..
(3) Sarca ..	Each ..	36.48	8.09	29.50	30.04	365	371
(4) Shirting, Emp. Mill ..	M. ..	18.35	1.21	5.12	5.26	442	445
(5) Shirting, Model Mill ..	" ..	..	1.05	4.83	4.79	..	..
(6) Trouser cloth ..	" ..	3.34	1.43	7.83	7.90	548	552
(7) Long cloth ..	" ..	3.06	1.14	6.38	6.67	580	585
(8) Markin Emp. Mill ..	" ..	13.06	1.04	6.12	6.49	506	529
(9) Markin Model Mill ..	" ..	..	1.09	4.62	4.72	..	..
(10) Pajama ..	Each ..	1.60	4.25	11.62	12.00	273	282
(11) Ganji ..	" ..	1.25	1.23	3.50	3.62	285	284
(12) Shirt ..	" ..	1.60	3.75	12.00	12.50	320	333
(13) Bed Sheet ..	Pair ..	2.01	8.50	28.96	29.29	341	345
(14) Shoes (gents) ..	" ..	4.17	16.00	59.15	67.95	370	425
(15) Chappal (gents) ..	" ..	4.17	4.96	19.02	27.08	383	546
(16) Sandal (ladies) ..	" ..	1.04	6.40	18.88	15.70	295	245
Total ..		100.00					
Index Number for Group IV.						413	430

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Articles	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Basic Price	Aug. 1979	Sept. 1979	Aug. 1979	Sept. 1979
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
(f) Condiments and Spices—							
(1) Salt ..	Kg.	5.59	0.13	0.44	0.45	338	346
(2) Turmeric ..	"	7.69	1.63	10.31	10.25	633	629
(3) Chillies (dry) ..	"	49.63	2.88	9.00	9.38	312	326
(4) Onion ..	"	18.63	0.27	1.50	1.50	356	356
(5) Garlic ..	"	6.53	1.06	3.94	3.99	372	376
(6) Coriander ..	"	2.33	1.16	4.25	4.12	366	353
(7) Ginger ..	"	3.50	2.96	13.00	13.00	439	439
(8) Zeera ..	"	6.06	3.49	16.88	17.00	484	487
Total ..		100.00					
Sub-group I-A(f) Index ..						404	411
(g) Vegetables and fruits—							
Potatoes ..	Kg.	45.08	0.39	..	1.42	..	364
Brinjals ..	"	26.94	0.41	..	1.53	..	373
Cauli flower ..	"	2.59	0.33	..	1.46	..	442
Lady's Fingers ..	Kg.	4.66	0.60	..	1.15	..	192
Tomato ..	"	12.96	0.45	..	2.18	..	484
Palak ..	"	5.18	0.31	..	1.50	..	484
Caulisag ..	"	0.52	0.38	..	1.12	..	295
Methisag ..	"	2.07	0.33	..	2.10	..	636
Total ..		100.00					
Index Number Sub-group I (g).						340	388
(h) Other Food—							
(1) Sugar ..	kg.	44.71	1.22	3.05	3.11	250	255
(2) Gur ..	"	2.40	0.72	2.70	2.97	375	412
(3) Tea (leaf) ..	Pkt. of 50g.	13.25	0.19	0.50	0.50	263	263
(4) Bhaol ..	kg.	8.46	2.14	8.00	8.00	374	374
(5) Jalebi ..	"	1.97	1.61	7.88	7.88	489	489
(6) Tea (ready made) ..	Cup	29.20	0.06	0.40	0.40	667	667
Total ..		100.00				392	395
Sub-group I-A(h) Index ..							
I-A Food—							
(a) Cereals and Cereal Products ..		49.53	..	..	..	310	317
(b) Pulses and Pulse Products ..		8.83	..	..	..	623	623
(c) Oils and Fats ..		6.05	..	..	..	542	552
(d) Meat, Fish and Eggs ..		5.00	..	..	..	417	431
(e) Milk and Milk Products ..		7.51	..	..	..	290	290
(f) Condiments and Spices ..		6.95	..	..	..	404	411
(g) Vegetables and Fruits ..		6.67	340	388
(h) Other Food ..		9.46	392	395
Total ..		100.00					
I-A Food Group Index ..						372	380

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Index	Date	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index
			Basic Price	Aug. 1979	Sept. 1979	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.	
100	10/10	100	0.39	1.43	1.40	153
101	11/10	100	0.45	1.43	1.43	153
102	12/10	100	0.71	1.43	1.43	153
103	13/10	100	1.37	4.42	0.11	153
104	14/10	100	0.16	0.16	0.16	153
105	15/10	100	0.13	0.13	0.13	153
106	16/10	100	0.25	0.25	0.25	153
107	17/10	100	0.30	0.30	0.30	153
108	18/10	100	0.30	0.30	0.30	153
109	19/10	100	0.30	0.30	0.30	153
110	20/10	100	0.30	0.30	0.30	153
111	21/10	100	0.30	0.30	0.30	153
112	22/10	100	0.30	0.30	0.30	153
113	23/10	100	0.30	0.30	0.30	153
114	24/10	100	0.30	0.30	0.30	153
115	25/10	100	0.30	0.30	0.30	153
116	26/10	100	0.30	0.30	0.30	153
117	27/10	100	0.30	0.30	0.30	153
118	28/10	100	0.30	0.30	0.30	153
119	29/10	100	0.30	0.30	0.30	153
120	30/10	100	0.30	0.30	0.30	153
121	31/10	100	0.30	0.30	0.30	153
122	1/11	100	0.30	0.30	0.30	153
123	2/11	100	0.30	0.30	0.30	153
124	3/11	100	0.30	0.30	0.30	153
125	4/11	100	0.30	0.30	0.30	153
126	5/11	100	0.30	0.30	0.30	153
127	6/11	100	0.30	0.30	0.30	153
128	7/11	100	0.30	0.30	0.30	153
129	8/11	100	0.30	0.30	0.30	153
130	9/11	100	0.30	0.30	0.30	153
131	10/11	100	0.30	0.30	0.30	153
132	11/11	100	0.30	0.30	0.30	153
133	12/11	100	0.30	0.30	0.30	153
134	13/11	100	0.30	0.30	0.30	153
135	14/11	100	0.30	0.30	0.30	153
136	15/11	100	0.30	0.30	0.30	153
137	16/11	100	0.30	0.30	0.30	153
138	17/11	100	0.30	0.30	0.30	153
139	18/11	100	0.30	0.30	0.30	153
140	19/11	100	0.30	0.30	0.30	153
141	20/11	100	0.30	0.30	0.30	153
142	21/11	100	0.30	0.30	0.30	153
143	22/11	100	0.30	0.30	0.30	153
144	23/11	100	0.30	0.30	0.30	153
145	24/11	100	0.30	0.30	0.30	153
146	25/11	100	0.30	0.30	0.30	153
147	26/11	100	0.30	0.30	0.30	153
148	27/11	100	0.30	0.30	0.30	153
149	28/11	100	0.30	0.30	0.30	153
150	29/11	100	0.30	0.30	0.30	153
151	30/11	100	0.30	0.30	0.30	153
152	1/12	100	0.30	0.30	0.30	153
153	2/12	100	0.30	0.30	0.30	153
154	3/12	100	0.30	0.30	0.30	153
155	4/12	100	0.30	0.30	0.30	153
156	5/12	100	0.30	0.30	0.30	153
157	6/12	100	0.30	0.30	0.30	153
158	7/12	100	0.30	0.30	0.30	153
159	8/12	100	0.30	0.30	0.30	153
160	9/12	100	0.30	0.30	0.30	153
161	10/12	100	0.30	0.30	0.30	153
162	11/12	100	0.30	0.30	0.30	153
163	12/12	100	0.30	0.30	0.30	153
164	13/12	100	0.30	0.30	0.30	153
165	14/12	100	0.30	0.30	0.30	153
166	15/12	100	0.30	0.30	0.30	153
167	16/12	100	0.30	0.30	0.30	153
168	17/12	100	0.30	0.30	0.30	153
169	18/12	100	0.30	0.30	0.30	153
170	19/12	100	0.30	0.30	0.30	153
171	20/12	100	0.30	0.30	0.30	153
172	21/12	100	0.30	0.30	0.30	153
173	22/12	100	0.30	0.30	0.30	153
174	23/12	100	0.30	0.30	0.30	153
175	24/12	100	0.30	0.30	0.30	153
176	25/12	100	0.30	0.30	0.30	153
177	26/12	100	0.30	0.30	0.30	153
178	27/12	100	0.30	0.30	0.30	153
179	28/12	100	0.30	0.30	0.30	153
180	29/12	100	0.30	0.30	0.30	153
181	30/12	100	0.30	0.30	0.30	153
182	31/12	100	0.30	0.30	0.30	153

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Index Number for Working Class January to December 1979. It is noted that in the preceding month the index number was 380 due to the increase in the prices of war gingelli oil, groundnut oil, chillies, ginger, vegetables, sugar, tobacco etc. group increased by 8 points to 380 due to the increase in the prices of supari and katha.

The index number for the month of November 1979 was 350, an increase of 30 points from the index number of 193 in the preceding month. The index number for the month of October 1979 was 193 being six months steady at 193.

The index number for the month of November 1979 was 350, an increase of 30 points from the index number of 193 in the preceding month. The index number for the month of October 1979 was 193 being six months steady at 193.

The index number for the month of November 1979 was 350, an increase of 30 points from the index number of 193 in the preceding month. The index number for the month of October 1979 was 193 being six months steady at 193.

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Articles	Unit of Quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Basic Price	Aug. 1979	Sept. 1979	Aug. 1979	Sept. 1979
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
I-A. Food—			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
(a) Cereals and Cereal Products—							
(1) Rice ..	kg.	53.60	0.64	1.76	1.80	275	281
(2) Wheat (O.S.) ..	..	35.69	0.41	1.47	1.51	359	368
(3) Jowar ..	..	8.72	0.41	1.30	1.32	317	322
(4) Grinding charges ..	3 kg.	1.99	0.08	0.28	0.27	350	338
Total ..		100.00					
Sub-group I-A(a) Index ..						310	317
(b) Pulses and Pulse Products—							
(1) Arhar dal ..	kg.	68.17	0.71	4.54	4.52	639	637
(2) Gram dal ..	..	28.12	0.52	2.89	2.96	356	369
(3) Moong dal ..	..	3.71	0.55	4.56	4.27	829	776
Total ..		100.00					
Sub-group I-A(b) Index ..						623	623
(c) Oils and fats—							
(1) Gingelli Oil ..	kg.	4.84	2.75	10.97	11.86	399	431
(2) Groundnut Oil ..	..	7.91	1.92	11.39	12.07	593	629
(3) Vanaspathi (loose) ..	500 g.	9.67	1.79	5.88	6.12	328	342
(4) Linseed Oil ..	kg.	77.58	1.54	8.81	8.89	572	577
Total ..		100.00					
Sub-group I-A(c) Index ..						542	552
(d) Meat, Fish and Eggs							
(1) Goat-meat ..	kg.	90.16	2.68	11.50	11.90	429	444
(2) Fish (fresh) ..	..	5.32	3.22	10.19	10.00	343	342
(i) Rahu ..	..	..	3.22	11.88	12.00	..	..
(ii) Mangur ..	..	..	3.22	..	..	..	..
(3) Eggs ..	dozen	4.52	2.06	5.40	5.49	262	266
Total ..		100.00					
Sub-group I-A(d) Index ..						417	431
(e) Milk and Milk Products—							
(1) Milk ..	L	71.96	0.80	2.29	2.29	286	286
(2) Curd ..	kg.	3.57	2.14	5.00	5.00	234	234
(3) Ghee	24.47	8.85	27.33	27.53	309	311
Total ..		100.00					
Sub-group Index I-A(e) ..						290	290

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

360—A rise of 10 Points

In September, 1979 the Consumer Price Index Number for Working Class (New series) for the Nagpur Centre with base January to December 1960 equal to 100 was 360 being 10 Points higher than that in the preceeding month. The index relates to the Standard of Life ascertained during the year 1958-59 Family Living Survey at Nagpur City.

The index number for the food group increased by 8 points to 380 due to a rise in the average prices of rice, wheat, jowar, gingelli oil, groundnut oil, vanaspati, linseed oil, goat meat, eggs, dry chillies, ginger, vegetables, sugar and gur.

The index number for the the pan supari tobacco etc. group increased by 1 point to 351 due to a rise in the average prices of supari and katha.

The index number for the fuel and light group increased by 30 points to 417 due to a rise in the average prices of firewood, coke coal, and kerosene.

The index number for the housing remained steady at 193 being six monthly item.

The index number for the clothing bedding and footwear group increased by 17 points to 430 due to a rise in the average prices of saree, markin, shoes and chappal.

The index number for the miscellaneous group increased by 8 points to 290 due to a rise in the average prices of toilet soap, cinema and washing soap.

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

(Average prices for the calendar year 1960=100)

Groups	Weights proportional to total expenditure	Group Index Numbers	
		Aug. 1979	Sept. 1979
I-A. Food	57.2	372	380
I-B. Pan, Supari, Tobacco, etc.	3.8	350	351
II. Fuel and Light	5.7	387	417
III. Housing	6.6	193	193
IV. Clothing, Bedding and Footwear	10.9	413	430
V. Miscellaneous	15.8	282	290
Total	100.0	350	360
Consumer Price Index Number		350	360

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

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

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

Article	Unit of Quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity		
			Base Price	Aug. 1979	Sept. 1979
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.
1. Rice	kg.	100.00	0.64	1.75	1.83
2. Wheat	kg.	100.00	0.41	1.47	1.51
3. Jowar	kg.	100.00	0.41	1.30	1.32
4. Gingelli oil	kg.	100.00	0.08	0.28	0.27
5. Groundnut oil	kg.	100.00	0.71	4.54	4.53
6. Vanaspati	kg.	100.00	0.35	2.19	2.96
7. Linseed oil	kg.	100.00	0.35	4.56	4.27
8. Goat meat	kg.	100.00	4.14	2.73	10.97
9. Eggs	doz.	100.00	9.47	1.92	11.39
10. Dry chillies	kg.	100.00	77.31	1.78	5.88
11. Ginger	kg.	100.00	1.54	8.41	8.41
12. Vegetables	kg.	100.00	90.16	2.48	11.50
13. Sugar	kg.	100.00	3.32	3.22	10.19
14. Gur	kg.	100.00	4.32	3.22	11.88
15. Total			100.00	2.86	9.46
16. Pan, Supari, Tobacco, etc.			71.96	0.40	2.14
17. Fuel and Light			3.57	2.14	8.45
18. Housing			24.47	100.00	100.00
19. Clothing, Bedding and Footwear			100.00	100.00	100.00
20. Miscellaneous			100.00	100.00	100.00
21. Total			100.00	100.00	100.00

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(NEW SERIES) FOR WORKING CLASS
CENTRE—contd.

Price per unit of quantity		Index Number	
Aug 1979	Sept 1979	Aug 1979	Sept 1979
5	6	7	8
Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
42.19	42.19	391	391
41.49	41.49	391	391
39.34	39.34	391	391
10.33	10.38	303	304
6.88	6.95	495	500
5.67	5.71	370	370
5.77	5.74	370	370
6.16	6.21	481	485
6.46	6.65	439	452
15.70	15.70	245	245
59.95	59.95	375	375
401	401	401	401
163	163	163	163
117	117	117	117
100	100	100	100
233	233	233	233
361	361	361	361
214	214	214	214

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

Articles	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Basic Price	Aug 1979	Sept 1979	Aug 1979	Sept 1979
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.					
(c) Transport Communication—							
(1) Railway fare (from Solapur to Pune)	Per Passenger	67.41	5.22	9.70	9.70	186	186
(2) Bus fare	Per Adult	32.59	0.15	0.31	0.31	207	207
Total ..		100.00					
Sub-group Index V(c)						193	193
(d) Personal care and Effects—							
(1) Hair Oil	Bottle of 250 g.	39.28	2.00	9.99	9.99	500	500
(2) Barber charges	Per adult	49.11	0.62	2.00	2.00	323	323
(3) Toilet Soap	Each	8.93	0.44	1.40	1.42	318	323
(4) Ornaments (glass)	Per dozen	2.68	0.75	3.00	3.00	400	400
Total ..		100.00					
Sub-group Index V(d)						394	394
(e) Others—							
(1) Utensils (Copper)	500 g.	6.07	3.25	40.00	40.00	1231	1231
(2) Laundry Charges	Per Piece	9.64	0.11	0.42	0.42	382	382
(3) Washing Soap	Bar of 12 Pieces	44.64	1.31	4.27	4.24	324	326
(4) Tailoring Charges—							
(i) Shirt	Each	36.43	0.80	3.12	3.12	365	365
(ii) Blouse	"	"	0.70	2.38	2.38	365	365
(5) Durrie	"	3.22	3.80	14.92	13.75	362	393
Total ..		100.00					
Sub-group Index V(e)						401	403
V. Miscellaneous Group—							
(a) Medical care	..	25.86	..	..	..	163	163
(b) Education, Recreation and Amusement	..	15.92	..	..	..	214	214
(c) Transport and Communication	..	12.49	..	..	..	193	193
(d) Personal care and Effects	..	21.02	..	..	..	394	394
(e) Others	..	24.71	..	..	..	401	403
Total ..		100.00					
Group Index V						282	283

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

Articles	Unity of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Basic Price	Aug 1979	Sept 1979	Aug 1979	Sept 1979
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
IV. Clothing, Bedding and Footwear—			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
Dhoti—							
(i) Laxmi Mills	Pair	8.53	10.69	42.19	42.19	395	395
(ii) Vishnu Mills	"	"	10.47	"	41.49		
Saree	Each	29.79	10.05	39.34	39.34	391	391
Shirt	"	2.92	3.41	10.33	10.38	303	104
Long cloth	M.	7.48	1.39	6.08	6.95	495	500
Shirting—							
(i) Ahmedabad Mills	"	25.70	1.61	5.67	5.71	370	370
(ii) Century Mills	"	"	1.49	5.77	5.74		
Markin	"	17.41	1.28	6.16	6.21	481	435
Trousers cloth	"	2.57	1.47	6.46	6.65	439	452
Chappal (lady's)	Pair	4.67	6.40	15.70	15.70	245	245
Shoes (Gent's)	"	0.93	15.98	59.95	59.95	375	375
Total		100.00					
Group Index IV						401	403
V. Miscellaneous—							
(a) Medical Care—							
(1) Doctor's fee	Per Visit.	29.23	4.33	5.67	5.67	131	131
(2) Medicine	Phial of 3 doses	70.77	0.71	1.25	1.25	176	176
Total		100.00					
Sub-group Index V(a)						163	163
(b) Education, Recreation and Amusement—							
(1) School fee	Per student	33.15	6.00	7.00	7.00	117	117
(2) School Book	Each	22.65	2.50	2.50	2.50	100	100
(3) Stationery—							
(i) Exercise book	"	5.53	0.12	0.28	0.28	233	233
(ii) Pencil	"	"	0.12	0.28	0.28		
(4) Cinema	Per Adult	38.67	0.31	1.12	1.12	361	361
Total		100.00					
Sub-group Index V(b)						211	214

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INDEX PRICE FOR SOYABEANS			Price per unit of quantity	
Item	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Basic Price	Aug 1979
1	2	3	4	5
1. Soyabean (Whole)	kg			
2. Soyabean (Split)	kg			
3. Soyabean (Hull)	kg			
4. Soyabean (Meal)	kg			
5. Soyabean (Oil)	kg			
6. Soyabean (Cake)	kg			
7. Soyabean (Stalk)	kg			
8. Soyabean (Seed)	kg			
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336. Soyabean (Cake)	kg			
337. Soyabean (Stalk)	kg			
338. Soyabean (Seed)	kg			
339. Soy				

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CENTRE—contd.

Price per unit of quantity		Index Number	
Aug 1979	Sept 1979	Aug 1979	Sept 1979
5	6	7	8
Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
0.40	0.40	444	444
7.50	7.34	676	661
0.31	0.30	133	130
2.87	2.66	442	409
4.39	4.60	366	383
1.48	1.19	643	517
1.06	1.12	442	467
1.23	1.25	456	463
		450	420
		304	304
		345	345
		400	400
		328	328
		295	295
		383	383
		315	315
		222	222
		301	301
		225	225
		257	257
		434	434
		231	231
		571	571
		590	590
		310	310
		333	333

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

Articles	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Basic Price	Aug 1979	Sept 1979	Aug 1979	Sept 1979
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
I-A. Food—							
(a) Cereals and Products		48.79	..	..	..	311	323
(b) Pulses and Products		7.28	..	..	..	640	624
(c) Oils and Fats		4.99	..	..	..	585	605
(d) Meat, Fish and Eggs		6.77	..	..	..	600	635
(e) Milk and products		7.37	..	..	..	442	443
(f) Condiments and Spices		8.25	..	..	..	450	420
(g) Vegetables and Fruits		4.29	..	..	..	365	332
(h) Other Food		12.24	..	..	..	333	335
Total		100.00				394	399
Group Index I-A							
I-B. Pan, Supari, Tobacco, etc.—							
(1) Pan (leaf)	100 leaves	10.22	0.19	0.82	0.74	432	389
(2) Pan finished	Each	6.07	0.04	0.24	0.24	600	600
(3) Supari	300 g.	19.49	1.77	4.09	4.33	231	245
(4) Katha	50 g.	3.84	0.51	3.89	4.17	763	818
(5) Bidi	Pkt. of 25	37.06	0.19	0.56	0.56	295	295
(6) Cigarette	Pkt. of 10	5.43	0.15	0.94	0.94	627	627
(7) Chewing tobacco	50 g.	17.69	0.21	0.60	0.60	286	286
Total		100.00				349	350
Group Index I-B							
II. Fuel and Light—							
(1) Firewood	40 kg.	62.01	3.57	15.06	15.06	422	422
(2) Coal	..	13.81	6.99	36.67	36.67	525	534
(3) Dung cake	100 cakes	7.06	0.85	3.00	3.00	353	353
(4) Match Box	Each (50 sticks)	4.06	0.05	0.15	0.15	300	300
(5) Kerosene Oil	500 ml.	13.06	0.15	0.74	0.79	493	527
Total		100.00				436	441
Group Index II							
III. Housing—							
(1) House rent	P.M.	100.00				207	207
Total		100.00				207	207
Group Index III						207	207

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

Articles	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Basic Price	Aug 1979	Sept 1979	Aug 1979	Sept 1979
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
(f) Condiments and spices			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
(1) Salt ..	kg.	4.71	0.09	0.40	0.40	444	444
(2) Turmeric ..	"	3.40	1.11	7.50	7.34	676	661
(3) Chillies (green) ..	300 gm.	4.98	0.23	0.31	0.30	135	130
(4) Chillies (dry) ..	"	59.43	0.65	2.87	2.66	442	409
(5) Tamarind ..	kg.	7.49	1.20	4.39	4.60	366	383
(6) Onions ..	"	10.73	0.21	1.48	1.19	643	517
(7) Garlic ..	300 gm.	7.85	0.24	1.06	1.12	442	467
(8) Coconut ..	Each	1.31	0.27	1.23	1.25	456	463
Total ..		100.00					
Sub-group Index I-A (f)						450	420
(g) Vegetable and fruits—Products:—							
Potatoes ..	kg.	12.66	0.46			1.40	304
Brinjal ..	300 gm.	15.61	0.11			0.60	545
Muli ..	"	0.85	0.09			0.36	400
Tomato ..	"	13.92	0.25			0.82	328
Lady's Finger ..	"	0.85	0.21			0.62	295
Methi ..	200 gm.	6.33	0.12			0.46	383
Dodka ..	300 gm.	13.39	0.13			0.41	315
Ambadi ..	200 gm.	26.56	0.09			0.20	222
Banana ..	Doren	11.39	0.51			1.54	302
Lemon ..	"	0.42	0.28			2.25	804
Total ..		100.00					
Index Number for sub-group I-A (g)						365	332
(h) Other food—							
(1) Sugar (Crystal) ..	kg.	47.53	1.16	2.96	2.98	255	257
(2) Gur ..	"	7.97	0.64	2.69	2.78	420	434
(3) Tea (leaf) ..	Pkt. of 50 g.	21.56	0.39	0.90	0.90	231	231
(4) Tea (readymade) ..	Cup	20.74	0.07	0.40	0.40	571	571
(5) Snack saltish (Bhajia) ..	kg.	1.10	1.60	9.44	9.62	590	601
(6) Snack sweet (Jalebi) ..	"	1.10	2.17	6.72	7.20	310	332
Total ..		100.00					
Sub-group Index I-A (h)						333	325

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Articles	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Basic Price	Aug 1979	Sept 1979	Aug 1979	Sept 1979
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
(f) Condiments and spices			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
(1) Salt ..	kg.	4.71	0.09	0.40	0.40	444	444
(2) Turmeric ..	"	3.40	1.11	7.50	7.34	676	661
(3) Chillies (green) ..	300 gm.	4.98	0.23	0.31	0.30	135	130
(4) Chillies (dry) ..	"	59.43	0.65	2.87	2.66	442	409
(5) Tamarind ..	kg.	7.49	1.20	4.39	4.60	366	383
(6) Onions ..	"	10.73	0.21	1.48	1.19	643	517
(7) Garlic ..	300 gm.	7.85	0.24	1.06	1.12	442	467
(8) Coconut ..	Each	1.31	0.27	1.23	1.25	456	463
Total ..		100.00					
Sub-group Index I-A (f)						450	420
(g) Vegetable and fruits—Products:—							
Potatoes ..	kg.	12.66	0.46			1.40	304
Brinjal ..	300 gm.	15.61	0.11			0.60	545
Muli ..	"	0.85	0.09			0.36	400
Tomato ..	"	13.92	0.25			0.82	328
Lady's Finger ..	"	0.85	0.21			0.62	295
Methi ..	200 gm.	6.33	0.12			0.46	383
Dodka ..	300 gm.	13.39	0.13			0.41	315
Ambadi ..	200 gm.	26.56	0.09			0.20	222
Banana ..	Doren	11.39	0.51			1.54	302
Lemon ..	"	0.42	0.28			2.25	804
Total ..		100.00					
Index Number for sub-group I-A (g)						365	332
(h) Other food—							
(1) Sugar (Crystal) ..	kg.	47.53	1.16	2.96	2.98	255	257
(2) Gur ..	"	7.97	0.64	2.69	2.78	420	434
(3) Tea (leaf) ..	Pkt. of 50 g.	21.56	0.39	0.90	0.90	231	231
(4) Tea (readymade) ..	Cup	20.74	0.07	0.40	0.40	571	571
(5) Snack saltish (Bhajia) ..	kg.	1.10	1.60	9.44	9.62	590	601
(6) Snack sweet (Jalebi) ..	"	1.10	2.17	6.72	7.20	310	332
Total ..		100.00					
Sub-group Index I-A (h)						333	325

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Price Index Number for Working Class with base January to December 1966 higher than that in the preceding month as ascertained during the year 1979.

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light group increased by 5 points of coal and kerosene oil.

remained steady at 207 being

adding and footwear rop up increase average prices of long cloth and trousers

s-group increased by 1 Point to 281 hing soap, and durrie.

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Weight proportional to the total expenditure	Group Index Numbers	
	Aug 1979	Sept 1979
63.0	394	399
3.4	349	350
7.1	436	441
5.2	207	207
9.0	407	403
12.3	282	283
100.0	373	376

dex may be seen on pages 607 to 612 of Decemary 1966 issue.

1927-28=100, the new Index should be

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

Articles	Unit of Quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure.	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Basic Price	Aug 1979	Sept 1979	Aug 1979	Sept 1979
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
I-A. Food—							
(a) Cereals and Products—							
(1) Rice	kg.	26.98	0.55	1.64	1.67	298	304
(2) Wheat	"	13.53	0.41	1.45	1.45	354	354
(3) Jowar	"	56.97	0.46	1.35	1.44	293	313
(4) Grinding Charges	3 kg.	2.52	0.05	0.30	0.30	600	600
Total		100.00					
Sub-group Index I-A(a)						311	323
(b) Pulses and Products—							
(1) Arhar dal	kg.	76.17	0.75	5.11	4.91	681	655
(2) Gram dal	"	18.22	0.56	2.93	3.12	532	557
(3) Masur dal	"	5.61	0.73	3.16	3.12	433	427
Total		100.00					
Sub-group Index I-A(b)						640	624
(c) Oils and Fats—							
(1) Groundnut oil	kg.	98.91	1.94	11.40	11.79	588	608
(2) Vanaspathi (loose)	500 g.	1.09	1.86	6.77	7.13	364	383
Total		100.00					
Sub-group Index I-A(c)						585	605
(d) Meat, Fish and Eggs—							
(1) Goat meat	kg.	72.32	2.45	12.25	13.00	500	531
(2) Beef	"	23.69	0.66	6.25	6.60	947	1000
(3) Fish (fresh) Rahu	"	1.50	1.46	6.25	6.75	428	462
(4) Fish (dry) Zinga	"	2.49	2.14	6.36	6.31	297	295
Total		100.00					
Sub-group Index I-A(d)						600	635
(e) Milk and Milk Products—							
(1) Milk	L	89.79	0.67	3.00	3.00	448	448
(2) Ghee	kg.	10.21	6.19	24.50	25.00	396	404
Total		100.00					
Sub-group Index I-A(e)						442	443

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376, A rise of 3 Points

In September, 1979, the Consumer Price Index Number for Working Class (New Series) for the Solapur Centre with base January to December 1960 equal to 100 was 376 being 3 Points higher than that in the preceding month. The index relates to the Standard of Life ascertained during the year 1958-59 Family Living Survey at Solapur City.

The index number for the Food group increased by 5 points to 399 due to a rise in the average Price of rice, jowar, groundnut oil, vanaspati, goat meat, and beef.

The index number for the pan supari tobacco etc. group increased by 1 point to 350 due to a rise in the average price of supari.

The index number for the fuel and light group increased by 5 points to 441 due to a rise in the average prices of coal and kerosene oil.

The index number for the housing remained steady at 207 being six monthly item.

The index number for the clothing bedding and footwear ropup increased by 2 points to 403 due to a rise in the average prices of long cloth and trouser cloth.

The index number for the miscellaneous group increased by 1 Point to 283 due to a rise in the average prices of washing soap, and durrie.

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

(Average prices for the calendar year 1960=100)

Groups	Weight proportional to the total expenditure	Group Index Numbers	
		Aug 1979	Sept 1979
I-A. Food	63.0	394	399
I-B. Pan, Supari, Tobacco, etc.	3.4	349	350
II. Fuel and Light	7.1	436	441
III. Housing	5.2	207	207
IV. Clothing, Bedding and Footwear	9.0	401	403
V. Miscellaneous	12.3	282	283
Total	100.0	373	376
Consumer Price Index Number		373	376

*Details regarding the scope and method of compilation of the index may be seen on pages 607 to 612 of December 1963 issue of Labour Gazette. For Errata see page 897 of January 1966 issue.

Note.—For arriving at the equivalent of the old index number 1927-28=100, the new Index should be multiplied by the linking factor of 2.82.

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

Item	Unit	Price per unit of quantity	Aug 1979	Sept 1979
Rice	kg	1.15	1.15	1.17
Jowar	kg	0.85	0.85	0.85
Groundnut oil	kg	1.15	1.15	1.15
Vanaspati	kg	1.15	1.15	1.15
Goat meat	kg	1.15	1.15	1.15
Beef	kg	1.15	1.15	1.15
Pan	kg	1.15	1.15	1.15
Supari	kg	1.15	1.15	1.15
Tobacco	kg	1.15	1.15	1.15
Fuel	kg	1.15	1.15	1.15
Light	kg	1.15	1.15	1.15
Housing	kg	1.15	1.15	1.15
Clothing	kg	1.15	1.15	1.15
Bedding	kg	1.15	1.15	1.15
Footwear	kg	1.15	1.15	1.15
Miscellaneous	kg	1.15	1.15	1.15
Washing soap	kg	1.15	1.15	1.15
Durrie	kg	1.15	1.15	1.15

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Unit of quantity		Index Number	
Aug. 1979	Sept. 1979	Aug. 1979	Sept. 1979
5	6	7	8
A. P.	Rs. P.		
3-44	43-67	436	438
3-17	33-54	288	292
3-42	32-04	361	372
3-21	6-36	429	435
3-89	6-04	457	458
3-7	6-98	370	381
3-83	7-19	377	383
3-60	9-67	417	422
3-17	5-25	361	361
3-26	16-02	371	395
3-55	20-38	365	371
3-56	4-58		
3-92	60-55		
3-55	25-98		
3-37			
5-25	5-46	203	212
5-78	1-78	234	231
5-0	0-70	101	101
		165	161
	8-00	119	119
	2-50	101	101
	0-23	238	242
	0-33	500	500
	0-35	427	427
	2-05		
		329	329

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

Article	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Year ended December 1960	Aug. 1979	Sept. 1979	Aug. 1979	Sept. 1979
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
(c) Transport and Communications—							
(1) Railway fare for 80 Km.	Per Passenger	51-13	0-61	0-45	0-45	214	214
(2) Bus fare	Per Adult	38-60	0-15	0-15	0-15	267	267
(3) Postage	Per Card	10-27	0-05	0-15	0-15	303	303
Total		100-00				243	243
Sub-group Index V(c)							
(d) Personal Care and Effect—							
(1) Hair Oil	Bottle (114 ml.)	26-93	1-36	5-77	5-82	424	428
(2) Barber Charges	Per head	44-23	0-94	2-97	2-99	316	318
(3) Toilet Soap	Cake	14-91	0-44	1-34	1-39	305	316
(4) Tooth Powder	Small Bottle No. 3	7-21	0-50	1-19	1-19	238	238
(5) Blade	Pkt. of 5	0-96	0-27	0-56	0-56	207	207
(6) Umbrella	Each	5-77	5-35	23-86	24-00	430	432
Total		100-00				343	347
Sub-group Index V(d)							
(e) Others—							
(1) Durrie	Each	712-66	4-93	19-04	18-22	366	370
(2) Trunk		212-66	5-82	23-93	24-39	419	419
(3) Utensils (Brass)	500 g	7-99	2-84	20-66	20-29	706	714
(4) Laundry charges	Per Piece	2-16	0-96	12-11	12-09	379	408
(5) Washing Soap	Bar	35-28	1-28	4-03	4-45	340	347
(6) Tailoring charges of Shirt	Each	23-96	1-19	5-19	5-31	316	348
(7) Tailoring charges of Blouse			0-89	3-38	3-38		
Total		100-00				381	396
Sub-group V(e)							
Miscellaneous Group—							
(a) Medical Care		28-27				165	165
(b) Education, Recreation and Amusement		11-94				329	329
(c) Transport and Communication		14-81				243	243
(d) Personal Care and Effect		18-89				343	347
(e) Others		26-09				381	396
Total		100-00				286	291
Miscellaneous Group Index V							

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

Articles	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Year ended December 1960	Aug. 1979	Sept. 1979	Aug. 1979	Sept. 1979
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
III. Housing—			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.	—	—
(1) Residential House ..		100.00	...	...	...	158	158
Total ..		100.00				158	158
Group III Index ..						158	158
IV. Clothing, Bedding and Footwear :—							
(1) Dhoti Bleached ..	Pair	10.72	9.97	43.44	43.67	436	438
(2) Dhoti Unbleached ..	"	...	8.89	...	...	...	...
(3) Saree Ichalkaranji ..	Each	28.14	11.74	31.17	31.54	288	292
(4) Saree Molegaon ..	"	...	10.72	31.42	32.04	...	...
(5) Shirting Shorrock ..	Metre	24.87	1.63	6.21	6.36	361	372
(6) Shirting Masfialal ..	"	...	1.63	5.89	6.04	429	435
(7) Long Cloth ..	"	5.95	1.60	6.7	6.98	379	394
(8) Trouser Cloth ..	"	2.76	1.80	6.83	7.19	...	...
(9) Mulmul ..	"	8.54	2.23	9.60	9.67	457	458
(10) Markin ..	"	...	1.09	5.26	5.25	370	381
(11) Bush Shirt ..	Each	3.94	4.20	15.35	16.02	377	385
(12) Full Pant ..	"	3.77	5.45	23.56	20.88	417	427
(13) Vest ..	"	2.18	1.18	4.92	4.98	361	361
(14) Shoes Gents ..	Pair	3.10	16.73	60.55	60.35	371	395
(15) Chappal Ladies ..	"	6.03	6.57	24.37	25.98	...	...
Total ..		100.00				365	371
Index Number for Group IV ..						365	371
V. Miscellaneous—							
(a) Medical Care							
(1) Doctor's Fee ..	Per Visit	19.73	2.58	5.25	5.46	203	215
(2) Medicine ..	4 Doses	32.46	0.76	1.78	1.78	234	231
(3) E. S. I. Premium ..	"	47.76	0.69	0.70	0.70	101	101
Total ..		100.00				165	165
Sub-group Index-V (a) ..						165	165
(b) Education Recreation and amusement—							
(1) School Fee ..	Per Student	22.54	6.75	8.00	8.00	119	119
(2) School Book ..	Each	7.64	2.47	2.50	2.50	101	101
(3) Stationery—	"	...	...	...	...	...	...
(i) Exercise Book ..	"	4.73	0.12	0.24	0.25	238	242
(ii) Pencil ..	"	...	0.12	0.33	0.33	500	500
(4) Newspaper ..	Per Copy	7.64	0.07	0.35	0.35	427	427
(5) Cinema ..	Adult	57.45	0.48	2.05	2.05
Total ..		100.00				329	329
Sub-Group Index-V (b) ..						329	329

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Price per unit of quantity			Index number	
Year ended December 1960	Aug. 1979	Sept. 1979	Aug. 1979	Sept. 1979
4	5	6	7	8
Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
1-15	3-82	3-84	311	311
1-03	3-40	3-40	313	313
1-57	6-01	6-04	310	310
7-50	27-00	27-07	315	315
0-13	0-52	0-53	400	400
0-72	4-50	4-47	625	625
1-35	4-73	4-89	350	350
0-41	1-42	1-44	346	346
0-15	0-80	0-80	311	311
0-60	2-28	2-38	312	312
0-33	1-53	1-54	464	464
3-69	12-26	12-27	511	511
1-60	9-41	9-41	511	511
0-31	2-10	2-11	446	446
0-25	0-75	0-75	350	350
0-06	0-30	0-30	400	400
0-26	1-05	1-05	474	474
0-35	1-66	1-66	631	631
0-26	1-64	1-64	710	710
0-42	1-30	1-30	511	511
0-38	2-03	2-03	417	417
0-25	1-22	1-22	417	417
0-23	0-96	0-96	375	375
0-20	0-75	0-75	417	417
1-42	1-30	1-30	400	400
1-06	1-92	1-92	511	511
0-06	0-35	0-35	475	475
0-06	0-35	0-35	417	417
0-26	1-23	1-23	375	375
0-06	0-26	0-26	417	417
48	1-84	1-84	400	400
10	5-50	5-50	641	641
48	3-19	3-19	464	464

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

Articles	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index number	
			Year ended Dec. 1960	Aug. 1979	Sept. 1979	Aug. 1979	Sept. 1979
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
(h) Other Food—			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
(1) Sugar (Crystal) ..	500 g.	29-57	0-60	1-49	1-52	248	253
(2) Tea Leaf ..	50 g.	12-52	0-39	1-08	1-09	277	279
(3) Snacks (Dhajiya) ..	Plate of pieces	15-01	0-11	0-54	0-58	491	527
(4) Snacks (Jalebi) ..	Kg.	7-11	1-90	8-99	9-25	473	487
(5) Tea Readymade ..	Cup	34-55	0-07	0-28	0-29	405	414
(6) Cold Drink ..	Bottle of 340 ml.	1-24	0-12	1-26	1-26	1,050	1,050
Total ..		100-00					
Sub-group Index I-A(h) ..						367	360
I-A, Food Group—							
(a) Cereals and cereals Products ..		35-29				293	298
(b) Pulses and Products ..		4-79				490	522
(c) Oils and Fats ..		5-78				602	603
(d) Meat, Fish and Eggs ..		10-62				490	522
(e) Milk and Milk Products ..		9-53				578	497
(f) Condiments and Spices ..		6-76				335	336
(g) Vegetables and Fruits ..		8-24				446	452
(h) Other Food ..		18-99				464	419
Total ..		100-00				367	380
Index Number for Group I-A Food						392	386
I-B, Pan, Supari, Tobacco, etc.							
(1) Pan (leaf) ..	100 leaves	16-55	0-52	2-18	2-08	419	400
(2) Pan (finished) ..	Each	9-89	0-04	0-22	0-23	550	575
(3) Supari ..	500 g.	19-44	3-42	8-08	8-18	236	239
(4) Katha ..		3-53	4-76	37-60	37-40	790	786
(5) Bidi ..	Katta of 25	28-80	0-16	0-58	0-60	362	375
(6) Cigarette ..	Pkt. of 10	6-54	0-14	0-91	0-92	650	657
(7) Chewing Tobacco ..	Kg.	13-25	4-16	8-25	8-23	198	198
Total ..		100-00					
Sub-Group I-B-Index ..						379	382
II, Fuel and Lighting—							
(1) Firewood ..	40 kg.	11-51	3-39	18-57	18-63	348	350
(2) Kerosene Oil ..	Litre	42-64	0-28	1-38	1-42	493	507
(3) Electricity charges ..	Unit	9-81	0-22	0-37	0-37	168	168
(4) Charcoal ..	40 kg.	28-30	7-36	35-71	37-93	485	515
(5) Match box ..	Each (50 sticks)	7-74	0-05	0-20	0-20	400	400
Total ..		100-00					
Fuel and Light Group-II						458	473

LONG RANGE-NO BUILT IN
SOUND POWER FOR WORKING CLASS (NEW SERIES)
FOR NIGHT CENTRE—used

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Index Numbers for Working Class December 1979

Index Number for Working Class
h base year January to December
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increased by 6 points to 386 due to a
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fruits.
eco etc. group increased by 3 points
upari, bidi and pan-ready made
roup increased by 15 points to 473
al and kerosene oil
steady at 158 being six monthly

ng and footwear group increased
rices of sarco, shirting and chappal

oup increased by 5 points to 291
ap, utensils, brass, washing soap,

WORKING CLASS (NEW SERIES) ITY ear 1960=100

Weight portional he total enditure.	Group Index Numbers	
	Aug. 1979	Sept. 1979
57.1	392	386
4.9	379	382
5.0	458	473
4.6	158	158
9.4	365	371
19.0	286	291
10.0	361	360

of the index will be found on pages
Errata (see) page 867 of January
se 1933-34=100, the general index
ing factor viz., 4.44.

LABOUR GAZETTE—NOVEMBER 1979 CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBERS FOR WORKING CLASS (NEW SERIES) FOR BOMBAY CENTRE

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Articles	Unit of quantity	Weight propor- tional to total ex- penditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index number	
			Year ended December 1960	Aug. 1979	Sept. 1979	Aug. 1979	Sept. 1979
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
I.A. Food—							
(a) Cereals and Cereal Products—							
(1) Rice	kg.	59.22	0.70	1.60	1.83	237	261
(2) Wheat	"	25.05	0.41	1.45	1.45	354	354
(3) Jowar	"	9.42	0.53	1.71	1.72	323	325
(4) Bajra	"	3.22	0.55	1.70	1.70	309	309
(5) Bread	125 kg.	0.92	0.12	0.38	0.39	317	325
(6) Grinding charges	3 kg.	2.16	0.09	0.44	0.45	489	500
Total		100.00					
Sub-group Index I-A(a)						295	298
(b) Pulses and pulse products—							
(1) Arhar Dal	kg.	63.78	0.78	4.91	4.94	629	633
(2) Gram Dal	"	12.99	0.60	3.25	3.25	542	542
(3) Moong Dal	"	12.21	0.90	5.61	5.48	621	609
(4) Masur Dal	"	7.87	0.78	3.58	3.60	459	462
(5) Urd Dal	"	3.15	0.88	5.01	5.01	569	569
Total		100.00					
Sub-group Index I-A(b)						602	603
(c) Oils and Fats—							
(1) Coconut Oil	500 ml.	9.55	1.36	6.89	7.02	507	516
(2) Groundnut Oil	"	71.05	1.00	5.20	5.60	520	560
(3) Vanaspathi (loose)	500 g.	19.48	1.75	6.52	6.76	373	386
Total		100.00					
Sub-group Index I-A(c)						490	522
(d) Meat, Fish and Eggs—							
(1) Goat's Meat	500 g.	52.54	1.48	7.14	7.16	482	484
(2) Fish fresh	Dozen	33.41	0.44	3.33	2.46	752	536
(3) Bumblebees	Each	2.22	1.23	9.18	6.30	544	552
(4) Pampfret	Dozen	3.97	0.25	1.36	1.38	290	300
(5) Fish dry Bumblebees	Dozen	5.08	1.93	5.60	5.79		
(6) Eggs	"						
Total		100.00					
Sub-group Index I-A(d)						578	497

BOMBAY*

In September 1979, the Consumer Price Index Number for Working Class (New Series) for the Bombay Centre with base year January to December 1960 equal to 100, was 360 being 1 point lower than that in the preceding month. The index relates to the standard of life ascertained during the year 1958-59 family living survey at the Bombay Centre.

The index number for the pan, supari tobacco etc. group increased by 3 points to 382 due to a rise in the average prices of supari, bidi and pan-ready made.

The index number for housing remained steady at 158 being six monthly item.

The index number for the miscellaneous group increased by 5 points to 291 due to a rise in the average prices of toilet soap, utensils brass, washing soap, bucket, laundry charges and tailoring charges.

(Average price for the calendar year 1960=100)

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

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suspended the operations of the provisions of the and 24, for the period from 29th October 1979 to in respect of all Shops, Restaurants and Eating occasion of Bakri Id Festival, subject to the dated 25th July 1979, Published in Maharashtra September 1979, Page 4825)

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Act.—(a) Government of Maharashtra, r the regulation of hours of employment, nployed in and attending the Industrial urable than the corresponding provisions vers conferred by Section 86 of the Act, ral Training Institute, Bombay 400 011;

ted 6th August 1979, Published in 13th September 1979, Page 4826).

G. Minimum Wages Act, 1948.

I. *Corrigendum*.—(a) The notification issued by the Deputy Commissioner of Labour and Competent Authority under the Minimum Wages Act, 1948, Bombay, published in the Maharashtra Government Gazette, in Part-I-L, dated 24th August, 1978 following corrections are made as under :—

At page No. 3378 after Schedule II, 7th line for "1st day of January 1978" read "1st day of July 1978".

At page No. 3382 after Schedule II, 7th line for "1st day of January 1978" read "1st day of July 1978".

At page No. 3392, 1st para, 9th line for "1st day of July to 31st September 1978" read "1st day of July 1978 to 30th September 1978".

(Notification No. MWA/SPL/RFDN/POWERLOOM/Cloth Dyeing and Cloth Printing, dated 20th September 1979, Published in Maharashtra Government Gazette, Part I-L, dated 13th September 1979, Page 4832.)

H. Employees Provident Funds and Miscellaneous Provisions Act, 1952.

I. *Exemption of Employees of the Mills from the Operation of the Scheme*.—Government of Maharashtra has exempted the employees of the Government Saw Mill, Allapalli, District Chanda from the operation to the Employees Provident Fund Scheme, 1952, subject to the conditions mentioned in the Notification.

(Notification No. EPF. 1178/39641/(5445)/Lab-4, dated 18th July 1979, Published in Maharashtra Government Gazette, Part I-L, dated 13th September 1979; Page 4834).

Particulars		Amount
1. Balance b/f		100.00
2. To: By: (a) Government of Maharashtra		100.00
3. To: By: (b) Government of Maharashtra		100.00
4. To: By: (c) Government of Maharashtra		100.00
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(g) Government of Maharashtra has suspended the operations of the provisions of the Sections 10(I), 11(I), 16, 18, 19, 20, 21, and 24, for the period from 29th October 1979 to 2nd November 1979 (both days inclusive), in respect of all Shops, Restaurants and Eating Houses in the State of Maharashtra on occasion of Bakri Id Festival, subject to the conditions mentioned in the Notification.

(Notification No. P. 7379/CR-2808/Lab-5, dated 25th July 1979, Published in Maharashtra Government Gazette, Part-I-L, dated 13th September 1979, Page 4825)

(h) Government of Maharashtra has suspended the operation of the provisions of Sections 11(I)(a), 14, 16 and 18 for the period from 22nd September 1979, to 1st October 1979, (both days inclusive), in respect of all Shops in the State of Maharashtra on the occasion of Dasara, subject to the conditions mentioned in the Notification.

(Notification No. P. 7379/CR-2801/Lab-5, dated 18th July 1979, Published in Maharashtra Government Gazette, Part-I-L, dated 13th September 1979, Page 4827.)

(i) Government of Maharashtra has suspended the operations of the provisions of Sections 10(I)(b), 11(I)(b), 14, 16, 18, 19(I), 20, 21 and 24 for the period from 7th November 1979 to 9th November 1979, (both days inclusive), in respect of all Shops, Restaurants and Eating houses in the Akot Municipal Area in Akola District, on the occasion of Narsingh Maharaj Fair, subject to the conditions mentioned in the Notification.

(Notification No. P.7379/CR-2809/Lab-5, dated 25th July 1979, Published in Maharashtra Government Gazette, Part-I-L, dated 13th September 1979, page 4829.)

(j) Government of Maharashtra has suspended the provisions of Sections 19(I), 21, 23 and 28 for the period from 4th to 6th October 1979, (both days inclusive), in respect of all Shops, Authorised stallholders who possesses a certificate of registration of an eating house, issued by the respective police authorities and a licence from the concerned Municipal authorities, all Residential Hotels, Restaurants and Eating Houses of the State of Maharashtra on the occasion of Kojagiri Purnima, subject to the condition mentioned in the Notification.

(Notification No. P. 7379/CR-2805/Lab-5, dated 25th July 1979, Published in Maharashtra Government Gazette, Part-I-L, dated 13th September 1979, Page 4830.)

(k) Government of Maharashtra has suspended the provisions of Sections 10(I), 11(I)(a), 14, 16 and 18 for the period from 25th December 1979 to 31st December 1979 (both days inclusive) in respect of all Shops selling clothes, shoes, perfumes, cosmetics, sweets, tailors and Hair cutting saloons on the occasion of Christmas, subject to the conditions mentioned in the Notification.

(Notification No. P.7379/CR-2812/Lab-5, dated 25th July 1979, Published in Maharashtra Government Gazette, Part-I-L, dated 13th September 1979, Page 4831.)

F. Factories Act, 1948

I. Exemption of the Establishments under the Act.—(a) Government of Maharashtra having satisfied that the provision of the Scheme for the regulation of hours of employment, interval for meals and holidays of the persons employed in and attending the Industrial Training Institute, Bombay 400 011, are not less favourable than the corresponding provisions of the Factories Act, 1948, as in exercise of the powers conferred by Section 86 of the Act, exempted the workshop attached to the Act, Industrial Training Institute, Bombay 400 011, from all the provisions of the Act.

(Notification No. FAC. 1679/(6002)/Lab-4, dated 6th August 1979, Published in Maharashtra Government Gazette, Part I-L, dated 13th September 1979, Page 4826.)

1. Minimum Wage Act, 1948
1. Circular—(a) The notification issued in
Ministry Government Gazette, in Part-I-L, d.
is as under :—
2. Page No. 1078 after Schedule II, 7th I.
4th July 1979.

3. Page No. 1078 after Schedule II, 7th I.
14th July 1979.

4. Page No. 1079, 1st para, 9th line for "
"dated 1st July 1979 to 30th September 1979"

5. Section No. MWASPL/RFDN/PO
dated 30 September 1979, Published in
14th September 1979, Page 4812.)

6. Labour Provident Funds and Misc.
7. Exemption of Employees of the Mills
(Ministry has exempted the employees
from the operation of the Employee
State Insurance Act mentioned in the Notification
Circular No. EFF. 1170/5941/MS
Ministry Government Gazette, Part I

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Act.—The Commissioner of Labour has (Rural Wing and Enforcement) in the State, Bombay, to be the Labour Officer Maharashtra

125th April 1979, Published in M.G.G.

Government of Maharashtra has exempted the Maharashtra State Electricity Board,apur, from the operation of clause (c) of the Act, for the period of three months from the 21st July 1979 to 20th September

20th July, 1979, Published in M.G.G.

boiler bearing No. MP/2495, and belonging to Maharashtra Thermal Powers Station, Ballapur, from the operation of clause (c) of the Act, for the period of three months from the 21st July 1979 to 20th September

20th July, 1979, Published in M.G.G.

boiler bearing No. MR/9237 and belonging to Maharashtra Thermal Powers Station, Ballapur, from the operation of clause (c) of Section 6 of the Act, for the period of three months from the 21st July 1979 to 20th September

20th July, 1979, Published in M.G.G.

Government of Maharashtra hereby exempts from the operation of clause (c) of section 6 of the Act, for the period of three months from the 21st July 1979 to 20th September

20th July, 1979, Published in M.G.G.

Government of Maharashtra hereby exempts from the operation of clause (c) of section 6 of the Act, for the period of three months from the 21st July 1979 to 20th September

20th July, 1979, Published in M.G.G.

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20th July, 1979, Published in M.G.G.

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20th July, 1979, Published in M.G.G.

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11. *Exemption of class of employees under the Act.*—Government of Maharashtra has exempted Travelling Medical Sales Representative of Messrs. Association Laboratories Private Limited, attached to their Bombay Office who remain on tour from their Head-quarters for 7 months or more in a year for the period with effect from 1st January 1979 upto and inclusive of 31st December 1979 from the provisions of the Act, subject to the conditions mentioned in the Notification.

(Notification No. SIA/1779/1559/Lab-11, dated 24th July 1979, Published in M.G.G., Part I-L, dated 13th September 1979, page 4818).

E. Bombay Shops and Establishments Act 1948

1. *Suspension of the provisions of the Act.*—(a) Government of Maharashtra has suspended the operations of the provisions of Sections 10(1)(b), 11(1)(a), 19(1), 20, 21 and 24, for the period from 19th September 1979 to 6th October 1979 (both days inclusive) in respect of all shops, Restaurants, Eating Houses and theatres in Chopda Municipal area in Jalgaon District on the Occasion of Rath Utsav, subject to the conditions mentioned in the Notification.

(Notification No. P. 7379/CR-2800/Lab-5, dated 18th July 1979 Published in M. G. G., Part I-L, dated 13th September 1979, Page 4819).

(b) Government of Maharashtra has suspended the provisions of Sections 11(1)(a) and 14 for the period from 21st August 1979 to 23rd August 1979 (both days inclusive) or the whole of Vidarbha and Marathwada Regions in respect of all Shops on the occasion Pola Festival, subject to the conditions mentioned in the Notifications.

(Notification No. P. 7379/CR-2797/Lab-5, dated 18th July 1979, Published in M. G. G., Part I-L, dated 13th September 1979, Page 4820).

(c) Government of Maharashtra has suspended the operations of the provisions of Sections 11, 12, 14, 15 and 18 for the period from 25th August 1979 to 30th August 1979 (both days inclusive), in respect of all shops in the State of Maharashtra on the occasions of Ganapati Festival, subject to the conditions mentioned in the Notification.

(Notification No. P. 7379/CR-2798/Lab-5, dated 18th July 1979, published in M. G. G., Part I-L, dated 13th September 1979, Page 4821).

(d) Government of Maharashtra has suspended the operation of the provisions of Sections 10(1)(b), 11(1), 14, 16, 18, 19, 20, 21 and 24 for the period from 22nd September 1979 to 25th October 1979 (both days inclusive) in respect of all Shops, restaurants and eatinghouses in the Deolgaon-Raja Municipal Area in Buldana District, on the occasion of Balji Maharaja, subject to the conditions mentioned in the Notification.

(Notification No. P. 7379/CR-2802/Lab 5, dated 25th July 1979, Published in M. G. G., Part I-L, dated 13th September 1979, Page 4822).

(e) Government of Maharashtra has suspended the provisions of the Act of Sections 11(1)(a), 14, 16 and 18 for the period from 19th October 1979 to 22nd October 1979 (both days inclusive) in respect of all shops in the state of Maharashtra on the occasion of Diwali Festival, subject to the conditions mentioned in the Notification.

(Notification No. P. 7379/CR-2807/Lab-5, dated 25th July 1979, Published in M. G. G., Part I-L, dated 13th September 1979, Page 4823).

(f) Government of Maharashtra has suspended the operations of the provisions of Section 10(1)(b), 11(1)(a), 14, 16, 18, 19(1), 20, 21, & 24 for the period from 26th August, 1979 to 28th August, 1979 (both days inclusive) in respect of all shops, restaurants and eating houses in the Shegaon Municipal Area in Buldhana District, on the occasion of Rishi Panchami Yatra alias Shri Gajanan, subject to the conditions mentioned in the Notification.

(Notification No. P. 7379/CR-2799/Lab-5, dated 18th July, 1979 Published in M.G.G., Part I-L, dated 13th September, 1979 Page 4824, 4825).

(Notification No. BIR/CL/ENF/49/15/79, dated 25th April 1979, Published in M.G.G. Part I-L, dated 6th September, 1979 page 4734.)

L. Exemption of Boilers under the Act.—(a) Government of Maharashtra has exempted the boiler bearing No. MR/10124 and belonging to the Maharashtra State Electricity Board, Koradi Thermal Power Station, Koradi, District Nagpur, from the operation of clause (c) of section 6 of the said Act for the period of two months from the 21st July 1979 to 20th September 1979 (both days inclusive).

(b) Government of Maharashtra has exempted the boiler bearing No. MP/2495, and belonging to the Maharashtra State Electricity Board, Ballarshah Thermal Powers Station, Ballarshah, from the operation of clause (c) of section 6 of the Act, for the period of three months from the 9th August 1979 to 8th November 1979 (both days inclusive.)

(c) Government of Maharashtra has exempted the boiler bearing No.MR/9237 and belonging to the Maharashtra State Electricity Board Thermal Power Station Deepnagar Taluka Bhusawal, District Jalgaon, from the operation of clause (c) of Section 6 of the Act, for the period of three months from the 6th August, 1979 to 5th November 1979 (both days inclusive).

II. Exemption of the Economiser Registry.—(a) Government of Maharashtra hereby exempts the Economiser Registry No. MR/E-191 and belonging to Messrs. Digvijay Textile Mills, Lalbaug, Bombay 400033, from the operation of clause (c) of section 6 of the Act for the period of 1½ months from the 28th July 1979 to 11th September 1979 (both days inclusive).

(b) Government of Maharashtra hereby exempts the Economiser Registry, No. MR/E-337 and belonging to the Walchandnagar Industries, Walchandnagar, District Pune, from the operation of clause (c) of section 6 of the Act, for the period of three months from 5th July 1979 to 4th October 1979 (both days inclusive).

D. Employees' State Insurance Act, 1948

I. Exemption of individual employees under the Act.—Government of Maharashtra has exempted Shri Shankar Sinha, touring Medical Representative of Messrs. Carter Wallace Limited, Code: No. 32-0065 who is employed in area where the provisions of Chapters IV and V are not in force on any work connected with the purchase of Braw materials or distribution or sale of products of the above Mill/Factory, which is situated in an area where the provisions of Chapters IV and V of the Employees' State Insurance Act, 1948, are in force the operation of the Act for a period of one year from 28th August 1978 till the enforcement of the provisions of Chapter IV and V of the Act, which is earlier, subject to the conditions mentioned in the Notification.

(Notification No. SIA-1779/1553/Lab-11, dated 19th July 1979, Published in M.G.G. Part I-L, dated 13th September 1979, page 4817).

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I have the honor to inform you that the Government of Maharashtra has decided to grant a concession of 10% to the Association of Small and Medium Scale Industries (AMSI) who remain on tour from their 1st January 1979 to the period with effect from 1st January 1980 to 31st December 1979 from the provisions of the Act, subject to the following conditions:

1. The AMSI should be established on or before 24th July 1979, Publish: 1st and 2nd January 1979, page 4119.

1. Letter of the Government of Maharashtra
in the presence of Sections 10(1)(a), 11(1)(a), 19(1), 20,
and 21 of the Maharashtra Land Revenue Act 1948, dated 18th July 1979, is as follows: (79) 18th July 1979, 19th July 1979, 20th July 1979, 21st July 1979, 22nd July 1979, 23rd July 1979, 24th July 1979, 25th July 1979, 26th July 1979, 27th July 1979, 28th July 1979, 29th July 1979, 30th July 1979, 31st July 1979, 1st August 1979, 2nd August 1979, 3rd August 1979, 4th August 1979, 5th August 1979, 6th August 1979, 7th August 1979, 8th August 1979, 9th August 1979, 10th August 1979, 11th August 1979, 12th August 1979, 13th August 1979, 14th August 1979, 15th August 1979, 16th August 1979, 17th August 1979, 18th August 1979, 19th August 1979, 20th August 1979, 21st August 1979, 22nd August 1979, 23rd August 1979, 24th August 1979, 25th August 1979, 26th August 1979, 27th August 1979, 28th August 1979, 29th August 1979, 30th August 1979, 31st August 1979, 1st September 1979, 2nd September 1979, 3rd September 1979, 4th September 1979, 5th September 1979, 6th September 1979, 7th September 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Minister of Maharashtra has suspended the provisions of the said from 11st August 1979 to 23rd August 1979 (both days) in the Western and Marathwada Regions in respect of all Shor and other in the conditions mentioned in the Notifications.

Western No. 279 CR-277, Lab-5, dated 18th July 1979
 1st and 12th September 1979, Page 45/20)

Government of Maharashtra has suspended the operations of 12 M. U. S. II for the period from 25th August 1979 to 31st August 1979. The suspension is in respect of all shops in the State of Maharashtra and is subject to the conditions mentioned in the Notification No. P. 7179 (CT-2798) LAB-S, dated 18th July 1979. (18th July 1979, Page 4821).

Government of Maharashtra has suspended the operation of Shops, 14, 18, 19, 20, 21 and 24 for the period from 1979 (both days inclusive) in respect of all Shops, in the Beldana Municipal Area in Beldana District, on the conditions mentioned in the Notification.

September 1979, Page 4822).

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CR-2807/Lab-5, dated September 1979, Page 4823).
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14	Assistant Commissioner of Labour, Nagpur Division.	Nagpur, Wardha and Chandrapur Districts.
15	Assistant Commissioner of Labour, Nagpur District.	Nagpur District.
16	Assistant Commissioner of Labour, Gondia ..	Bhandara District.
17	Assistant Commissioner of Labour, Amravati	Amravati and Yavatmal Districts.
18	Assistant Commissioner of Labour, Akola ..	Akola and Buldhana Districts.

(Notification No. CL/BIR/Desk-15/ENF/46/79, dated 25th April 1979.
Published in M.G.G., Part I-L, dated 6th September, 1979, page No. 4732.)

IV. Appointment of Chief Conciliator under the Act.—The Commissioner of Labour has appointed the Deputy Commissioner of Labour (Industrial Relations) in the Office of the Commissioner of Labour, Maharashtra State, Bombay to be the Chief Conciliator under the Act for the whole of the State of Maharashtra.

(Notification No. CL/BIR/Desk-15/ENF/47/79, dated 25th April 1979.
Published in : M.G.G. Part-I-L, dated 6th September, 1979, page 4733.)

V. Appointment of Additional Chief Conciliator for the local areas in the State of Maharashtra.—The Commissioner of Labour has appointed the Officer mentioned in column 2 of the Schedule to be the Additional Chief Conciliator for the local areas specified in column 3 of the Schedule and has specified in this behalf that they shall exercise all the powers and perform all the duties of the Chief Conciliator under the Act for the said local area.

Schedule

Serial No.	Officers	Local areas
1	2	3
1	Deputy Commissioner of Labour (Conciliation)	All the local areas in Greater Bombay District.
2	Deputy Commissioner of Labour Thane ..	All the local areas in Thane District
3	Deputy Commissioner of Labour Pune Division	All the local areas in Pune Division.
4	Deputy Commissioner of Labour, Pune District.	All the local areas in Pune District.
5	Deputy Commissioner of Labour, Nagpur Division.	All the local areas in Nagpur Division.
6	Deputy Commissioner of Labour, Aurangabad Division.	All the local areas in Aurangabad Division.

(Notification No. CL/BIR/Desk-15/ENF/48/79, dated 25th April, 1979.
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column 3 of the schedule and specified in this behalf that they shall exercise all the powers and perform all the duties of the Registrar of Unions under the Act for the said local areas :—

Schedule

Serial No. 1	Officers 2	Local Areas 3
1	Deputy Commissioner of Labour (Conciliation), Bombay District.	All the local areas in Greater Bombay.
2	Deputy Commissioner of Labour, Thane ..	All the local areas in Thane District.
3	Deputy Commissioner of Labour, Pune Division.	All the local areas in Pune District.
4	Deputy Commissioner of Labour, Pune District	All the local areas in Pune District.
5	Deputy Commissioner of Labour, Nagpur Division.	All the local areas in Nagpur Division.
6	Deputy Commissioner of Labour, Aurangabad Division.	All the local areas in Aurangabad Division.

(Notification No. CL/BIR/Desk-15/ENF/44/79, dated 25th April 1979 published in M. G. G., Part I-L, dated 6th September 1979, page 4732.)

III. Appointment of Conciliators for the Local Areas in the State.—The Commissioner of Labour has appointed the Officers mentioned in column 2 of the schedule to be the Conciliators for the local areas mentioned in column 3:—

Schedule

Serial No. 1	Officers 2	Local Areas falling in 3
1	Assistant Commissioner of Labour, Bombay District.	Greater Bombay.
2	Assistant Commissioner of Labour, Thane ..	Thane District.
3	Assistant Commissioner of Labour, Kalyan ..	Thane District.
4	Assistant Commissioner of Labour, Kulaba ..	Kulaba and Ratnagiri districts
5	Assistant Commissioner of Labour, Nashik ..	Nashik District
6	Assistant Commissioner of Labour, Jalgaon	Jalgaon and Dhule districts.
7	Assistant Commissioner of Labour, Pune District.	Pune district.
8	Assistant Commissioner of Labour, Sangli ..	Sangli and Satara District.
9	Assistant Commissioner of Labour, Kolhapur	Kolhapur District.
10	Assistant Commissioner of Labour, Solapur ..	Solapur District.
11	Assistant Commissioner of Labour, Ahmadnagar.	Ahmadnagar District.
12	Assistant Commissioner of Labour, Aurangabad District.	Aurangabad and Parbhani Districts.
13	Assistant Commissioner of Labour, Nanded ..	Nanded, Osmanabad and Beed Districts.

Deputy Commissioner of Labour, Nagpur Nagpur, War Districts.
Deputy Commissioner of Labour, Nagpur Nagpur-dist
Deputy Commissioner of Labour, Goodla .. Bhandara I
Deputy Commissioner of Labour, Amravati Amravati a
Deputy Commissioner of Labour, Akola .. Akola and

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Appointment of Chief Conciliator under the Act.—The Co
mmissioner of Labour (Industrial Rela
tions) Maharashtra State, Bombay to be t
he Chief Conciliator of the State of Maharashtra.

Notification No. CL/BIR/Desk-15/ENF/47/79, dated 25th
M.G.G., Part I-L, dated 6th September, 1979, :

Appointment of Additional Chief Conciliator for the local
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Deputy Commissioner of Labour (Conciliation) A
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Deputy Commissioner of Labour Pune Division
Deputy Commissioner of Labour, Pune
Deputy Commissioner of Labour, Nagpur
Deputy Commissioner of Labour, Aurangabad

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Deputy Commissioner of Labour, Thane
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reference for Arbitration of Industrial Disputes
Maharashtra published in supersession of
following revised Panel of Arbitrators for re-
tending to refer the industrial dispute under
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Address

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- Temple Road, Civil Lines, Nagpur
- Gokhale Building, 167, 169, Girgaon,
J. S. Road, Bombay 400 014
- Shrikant Lodge, 61, Sir Bhalchandra
Road, Dadar, Bombay 400 014
- 11, Dariya Mahal, 80, Nepean Sea
Road, Bombay 400 036
- D-7, Hyderabad Estate, Nepean
Sea Road, Bombay 400 036

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Government is also pleased to include the names of following persons in the above Panel of Arbitrators by virtue of their sustained experience and standing in this field:—

1. Shri D. N. Buch.
2. Shri C. L. Dudhia.
3. Shri Bagaram Tulpule.
4. Shri V. D. Karnik.
5. Shri B. N. Datar.
6. Shri Y. D. Joshi.
7. Shri L. C. Joshi.
8. Prof. V. M. Dandekar.

Parties desiring information about Panel may write to the Commissioner of Labour, Commerce Centre, Tardeo, Bombay 400 034.

(Notification No. EAI. 1579/7798-Lab-2, dated 3rd August, 1979 published in M.G.G. Part I-L, dated 13th September, 1979, Page No. 4828, 4829.)

III. *Corrigendum*.—In this Notification of even number dated 12th January, 1979, published in the *Maharashtra Government Gazette*, Part I-L, dated 18th January 1979 at Page 562 the following discrepancies are hereby rectified as follows:—

(1) for the words and letters viz, "Labour Advisory of Bombay, Exhibitors." appearing on page 563, read as "Labour Advisory Council of Bombay, Exhibitors."

(2) for the words and letters under Demand No. 9 (N) viz: "Service Conditions of non-payment staff" appearing on page 568, read as "Service Conditions of non-permanent Staff."

(3) for the words and letters under the heading "Demands of all our employees" appearing on page 569, read as "Demand of all our employers."

(Notification No. CL/IDE/10A/PUB/A-2(79)/G-II, dated 28th February, 1979 published in M.G.G., Part-I-L, dated 13th September, 1979, page 4832).

B. Bombay Industrial Relations Act, 1946

I. *Appointment of Deputy Commissioner of Labour Industrial Relations as Registrar of Union*.—The Commissioner of Labour has appointed the Deputy Commissioner of Labour (Industrial Relations) in the Office of the Commissioner of Labour, Maharashtra State, Bombay, to be the Registrar of Unions, for whole of the State of Maharashtra in supersession of the Notification No. CL/BIR/J/ENF/183/75, dated 25th October, 1975.

(Notification No. CL/BIR/Desk-15/ENF/43/79, dated 25th April 1979) published in M. G. G., Part I-L, dated 6th September, 1979, page 4731.)

II. *Appointment of additional Registrar of Unions Local areas in the State of Maharashtra*.—The Commissioner of Labour has appointed the Officers mentioned in the column 2 of the following schedule to the Additional Registrar of Unions for the local areas specified in

Appointment of Deputy Commissioner of Labour as Conciliation Officer.—The Commissioner of Labour, Bombay, has appointed the Deputy Commissioner of Labour, Thane and Kolaba districts for all industries in relation to which the Central Government is not the Appropriate Government.

II. *Publication for the Panel of Arbitrators for reference for Arbitration of Industrial Disputes; under Section 10A of the Act.*—Government of Maharashtra published in supersession of all the Notifications issued in this behalf, the following revised Panel of Arbitrators for the convenience of the employers and the workmen intending to refer the industrial dispute under Section 10A of the Industrial Disputes Act, 1947:—

Serial No.	Name of Arbitrator	Address
1	2	3
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*Assuring employees of their value to the organization.

*Increasing the visibility of management's efforts (in the case of manu-
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Positive perceptions of top management can also be created during the orientation of new employees by communicating management's concerns regarding the five areas above.

The orientation process should also include a discussion of mutual expectations, Ruch suggested, for these appear to affect the entire employer-employee relationship. The degree to which mutual expectations regarding such issues as hours of work, overtime, job security, recognition, and opportunities for growth are specifically articulated appears to be important to the success of the management-employee relationship.

Unfortunately for both employee and manager, clear communication of expectations often does not occur during the hiring process or thereafter, and thus the relationship between employee and management is impaired.

Although these findings relate to blue-collar, assembly line workers in large scale plants, the author suspects that they may also be applicable to other work environments and to other groups of workers. Only further research, he believes, will substantiate this theory.

findings of an extensive study, spanning five years and involving a sample of nearly 2,000 employees from the 10 U. S. automobile assembly plants of one parent concern, strongly support the conclusion that job satisfaction is directly associated with employees' perceptions of top management.

The key findings were recently released by Dr. Richard S. Ruch, assistant dean of the College of Business Administration at Kansas State University, who directed the final stages of the research project.

Staff researchers from the automobile company and from several universities participated in the study, which examined the structure of job satisfaction for unionized, hourly rated assembly line workers in the U. S. automobile industry.

A major hypothesis of the study was that one of the principal components of employee job satisfaction is the employee's perception of management: the more favorable this perception, the greater the job satisfaction.

No distinction was made between top management and supervisory management (foremen) at the beginning of the study. Nevertheless when the data were analyzed, it was discovered that employees themselves had differentiated between top management and supervisory management when asked about their perceptions of management in general.

Many studies of blue-collar job satisfaction claim support for the notion that participative supervisory leadership is positively associated with employee job satisfaction. As a consequence, training programs for supervisors in such areas as human relations and interpersonal communication are common place in industry and government, an emphasis that seems justified because of the supervisor's normal interaction with employees in almost all aspects of the work. The supervisor, it is argued, represents the individual workers' link with management and the central channel for upward and downward communication between employee and employer. The critical role of the supervisor-employee relationship in determining employee job satisfaction was reinforced in Ruch's study.

But, more important, perceptions of top management were shown to be a stronger influence on job satisfaction than any other single variable studied, including perceptions of supervisory management.

"We now have sufficient information on the importance of employee perceptions of top management," noted Ruch, "to enable us, as managers and consultants, to act as agents of positive change."

Based on the findings of the study, the following recommendations were made to create more favorable perceptions of top management and thereby increase the level of job satisfaction. Management can achieve these goals, Ruch suggests, by:

*Actively soliciting the opinions and thinking of employees regarding work-related problems.

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Plantation workers in Karnataka get higher wages

A memorandum of settlement benefiting over one and a half lakh employees in the plantation industry in the State was signed on September 21 before the Commissioner of Labour and the State Conciliation Officer between the representatives of the Plantation industry and the representatives of the trade unions working in the plantations.

The settlement will be in force from April 1, 1979 to December 31, 1981. The extra cost the industry will have to bear is estimated at over Rs. 7 crores.

The revised wages are Rs. 3.40 for children Rs. 4.10 for adolescents and Rs. 6.75 for adults employed in coffee, tea, cardamon and mixed estates and Rs. 3.65 for children, Rs. 4.40 for adolescents and Rs. 7.31 for adults in rubber estates.

Consequent on the revision of daily rate wages, the guaranteed time rate payable to piece-rated rubber tappers is Rs. 5.81 from April 1, 1979, Rs. 6.11 from October 1, 1979 and Rs. 6.31 from October 1, 1980 to December 31, 1981.

All these mistries/supervisors who have put in one year of service or more prior to April 1, 1978 and are in service on the date of the settlement and who have not been paid the annual increment of Rs. 5.50 per month in the case of coffee, tea and mixed estates and Rs. 7 per month in the case of rubber estates with effect from April 1, 1978.

All the mistries/supervisors will be paid an increase of Rs. 25 per month with effect from April 1, 1979.

It is also agreed that a suitable scale will be evolved within six months from the date of this settlement by holding bipartite discussions.

The existing job differentials wherever existing will be continued to be paid. However the factory differentials in tea factories will be revised from April 1, 1979.

With effect from April 1, 1979 the job differentials payable to pruners in tea estates will be enhanced to 15. Paise per day on days on which they are employed on pruning.

The other demands raised by the trade unions in the charter of demands will be discussed in due course in bipartite meetings.

The arrears of money due under this settlement will be disbursed not later than October 20.

(Indian Worker, Dated 8th October 1979)

Top Management plays Key Role in employee satisfaction, Study Finds
Managers and management consultants have long suspected that top management plays a critical role in determining employee satisfaction. Now the

The recommendations of the Labour Bureau meeting will be considered at the two-day conference of State Labour Secretaries to be held from October 25.

Many of the statistics which establishments all over the country must provide under various statutes like the Minimum Wages Act, Factories Act and Payment of Wages Act, take several months before they are made available by the Bureau.

The Centre, which is conducting training programmes to State-level officials to improve collection methods and reliability, would be revamping these programmes.

Though the Bureau has resorted to computerisation to reduce the time lag, the problem is often at the field level. The collected data is often cross-checked to avoid any element of guess work.

The planning Commission had recommended extensive use of electronic data-processing in collection and compilation of labour statistics.

The meetings proposed by the Union Labour Ministry are also expected to consider the co-ordination of labour statistical collection with the National Information System which is being set up as country-wide data-collection and processing net work. The NIS will have regional centres also.

The various returns the establishments all over the country have to submit under labour legislation, will also be considered to see if these forms can be streamlined together effective and relevant data quickly.

(*Indian Worker, Dated 22nd October 1979*)

Kerala amends Industrial Disputes Act, 1947

The Kerala Assembly on September, 24 passed the Industrial Disputes (Kerala Amendment) Bill. This empowers the Government to order payment of interim relief to workers pending the award of the adjudication authority when an industrial dispute is referred for adjudication.

The Bill, which replaces an Ordinance, amends the Industrial Disputes Act, 1947 in its application to Kerala.

The amendment also empowers the Government to require any public utility service not to close down and to work on such terms and conditions as may be specified.

Central Government undertakings in the State are excluded from the purview of the amendment.

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Karnataka Textile Workers' Wages Revised.—A settlement has been reached on the demand for increase in basic wages and D.A. for textile workers in Karnataka, according to a press-note issued on September 20, 1979. This decision will make Karnataka textile mill workers of categories I, II and III eligible for an increase of Rs.55, Rs.50 and Rs.45 respectively. Also, the variable D.A. has been increased from Rs. 0.30 P. to Rs. 0.31 P. per point increase above the index for December 1977. The settlement will be effective from June 1979 to December 1980, and will cover 50,000 workmen employed in 26 units.

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The census is likely to cover more than 25 million enterprises. Additional data thus available will remove vital data gap pertaining to the unorganised sector of the economy. Lack of adequate information in regard to the unorganised sectors of non-agricultural economy covering mining, manufacturing trade, transport, construction and services has been a serious handicap in regional and district level planning in estimation of national and state-incomes and also in identification of backward areas. The CSO in collaboration with the State Statistical Bureau took a major step in 1977 to remove this shortcoming by launching a countrywide economic census of all non-agricultural establishments employing at least one hired worker, following the census surveys covering different sectors have been taken up. During 1978-79 non-factory manufacturing sector has been covered and during 1979-80 the sectors of trade, transport, hotels and restaurants, storage and warehousing and services are being covered.

The items of information to be collected in census of 1980 will include location of enterprise, the type of activity, the type of ownership, social group of owner power, fuel used for activity and the total number and the number of hired persons usually working.

A technical advisory group comprising of representatives of a few State Governments, the concerned Central Ministries and other user organisations will guide the project. The group has finalised the content of the schedules to be canvassed in the census. The field work of economic census will be conducted along with the house listing operations in 1980 of the ensuring population census by the same local staff such as teachers. The operations will be spread over March-September 1980 as in different States in a phased manner.

The overall responsibility for technical guidance and tabulation of the census data will rest with the CSO in co-operation with the State Statistical Bureau, while the responsibility for the field operations will be of the Registrar General of India and State Directors of Census Operations. The project will be operated as a central scheme under central coordination and direction and finances will be provided by the Union Department of Statistics; It involves an outlay of Rs. 3.50 crores during the sixth plan.

(Industrial Bulletin, dated 15th October, 1979)

Labour Data Collection to be improved

The Union Labour Ministry is considering improvement of collection and quality of Labour statistics and reduction of the time lag between collection and compilation in a bid to make these statistics efficient tools for policy guidance.

A meeting of the Labour Bureau, Simla, has been convened here on October 9 to consider various steps towards this objective. At present it takes at least six weeks before any specific information can be obtained after collecting it from all over the country. In regard to important sign posts of industrial harmony like mandays lost, the latest statistics available is three months old.

Current Notes

40-hour work a far cry in many Nations

Even while trade unions in Western Europe are campaigning for a 35-hour week, the long-standing goal of 40 hours remains elusive for many workers in countries all over the world, including several advanced industrialised societies. This finding emerges from a worldwide survey carried out by the International Labour Organisation (ILO) bureau of statistics and special studies, covering the years between 1968 and 1978.

During this ten-year period, the number of countries adopting the 40-hour norm rose surely but slowly—by ten per cent—and at the end of 1978, only 43 of the 90 countries which made data available were in the 40-hour league. With the exception of the developing countries in Asia, the third world is steadily catching up with the developed nations in adopting the 40-hour week.

Out of step with this trend, however, were Algeria and Zambia where the reported standard working week hours for most of the occupations increased from 40 in 1968 to 44 in 1978 in Algeria and from 47 to 48 in Zambia. By 1978, 40-hour week was normal for most European workers. For Austria, Belgium and Finland, this meant a drop from the 1968 norm of 45 hours and for Iceland a drop from 44.

Throughout Asia, no change was noted in the countries surveyed from 1968 to 1978. For example, Bahrain, Bangladesh, Hong Kong, India, Malaysia, Nepal, Pakistan, the Philippines, Qatar, Sri Lanka and Syria kept the working week for most occupations at 48 hours during this period. Israel maintained it at the level of 47 hours. In Africa, the 40-hour week was standard in most countries in manufacturing of textiles, wearing apparel, chemicals and transport equipment, while the 48-hour week was more common for bakers and railway workers. In about half of the African countries, 48 hour was standard for coal mining, iron and steel basic industries, manufacture of machinery, construction, electric light and power and for bus, train and lorry drivers.

(Industrial Bulletin, dated 181 October 1979)

Economic Census In 1980

The Central Statistical Organisation (CSO) will organise the next economic census in 1980 in conjunction with the house listing operations of population census. The scope and coverage of the forthcoming economic census will be wider than in hitherto, according to an official press release.

The synchronisation of population and economic census is not only useful in the overall interest of the economy but it would also enable to cover all own account enterprises on a census basis for the first time. Besides details of non-agricultural enterprises, some basic information about agricultural enterprises excluding crop production and plantations will also be collected for the first time in the next census.

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The Month in Brief

Consumer Price Index Numbers for working Class

The Bombay Solapur and Nagpur Consumer Price Index Numbers for working class for the month of September 1979 with the average prices for the year ended December 1960 equal to 100 were 360, 376 and 360 respectively. The Jalgaon, Nanded, Pune and Aurangabad Consumer Price Index Numbers for working class for the month of September 1979 with the average prices for the year ended December 1961 equal to 100 were 364, 391, 337 and 390 respectively.

All India average consumer Price Index Number for Industrial Workers

All India Average Consumer Price Index Number for Industrial Workers (General) on Base 1960:100 for September 1979 was 363 as compared to 360 in August 1979. The Index Number for September 1979 on base 1949-100 derived from 1960 based index worked out to 441 as against 438 for August 1979.

Industrial Disputes in Maharashtra State

During August 1979, there were 17 disputes involving 4,472 workmen and a time loss of 36,723 working days as compared to 15 disputes in July 1979 involving 1,370 workmen and a time loss of 29,157 mandays. Further particulars of Industrial Disputes are given at pages 251 and 252 of this issue.

Benefits under the E. S. I. Scheme

During the month of September 1979, 13,654 Insured persons received Rs. 30,25,563.36 cash benefits due to employment injuries. This includes 4,198 persons who were in receipt of Pensions for Permanent Disablement and 1,790 persons who were in receipt of Dependent Benefits as dependents of deceased Insured Persons. During the month, 10,383 accidents were reported as against 10,528 during the preceding month.

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Industry-wise classification is given below:—

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	Started before beginning of the month i.e. before August 1979	Started during the month i.e. August 1979	Total		
1	2	3	4	5	6
Textile	1	1	2,621	2,784
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INDUSTRIAL DISPUTES IN MAHARASHTRA STATE DURING AUGUST 1979

	July 1979	August 1979	August 1979
No. of Disputes ..	15	17	2
No. of Workers involved ..	1,370	4,472	15,790
No. of Man-days lost ..	29,157	36,723	72,880

Industry-wise classification is given below:—

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	Started before beginning of the month i.e. before August 1979	Started during the month i.e. August 1979	Total		
1	2	3	4	5	6
Textile	1	1	2,621	2,784
Engineering ..	3	6	9	1,305	25,920
Chemical ..	3	1	4	283	6,528
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Out of the 7 disputes that terminated during the course of the month, no dispute was settled either entirely or partially in favour of the workers 6 in favour of the employers, while the result of the remaining one dispute was indefinite.

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

Serial No.	Name of the Concern	Sector	S/L	Reason	Date of work-stoppages		No. of Workers Involved	Man-days lost		Result
					Began	Ended		During the month	Till the close of the month	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
1	Messrs. Vulcan Laval Ltd., Dapodi Pune.	Pvt.	S	Reinstatement.	8-8-1979	602	12,642	12,642	Continued.

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Comparatively, fewer persons need the employment injury benefits but a fairly large number need Cash Benefit in the event of Sickness. During Sept. 1979, 1,10,912 claims were received and an amount of Rs. 84,08,081.35 was paid out as Sickness Benefit. During the preceding month 1,14,262 claims were received and an amount of Rs. 88,24,955.00 was disbursed as Sickness Benefit.

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During the month 359 Insured Women workers claimed Rs. 4,84,207.30 by way of Maternity Benefit. The attendance at the dispensaries as per certificates received was 3,08,762 during the month.

During the month Funeral Benefit in 169 cases amounting to Rs. 16,892.10 was paid.

During the month Confinement Charges in respect of wives of Insured Persons amounting to Rs. 86,580.00 were paid.

During the month an amount of Rs. 4,654.00 was paid as Enhanced Sickness Benefit to 33 Insured Persons who had gone under sterilisation operation for Family Planning.

For recovery of arrears of Contribution under the Scheme, Legal proceeding had to be initiated in 20 cases against defaulting employers.

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II. Labour Courts—

1	Labour Court, Bombay	58	382	176
2	Labour Court, Pune	6	40	23
3	Labour Court, Nagpur ..	..	20	193	47
4	Labour Court, Thane ..	..	2	157	101
5	Labour Court, Kolhapur ..	..	7	38	20
6	Labour Court, Solapur	2	27	35
7	Labour Court, Akola	33	34
8	Labour Court, Nashik	3	12	13
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		B.I.R. Act, 1946	I.D. Act, 1947	Other Acts
1	2	3	4	5
I. Industrial Courts/Tribunals—				
1	Industrial Court, Bombay ..	9	..	74
2	Industrial Tribunal, Bombay	20	..
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Total

II. Labour Courts—

1	Labour Court, Bombay	58	382	176
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3	Labour Court, Nagpur	20	193	47
4	Labour Court, Thane	2	157	101
5	Labour Court, Kolhapur	7	38	20
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Total	99	890	465

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(1) Industrial Disputes Act, 1947 ..	300	36	336
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Centre	Base Year	Food	Pan, supari, tobacco etc.	Fuel and light	Housing	Clothing, bedding and foot- wear	Mis- cellan- ous	Con- sumer Price Index Number	Equi- valent old Index Number	Con- sumer Price Index Number	Equi- valent old Index Number
								Sept. 1979		Aug. 1979	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
Bombay	.. 1960=100	386	382	473	158	371	291	360	1598	361	1603
Solapur	.. 1960=100	399	350	441	207	403	282	376	1436	373	1425
Nagpur	.. 1960=100	380	351	417	193	430	290	360	1879	350	1827
Pune	.. 1961=100	370	....	455	130	366	258	337	....	338	....
Jalgaon	.. 1961=100	405	....	424	158	330	281	364	1926	364	1926
Nanded	.. 1961=100	427	....	474	196	346	310	391	958	386	946
Aurangabad	.. 1961=100	425	....	457	272	355	294	390	866	388	861

Note.—For arriving at the equivalent old index numbers the new index numbers may be multiplied by the linking factors mentioned against the respective centres as follows:—

BOMBAY : 4.44; SOLAPUR : 3.82; NAGPUR : 5.22; JALGAON : 5.29; NANDED : 2.45; AURANGABAD : 2.22.

ALL INDIA AVERAGE CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBERS FOR INDUSTRIAL WORKERS

The statistics for the Last 12 calendar months from October 1978 to September 1979 are given in the following table:—

TABLE

Month					Base 1960=100 2	* Base 1949=100 3
1						
October 1978	..	..	..	..	340	413
November 1978	..	..	..	..	340	413
December 1978	..	..	..	..	335	407
January 1979	..	..	..	..	332	404
February 1979	..	..	..	..	329	400
March 1979	..	..	..	..	332	404
April 1979	..	..	..	..	337	410
May 1979	..	..	..	..	339	412
June 1979	..	..	..	..	345	419
July 1979	..	..	..	..	353	429
August 1979	..	..	..	..	360	438
September 1979	363	441

*Index numbers under this column are derived from the 1960 based index.

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INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS IN MAHARASHTRA REVIEW FOR THE MONTH OF AUGUST 1979.

Industrial Courts, Tribunals and Labour Courts

In all 1652 applications were received by the Industrial Courts, Tribunals and Labour Courts during the month. Their break-up areas as under :—

Serial No.	Name of the Industrial Court/ Tribunal and Labour Court	No. of applications, etc. received during the month under the—		
		B.I.R. Act, 1946	I.D. Act, 1947	Other Acts
1	2	3	4	5
I. Industrial Courts/Tribunals—				
1	Industrial Court, Bombay ..	9	..	74
2	Industrial Tribunal, Bombay ..	..	20	..
3	Industrial Court, Nagpur ..	..	..	20
4	Industrial Tribunal, Nagpur ..	..	3	..
5	Industrial Court, Pune ..	3	..	15
6	Industrial Tribunal, Pune ..	..	11	..
7	Industrial Court, Thane ..	2	..	17
8	Industrial Tribunal, Thane..	..	24	..
Total ..		..	..	..

II. Labour Courts—

1	Labour Court, Bombay ..	..	58	382	176
2	Labour Court, Pune ..	..	6	40	23
3	Labour Court, Nagpur ..	..	20	193	47
4	Labour Court, Thane ..	..	2	157	101
5	Labour Court, Kolhapur ..	..	7	38	20
6	Labour Court, Solapur ..	..	2	27	35
7	Labour Court, Akola ..	..	..	33	34
8	Labour Court, Nashik ..	..	3	12	13
9	Labour Court, Aurangabad ..	..	1	8	16
Total ..		..	99	890	465

WAGE BOARDS—Nill

references were received by the Wage Board for Cotton Textile Industry for the month under review.

Conciliation

An analysis of disputes handled by the Conciliation machinery in the State during January 1979 under various Acts is given below :—

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

Act	Issues relating to pay, allowances and bonus	Employment, leave, hours of work and Miscellaneous causes	Total
(1) Industrial Disputes Act, 1947 ..	300	36	336
(2) Bombay Industrial Relations Act, 1946 ..	8	4	12
(3) Bombay Industrial Relations (Extension and Amendment) Act, 1964. ..	..	..	..
Total ..	308	40	348

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

Act	Pending at the beginning of the month	No. of cases received during the month	Settled amicably	Ended in failure	With-drawn or not pursued by parties	Closed	Total (4 to 7)	Pending at the end of the month
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
L.D. Act, 1947 ..	2077	336	130	151	64	105	450	1963
B.I.R. Act, 1946 ..	120	12	4	5	5	6	20	112
B.I.R. (Ext. and Amdt.) Act, 1964	47	..	3	2	1	4	10	37
Total	2247	348	137	158	70	115	480	2112

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

Act	Cotton Textile	Silk Textile	Woollen Textile	Textile Processing	Hosiery	Banking	Sugar	Misc.	Engi-neering	Total
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
B.I.R. Act, 1946 ..	7	..	..	28	..	2	1	..	..	38

Act	Textile Industry	Paper Industry	Printing Industry	Press Industry	Shops	Banking	Engi-neering	Local Bodies	Other Misc.	Total
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
B.I.R. (Extension and Amendment) Act, 1964.

District-wise analysis is given below :—

Act	Bombay	Pune	Thane	Solapur	Nanded	Kolha-pur	Ahamad-nagar	Total
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
B.I.R. Act, 1946	30	4	..	..	1	3	..	38

Act	Amravati	Bombay	Wardha	Chanda	Akola	Buldhana	Total
B.I.R. (Extension and Amendment) Act, 1964.

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Agreements, Settlements were registered under the Bombay Industrial Relations Act, 1946 and Bombay Industrial Relations (Extension and Amendment) Act, 1964, during the month.

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month:—

Employment, leave, hours of work and miscellaneous causes	Total
36	316
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Closed	Total (4 to 7)	Peaking at the end of the month
7	8	9
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Ahamad- nagar	Total
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Act, 1946 and Bombay

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INDUSTRIAL DISPUTES IN MAHARASHTRA STATE DURING AUGUST 1979

	July 1979	August 1979	August 1979
No. of Disputes ..	15	17	2
No. of Workers involved ..	1,370	4,472	15,790
No. of Man-days lost ..	29,157	36,723	72,880

Industry-wise classification is given below:—

Name of the Industry Group	Number of disputes in progress			Number of work people involved in all disputes	Aggrega- man-da- lost in
	Started before beginning of the month i.e. before August 1979	Started during the month i.e. August 1979	Total		
1	2	3	4	5	6
Textile ..	..	1	1	2,621	2,784
Engineering ..	3	6	9	1,305	25,920
Chemical ..	3	1	4	283	6,528
Miscellaneous ..	2	1	3	263	1,491
August 1979 Total ..	8	9	17	4,472	36,723
July 1979 Total ..	12	3	15	1,370	29,157

2 of the disputes arose over questions of "pay, allowances and bonus issues", 6 related to "Retrenchment and grievances about personnel". No dispute on "leave and hours of work" and the remaining 9 were due to other causes.

Out of the 7 disputes that terminated during the course of the month, no dispute was settled either entirely or partially in favour of the workers 6 in favour of the employers, while the result of the remaining one dispute was indefinite.

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Serial No.	Name of the Concern	Sector	S/L	Reason	Date of work-stoppages		No. of Workers Involved	Man-days lost		Result
					Began	Ended		During the month	Till the close of the month	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
1	Messrs. Vulcan Laval Ltd., Dapodi Pune.	Pvt.	S	Reinstatement.	8-8-1979	602	12,642	12,642	Continued.

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During the month Confinement Charges in respect of wives of Insured Persons amounting to Rs. 86,580.00 were paid.

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Centre	Base Year	Food	Pan, supari, tobacco etc.	Fuel and light	Housing	Clothing, bedding and foot- wear	Mis- cellan- ous	Con- sumer Price Index Number	Equi- valent old Index Number	Con- sumer Price Index Number	Equi- valent old Index Number
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	Sept. 1979 9	10	Aug. 1979 11	12
Bombay	.. 1960=100	386	382	473	158	371	291	360	1598	361	1603
Solapur	.. 1960=100	399	350	441	207	403	282	376	1436	373	1425
Nagpur	.. 1960=100	380	351	417	193	430	290	360	1879	350	1827
Pune	.. 1961=100	370	....	455	130	366	258	337	....	338	....
Jalgaon	.. 1961=100	405	....	424	158	330	281	364	1926	364	1926
Nanded	.. 1961=100	427	....	474	196	346	310	391	958	386	946
Aurangabad	.. 1961=100	425	....	457	272	355	294	390	866	388	861

Note.—For arriving at the equivalent old index numbers the new index numbers may be multiplied by the linking factors mentioned against the respective centres as follows:—

BOMBAY : 4.44; SOLAPUR : 3.82; NAGPUR : 5.22; JALGAON : 5.29; NANDED : 2.45; AURANGABAD : 2.22.

ALL INDIA AVERAGE CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBERS FOR INDUSTRIAL WORKERS

The statistics for the Last 12 calendar months from October 1978 to September 1979 are given in the following table:—

TABLE

Month					Base 1960=100	* Base 1949=100
1					2	3
October 1978	..	..	..	..	340	413
November 1978	..	..	..	..	340	413
December 1978	..	..	..	..	335	407
January 1979	..	..	..	..	332	404
February 1979	..	..	..	..	329	400
March 1979	..	..	..	..	332	404
April 1979	..	..	..	..	337	410
May 1979	..	..	..	..	339	412
June 1979	..	..	..	..	345	419
July 1979	..	..	..	..	353	429
August 1979	..	..	..	..	360	438
September 1979	363	441

*Index numbers under this column are derived from the 1960 based index.

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Labour Intelligence

INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS IN MAHARASHTRA REVIEW FOR THE MONTH OF AUGUST 1979.

Industrial Courts, Tribunals and Labour Courts

In all 1652 applications were received by the Industrial Courts, Tribunals and Labour Courts during the month. Their break-up areas as under :—

Serial No.	Name of the Industrial Court/ Tribunal and Labour Court	No. of applications, etc. received during the month under the—		
		B.I.R. Act, 1946	I.D. Act, 1947	Other Acts
1	2	3	4	5
I. Industrial Courts/Tribunals—				
1	Industrial Court, Bombay ..	9	..	74
2	Industrial Tribunal, Bombay ..	..	20	..
3	Industrial Court, Nagpur ..	..	..	20
4	Industrial Tribunal, Nagpur ..	..	3	..
5	Industrial Court, Pune ..	3	..	15
6	Industrial Tribunal, Pune ..	..	11	..
7	Industrial Court, Thane ..	2	..	17
8	Industrial Tribunal, Thane..	..	24	..
Total ..		..	..	..

II. Labour Courts—

1	Labour Court, Bombay ..	..	58	382	176
2	Labour Court, Pune ..	..	6	40	23
3	Labour Court, Nagpur ..	..	20	193	47
4	Labour Court, Thane ..	..	2	157	101
5	Labour Court, Kolhapur ..	..	7	38	20
6	Labour Court, Solapur ..	..	2	27	35
7	Labour Court, Akola ..	..	..	33	34
8	Labour Court, Nashik ..	..	3	12	13
9	Labour Court, Aurangabad ..	..	1	8	16
Total ..		..	99	890	465

WAGE BOARDS—Nill

references were received by the Wage Board for Cotton Textile Industry for the month under review.

Conciliation

An analysis of disputes handled by the Conciliation machinery in the State during January 1979 under various Acts is given below :—

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

Act	Issues relating to pay, allowances and bonus	Employment, leave, hours of work and Miscellaneous causes	Total
(1) Industrial Disputes Act, 1947 ..	300	36	336
(2) Bombay Industrial Relations Act, 1946 ..	8	4	12
(3) Bombay Industrial Relations (Extension and Amendment) Act, 1964. ..	..	..	..
Total ..	308	40	348

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

Act	Pending at the beginning of the month	No. of cases received during the month	Settled amicably	Ended in failure	With-drawn or not pursued by parties	Closed	Total (4 to 7)	Pending at the end of the month
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
L.D. Act, 1947 ..	2077	336	130	151	64	105	450	1963
B.I.R. Act, 1946 ..	120	12	4	5	5	6	20	112
B.I.R. (Ext. and Amdt.) Act, 1964	47	..	3	2	1	4	10	37
Total	2247	348	137	158	70	115	480	2112

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

Act	Cotton Textile	Silk Textile	Woollen Textile	Textile Processing	Hosiery	Banking	Sugar	Misc.	Engi-neering	Total
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
B.I.R. Act, 1946 ..	7	..	..	28	..	2	1	..	..	38

Act	Textile Industry	Paper Industry	Printing Industry	Press Industry	Shops	Banking	Engi-neering	Local Bodies	Other Misc.	Total
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
B.I.R. (Extension and Amendment) Act, 1964.

District-wise analysis is given below :—

Act	Bombay	Pune	Thane	Solapur	Nanded	Kolha-pur	Ahamad-nagar	Total
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
B.I.R. Act, 1946	30	4	..	..	1	3	..	38

Act	Amravati	Bombay	Wardha	Chanda	Akola	Buldhana	Total
B.I.R. (Extension and Amendment) Act, 1964.

Registration of Agreements, Settlements, Awards, etc.

Agreements, Settlements were registered under the Bombay Industrial Relations Act, 1946 and Bombay Industrial Relations (Extension and Amendment) Act, 1964, during the month.

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machinery in the State during
month:—

Employment, leave, hours of work and miscellaneous causes	Total
36	316
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..	..
40	344

month:—

Closed	Total (4 to 7)	Peaking at the end of the month
7	8	9
105	450	1953
6	20	112
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3	9	10	11
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Local Bodies	Other Misc.	Total
9	10	11
..

Ahamad- nagar	Total
8	9
..	38

Buldhana	Total
..	..

Act, 1946 and Bombay

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INDUSTRIAL DISPUTES IN MAHARASHTRA STATE DURING AUGUST 1979

	July 1979	August 1979	August 1979
No. of Disputes ..	15	17	2
No. of Workers involved ..	1,370	4,472	15,790
No. of Man-days lost ..	29,157	36,723	72,880

Industry-wise classification is given below:—

Name of the Industry Group	Number of disputes in progress			Number of work people involved in all disputes	Aggrega- man-da- lost in
	Started before beginning of the month i.e. before August 1979	Started during the month i.e. August 1979	Total		
1	2	3	4	5	6
Textile ..	..	1	1	2,621	2,784
Engineering ..	3	6	9	1,305	25,920
Chemical ..	3	1	4	283	6,528
Miscellaneous ..	2	1	3	263	1,491
August 1979 Total ..	8	9	17	4,472	36,723
July 1979 Total ..	12	3	15	1,370	29,157

2 of the disputes arose over questions of "pay, allowances and bonus issues", 6 related to "Retrenchment and grievances about personnel". No dispute on "leave and hours of work" and the remaining 9 were due to other causes.

Out of the 7 disputes that terminated during the course of the month, no dispute was settled either entirely or partially in favour of the workers 6 in favour of the employers, while the result of the remaining one dispute was indefinite.

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

Serial No.	Name of the Concern	Sector	S/L	Reason	Date of work-stoppages		No. of Workers Involved	Man-days lost		Result
					Began	Ended		During the month	Till the close of the month	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
1	Messrs. Vulcan Laval Ltd., Dapodi Pune.	Pvt.	S	Reinstatement.	8-8-1979	602	12,642	12,642	Continued.

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Comparatively, fewer persons need the employment injury benefits but a fairly large number need Cash Benefit in the event of Sickness. During Sept. 1979, 1,10,912 claims were received and an amount of Rs. 84,08,081.35 was paid out as Sickness Benefit. During the preceding month 1,14,262 claims were received and an amount of Rs. 88,24,955.00 was disbursed as Sickness Benefit.

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During the month 359 Insured Women workers claimed Rs. 4,84,207.30 by way of Maternity Benefit. The attendance at the dispensaries as per certificates received was 3,08,762 during the month.

During the month Funeral Benefit in 169 cases amounting to Rs. 16,892.10 was paid.

During the month Confinement Charges in respect of wives of Insured Persons amounting to Rs. 86,580.00 were paid.

During the month an amount of Rs. 4,654.00 was paid as Enhanced Sickness Benefit to 33 Insured Persons who had gone under sterilisation operation for Family Planning.

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STATEMENT SHOWING THE CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBERS FOR WORKING CLASS BY GROUPS FOR SEVEN CENTRES OF MAHARASHTRA STATE FOR THE MONTH OF SEPTEMBER 1979.

Centre	Base Year	Food	Pan, supari, tobacco etc.	Fuel and light	Housing	Clothing, bedding and foot- wear	Mis- cellan- ous	Con- sumer Price Index Number	Equi- valent old Index Number	Con- sumer Price Index Number	Equi- valent old Index Number
								Sept. 1979		Aug. 1979	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
Bombay	.. 1960=100	386	382	473	158	371	291	360	1598	361	1603
Solapur	.. 1960=100	399	350	441	207	403	282	376	1436	373	1425
Nagpur	.. 1960=100	380	351	417	193	430	290	360	1879	350	1827
Pune	.. 1961=100	370	....	455	130	366	258	337	....	338	....
Jalgaon	.. 1961=100	405	....	424	158	330	281	364	1926	364	1926
Nanded	.. 1961=100	427	....	474	196	346	310	391	958	386	946
Aurangabad	.. 1961=100	425	....	457	272	355	294	390	866	388	861

Note.—For arriving at the equivalent old index numbers the new index numbers may be multiplied by the linking factors mentioned against the respective centres as follows:—

BOMBAY : 4.44; SOLAPUR : 3.82; NAGPUR : 5.22; JALGAON : 5.29; NANDED : 2.45; AURANGABAD : 2.22.

ALL INDIA AVERAGE CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBERS FOR INDUSTRIAL WORKERS

The statistics for the Last 12 calendar months from October 1978 to September 1979 are given in the following table:—

TABLE

Month					Base 1960=100	* Base 1949=100
1					2	3
October 1978	..	..	..	..	340	413
November 1978	..	..	..	..	340	413
December 1978	..	..	..	..	335	407
January 1979	..	..	..	..	332	404
February 1979	..	..	..	..	329	400
March 1979	..	..	..	..	332	404
April 1979	..	..	..	..	337	410
May 1979	..	..	..	..	339	412
June 1979	..	..	..	..	345	419
July 1979	..	..	..	..	353	429
August 1979	..	..	..	..	360	438
September 1979	363	441

*Index numbers under this column are derived from the 1960 based index.

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Labour Intelligence

INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS IN MAHARASHTRA REVIEW FOR THE MONTH OF AUGUST 1979.

Industrial Courts, Tribunals and Labour Courts

In all 1652 applications were received by the Industrial Courts, Tribunals and Labour Courts during the month. Their break-up areas as under :—

Serial No.	Name of the Industrial Court/ Tribunal and Labour Court	No. of applications, etc. received during the month under the—		
		B.I.R. Act, 1946	I.D. Act, 1947	Other Acts
1	2	3	4	5
I. Industrial Courts/Tribunals—				
1	Industrial Court, Bombay ..	9	..	74
2	Industrial Tribunal, Bombay ..	..	20	..
3	Industrial Court, Nagpur ..	..	..	20
4	Industrial Tribunal, Nagpur ..	..	3	..
5	Industrial Court, Pune ..	3	..	15
6	Industrial Tribunal, Pune ..	..	11	..
7	Industrial Court, Thane ..	2	..	17
8	Industrial Tribunal, Thane..	..	24	..
Total ..		..	..	..

II. Labour Courts—

1	Labour Court, Bombay ..	..	58	382	176
2	Labour Court, Pune ..	..	6	40	23
3	Labour Court, Nagpur ..	..	20	193	47
4	Labour Court, Thane ..	..	2	157	101
5	Labour Court, Kolhapur ..	..	7	38	20
6	Labour Court, Solapur ..	..	2	27	35
7	Labour Court, Akola ..	..	..	33	34
8	Labour Court, Nashik ..	..	3	12	13
9	Labour Court, Aurangabad ..	..	1	8	16
Total ..		..	99	890	465

WAGE BOARDS—Nill

references were received by the Wage Board for Cotton Textile Industry for the month under review.

Conciliation

An analysis of disputes handled by the Conciliation machinery in the State during January 1979 under various Acts is given below :—

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

Act	Issues relating to pay, allowances and bonus	Employment, leave, hours of work and Miscellaneous causes	Total
(1) Industrial Disputes Act, 1947 ..	300	36	336
(2) Bombay Industrial Relations Act, 1946 ..	8	4	12
(3) Bombay Industrial Relations (Extension and Amendment) Act, 1964. ..	..	..	..
Total ..	308	40	348

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

Act	Pending at the beginning of the month	No. of cases received during the month	Settled amicably	Ended in failure	With-drawn or not pursued by parties	Closed	Total (4 to 7)	Pending at the end of the month
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
L.D. Act, 1947 ..	2077	336	130	151	64	105	450	1963
B.I.R. Act, 1946 ..	120	12	4	5	5	6	20	112
B.I.R. (Ext. and Amdt.) Act, 1964	47	..	3	2	1	4	10	37
Total	2247	348	137	158	70	115	480	2112

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

Act	Cotton Textile	Silk Textile	Woollen Textile	Textile Processing	Hosiery	Banking	Sugar	Misc.	Engi-neering	Total
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
B.I.R. Act, 1946 ..	7	..	..	28	..	2	1	..	..	38

Act	Textile Industry	Paper Industry	Printing Industry	Press Industry	Shops	Banking	Engi-neering	Local Bodies	Other Misc.	Total
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
B.I.R. (Extension and Amendment) Act, 1964.

District-wise analysis is given below :—

Act	Bombay	Pune	Thane	Solapur	Nanded	Kolha-pur	Ahamad-nagar	Total
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
B.I.R. Act, 1946	30	4	..	..	1	3	..	38

Act	Amravati	Bombay	Wardha	Chanda	Akola	Buldhana	Total
B.I.R. (Extension and Amendment) Act, 1964.

Registration of Agreements, Settlements, Awards, etc.

Agreements, Settlements were registered under the Bombay Industrial Relations Act, 1946 and Bombay Industrial Relations (Extension and Amendment) Act, 1964, during the month.

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machinery in the State during
month:—

Employment, leave, hours of work and miscellaneous causes	Total
36	336
4	12
..	..
40	344

month:—

Closed	Total (4 to 7)	Peaking at the end of the month
7	8	9
105	450	1953
6	20	112
4	10	37
115	480	2112

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Relations (Extension and

gar	Misc.	Engi- neering	Total
3	9	10	11
1	38

Local Bodies	Other Misc.	Total
9	10	11
..

Ahamad- nagar	Total
8	9
..	38

Buldhana	Total
..	..

Act, 1946 and Bombay

LABOUR GAZETTE—NOVEMBER 1979

INDUSTRIAL DISPUTES IN MAHARASHTRA STATE DURING AUGUST 1979

	July 1979	August 1979	August 1979
No. of Disputes ..	15	17	2
No. of Workers involved ..	1,370	4,472	15,790
No. of Man-days lost ..	29,157	36,723	72,880

Industry-wise classification is given below:—

Name of the Industry Group	Number of disputes in progress			Number of work people involved in all disputes	Aggrega- man-da- lost in
	Started before beginning of the month i.e. before August 1979	Started during the month i.e. August 1979	Total		
1	2	3	4	5	6
Textile ..	..	1	1	2,621	2,784
Engineering ..	3	6	9	1,305	25,920
Chemical ..	3	1	4	283	6,528
Miscellaneous ..	2	1	3	263	1,491
August 1979 Total ..	8	9	17	4,472	36,723
July 1979 Total ..	12	3	15	1,370	29,157

2 of the disputes arose over questions of "pay, allowances and bonus issues", 6 related to "Retrenchment and grievances about personnel". No dispute on "leave and hours of work" and the remaining 9 were due to other causes.

Out of the 7 disputes that terminated during the course of the month, no dispute was settled either entirely or partially in favour of the workers 6 in favour of the employers, while the result of the remaining one dispute was indefinite.

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

Serial No.	Name of the Concern	Sector	S/L	Reason	Date of work-stoppages		No. of Workers Involved	Man-days lost		Result
					Began	Ended		During the month	Till the close of the month	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
1	Messrs. Vulcan Laval Ltd., Dapodi Pune.	Pvt.	S	Reinstatement.	8-8-1979	602	12,642	12,642	Continued.

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Comparatively, fewer persons need the employment injury benefits but a fairly large number need Cash Benefit in the event of Sickness. During Sept. 1979, 1,10,912 claims were received and an amount of Rs. 84,08,081.35 was paid out as Sickness Benefit. During the preceding month 1,14,262 claims were received and an amount of Rs. 88,24,955.00 was disbursed as Sickness Benefit.

Some Insured Persons suffering from T.B., Mental, Malignant, other long term diseases etc., require more attention and they are being paid additional benefit called Extended Sickness Benefit. During the month an amount of Rs. 6,89,991.00 paid towards this benefit.

During the month 359 Insured Women workers claimed Rs. 4,84,207.30 by way of Maternity Benefit. The attendance at the dispensaries as per certificates received was 3,08,762 during the month.

During the month Funeral Benefit in 169 cases amounting to Rs. 16,892.10 was paid.

During the month Confinement Charges in respect of wives of Insured Persons amounting to Rs. 86,580.00 were paid.

During the month an amount of Rs. 4,654.00 was paid as Enhanced Sickness Benefit to 33 Insured Persons who had gone under sterilisation operation for Family Planning.

For recovery of arrears of Contribution under the Scheme, Legal proceeding had to be initiated in 20 cases against defaulting employers.

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(2) Washing Soap BB Chhap.	Per Cake ..	7.37	0.40	1.20	1.20	300	300
Total ..		11.60					
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(e) Medical Care—							
(1) Patent Medicine—							
(i) Glycodine Terf/ Vasaka	Bottle of 70 ml.	17.37	1.89	4.05	4.05	170	170
(ii) Anacin ..	2 Tablets	0.12	0.15	0.15	168	168
(2) Mixture, Daily Mixture.	per day ..	1.35	0.57	0.96	0.96		
Total ..		18.72					
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(1) Hair oil Tata Co. etc.	Small Bottle	3.37	1.34	4.60	4.60	343	343
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STATEMENT SHOWING THE CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBERS FOR WORKING CLASS BY GROUPS FOR SEVEN CENTRES OF MAHARASHTRA STATE FOR THE MONTH OF SEPTEMBER 1979.

Centre	Base Year	Food	Pan, supari, tobacco etc.	Fuel and light	Housing	Clothing, bedding and foot- wear	Mis- cellan- ous	Con- sumer Price Index Number	Equi- valent old Index Number	Con- sumer Price Index Number	Equi- valent old Index Number
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	Sept. 1979 9	10	Aug. 1979 11	12
Bombay	.. 1960=100	386	382	473	158	371	291	360	1598	361	1603
Solapur	.. 1960=100	399	350	441	207	403	282	376	1436	373	1425
Nagpur	.. 1960=100	380	351	417	193	430	290	360	1879	350	1827
Pune	.. 1961=100	370	....	455	130	366	258	337	....	338	....
Jalgaon	.. 1961=100	405	....	424	158	330	281	364	1926	364	1926
Nanded	.. 1961=100	427	....	474	196	346	310	391	958	386	946
Aurangabad	.. 1961=100	425	....	457	272	355	294	390	866	388	861

Note.—For arriving at the equivalent old index numbers the new index numbers may be multiplied by the linking factors mentioned against the respective centres as follows:—

BOMBAY : 4.44; SOLAPUR : 3.82; NAGPUR : 5.22; JALGAON : 5.29; NANDED : 2.45; AURANGABAD : 2.22.

ALL INDIA AVERAGE CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBERS FOR INDUSTRIAL WORKERS

The statistics for the Last 12 calendar months from October 1978 to September 1979 are given in the following table:—

TABLE

Month					Base 1960=100	* Base 1949=100
1					2	3
October 1978	..	..	..	..	340	413
November 1978	..	..	..	..	340	413
December 1978	..	..	..	..	335	407
January 1979	..	..	..	..	332	404
February 1979	..	..	..	..	329	400
March 1979	..	..	..	..	332	404
April 1979	..	..	..	..	337	410
May 1979	..	..	..	..	339	412
June 1979	..	..	..	..	345	419
July 1979	..	..	..	..	353	429
August 1979	..	..	..	..	360	438
September 1979	363	441

*Index numbers under this column are derived from the 1960 based index.

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Labour Intelligence

INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS IN MAHARASHTRA REVIEW FOR THE MONTH OF AUGUST 1979.

Industrial Courts, Tribunals and Labour Courts

In all 1652 applications were received by the Industrial Courts, Tribunals and Labour Courts during the month. Their break-up areas as under :—

Serial No.	Name of the Industrial Court/ Tribunal and Labour Court	No. of applications, etc. received during the month under the—		
		B.I.R. Act, 1946	I.D. Act, 1947	Other Acts
1	2	3	4	5
I. Industrial Courts/Tribunals—				
1	Industrial Court, Bombay ..	9	..	74
2	Industrial Tribunal, Bombay ..	..	20	..
3	Industrial Court, Nagpur ..	..	..	20
4	Industrial Tribunal, Nagpur ..	..	3	..
5	Industrial Court, Pune ..	3	..	15
6	Industrial Tribunal, Pune ..	..	11	..
7	Industrial Court, Thane ..	2	..	17
8	Industrial Tribunal, Thane..	..	24	..
Total ..		..	..	..

II. Labour Courts—

1	Labour Court, Bombay ..	..	58	382	176
2	Labour Court, Pune ..	..	6	40	23
3	Labour Court, Nagpur ..	..	20	193	47
4	Labour Court, Thane ..	..	2	157	101
5	Labour Court, Kolhapur ..	..	7	38	20
6	Labour Court, Solapur ..	..	2	27	35
7	Labour Court, Akola ..	..	..	33	34
8	Labour Court, Nashik ..	..	3	12	13
9	Labour Court, Aurangabad ..	..	1	8	16
Total ..		..	99	890	465

WAGE BOARDS—Nill

references were received by the Wage Board for Cotton Textile Industry for the month under review.

Conciliation

An analysis of disputes handled by the Conciliation machinery in the State during January 1979 under various Acts is given below :—

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

Act	Issues relating to pay, allowances and bonus	Employment, leave, hours of work and Miscellaneous causes	Total
(1) Industrial Disputes Act, 1947 ..	300	36	336
(2) Bombay Industrial Relations Act, 1946 ..	8	4	12
(3) Bombay Industrial Relations (Extension and Amendment) Act, 1964. ..	..	..	..
Total ..	308	40	348

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

Act	Pending at the beginning of the month	No. of cases received during the month	Settled amicably	Ended in failure	With-drawn or not pursued by parties	Closed	Total (4 to 7)	Pending at the end of the month
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
L.D. Act, 1947 ..	2077	336	130	151	64	105	450	1963
B.I.R. Act, 1946 ..	120	12	4	5	5	6	20	112
B.I.R. (Ext. and Amdt.) Act, 1964	47	..	3	2	1	4	10	37
Total	2247	348	137	158	70	115	480	2112

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

Act	Cotton Textile	Silk Textile	Woollen Textile	Textile Processing	Hosiery	Banking	Sugar	Misc.	Engi-neering	Total
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
B.I.R. Act, 1946 ..	7	..	..	28	..	2	1	..	..	38

Act	Textile Industry	Paper Industry	Printing Industry	Press Industry	Shops	Banking	Engi-neering	Local Bodies	Other Misc.	Total
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
B.I.R. (Extension and Amendment) Act, 1964.

District-wise analysis is given below :—

Act	Bombay	Pune	Thane	Solapur	Nanded	Kolha-pur	Ahamad-nagar	Total
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
B.I.R. Act, 1946	30	4	..	..	1	3	..	38

Act	Amravati	Bombay	Wardha	Chanda	Akola	Buldhana	Total
B.I.R. (Extension and Amendment) Act, 1964.

Registration of Agreements, Settlements, Awards, etc.

Agreements, Settlements were registered under the Bombay Industrial Relations Act, 1946 and Bombay Industrial Relations (Extension and Amendment) Act, 1964, during the month.

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machinery in the State during
month:—

Employment, leave, hours of work and miscellaneous causes	Total
36	316
4	12
..	..
40	344

month:—

Closed	Total (4 to 7)	Peaking at the end of the month
7	8	9
105	450	1953
6	20	112
4	10	37
115	480	2112

during the month under
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gar	Misc.	Engi- neering	Total
3	9	10	11
1	38

Local Bodies	Other Misc.	Total
9	10	11
..

Ahamad- nagar	Total
8	9
..	38

Buldhana	Total
..	..

Act, 1946 and Bombay

LABOUR GAZETTE—NOVEMBER 1979

INDUSTRIAL DISPUTES IN MAHARASHTRA STATE DURING AUGUST 1979

	July 1979	August 1979	August 1979
No. of Disputes ..	15	17	2
No. of Workers involved ..	1,370	4,472	15,790
No. of Man-days lost ..	29,157	36,723	72,880

Industry-wise classification is given below:—

Name of the Industry Group	Number of disputes in progress			Number of work people involved in all disputes	Aggrega- man-da- lost in
	Started before beginning of the month i.e. before August 1979	Started during the month i.e. August 1979	Total		
1	2	3	4	5	6
Textile ..	..	1	1	2,621	2,784
Engineering ..	3	6	9	1,305	25,920
Chemical ..	3	1	4	283	6,528
Miscellaneous ..	2	1	3	263	1,491
August 1979 Total ..	8	9	17	4,472	36,723
July 1979 Total ..	12	3	15	1,370	29,157

2 of the disputes arose over questions of "pay, allowances and bonus issues", 6 related to "Retrenchment and grievances about personnel". No dispute on "leave and hours of work" and the remaining 9 were due to other causes.

Out of the 7 disputes that terminated during the course of the month, no dispute was settled either entirely or partially in favour of the workers 6 in favour of the employers, while the result of the remaining one dispute was indefinite.

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

Serial No.	Name of the Concern	Sector	S/L	Reason	Date of work-stoppages		No. of Workers Involved	Man-days lost		Result
					Began	Ended		During the month	Till the close of the month	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
1	Messrs. Vulcan Laval Ltd., Dapodi Pune.	Pvt.	S	Reinstatement.	8-8-1979	602	12,642	12,642	Continued.

LABOUR GAZETTE—NOVEMBER 1979

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**BENEFITS UNDER THE EMPLOYEES' STATE
INSURANCE SCHEME—REVIEW FOR THE
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The Employees' State Insurance Scheme applies to 26 Centres in the State of Maharashtra and provides protection to 15,73,321 workers in the event of employment injury, Sickness and Maternity. This protection is made available in two ways, namely, by provision of medical care and cash benefits when needed. During the month of September 1979, 1,365 Insured person received Rs. 30,25,563.36 cash benefits due to employment injuries. This includes 41,98 persons who were in receipt of Pensions for Permanent Disablement and 1790 persons who were in receipt of Dependant Benefit as dependants of deceased Insured persons. During the month, 10,383 accidents were reported as against 10,528 during the preceding month.

Comparatively, fewer persons need the employment injury benefits but a fairly large number need Cash Benefit in the event of Sickness. During Sept. 1979, 1,10,912 claims were received and an amount of Rs. 84,08,081.35 was paid out as Sickness Benefit. During the preceding month 1,14,262 claims were received and an amount of Rs. 88,24,955.00 was disbursed as Sickness Benefit.

Some Insured Persons suffering from T.B., Mental, Malignant, other long term diseases etc., require more attention and they are being paid additional benefit called Extended Sickness Benefit. During the month an amount of Rs. 6,89,991.00 paid towards this benefit.

During the month 359 Insured Women workers claimed Rs. 4,84,207.30 by way of Maternity Benefit. The attendance at the dispensaries as per certificates received was 3,08,762 during the month.

During the month Funeral Benefit in 169 cases amounting to Rs. 16,892.10 was paid.

During the month Confinement Charges in respect of wives of Insured Persons amounting to Rs. 86,580.00 were paid.

During the month an amount of Rs. 4,654.00 was paid as Enhanced Sickness Benefit to 33 Insured Persons who had gone under sterilisation operation for Family Planning.

For recovery of arrears of Contribution under the Scheme, Legal proceeding had to be initiated in 20 cases against defaulting employers.

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IV. Clothing and Footwear—							
(a) Clothing—							
(1) Dhoti ..	Per sq. metre.	3.57	1.28	4.64	4.64	362	362
(2) Saree ..	" ..	29.86	1.28	4.32	4.59	337	359
(3) Cloth for trousers ..	" ..	5.25	2.62	9.32	9.02	356	344
(4) Long cloth ..	" ..	11.76	1.64	7.28	7.25	444	442
(5) Coloured poplin ..	" ..	40.44	2.25	8.38	8.27	372	368
Total ..		90.88					
Index Number Sub-group (IV)(a).						369	373
(b) Footwear—							
(1) Shoes—							
(i) Bata Co. ..	Per Pair ..	4.27	17.14	58.35	58.35	300	300
(ii) Flex Co. ..	"	19.30	49.95	49.95		
(2) Chappals—							
(i) Bata Co. ..	" ..	4.85	6.18	18.65	18.65	293	293
(ii) Flex Co. ..	"	8.40	23.95	23.95		
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(1) Clothing ..		90.88	369	373
(2) Foot wear ..		9.12	296	296
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Index Number Group IV						362	366
V. Miscellaneous—							
(a) Pan Supari—							
(1) Pan-leaf—	Bundle of						
(i) Gawran Kachhi ..	100 leaves	1.08	0.33	1.43	1.30	433	394
(2) Pan Finished—							
(i) Poona Masala ..	Each vida	1.82	0.04	0.20	0.20	500	500
(3) Supari—							
(i) Manglori ..	50 gs.	1.57	0.45	0.76	0.75	169	167
Total ..		4.47					
Index Number Sub-group V (a).						368	357
(b) Tobacco and Tobacco Products—							
(1) Bidies—							
(i) Charbhai ..	Bundle of	2.56	0.15	0.50	0.50	333	333
(ii) Pawar ..	25 bidies.	..	0.15	0.50	0.50		
(2) Cigarettes—							
(i) Charminar ..	Pkt. of 10	1.94	0.15	1.00	1.00	583	583
(ii) Pila Hathi ..	Cigarettes	..	0.20	1.00	1.00		
(3) Chewing Tobacco—							
(i) Akoli Jarda No. 1	50g.	1.92	0.37	0.60	0.60	178	178
(ii) Akoli Jarda No. 2	0.28	0.50	0.50		
(iii) Satara Jarda	0.31	0.60	0.60		
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Index Number Sub-group V (b).						362	362
(c) House-hold Utillties							
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(1) Lota ..	kg.	4.76	7.14	35.00	35.00	490	490
Total ..		4.76					
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			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
(d) Washing Soap—							
(1) Laundry charges (Ordinary, Washing and Ironing).	Per Piece ..	4.23	0.13	0.40	0.40	308	308
(2) Washing Soap BB Chhap.	Per Cake ..	7.37	0.40	1.20	1.20	300	300
Total ..		11.60					
Index Number Sub-Group V(d).						303	303
(e) Medical Care—							
(1) Patent Medicine—							
(i) Glycodine Terf/	Bottle of 70 ml.	17.37	1.89	4.05	4.05	170	170
(ii) Anacin ..	2 Tablets ..	..	0.12	0.15	0.15		
(2) Mixture, Daily Mixture.	per day ..	1.35	0.57	0.96	0.96	168	168
Total ..		18.72					
Index Number Sub-group V(e).						170	170
(f) Personal Care—							
(1) Hair oil Tata Co. etc.	Small Bottle	3.37	1.34	4.60	4.60	343	343
(2) Barber charges—							
(a) Haircut with shave	Per Adult	6.52	0.75	2.00	2.00	249	249
(b) Haircut ..	..	..	0.65	1.50	1.50		
(c) Shave ..	..	..	0.20	0.50	0.50		
(3) Toilet Soap—							
(a) Lifebuoy ..	Cake ..	2.29	0.49	1.37	1.37	291	288
(b) Lux ..	..	..	0.49	1.48	1.45		
(4) Tooth Powder—							
(a) Bytco(Family size))	Bottle ..	1.98	1.87	5.25	5.25	276	276
(b) Bytco(Small size)	..	..	0.46	1.25	1.25		
(5) Blades—							
(a) Bharat ..	Packet of 10	0.04	0.43	0.90	0.90	221	221
(b) 6' Morning ..	2 Packets of 5 each	..	0.60	1.40	1.40		
Total ..		14.20				282	281
Index Number Sub-group V(f).							
(g) Education and Reading—							
(1) School Fees for Std. VIII.	Per Student Per month	8.86	4.85	5.50	5.50	113	113
(2) School Books—Std. VIII—							
(i) Kumar bharati ..	Per Copy	2.55	2.42	2.50	2.50	197	197
(ii) Ankaganit ..	..	..	1.75	5.95	5.95		
(iii) Apali Prithwi ..	..	..	1.88	2.80	2.80		
(3) News papers—							
(i) Sakal Daily	2.50	0.07	0.30	0.30	429	429
(ii) Loksattha Daily	0.07		
Total ..		13.91				185	185
Index Number Sub-group V(g).							

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STATEMENT SHOWING THE CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBERS FOR WORKING CLASS BY GROUPS FOR SEVEN CENTRES OF MAHARASHTRA STATE FOR THE MONTH OF SEPTEMBER 1979.

Centre	Base Year	Food	Pan, supari, tobacco etc.	Fuel and light	Housing	Clothing, bedding and foot- wear	Mis- cellan- ous	Con- sumer Price Index Number	Equi- valent old Index Number	Con- sumer Price Index Number	Equi- valent old Index Number
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Bombay	.. 1960=100	386	382	473	158	371	291	360	1598	361	1603
Solapur	.. 1960=100	399	350	441	207	403	282	376	1436	373	1425
Nagpur	.. 1960=100	380	351	417	193	430	290	360	1879	350	1827
Pune	.. 1961=100	370	....	455	130	366	258	337	....	338	....
Jalgaon	.. 1961=100	405	....	424	158	330	281	364	1926	364	1926
Nanded	.. 1961=100	427	....	474	196	346	310	391	958	386	946
Aurangabad	.. 1961=100	425	....	457	272	355	294	390	866	388	861

Note.—For arriving at the equivalent old index numbers the new index numbers may be multiplied by the linking factors mentioned against the respective centres as follows:—

BOMBAY : 4.44; SOLAPUR : 3.82; NAGPUR : 5.22; JALGAON : 5.29; NANDED : 2.45; AURANGABAD : 2.22.

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The statistics for the Last 12 calendar months from October 1978 to September 1979 are given in the following table:—

TABLE

Month					Base 1960=100	* Base 1949=100
1					2	3
October 1978	..	..	..	..	340	413
November 1978	..	..	..	..	340	413
December 1978	..	..	..	..	335	407
January 1979	..	..	..	..	332	404
February 1979	..	..	..	..	329	400
March 1979	..	..	..	..	332	404
April 1979	..	..	..	..	337	410
May 1979	..	..	..	..	339	412
June 1979	..	..	..	..	345	419
July 1979	..	..	..	..	353	429
August 1979	..	..	..	..	360	438
September 1979	363	441

*Index numbers under this column are derived from the 1960 based index.

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Labour Intelligence

INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS IN MAHARASHTRA REVIEW FOR THE MONTH OF AUGUST 1979.

Industrial Courts, Tribunals and Labour Courts

In all 1652 applications were received by the Industrial Courts, Tribunals and Labour Courts during the month. Their break-up areas as under :—

Serial No.	Name of the Industrial Court/ Tribunal and Labour Court	No. of applications, etc. received during the month under the—		
		B.I.R. Act, 1946	I.D. Act, 1947	Other Acts
1	2	3	4	5
I. Industrial Courts/Tribunals—				
1	Industrial Court, Bombay ..	9	..	74
2	Industrial Tribunal, Bombay ..	..	20	..
3	Industrial Court, Nagpur ..	..	..	20
4	Industrial Tribunal, Nagpur ..	..	3	..
5	Industrial Court, Pune ..	3	..	15
6	Industrial Tribunal, Pune ..	..	11	..
7	Industrial Court, Thane ..	2	..	17
8	Industrial Tribunal, Thane..	..	24	..
Total ..		..	..	..

II. Labour Courts—

1	Labour Court, Bombay ..	..	58	382	176
2	Labour Court, Pune ..	..	6	40	23
3	Labour Court, Nagpur ..	..	20	193	47
4	Labour Court, Thane ..	..	2	157	101
5	Labour Court, Kolhapur ..	..	7	38	20
6	Labour Court, Solapur ..	..	2	27	35
7	Labour Court, Akola ..	..	..	33	34
8	Labour Court, Nashik ..	..	3	12	13
9	Labour Court, Aurangabad ..	..	1	8	16
Total ..		..	99	890	465

WAGE BOARDS—Nill

references were received by the Wage Board for Cotton Textile Industry for the month under review.

Conciliation

An analysis of disputes handled by the Conciliation machinery in the State during January 1979 under various Acts is given below :—

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

Act	Issues relating to pay, allowances and bonus	Employment, leave, hours of work and Miscellaneous causes	Total
(1) Industrial Disputes Act, 1947 ..	300	36	336
(2) Bombay Industrial Relations Act, 1946 ..	8	4	12
(3) Bombay Industrial Relations (Extension and Amendment) Act, 1964. ..	..	..	..
Total ..	308	40	348

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

Act	Pending at the beginning of the month	No. of cases received during the month	Settled amicably	Ended in failure	With-drawn or not pursued by parties	Closed	Total (4 to 7)	Pending at the end of the month
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
L.D. Act, 1947 ..	2077	336	130	151	64	105	450	1963
B.I.R. Act, 1946 ..	120	12	4	5	5	6	20	112
B.I.R. (Ext. and Amdt.) Act, 1964	47	..	3	2	1	4	10	37
Total	2247	348	137	158	70	115	480	2112

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

Act	Cotton Textile	Silk Textile	Woollen Textile	Textile Processing	Hosiery	Banking	Sugar	Misc.	Engineering	Total
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
B.I.R. Act, 1946 ..	7	..	..	28	..	2	1	..	..	38

Act	Textile Industry	Paper Industry	Printing Industry	Press Industry	Shops	Banking	Engineering	Local Bodies	Other Misc.	Total
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
B.I.R. (Extension and Amendment) Act, 1964.

District-wise analysis is given below :—

Act	Bombay	Pune	Thane	Solapur	Nanded	Kolhapur	Ahamadnagar	Total
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
B.I.R. Act, 1946	30	4	..	..	1	3	..	38

Act	Amravati	Bombay	Wardha	Chanda	Akola	Buldhana	Total
B.I.R. (Extension and Amendment) Act, 1964.

Registration of Agreements, Settlements, Awards, etc.

Agreements, Settlements were registered under the Bombay Industrial Relations Act, 1946 and Bombay Industrial Relations (Extension and Amendment) Act, 1964, during the month.

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machinery in the State during
month:—

Employment, leave, hours of work and miscellaneous causes	Total
36	316
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..	..
40	344

month:—

Closed	Total (4 to 7)	Peaking at the end of the month
7	8	9
105	450	1953
6	20	112
4	10	37
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during the month under
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gar	Misc.	Engi- neering	Total
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1	38

Local Bodies	Other Misc.	Total
9	10	11
..

Ahamad- nagar	Total
8	9
..	38

Buldhana	Total
..	..

Act, 1946 and Bombay

LABOUR GAZETTE—NOVEMBER 1979

INDUSTRIAL DISPUTES IN MAHARASHTRA STATE
DURING AUGUST 1979

	July 1979	August 1979	August 1979
No. of Disputes ..	15	17	2
No. of Workers involved ..	1,370	4,472	15,790
No. of Man-days lost ..	29,157	36,723	72,880

Industry-wise classification is given below:—

Name of the Industry Group	Number of disputes in progress			Number of work people involved in all disputes	Aggrega- man-da- lost in
	Started before beginning of the month i.e. before August 1979	Started during the month i.e. August 1979	Total		
1	2	3	4	5	6
Textile ..	..	1	1	2,621	2,784
Engineering ..	3	6	9	1,305	25,920
Chemical ..	3	1	4	283	6,528
Miscellaneous ..	2	1	3	263	1,491
August 1979 Total ..	8	9	17	4,472	36,723
July 1979 Total ..	12	3	15	1,370	29,157

2 of the disputes arose over questions of "pay, allowances and bonus issues", 6 related to "Retrenchment and grievances about personnel". No dispute on "leave and hours of work" and the remaining 9 were due to other causes.

Out of the 7 disputes that terminated during the course of the month, no dispute was settled either entirely or partially in favour of the workers 6 in favour of the employers, while the result of the remaining one dispute was indefinite.

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

Serial No.	Name of the Concern	Sector	S/L	Reason	Date of work-stoppages		No. of Workers Involved	Man-days lost		Result
					Began	Ended		During the month	Till the close of the month	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
1	Messrs. Vulcan Laval Ltd., Dapodi Pune.	Pvt.	S	Reinstatement.	8-8-1979	602	12,642	12,642	Continued.

LABOUR GAZETTE—NOVEMBER 1979

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**BENEFITS UNDER THE EMPLOYEES' STATE
INSURANCE SCHEME—REVIEW FOR THE
MONTH OF SEPTEMBER 1979**

The Employees' State Insurance Scheme applies to 26 Centres in the State of Maharashtra and provides protection to 15,73,321 workers in the event of employment injury, Sickness and Maternity. This protection is made available in two ways, namely, by provision of medical care and cash benefits when needed. During the month of September 1979, 1,365 Insured person received Rs. 30,25,563.36 cash benefits due to employment injuries. This includes 41,98 persons who were in receipt of Pensions for Permanent Disablement and 1790 persons who were in receipt of Dependant Benefit as dependants of deceased Insured persons. During the month, 10,383 accidents were reported as against 10,528 during the preceding month.

Comparatively, fewer persons need the employment injury benefits but a fairly large number need Cash Benefit in the event of Sickness. During Sept. 1979, 1,10,912 claims were received and an amount of Rs. 84,08,081.35 was paid out as Sickness Benefit. During the preceding month 1,14,262 claims were received and an amount of Rs. 88,24,955.00 was disbursed as Sickness Benefit.

Some Insured Persons suffering from T.B., Mental, Malignant, other long term diseases etc., require more attention and they are being paid additional benefit called Extended Sickness Benefit. During the month an amount of Rs. 6,89,991.00 paid towards this benefit.

During the month 359 Insured Women workers claimed Rs. 4,84,207.30 by way of Maternity Benefit. The attendance at the dispensaries as per certificates received was 3,08,762 during the month.

During the month Funeral Benefit in 169 cases amounting to Rs. 16,892.10 was paid.

During the month Confinement Charges in respect of wives of Insured Persons amounting to Rs. 86,580.00 were paid.

During the month an amount of Rs. 4,654.00 was paid as Enhanced Sickness Benefit to 33 Insured Persons who had gone under sterilisation operation for Family Planning.

For recovery of arrears of Contribution under the Scheme, Legal proceeding had to be initiated in 20 cases against defaulting employers.

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371		Products—							
		Banana—							
		Big Size Doz. ..	1.23	0.49	1.62	1.55	333	318
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(j) Beverages—						
Tea leaf—						
Brooke Bond	Package of	3.43	0.38	1.15	1.15	299
(Medium). Lipton (Medium) ..	50 gs.	0.39	1.15	1.15	
Hot drinks—						
Prepared Tea ..	Cup of 3 1/4 ozs.	5.23	0.06	0.20	0.20	333
Total ..		8.66				
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I. Food Sub-groups—						
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G CLASS FOR

pt. 9	Index Number	
	Aug. 1979	Sept. 1979
	7	8
P.		
2	236	236
	452	517
	270	281
	299	299
	333	311
	320	320
	294	282
	633	631
	455	481
	440	439
	398	398
	529	520
	461	416
	333	318
	70	258
	20	320
	370	

Articles	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Basic Price	Aug. 1979	Sept. 1979	Aug. 1979	Sept. 1979
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
II. Fuel and Light—							
(1) Firewood and chips (Raywal/medium).	37 kgs. ..	30.63	3.08	15.26	16.65	495	541
(2) Kerosene, Chavi Brand.	5 litres ..	24.03	1.54	6.90	7.25	448	471
(3) Electricity charges ..	Per unit ..	6.45	0.19	0.38	0.38	200	200
(4) Charcoal—							
(i) Big size ..	37 kgs. ..	35.36	7.47	32.19	35.15	398	421
(ii) Pattl or Raywal ..	" ..	....	5.63	20.54	20.90		
(5) Match box (Teeka of 50 sticks).	Box ..	3.53	0.05	0.20	0.20	400	400
Total ..		100.00					
Index Number Group II ..						427	455
III. Housing—							
(2) Rent for selected tenements.	Per month..	100.00	....	....	....	130	130
Total ..		100.00					
Index Number Group III ..						130	130
IV. Clothing and Footwear—							
(a) Clothing—							
(1) Dhoti ..	Per sq. metre.	3.57	1.28	4.64	4.64	362	362
(2) Saree ..	" ..	29.86	1.28	4.32	4.59	337	359
(3) Cloth for trousers ..	" ..	5.25	2.62	9.32	9.02	356	344
(4) Long cloth ..	" ..	11.76	1.64	7.28	7.25	444	442
(5) Coloured poplin ..	" ..	40.44	2.25	8.38	8.27	372	368
Total ..		90.88					
Index Number Sub-group (IV)(a).						369	373
(b) Footwear—							
(1) Shoes—							
(i) Bata Co. ..	Per Pair ..	4.27	17.14	58.35	58.35	300	300
(ii) Flex Co. ..	" ..	....	19.30	49.95	49.95		
(2) Chappals—							
(i) Bata Co. ..	" ..	4.85	6.18	18.65	18.65	293	293
(ii) Flex Co. ..	" ..	..	8.40	23.95	23.95		
Total ..		9.12					
Index Number Sub-group IV(b).						296	296

CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBERS FOR WORKING CLASS FOR
PUNE CENTRE—*contd.*

Articles	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Basic Price	Aug. 1979	Sept. 1979	Aug. 1979	Sept. 1979
			4	5	6	7	8
IV. Clothing and Foot-wear— <i>contd.</i>			Ra. P.	Ra. P.	Ra. P.		
(1) Clothing ..		90·88	....	....	....	369	373
(2) Foot wear ..		9·12	....	....	....	296	296
Total ..		100·00					
<i>Index Number Group IV</i>						362	366
V. Miscellaneous—							
(a) Pan Supari—							
(1) Pan-leaf—	Bundle of						
(i) Gawran Kachhi ..	100 leaves	1·08	0·33	1·43	1·30	433	394
(2) Pan Finished—							
(i) Poona Masala ..	Each vida	1·82	0·04	0·20	0·20	500	500
(3) Supari—							
(i) Manglori ..	50 gs.	1·57	0·45	0·76	0·75	169	167
Total ..		4·47					
<i>Index Number Sub-group V(a).</i>						368	357
(b) Tobacco and Tobacco Products—							
(1) Bidies—							
(i) Charbhaj ..	Bundle of	2·56	0·15	0·50 }	0·50 }	333	333
(ii) Pawar ..	" "	..	0·15	0·50 }	0·50 }		
(2) Cigarettes—							
(i) Charminar ..	Pkt. of 10	1·94	0·15	1·00 }	1·00 }	583	583
(ii) Pila Hathi ..	Cigarettes	..	0·20	1·00 }	1·00 }		
(3) Chewing Tobacco—							
(i) Akoli Jarda No. 1	50g.	1·92	0·37	0·60 }	0·60 }	178	178
(ii) Akoli Jarda No. 2	"	..	0·28	0·50 }	0·50 }		
(iii) Satara Jarda ..	"	..	0·31	0·60 }	0·60 }		
Total ..		6·42					
<i>Index Number Sub-group V(b).</i>						362	362
(c) House-hold Utilliles							
Utensils Brass—							
(1) Lota ..	kg.	4·76	7·14	35·00	35·00	490	490
Total ..		4·76					
<i>Index Number Sub-group V(c).</i>						490	490

Articles	Unit	Quantity
1 Washing Soap—	Per	
2 Laundry charges	Per	
3 Laundry, Washing		
4 (clothing).		
5 Washing Soap BB		
6 Soap		
Total	..	
Major Sub-Group		
1 Medical Care—		
2 Medical Medicine—		
3 Cigarettes	Per	
4 Tobacco		
5 Alcohol	..	
6 Milk	Daily	
7 Milk		
Total	..	
Major Sub-group		
1 Medical Care—		
2 Oil of Tata Co. etc.		
3 Laundry charges—		
4 Haircut with shave		
5 Haircut		
6 Shave	..	
7 Toilet Soap—		
8 Laundry	..	
9 Lux		
10 Tooth Powder—		
11 Bynco(Family size)		
12 Bynco(Small size)		
13 Haircut		
14 Haircut		
15 Morning		
Total		
Major Sub-group		
1 Education and Recreation—		
2 School Fees for S		
3 School Books—S		
4 Kumar bharati		
5 Ackaganit		
6 Apali Prithwi		
7 News papers—		
8 Satat Daily		
9 Lokatta Daily		
Total		

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

Index Number	Aug. 1979	Sept. 1979	Articles	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
						Basic Price	Aug. 1979	Sept. 1979	Aug. 1979	Sept. 1979
			1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
						Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
			(d) Washing Soap—							
			(1) Laundry charges	Per Piece ..	4.23	0.13	0.40	0.40	308	308
			(Ordinary, Washing and Ironing).							
			(2) Washing Soap BB Chhap.	Per Cake ..	7.37	0.40	1.20	1.20	300	300
			Total ..		11.60					
			Index Number Sub-Group V(d).						303	303
			(e) Medical Care—							
			(1) Patent Medicine—							
			(i) Glycodine Terf/	Bottle of 70	17.37	1.89	4.05	4.05	170	170
			Vasaka	ml.		0.12	0.15	0.15		
			(ii) Anacin ..	2 Tablets ..	..	0.57	0.96	0.96	168	168
			(2) Mixture, Daily	per day ..	1.35					
			Mixture.		18.72					
			Total ..						170	170
			Index Number Sub-group V(e).							
			(f) Personal Care—							
			(1) Hair oil Tata Co. etc.	Small Bottle	3.37	1.34	4.60	4.60	343	343
			(2) Barber charges—							
			(a) Haircut with shave	Per Adult	6.52	0.75	2.00	2.00	249	249
			(b) Haircut ..	..	..	0.65	1.50	1.50		
			(c) Shave ..	..	..	0.20	0.50	0.50		
			(3) Toilet Soap—							
			(a) Lifebuoy ..	Cake ..	2.29	0.49	1.37	1.37	291	288
			(b) Lux ..	..	..	0.49	1.48	1.45		
			(4) Tooth Powder—							
			(a) Bytco(Family size))	Bottle ..	1.98	1.87	5.25	5.25	276	276
			(b) Bytco(Small size)	..	..	0.46	1.25	1.25		
			(5) Blades—							
			(a) Bharat ..	Packet of 10	0.04	0.43	0.90	0.90	221	221
			(b) 6' Morning ..	2 Packets of 5 each	..	0.60	1.40	1.40		
			Total ..		14.20				282	281
			Index Number Sub-group V(f).							
			(g) Education and Reading—							
			(1) School Fees for Std. VIII.	Per Student Per month	8.86	4.85	5.50	5.50	113	113
			(2) School Books—Std. VIII—							
			(i) Kumar bharati ..	Per Copy	2.55	2.42	2.50	2.50	197	197
			(ii) Ankaganit ..	..	..	1.75	5.95	5.95		
			(iii) Apali Prithwi ..	..	..	1.88	2.80	2.80		
			(3) News papers—							
			(i) Sakal Daily	2.50	0.07	0.30	0.30	429	429
			(ii) Loksattha Daily	0.07		
			Total ..		13.91				185	185
			Index Number Sub-group V(g).							

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STATEMENT SHOWING THE CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBERS FOR WORKING CLASS BY GROUPS FOR SEVEN CENTRES OF MAHARASHTRA STATE FOR THE MONTH OF SEPTEMBER 1979.

Centre	Base Year	Food	Pan, supari, tobacco etc.	Fuel and light	Housing	Clothing, bedding and foot- wear	Mis- cellan- ous	Con- sumer Price Index Number	Equi- valent old Index Number	Con- sumer Price Index Number	Equi- valent old Index Number
								Sept. 1979		Aug. 1979	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
Bombay	.. 1960=100	386	382	473	158	371	291	360	1598	361	1603
Solapur	.. 1960=100	399	350	441	207	403	282	376	1436	373	1425
Nagpur	.. 1960=100	380	351	417	193	430	290	360	1879	350	1827
Pune	.. 1961=100	370	....	455	130	366	258	337	....	338	....
Jalgaon	.. 1961=100	405	....	424	158	330	281	364	1926	364	1926
Nanded	.. 1961=100	427	....	474	196	346	310	391	958	386	946
Aurangabad	.. 1961=100	425	....	457	272	355	294	390	866	388	861

Note.—For arriving at the equivalent old index numbers the new index numbers may be multiplied by the linking factors mentioned against the respective centres as follows:—

BOMBAY : 4.44; SOLAPUR : 3.82; NAGPUR : 5.22; JALGAON : 5.29; NANDED : 2.45; AURANGABAD : 2.22.

ALL INDIA AVERAGE CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBERS FOR INDUSTRIAL WORKERS

The statistics for the Last 12 calendar months from October 1978 to September 1979 are given in the following table:—

TABLE

Month					Base 1960=100	* Base 1949=100
1					2	3
October 1978	..	..	..	..	340	413
November 1978	..	..	..	..	340	413
December 1978	..	..	..	..	335	407
January 1979	..	..	..	..	332	404
February 1979	..	..	..	..	329	400
March 1979	..	..	..	..	332	404
April 1979	..	..	..	..	337	410
May 1979	..	..	..	..	339	412
June 1979	..	..	..	..	345	419
July 1979	..	..	..	..	353	429
August 1979	..	..	..	..	360	438
September 1979	363	441

*Index numbers under this column are derived from the 1960 based index.

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Labour Intelligence

INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS IN MAHARASHTRA REVIEW FOR THE MONTH OF AUGUST 1979.

Industrial Courts, Tribunals and Labour Courts

In all 1652 applications were received by the Industrial Courts, Tribunals and Labour Courts during the month. Their break-up areas as under :—

Serial No.	Name of the Industrial Court/ Tribunal and Labour Court	No. of applications, etc. received during the month under the—		
		B.I.R. Act, 1946	I.D. Act, 1947	Other Acts
1	2	3	4	5
I. Industrial Courts/Tribunals—				
1	Industrial Court, Bombay ..	9	..	74
2	Industrial Tribunal, Bombay ..	..	20	..
3	Industrial Court, Nagpur ..	..	..	20
4	Industrial Tribunal, Nagpur ..	..	3	..
5	Industrial Court, Pune ..	3	..	15
6	Industrial Tribunal, Pune ..	..	11	..
7	Industrial Court, Thane ..	2	..	17
8	Industrial Tribunal, Thane..	..	24	..
Total ..		..	..	..

II. Labour Courts—

1	Labour Court, Bombay ..	..	58	382	176
2	Labour Court, Pune ..	..	6	40	23
3	Labour Court, Nagpur ..	..	20	193	47
4	Labour Court, Thane ..	..	2	157	101
5	Labour Court, Kolhapur ..	..	7	38	20
6	Labour Court, Solapur ..	..	2	27	35
7	Labour Court, Akola ..	..	..	33	34
8	Labour Court, Nashik ..	..	3	12	13
9	Labour Court, Aurangabad ..	..	1	8	16
Total ..		..	99	890	465

WAGE BOARDS—Nill

references were received by the Wage Board for Cotton Textile Industry for the month under review.

Conciliation

An analysis of disputes handled by the Conciliation machinery in the State during January 1979 under various Acts is given below :—

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

Act	Issues relating to pay, allowances and bonus	Employment, leave, hours of work and Miscellaneous causes	Total
(1) Industrial Disputes Act, 1947 ..	300	36	336
(2) Bombay Industrial Relations Act, 1946 ..	8	4	12
(3) Bombay Industrial Relations (Extension and Amendment) Act, 1964. ..	..	..	..
Total ..	308	40	348

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

Act	Pending at the beginning of the month	No. of cases received during the month	Settled amicably	Ended in failure	With-drawn or not pursued by parties	Closed	Total (4 to 7)	Pending at the end of the month
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
L.D. Act, 1947 ..	2077	336	130	151	64	105	450	1963
B.I.R. Act, 1946 ..	120	12	4	5	5	6	20	112
B.I.R. (Ext. and Amdt.) Act, 1964	47	..	3	2	1	4	10	37
Total	2247	348	137	158	70	115	480	2112

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

Act	Cotton Textile	Silk Textile	Woollen Textile	Textile Processing	Hosiery	Banking	Sugar	Misc.	Engi-neering	Total
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
B.I.R. Act, 1946 ..	7	..	..	28	..	2	1	..	..	38

Act	Textile Industry	Paper Industry	Printing Industry	Press Industry	Shops	Banking	Engi-neering	Local Bodies	Other Misc.	Total
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
B.I.R. (Extension and Amendment) Act, 1964.

District-wise analysis is given below :—

Act	Bombay	Pune	Thane	Solapur	Nanded	Kolha-pur	Ahamad-nagar	Total
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
B.I.R. Act, 1946	30	4	..	..	1	3	..	38

Act	Amravati	Bombay	Wardha	Chanda	Akola	Buldhana	Total
B.I.R. (Extension and Amendment) Act, 1964.

Registration of Agreements, Settlements, Awards, etc.

Agreements, Settlements were registered under the Bombay Industrial Relations Act, 1946 and Bombay Industrial Relations (Extension and Amendment) Act, 1964, during the month.

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machinery in the State during
month:—

Employment, leave, hours of work and miscellaneous causes	Total
36	316
4	12
..	..
40	344

month:—

Closed	Total (4 to 7)	Peaking at the end of the month
7	8	9
105	450	1953
6	20	112
4	10	37
115	480	2112

during the month under
Relations (Extension and

gar	Misc.	Engi- neering	Total
3	9	10	11
1	..	..	38

Local Bodies	Other Misc.	Total
9	10	11
..

Ahamad- nagar	Total
8	9
..	38

Buldhana	Total
..	..

Act, 1946 and Bombay

LABOUR GAZETTE—NOVEMBER 1979

INDUSTRIAL DISPUTES IN MAHARASHTRA STATE
DURING AUGUST 1979

	July 1979	August 1979	August 1979
No. of Disputes ..	15	17	2
No. of Workers involved ..	1,370	4,472	15,790
No. of Man-days lost ..	29,157	36,723	72,880

Industry-wise classification is given below:—

Name of the Industry Group	Number of disputes in progress			Number of work people involved in all disputes	Aggrega- man-da- lost in
	Started before beginning of the month i.e. before August 1979	Started during the month i.e. August 1979	Total		
1	2	3	4	5	6
Textile ..	..	1	1	2,621	2,784
Engineering ..	3	6	9	1,305	25,920
Chemical ..	3	1	4	283	6,528
Miscellaneous ..	2	1	3	263	1,491
August 1979 Total ..	8	9	17	4,472	36,723
July 1979 Total ..	12	3	15	1,370	29,157

2 of the disputes arose over questions of "pay, allowances and bonus issues", 6 related to "Retrenchment and grievances about personnel". No dispute on "leave and hours of work" and the remaining 9 were due to other causes.

Out of the 7 disputes that terminated during the course of the month, no dispute was settled either entirely or partially in favour of the workers 6 in favour of the employers, while the result of the remaining one dispute was indefinite.

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

Serial No.	Name of the Concern	Sector	S/L	Reason	Date of work-stoppages		No. of Workers Involved	Man-days lost		Result
					Began	Ended		During the month	Till the close of the month	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
1	Messrs. Vulcan Laval Ltd., Dapodi Pune.	Pvt.	S	Reinstatement.	8-8-1979	602	12,642	12,642	Continued.

LABOUR GAZETTE—NOVEMBER 1979

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**BENEFITS UNDER THE EMPLOYEES' STATE
INSURANCE SCHEME—REVIEW FOR THE
MONTH OF SEPTEMBER 1979**

The Employees' State Insurance Scheme applies to 26 Centres in the State of Maharashtra and provides protection to 15,73,321 workers in the event of employment injury, Sickness and Maternity. This protection is made available in two ways, namely, by provision of medical care and cash benefits when needed. During the month of September 1979, 1,365 Insured person received Rs. 30,25,563.36 cash benefits due to employment injuries. This includes 41,98 persons who were in receipt of Pensions for Permanent Disablement and 1790 persons who were in receipt of Dependant Benefit as dependants of deceased Insured persons. During the month, 10,383 accidents were reported as against 10,528 during the preceding month.

Comparatively, fewer persons need the employment injury benefits but a fairly large number need Cash Benefit in the event of Sickness. During Sept. 1979, 1,10,912 claims were received and an amount of Rs. 84,08,081.35 was paid out as Sickness Benefit. During the preceding month 1,14,262 claims were received and an amount of Rs. 88,24,955.00 was disbursed as Sickness Benefit.

Some Insured Persons suffering from T.B., Mental, Malignant, other long term diseases etc., require more attention and they are being paid additional benefit called Extended Sickness Benefit. During the month an amount of Rs. 6,89,991.00 paid towards this benefit.

During the month 359 Insured Women workers claimed Rs. 4,84,207.30 by way of Maternity Benefit. The attendance at the dispensaries as per certificates received was 3,08,762 during the month.

During the month Funeral Benefit in 169 cases amounting to Rs. 16,892.10 was paid.

During the month Confinement Charges in respect of wives of Insured Persons amounting to Rs. 86,580.00 were paid.

During the month an amount of Rs. 4,654.00 was paid as Enhanced Sickness Benefit to 33 Insured Persons who had gone under sterilisation operation for Family Planning.

For recovery of arrears of Contribution under the Scheme, Legal proceeding had to be initiated in 20 cases against defaulting employers.

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				Basic price	Aug. 1979	Sept. 1979	Aug. 1979	Sept. 1979
7	8							
				Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
	(f) Condiments and Spices—							
491	Salt, White (Medium) ..	Kg. ..	0.16	0.11	0.40	0.48	364	416
472	Chillies (Dry), Gawaran (Medium.)	250 g. ..	2.04	0.47	2.35	2.25	500	479
346	Turneric, Sangli and Akhi (Medium).	.. ..	0.15	0.33	2.39	2.34	724	709
	Tamarind-Old Chinch No. I.	Kg. ..	0.24	1.03	7.54	6.53	698	609
	Mixed Spices—							
455	Garam Masala ..	50 g. ..	3.27	0.84	4.49	4.49	534	535
	Total ..		5.86					
	Index Number for Sub-group 1(f).						529	520
	(g) Vegetables and Vegetable Products—							
	Potatoes—							
	(i) Big size ..	kg. ..	1.87	0.29	0.75	0.72	275	265
	(ii) Small Size	.. ..	....	0.23	0.67	0.65		
	Onions—							
	(i) Big size ..	Kg. ..	0.92	0.31	1.26	1.52	428	526
	(ii) Small Size	.. ..	....	0.24	1.03	1.35	....	....
	Brinjals—Big Size	.. ..	0.56	0.49	2.80	2.48	571	506
	Tomatoes Medium Red No. 2.	.. ..	0.77	0.79	3.62	3.10	458	392
	Other Vegetables							
	Varieties selected for Aug. 1978—							
	(i) Bhendi ..	Kg. ..	4.42	0.52	3.00	....	532	....
	(ii) Watana ..	.. ..	....	0.85	3.50			
	(iii) Ghevda ..	.. ..	....	0.37	2.25			
	Varieties selected for Sept. 1979—							
	(i) Bhendi ..	Kg. ..	....	0.49	....	2.56	....	449
	(ii) Watana ..	.. ..	....	1.16	....	2.83		
	(iii) Ghevda ..	.. ..	....	0.31	....	1.80		
	Total ..		8.54					
	Index Number for Sub-group 1(g).						461	416
	(h) Fruits and Fruit Products—							
	Banana—							
	Big Size ..	Doz. ..	1.23	0.49	1.62	1.55	333	318
	Small Size	0.39	1.31	1.25		
	Total ..		1.23					
	Index Number for Sub-group 1(h).						333	318

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Articles	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure to Revised weight	Price per unit or quantity			Index
			Basic price	Aug. 1979	Sept. 1979	Aug. 1979
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.	
(i) Sugar, Honey and Related Products—						
Sugar ..	..	6.29	1.13	2.78	3.02	236
Gur ..	..	1.20	0.53	2.62	3.00	452
Total ..		7.49				
Index Number Sub-group I (i).						270
(j) Beverages—						
Tea leaf—						
Brooke Bond	Package of	3.43	0.38	1.15	1.15	299
(Medium). Lipton (Medium) ..	50 gs. ..	....	0.39	1.15	1.15	
Hot drinks—						
Prepared Tea ..	Cup of 3 1/4 ozs.	5.23	0.06	0.20	0.20	333
Total ..		8.66				
Index Number Sub-group I (j).						320
I. Food Sub-groups—						
(a) Cereals and Cereal products.	....	37.98	....	....	....	294
(b) Pulses and pulse products.	....	6.29	....	....	....	633
(c) Oils and Fats ..	....	7.10	....	....	....	455
(d) Mutton, Fish and Eggs.	....	5.26	....	....	....	440
(e) Milk and Milk Products.	....	11.59	....	....	....	398
(f) Condiments and spices.	....	5.86	....	....	....	529
(g) Vegetables and Vegetable Products.	....	8.54	....	....	....	461
(h) Fruits and Fruits products.	....	1.23	....	....	....	333
(i) Sugar, Honey and Related Products.	7.49	270
(j) Beverages	8.66	320
Total ..		100.00				
Index Number Group I ..						375

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PUNE CENTRE—contd.

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	320	320
	294	282
	633	631
	455	481
	440	439
	398	398
	529	520
	461	416
	333	318
	70	258
	20	320
	370	

Articles	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Basic Price	Aug. 1979	Sept. 1979	Aug. 1979	Sept. 1979
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
II. Fuel and Light—							
(1) Firewood and chips (Raywal/medium).	37 kgs. ..	30.63	3.08	15.26	16.65	495	541
(2) Kerosene, Chavi Brand.	5 litres ..	24.03	1.54	6.90	7.25	448	471
(3) Electricity charges ..	Per unit ..	6.45	0.19	0.38	0.38	200	200
(4) Charcoal—							
(i) Big size ..	37 kgs. ..	35.36	7.47	32.19	35.15	398	421
(ii) Pattl or Raywal ..	" ..	....	5.63	20.54	20.90		
(5) Match box (Teeka of 50 sticks).	Box ..	3.53	0.05	0.20	0.20	400	400
Total ..		100.00					
Index Number Group II ..						427	455
III. Housing—							
(2) Rent for selected tenements.	Per month..	100.00	....	....	....	130	130
Total ..		100.00					
Index Number Group III ..						130	130
IV. Clothing and Footwear—							
(a) Clothing—							
(1) Dhoti ..	Per sq. metre.	3.57	1.28	4.64	4.64	362	362
(2) Saree ..	" ..	29.86	1.28	4.32	4.59	337	359
(3) Cloth for trousers ..	" ..	5.25	2.62	9.32	9.02	356	344
(4) Long cloth ..	" ..	11.76	1.64	7.28	7.25	444	442
(5) Coloured poplin ..	" ..	40.44	2.25	8.38	8.27	372	368
Total ..		90.88					
Index Number Sub-group (IV)(a).						369	373
(b) Footwear—							
(1) Shoes—							
(i) Bata Co. ..	Per Pair ..	4.27	17.14	58.35	58.35	300	300
(ii) Flex Co. ..	" ..	....	19.30	49.95	49.95		
(2) Chappals—							
(i) Bata Co. ..	" ..	4.85	6.18	18.65	18.65	293	293
(ii) Flex Co. ..	" ..	..	8.40	23.95	23.95		
Total ..		9.12					
Index Number Sub-group IV(b).						296	296

CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBERS FOR WORKING CLASS FOR
PUNE CENTRE—*contd.*

Articles	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Basic Price	Aug. 1979	Sept. 1979	Aug. 1979	Sept. 1979
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.	7	8
IV. Clothing and Foot-wear—contd.							
(1) Clothing ..		90·88	....	....	....	369	373
(2) Foot wear ..		9·12	....	....	....	296	296
Total ..		100·00					
Index Number Group IV						362	366
V. Miscellaneous—							
(a) Pan Supari—							
(1) Pan-leaf—	Bundle of						
(i) Gawran Kachhi ..	100 leaves	1·08	0·33	1·43	1·30	433	394
(2) Pan Finished—							
(i) Poona Masala ..	Each vida	1·82	0·04	0·20	0·20	500	500
(3) Supari—							
(i) Manglori ..	50 gs.	1·57	0·45	0·76	0·75	169	167
Total ..		4·47					
Index Number Sub-group V(a).						368	357
(b) Tobacco an Tobacco Products—							
(1) Bidies—							
(i) Charbhai ..	Bundle of	2·56	0·15	0·50 }	0·50 }	333	333
(ii) Pawar ..	" "	..	0·15	0·50 }	0·50 }		
(2) Cigarettes—							
(i) Charminar ..	Pkt. of 10	1·94	0·15	1·00 }	1·00 }	583	583
(ii) Pila Hathi ..	Cigarettes	..	0·20	1·00 }	1·00 }		
(3) Chewing Tobacco—							
(i) Akoli Jarda No. 1	50g.	1·92	0·37	0·60 }	0·60 }	178	178
(ii) Akoli Jarda No. 2	..	..	0·28	0·50 }	0·50 }		
(iii) Satara Jarda ..	..	..	0·31	0·60 }	0·60 }		
Total ..		6·42					
Index Number Sub-group V(b).						362	362
(c) House-hold Utilliles Utensils Brass—							
(1) Lota ..	kg.	4·76	7·14	35·00	35·00	490	490
Total ..		4·76					
Index Number Sub-group V(c)						490	490

Articles	Unit	Quantity
1. Washing Soap—	Per	
2. Laundry charges	Per	
3. Laundry charges	Per	
4. Washing Soap BB	Per	
5. Soap	Per	
Total	..	
Major Sub-Group		
1. Medical Care—		
2. Medical Medicine—		
3. Goggles	Per	
4. Tents	..	
5. Medical	Daily	
Total	..	
Major Sub-group		
1. Medical Care—		
2. Oil of Tata Co. etc.		
3. Laundry charges—		
4. Haircut with shave	..	
5. Haircut	..	
6. Shave	..	
7. Toilet Soap—	..	
8. Laundry	..	
9. Lux	..	
10. Tooth Powder—	..	
11. Bytco (Family size)	..	
12. Bytco (Small size)	..	
13. Haircut	..	
14. Haircut	..	
15. Morning	..	
Total		
Major Sub-group		
1. Education and Research—		
2. School Fees for S	..	
3. School Books—S	..	
4. Kumar bharati	..	
5. Ackaganit	..	
6. Apali Prithwi	..	
7. News papers—	..	
8. Satat Daily	..	
9. Lokatta Daily	..	
Total		

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

Articles	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Basic Price	Aug. 1979	Sept. 1979	Aug. 1979	Sept. 1979
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
(d) Washing Soap—							
(1) Laundry charges (Ordinary, Washing and Ironing).	Per Piece ..	4.23	0.13	0.40	0.40	308	308
(2) Washing Soap BB Chhap.	Per Cake ..	7.37	0.40	1.20	1.20	300	300
Total ..		11.60					
Index Number Sub-Group V(d).						303	303
(e) Medical Care—							
(1) Patent Medicine—							
(i) Glycodine Terf/ Vasaka	Bottle of 70 ml.	17.37	1.89	4.05	4.05	170	170
(ii) Anacin ..	2 Tablets ..	..	0.12	0.15	0.15		
(2) Mixture, Daily Mixture.	per day ..	1.35	0.57	0.96	0.96	168	168
Total ..		18.72					
Index Number Sub-group V(e).						170	170
(f) Personal Care—							
(1) Hair oil Tata Co. etc.	Small Bottle	3.37	1.34	4.60	4.60	343	343
(2) Barber charges—							
(a) Haircut with shave	Per Adult	6.52	0.75	2.00	2.00	249	249
(b) Haircut ..	..	..	0.65	1.50	1.50		
(c) Shave ..	..	..	0.20	0.50	0.50		
(3) Toilet Soap—							
(a) Lifebuoy ..	Cake ..	2.29	0.49	1.37	1.37	291	288
(b) Lux ..	..	..	0.49	1.48	1.45		
(4) Tooth Powder—							
(a) Bytco(Family size))	Bottle ..	1.98	1.87	5.25	5.25	276	276
(b) Bytco(Small size)	..	..	0.46	1.25	1.25		
(5) Blades—							
(a) Bharat ..	Packet of 10	0.04	0.43	0.90	0.90	221	221
(b) 6' Morning ..	2 Packets of 5 each	..	0.60	1.40	1.40		
Total ..		14.20					
Index Number Sub-group V(f).						282	281
(g) Education and Reading—							
(1) School Fees for Std. VIII.	Per Student Per month	8.86	4.85	5.50	5.50	113	113
(2) School Books—Std. VIII—							
(i) Kumar bharati ..	Per Copy	2.55	2.42	2.50	2.50	197	197
(ii) Ankaganit ..	..	..	1.75	5.95	5.95		
(iii) Apali Prithwi ..	..	..	1.88	2.80	2.80		
(3) News papers—							
(i) Sakal Daily	2.50	0.07	0.30	0.30	429	429
(ii) Loksatta Daily	0.07		
Total ..		13.91					
Index Number Sub-group V(g).						185	185

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STATEMENT SHOWING THE CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBERS FOR WORKING CLASS BY GROUPS FOR SEVEN CENTRES OF MAHARASHTRA STATE FOR THE MONTH OF SEPTEMBER 1979.

Centre	Base Year	Food	Pan, supari, tobacco etc.	Fuel and light	Housing	Clothing, bedding and foot- wear	Mis- cellan- ous	Con- sumer Price Index Number	Equi- valent old Index Number	Con- sumer Price Index Number	Equi- valent old Index Number
								Sept. 1979		Aug. 1979	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
Bombay	.. 1960=100	386	382	473	158	371	291	360	1598	361	1603
Solapur	.. 1960=100	399	350	441	207	403	282	376	1436	373	1425
Nagpur	.. 1960=100	380	351	417	193	430	290	360	1879	350	1827
Pune	.. 1961=100	370	....	455	130	366	258	337	....	338	....
Jalgaon	.. 1961=100	405	....	424	158	330	281	364	1926	364	1926
Nanded	.. 1961=100	427	....	474	196	346	310	391	958	386	946
Aurangabad	.. 1961=100	425	....	457	272	355	294	390	866	388	861

Note.—For arriving at the equivalent old index numbers the new index numbers may be multiplied by the linking factors mentioned against the respective centres as follows:—

BOMBAY : 4.44; SOLAPUR : 3.82; NAGPUR : 5.22; JALGAON : 5.29; NANDED : 2.45; AURANGABAD : 2.22.

ALL INDIA AVERAGE CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBERS FOR INDUSTRIAL WORKERS

The statistics for the Last 12 calendar months from October 1978 to September 1979 are given in the following table:—

TABLE

Month					Base 1960=100 2	* Base 1949=100 3
1						
October 1978	..	..	..	..	340	413
November 1978	..	..	..	..	340	413
December 1978	..	..	..	..	335	407
January 1979	..	..	..	..	332	404
February 1979	..	..	..	..	329	400
March 1979	..	..	..	..	332	404
April 1979	..	..	..	..	337	410
May 1979	..	..	..	..	339	412
June 1979	..	..	..	..	345	419
July 1979	..	..	..	..	353	429
August 1979	..	..	..	..	360	438
September 1979	..	..	..	..	363	441

*Index numbers under this column are derived from the 1960 based index.

EMBER 1979
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340	413
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363	441

the 1960 based index.

Labour Intelligence

INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS IN MAHARASHTRA REVIEW FOR THE MONTH OF AUGUST 1979.

Industrial Courts, Tribunals and Labour Courts

In all 1652 applications were received by the Industrial Courts, Tribunals and Labour Courts during the month. Their break-up areas as under :—

Serial No.	Name of the Industrial Court/ Tribunal and Labour Court	No. of applications, etc. received during the month under the—		
		B.I.R. Act, 1946	I.D. Act, 1947	Other Acts
1	2	3	4	5
I. Industrial Courts/Tribunals—				
1	Industrial Court, Bombay ..	9	..	74
2	Industrial Tribunal, Bombay ..	..	20	..
3	Industrial Court, Nagpur ..	..	..	20
4	Industrial Tribunal, Nagpur ..	..	3	..
5	Industrial Court, Pune ..	3	..	15
6	Industrial Tribunal, Pune ..	..	11	..
7	Industrial Court, Thane ..	2	..	17
8	Industrial Tribunal, Thane..	..	24	..
Total ..		..	..	..

II. Labour Courts—

1	Labour Court, Bombay ..	..	58	382	176
2	Labour Court, Pune ..	..	6	40	23
3	Labour Court, Nagpur ..	..	20	193	47
4	Labour Court, Thane ..	..	2	157	101
5	Labour Court, Kolhapur ..	..	7	38	20
6	Labour Court, Solapur ..	..	2	27	35
7	Labour Court, Akola ..	..	..	33	34
8	Labour Court, Nashik ..	..	3	12	13
9	Labour Court, Aurangabad ..	..	1	8	16
Total ..		..	99	890	465

WAGE BOARDS—Nill

references were received by the Wage Board for Cotton Textile Industry for the month under review.

Conciliation

An analysis of disputes handled by the Conciliation machinery in the State during January 1979 under various Acts is given below :—

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

Act	Issues relating to pay, allowances and bonus	Employment, leave, hours of work and Miscellaneous causes	Total
(1) Industrial Disputes Act, 1947 ..	300	36	336
(2) Bombay Industrial Relations Act, 1946 ..	8	4	12
(3) Bombay Industrial Relations (Extension and Amendment) Act, 1964. ..	..	..	..
Total ..	308	40	348

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

Act	Pending at the beginning of the month	No. of cases received during the month	Settled amicably	Ended in failure	With-drawn or not pursued by parties	Closed	Total (4 to 7)	Pending at the end of the month
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
L.D. Act, 1947 ..	2077	336	130	151	64	105	450	1963
B.I.R. Act, 1946 ..	120	12	4	5	5	6	20	112
B.I.R. (Ext. and Amdt.) Act, 1964	47	..	3	2	1	4	10	37
Total	2247	348	137	158	70	115	480	2112

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

Act	Cotton Textile	Silk Textile	Woollen Textile	Textile Processing	Hosiery	Banking	Sugar	Misc.	Engineering	Total
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
B.I.R. Act, 1946 ..	7	..	..	28	..	2	1	..	..	38

Act	Textile Industry	Paper Industry	Printing Industry	Press Industry	Shops	Banking	Engineering	Local Bodies	Other Misc.	Total
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
B.I.R. (Extension and Amendment) Act, 1964.

District-wise analysis is given below :—

Act	Bombay	Pune	Thane	Solapur	Nanded	Kolhapur	Ahamadnagar	Total
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
B.I.R. Act, 1946	30	4	..	..	1	3	..	38

Act	Amravati	Bombay	Wardha	Chanda	Akola	Buldhana	Total
B.I.R. (Extension and Amendment) Act, 1964.

Registration of Agreements, Settlements, Awards, etc.

Agreements, Settlements were registered under the Bombay Industrial Relations Act, 1946 and Bombay Industrial Relations (Extension and Amendment) Act, 1964, during the month.

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machinery in the State during
month:—

Employment, leave, hours of work and miscellaneous causes	Total
36	316
4	12
..	..
40	344

month:—

Closed	Total (4 to 7)	Peaking at the end of the month
7	8	9
105	450	1953
6	20	112
4	10	37
115	480	2112

during the month under
Relations (Extension and

gar	Misc.	Engi- neering	Total
3	9	10	11
1	..	..	38

Local Bodies	Other Misc.	Total
9	10	11
..

Ahamad- nagar	Total
8	9
..	38

Buldhana	Total
..	..

Act, 1946 and Bombay

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INDUSTRIAL DISPUTES IN MAHARASHTRA STATE
DURING AUGUST 1979

	July 1979	August 1979	August 1979
No. of Disputes ..	15	17	2
No. of Workers involved ..	1,370	4,472	15,790
No. of Man-days lost ..	29,157	36,723	72,880

Industry-wise classification is given below:—

Name of the Industry Group	Number of disputes in progress			Number of work people involved in all disputes	Aggrega- man-da- lost in
	Started before beginning of the month i.e. before August 1979	Started during the month i.e. August 1979	Total		
1	2	3	4	5	6
Textile ..	..	1	1	2,621	2,784
Engineering ..	3	6	9	1,305	25,920
Chemical ..	3	1	4	283	6,528
Miscellaneous ..	2	1	3	263	1,491
August 1979 Total ..	8	9	17	4,472	36,723
July 1979 Total ..	12	3	15	1,370	29,157

2 of the disputes arose over questions of "pay, allowances and bonus issues", 6 related to "Retrenchment and grievances about personnel". No dispute on "leave and hours of work" and the remaining 9 were due to other causes.

Out of the 7 disputes that terminated during the course of the month, no dispute was settled either entirely or partially in favour of the workers 6 in favour of the employers, while the result of the remaining one dispute was indefinite.

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

Serial No.	Name of the Concern	Sector	S/L	Reason	Date of work-stoppages		No. of Workers Involved	Man-days lost		Result
					Began	Ended		During the month	Till the close of the month	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
1	Messrs. Vulcan Laval Ltd., Dapodi Pune.	Pvt.	S	Reinstatement.	8-8-1979	602	12,642	12,642	Continued.

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**BENEFITS UNDER THE EMPLOYEES' STATE
INSURANCE SCHEME—REVIEW FOR THE
MONTH OF SEPTEMBER 1979**

The Employees' State Insurance Scheme applies to 26 Centres in the State of Maharashtra and provides protection to 15,73,321 workers in the event of employment injury, Sickness and Maternity. This protection is made available in two ways, namely, by provision of medical care and cash benefits when needed. During the month of September 1979, 1,365 Insured person received Rs. 30,25,563.36 cash benefits due to employment injuries. This includes 41,98 persons who were in receipt of Pensions for Permanent Disablement and 1790 persons who were in receipt of Dependant Benefit as dependants of deceased Insured persons. During the month, 10,383 accidents were reported as against 10,528 during the preceding month.

Comparatively, fewer persons need the employment injury benefits but a fairly large number need Cash Benefit in the event of Sickness. During Sept. 1979, 1,10,912 claims were received and an amount of Rs. 84,08,081.35 was paid out as Sickness Benefit. During the preceding month 1,14,262 claims were received and an amount of Rs. 88,24,955.00 was disbursed as Sickness Benefit.

Some Insured Persons suffering from T.B., Mental, Malignant, other long term diseases etc., require more attention and they are being paid additional benefit called Extended Sickness Benefit. During the month an amount of Rs. 6,89,991.00 paid towards this benefit.

During the month 359 Insured Women workers claimed Rs. 4,84,207.30 by way of Maternity Benefit. The attendance at the dispensaries as per certificates received was 3,08,762 during the month.

During the month Funeral Benefit in 169 cases amounting to Rs. 16,892.10 was paid.

During the month Confinement Charges in respect of wives of Insured Persons amounting to Rs. 86,580.00 were paid.

During the month an amount of Rs. 4,654.00 was paid as Enhanced Sickness Benefit to 33 Insured Persons who had gone under sterilisation operation for Family Planning.

For recovery of arrears of Contribution under the Scheme, Legal proceeding had to be initiated in 20 cases against defaulting employers.

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	Total ..		8.54					
	Index Number for Sub-group 1 (g).						461	416
	(h) Fruits and Fruit Products—							
	Banana—							
	Big Size ..	Doz. ..	1.23	0.49	1.62	1.55	333	318
	Small Size	0.39	1.31	1.25		
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Sugar	6.29	1.13	2.78	3.02	236
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Total ..		7.49				
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<i>(j) Beverages—</i>						
Tea leaf—						
Brooke Bond	Package of	3.43	0.38	1.15	1.15	299
(Medium). Lipton (Medium) ..	50 gs.	0.39	1.15	1.15	
Hot drinks—						
Prepared Tea ..	Cup of 3 1/4 ozs.	5.23	0.06	0.20	0.20	333
Total ..		8.66				
<i>Index Number Sub-group I (j).</i>						320
<i>I. Food Sub-groups—</i>						
(a) Cereals and Cereal products.	37.98	294
(b) Pulses and pulse products.	6.29	633
(c) Oils and Fats	7.10	455
(d) Mutton, Fish and Eggs.	5.26	440
(e) Milk and Milk Products.	11.59	398
(f) Condiments and spices.	5.86	529
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			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
II. Fuel and Light—							
(1) Firewood and chips (Raywal/medium).	37 kgs. ..	30.63	3.08	15.26	16.65	495	541
(2) Kerosene, Chavi Brand.	5 litres ..	24.03	1.54	6.90	7.25	448	471
(3) Electricity charges ..	Per unit ..	6.45	0.19	0.38	0.38	200	200
(4) Charcoal—							
(i) Big size ..	37 kgs. ..	35.36	7.47	32.19	35.15	398	421
(ii) Pattl or Raywal ..	" ..	....	5.63	20.54	20.90		
(5) Match box (Teeka of 50 sticks).	Box ..	3.53	0.05	0.20	0.20	400	400
Total ..		100.00					
Index Number Group II ..						427	455
III. Housing—							
(2) Rent for selected tenements.	Per month..	100.00	....	....	....	130	130
Total ..		100.00					
Index Number Group III ..						130	130
IV. Clothing and Footwear—							
(a) Clothing—							
(1) Dhoti ..	Per sq. metre.	3.57	1.28	4.64	4.64	362	362
(2) Saree ..	" ..	29.86	1.28	4.32	4.59	337	359
(3) Cloth for trousers ..	" ..	5.25	2.62	9.32	9.02	356	344
(4) Long cloth ..	" ..	11.76	1.64	7.28	7.25	444	442
(5) Coloured poplin ..	" ..	40.44	2.25	8.38	8.27	372	368
Total ..		90.88					
Index Number Sub-group (IV)(a).						369	373
(b) Footwear—							
(1) Shoes—							
(i) Bata Co. ..	Per Pair ..	4.27	17.14	58.35	58.35	300	300
(ii) Flex Co. ..	" ..	....	19.30	49.95	49.95		
(2) Chappals—							
(i) Bata Co. ..	" ..	4.85	6.18	18.65	18.65	293	293
(ii) Flex Co. ..	"	8.40	23.95	23.95		
Total ..		9.12					
Index Number Sub-group IV(b).						296	296

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IV. Clothing and Foot-wear—contd.							
(1) Clothing ..		90·88	369	373
(2) Foot wear ..		9·12	296	296
Total ..		100·00					
Index Number Group IV						362	366
V. Miscellaneous—							
(a) Pan Supari—							
(1) Pan-leaf—							
(i) Gawran Kachhi ..	Bundle of 100 leaves	1·08	0·33	1·43	1·30	433	394
(2) Pan Finished—							
(i) Poona Masala ..	Each vida	1·82	0·04	0·20	0·20	500	500
(3) Supari—							
(i) Manglori ..	50 gs.	1·57	0·45	0·76	0·75	169	167
Total ..		4·47					
Index Number Sub-group V (a).						368	357
(b) Tobacco and Tobacco Products—							
(1) Bidies—							
(i) Charbhai ..	Bundle of 25 bidies.	2·56	0·15	0·50 }	0·50 }	333	333
(ii) Pawar ..	" "	..	0·15	0·50 }	0·50 }		
(2) Cigarettes—							
(i) Charminar ..	Pkt. of 10 Cigarettes	1·94	0·15	1·00 }	1·00 }	583	583
(ii) Pila Hathi ..	" "	..	0·20	1·00 }	1·00 }		
(3) Chewing Tobacco—							
(i) Akoli Jarda No. 1	50g.	1·92	0·37	0·60 }	0·60 }	178	178
(ii) Akoli Jarda No. 2	" "	..	0·28	0·50 }	0·50 }		
(iii) Satara Jarda ..	" "	..	0·31	0·60 }	0·60 }		
Total ..		6·42					
Index Number Sub-group V (b).						362	362
(c) House-hold Utilliles Utensils Brass—							
(1) Lota ..	kg. ..	4·76	7·14	35·00	35·00	490	490
Total ..		4·76					
Index Number Sub-group V (c)						490	490

Articles	Unit	Quantity
1. Toilet Soap—	Per	
2. Laundry charges	Per	
3. Laundry, Washing		
4. (washing)		
5. Toilet Soap BB		
6. Soap		
Total	..	
Major Sub-Group		
1. Medical Care—		
2. First Medicine—		
3. C. G. Tablets Terf/	B	
4. Tablets	2	
5. Tablets	..	
6. Tablets	Daily	
Total	..	
Major Sub-group		
1. Medical Care—		
2. Tata Co. etc.		
3. Laundry charges—		
4. Shave with shave		
5. Shave	..	
6. Shave	..	
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CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBERS FOR WORKING CLASS FOR
PUNE CENTRE—contd.

Index Number	Aug. 1979	Sept. 1979	Articles	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
						Basic Price	Aug. 1979	Sept. 1979	Aug. 1979	Sept. 1979
			1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
						Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
			(d) Washing Soap—							
			(1) Laundry charges	Per Piece ..	4.23	0.13	0.40	0.40	308	308
			(Ordinary, Washing and Ironing).							
			(2) Washing Soap BB Chhap.	Per Cake ..	7.37	0.40	1.20	1.20	300	300
			Total ..		11.60					
			Index Number Sub-Group V(d).						303	303
			(e) Medical Care—							
			(1) Patent Medicine—							
			(i) Glycodine Terf/	Bottle of 70	17.37	1.89	4.05	4.05	170	170
			Vasaka	ml.		0.12	0.15	0.15		
			(ii) Anacin ..	2 Tablets ..	..	0.57	0.96	0.96	168	168
			(2) Mixture, Daily	per day ..	1.35					
			Mixture.		18.72					
			Total ..						170	170
			Index Number Sub-group V(e).							
			(f) Personal Care—							
			(1) Hair oil Tata Co. etc.	Small Bottle	3.37	1.34	4.60	4.60	343	343
			(2) Barber charges—							
			(a) Haircut with shave	Per Adult	6.52	0.75	2.00	2.00	249	249
			(b) Haircut ..	..	..	0.65	1.50	1.50		
			(c) Shave ..	..	..	0.20	0.50	0.50		
			(3) Toilet Soap—							
			(a) Lifebuoy ..	Cake ..	2.29	0.49	1.37	1.37	291	288
			(b) Lux ..	..	..	0.49	1.48	1.45		
			(4) Tooth Powder—							
			(a) Bytco(Family size))	Bottle ..	1.98	1.87	5.25	5.25	276	276
			(b) Bytco(Small size)	..	..	0.46	1.25	1.25		
			(5) Blades—							
			(a) Bharat ..	Packet of 10	0.04	0.43	0.90	0.90	221	221
			(b) 6' Morning ..	2 Packets of 5 each	..	0.60	1.40	1.40		
			Total ..		14.20				282	281
			Index Number Sub-group V(f).							
			(g) Education and Reading—							
			(1) School Fees for Std. VII.	Per Student Per month	8.86	4.85	5.50	5.50	113	113
			(2) School Books—Std. VIII—							
			(i) Kumar bharati ..	Per Copy	2.55	2.42	2.50	2.50	197	197
			(ii) Ankaganit ..	..	..	1.75	5.95	5.95		
			(iii) Apali Prithwi ..	..	..	1.88	2.80	2.80		
			(3) News papers—							
			(i) Sakal Daily	2.50	0.07	0.30	0.30	429	429
			(ii) Loksattha Daily	0.07		
			Total ..		13.91				185	185
			Index Number Sub-group V(g).							

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STATEMENT SHOWING THE CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBERS FOR WORKING CLASS BY GROUPS FOR SEVEN CENTRES OF MAHARASHTRA STATE FOR THE MONTH OF SEPTEMBER 1979.

Centre	Base Year	Food	Pan, supari, tobacco etc.	Fuel and light	Housing	Clothing, bedding and foot- wear	Mis- cellan- ous	Con- sumer Price Index Number	Equi- valent old Index Number	Con- sumer Price Index Number	Equi- valent old Index Number
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	Sept. 1979 9	10	Aug. 1979 11	12
Bombay	.. 1960=100	386	382	473	158	371	291	360	1598	361	1603
Solapur	.. 1960=100	399	350	441	207	403	282	376	1436	373	1425
Nagpur	.. 1960=100	380	351	417	193	430	290	360	1879	350	1827
Pune	.. 1961=100	370	....	455	130	366	258	337	....	338	....
Jalgaon	.. 1961=100	405	....	424	158	330	281	364	1926	364	1926
Nanded	.. 1961=100	427	....	474	196	346	310	391	958	386	946
Aurangabad	.. 1961=100	425	....	457	272	355	294	390	866	388	861

Note.—For arriving at the equivalent old index numbers the new index numbers may be multiplied by the linking factors mentioned against the respective centres as follows:—

BOMBAY : 4.44; SOLAPUR : 3.82; NAGPUR : 5.22; JALGAON : 5.29; NANDED : 2.45; AURANGABAD : 2.22.

ALL INDIA AVERAGE CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBERS FOR INDUSTRIAL WORKERS

The statistics for the Last 12 calendar months from October 1978 to September 1979 are given in the following table:—

TABLE

Month					Base 1960=100	* Base 1949=100
1					2	3
October 1978	..	..	..	..	340	413
November 1978	..	..	..	..	340	413
December 1978	..	..	..	..	335	407
January 1979	..	..	..	..	332	404
February 1979	..	..	..	..	329	400
March 1979	..	..	..	..	332	404
April 1979	..	..	..	..	337	410
May 1979	..	..	..	..	339	412
June 1979	..	..	..	..	345	419
July 1979	..	..	..	..	353	429
August 1979	..	..	..	..	360	438
September 1979	363	441

*Index numbers under this column are derived from the 1960 based index.

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Labour Intelligence

INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS IN MAHARASHTRA REVIEW FOR THE MONTH OF AUGUST 1979.

Industrial Courts, Tribunals and Labour Courts

In all 1652 applications were received by the Industrial Courts, Tribunals and Labour Courts during the month. Their break-up areas as under :—

Serial No.	Name of the Industrial Court/ Tribunal and Labour Court	No. of applications, etc. received during the month under the—		
		B.I.R. Act, 1946	I.D. Act, 1947	Other Acts
1	2	3	4	5
I. Industrial Courts/Tribunals—				
1	Industrial Court, Bombay ..	9	..	74
2	Industrial Tribunal, Bombay ..	..	20	..
3	Industrial Court, Nagpur ..	..	..	20
4	Industrial Tribunal, Nagpur ..	..	3	..
5	Industrial Court, Pune ..	3	..	15
6	Industrial Tribunal, Pune ..	..	11	..
7	Industrial Court, Thane ..	2	..	17
8	Industrial Tribunal, Thane..	..	24	..
Total ..		..	..	..

II. Labour Courts—

1	Labour Court, Bombay ..	..	58	382	176
2	Labour Court, Pune ..	..	6	40	23
3	Labour Court, Nagpur ..	..	20	193	47
4	Labour Court, Thane ..	..	2	157	101
5	Labour Court, Kolhapur ..	..	7	38	20
6	Labour Court, Solapur ..	..	2	27	35
7	Labour Court, Akola ..	..	..	33	34
8	Labour Court, Nashik ..	..	3	12	13
9	Labour Court, Aurangabad ..	..	1	8	16
Total ..		..	99	890	465

WAGE BOARDS—Nill

references were received by the Wage Board for Cotton Textile Industry for the month under review.

Conciliation

An analysis of disputes handled by the Conciliation machinery in the State during January 1979 under various Acts is given below :—

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

Act	Issues relating to pay, allowances and bonus	Employment, leave, hours of work and Miscellaneous causes	Total
(1) Industrial Disputes Act, 1947 ..	300	36	336
(2) Bombay Industrial Relations Act, 1946 ..	8	4	12
(3) Bombay Industrial Relations (Extension and Amendment) Act, 1964. ..	..	..	..
Total ..	308	40	348

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

Act	Pending at the beginning of the month	No. of cases received during the month	Settled amicably	Ended in failure	With-drawn or not pursued by parties	Closed	Total (4 to 7)	Pending at the end of the month
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
L.D. Act, 1947 ..	2077	336	130	151	64	105	450	1963
B.I.R. Act, 1946 ..	120	12	4	5	5	6	20	112
B.I.R. (Ext. and Amdt.) Act, 1964	47	..	3	2	1	4	10	37
Total	2247	348	137	158	70	115	480	2112

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

Act	Cotton Textile	Silk Textile	Woollen Textile	Textile Processing	Hosiery	Banking	Sugar	Misc.	Engineering	Total
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
B.I.R. Act, 1946 ..	7	..	..	28	..	2	1	..	..	38

Act	Textile Industry	Paper Industry	Printing Industry	Press Industry	Shops	Banking	Engineering	Local Bodies	Other Misc.	Total
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
B.I.R. (Extension and Amendment) Act, 1964.

District-wise analysis is given below :—

Act	Bombay	Pune	Thane	Solapur	Nanded	Kolhapur	Ahamadnagar	Total
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
B.I.R. Act, 1946	30	4	..	..	1	3	..	38

Act	Amravati	Bombay	Wardha	Chanda	Akola	Buldhana	Total
B.I.R. (Extension and Amendment) Act, 1964.

Registration of Agreements, Settlements, Awards, etc.

Agreements, Settlements were registered under the Bombay Industrial Relations Act, 1946 and Bombay Industrial Relations (Extension and Amendment) Act, 1964, during the month.

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machinery in the State during
month:—

Employment, leave, hours of work and miscellaneous causes	Total
36	316
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..	..
40	344

month:—

Closed	Total (4 to 7)	Pending at the end of the month
7	8	9
105	450	1953
6	20	112
4	10	37
115	480	2112

during the month under
Relations (Extension and

gar	Misc.	Engi- neering	Total
3	9	10	11
1	..	..	38

Local Bodies	Other Misc.	Total
9	10	11
..

Ahamad- nagar	Total
8	9
..	38

Buldhana	Total
..	..

Act, 1946 and Bombay

LABOUR GAZETTE—NOVEMBER 1979

INDUSTRIAL DISPUTES IN MAHARASHTRA STATE
DURING AUGUST 1979

	July 1979	August 1979	August 1979
No. of Disputes ..	15	17	2
No. of Workers involved ..	1,370	4,472	15,790
No. of Man-days lost ..	29,157	36,723	72,880

Industry-wise classification is given below:—

Name of the Industry Group	Number of disputes in progress			Number of work people involved in all disputes	Aggrega- man-da- lost in
	Started before beginning of the month i.e. before August 1979	Started during the month i.e. August 1979	Total		
1	2	3	4	5	6
Textile ..	..	1	1	2,621	2,784
Engineering ..	3	6	9	1,305	25,920
Chemical ..	3	1	4	283	6,528
Miscellaneous ..	2	1	3	263	1,491
August 1979 Total ..	8	9	17	4,472	36,723
July 1979 Total ..	12	3	15	1,370	29,157

2 of the disputes arose over questions of "pay, allowances and bonus issues", 6 related to "Retrenchment and grievances about personnel". No dispute on "leave and hours of work" and the remaining 9 were due to other causes.

Out of the 7 disputes that terminated during the course of the month, no dispute was settled either entirely or partially in favour of the workers 6 in favour of the employers, while the result of the remaining one dispute was indefinite.

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

Serial No.	Name of the Concern	Sector	S/L	Reason	Date of work-stoppages		No. of Workers Involved	Man-days lost		Result
					Began	Ended		During the month	Till the close of the month	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
1	Messrs. Vulcan Laval Ltd., Dapodi Pune.	Pvt.	S	Reinstatement.	8-8-1979	602	12,642	12,642	Continued.

LABOUR GAZETTE—NOVEMBER 1979

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**BENEFITS UNDER THE EMPLOYEES' STATE
INSURANCE SCHEME—REVIEW FOR THE
MONTH OF SEPTEMBER 1979**

The Employees' State Insurance Scheme applies to 26 Centres in the State of Maharashtra and provides protection to 15,73,321 workers in the event of employment injury, Sickness and Maternity. This protection is made available in two ways, namely, by provision of medical care and cash benefits when needed. During the month of September 1979, 1,365 Insured person received Rs. 30,25,563.36 cash benefits due to employment injuries. This includes 41,98 persons who were in receipt of Pensions for Permanent Disablement and 1790 persons who were in receipt of Dependant Benefit as dependants of deceased Insured persons. During the month, 10,383 accidents were reported as against 10,528 during the preceding month.

Comparatively, fewer persons need the employment injury benefits but a fairly large number need Cash Benefit in the event of Sickness. During Sept. 1979, 1,10,912 claims were received and an amount of Rs. 84,08,081.35 was paid out as Sickness Benefit. During the preceding month 1,14,262 claims were received and an amount of Rs. 88,24,955.00 was disbursed as Sickness Benefit.

Some Insured Persons suffering from T.B., Mental, Malignant, other long term diseases etc., require more attention and they are being paid additional benefit called Extended Sickness Benefit. During the month an amount of Rs. 6,89,991.00 paid towards this benefit.

During the month 359 Insured Women workers claimed Rs. 4,84,207.30 by way of Maternity Benefit. The attendance at the dispensaries as per certificates received was 3,08,762 during the month.

During the month Funeral Benefit in 169 cases amounting to Rs. 16,892.10 was paid.

During the month Confinement Charges in respect of wives of Insured Persons amounting to Rs. 86,580.00 were paid.

During the month an amount of Rs. 4,654.00 was paid as Enhanced Sickness Benefit to 33 Insured Persons who had gone under sterilisation operation for Family Planning.

For recovery of arrears of Contribution under the Scheme, Legal proceeding had to be initiated in 20 cases against defaulting employers.

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