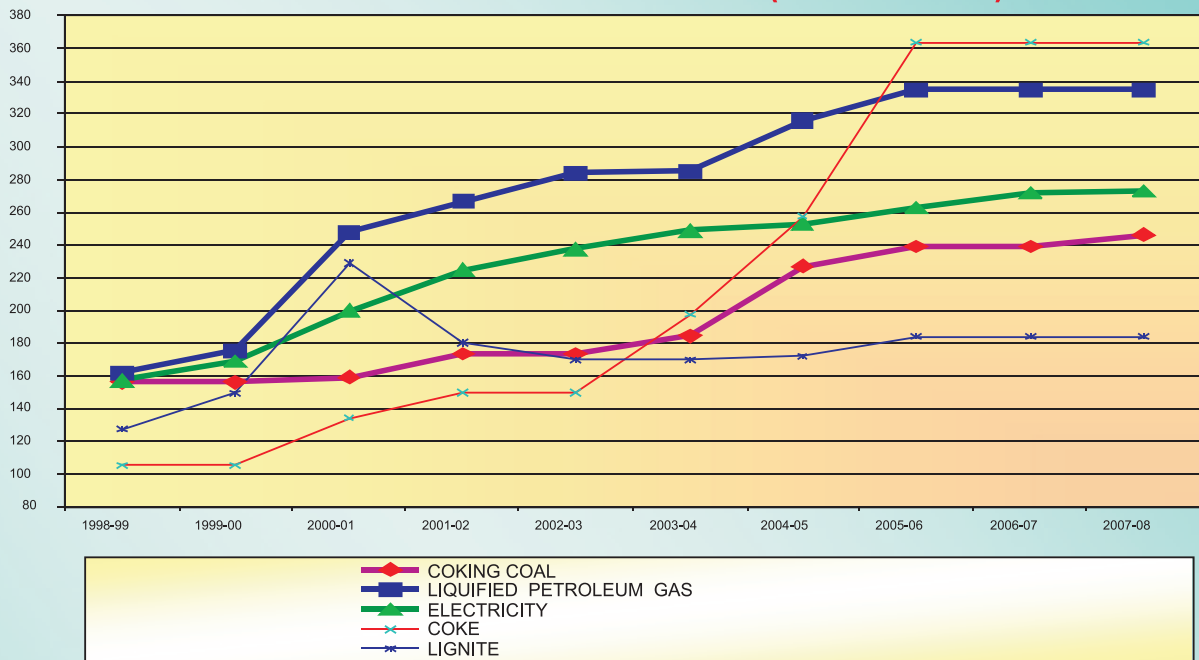


SECTION 8 :

PRICES

WHOLESALE PRICE INDICES OF COAL, LIQUIFIED PETROLEUM GAS AND ELECTRICITY IN INDIA (1993-94=100)



WHOLESALE PRICE INDICES OF PETROLEUM PRODUCTS IN INDIA (1993-94=100)

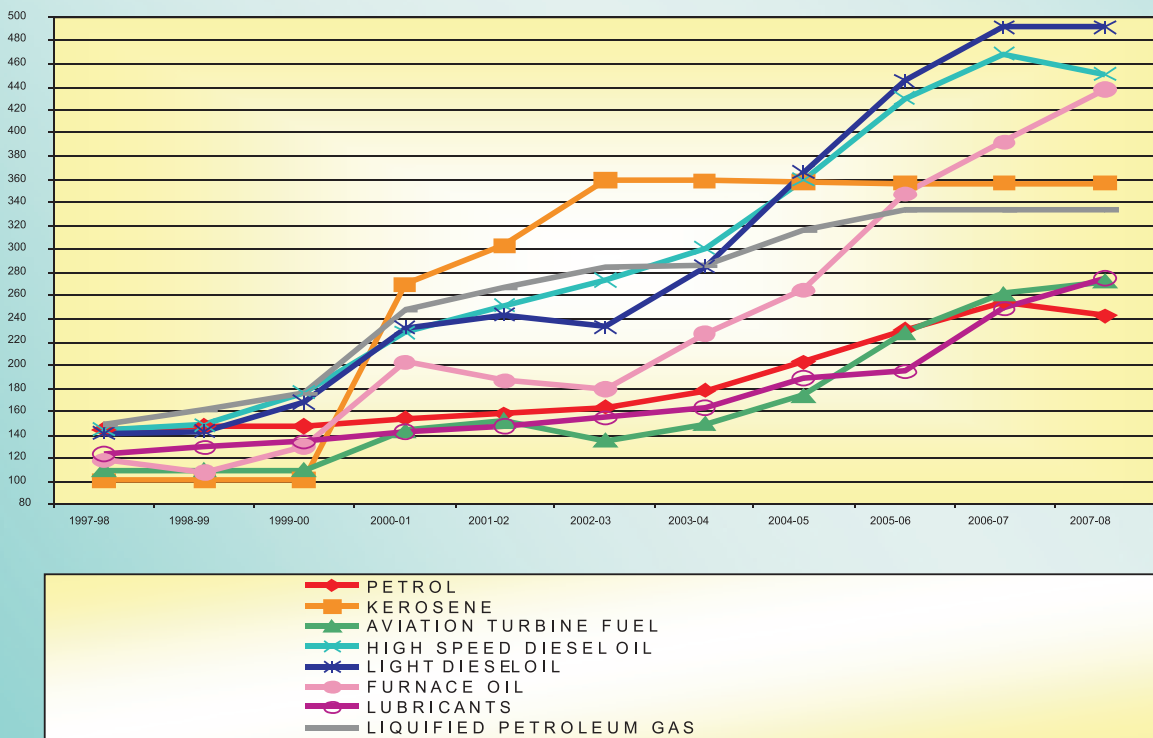


Exhibit (Table 8.1)

Table 8.1 : Wholesale Price Indices in India

(1993-94=100)

Year	Petroleum Products							Liquified	Coking	Coke	Lignite	Electricity
	Petrol	Kero-sene	Aviation Turbine Fuel	High Speed Diesel Oil	Light Diesel Oil	Furn-ance Oil	Lubri-cants	Petrol -eum Gas	Coal			
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
1981-82	36.2	68.2	34.4	46.2	45.0	48.1	30.3	46.8	28.9	39.6	34.7	31.4
1982-83	37.1	68.9	35.8	47.7	46.3	49.5	30.9	48.5	33.5	50.3	40.5	35.0
1983-84	37.4	74.0	37.6	50.2	48.2	50.5	31.3	47.4	37.0	54.5	49.4	37.9
1984-85	37.9	74.6	38.0	50.1	49.1	51.1	31.6	48.2	44.8	60.6	62.8	39.2
1985-86	43.7	83.0	44.2	54.1	56.0	58.4	36.6	55.8	45.9	61.4	65.7	43.9
1986-87	46.0	88.5	48.1	55.5	56.0	58.4	37.6	61.8	50.4	64.2	67.1	48.2
1987-88	47.3	88.5	49.1	56.4	56.0	58.4	37.5	61.8	52.8	64.2	67.1	52.4
1988-89	52.6	88.5	48.1	55.4	56.0	58.5	44.9	61.8	61.3	64.2	68.6	55.5
1989-90	52.9	88.5	48.5	55.5	56.2	58.5	46.1	61.8	66.9	64.2	76.1	59.0
1990-91	67.9	98.4	66.7	71.7	62.6	64.8	55.2	61.8	67.1	64.2	84.4	63.1
1991-92	86.6	102.8	85.1	79.9	74.7	77.2	68.6	70.1	72.1	70.2	86.7	70.0
1992-93	95.7	100.0	95.9	90.5	88.6	90.7	83.5	87.0	87.0	77.3	100.0	78.2
1993-94	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1994-95	106.5	100.0	100.0	108.8	109.5	99.5	103.2	109.5	105.1	104.3	106.5	113.6
1995-96	106.5	100.0	99.7	108.8	109.4	99.4	105.0	109.5	106.2	105.2	111.7	127.8
1996-97	131.1	100.8	107.1	120.9	133.7	120.3	119.0	131.4	131.8	105.2	116.9	133.5
1997-98	144.5	101.1	109.6	145.2	141.8	118.3	123.9	150.0	151.1	105.2	124.4	151.8
1998-99	148.1	100.9	109.6	148.7	143.4	108.6	130.0	162.0	156.1	105.2	127.5	157.2
1999-00	148.1	101.9	109.9	176.4	168.2	131.2	134.9	176.1	156.1	105.2	149.5	168.9
2000-01	154.2	270.2	144.2	228.8	232.2	203.5	142.6	248.2	158.9	134.2	229.0	200.0
2001-02	158.1	304.0	152.1	252.3	243.8	187.5	147.6	266.6	173.2	150.1	180.4	224.8
2002-03	163.4	359.7	135.7	273.5	233.0	179.7	154.7	284.0	173.2	150.1	169.8	238.0
2003-04	178.7	359.2	149.3	300.4	284.6	227.2	163.8	285.5	184.6	197.8	169.8	248.8
2004-05	203.5	357.9	174.1	360.4	366.3	265.5	189.3	316.0	227.2	257.6	172.3	253.0
2005-06	231.1	357.6	228.7	430.4	445.3	347.4	194.5	334.8	239.0	364.1	184.0	263.4
2006-07	254.8	357.6	262.6	468.2	491.1	393.2	248.8	334.8	239.0	364.1	184.0	271.7
2007-08	242.3	357.6	272.7	451.6	491.2	438.4	275.0	334.8	246.4	364.1	184.0	273.0

Source :Office of the Economic Advisor, Ministry of Commerce & Industry.