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DRI seizure. Asia Cup.

9.92%

WPI AUG 2026

362 MT

DRY DATES SEIZED

Asia Cup

WOMEN'S TEAM WIN

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Economy

WPI data.

Customs

DRI seizure.

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Editor's briefing and contents

Wholesale inflation data, a customs enforcement action and a sports win lead this edition.

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Reading guide

3 verified stories, each linked to its source. Earlier developments are explicitly carried forward. Not every possible update is covered. The separate 5-question test uses this same dataset. Original practice, not an actual previous-year paper.



Economy and Finance

WPI inflation for August 2026 at 9.92 per cent on the new base year 2022-23

14 September 2026 | Press Information Bureau

PIB's release on provisional Wholesale Price Index (base year 2022-23) estimates said all-India WPI inflation for August 2026 was 9.92 per cent year on year, against 9.78 per cent in July 2026. The All Commodities index stood at 110.8, against 110.0 in July.

Year-on-year inflation was 7.76 per cent for Primary Articles, 22.93 per cent for Fuel and Power, and 8.37 per cent for Manufactured Products, compared with 8.52, 20.05 and 8.29 per cent in July.

Key facts

WPI inflation, August 2026: 9.92%

WPI inflation, July 2026: 9.78%

Fuel and Power inflation: 22.93%

All Commodities index: 110.8

Exam takeaway: WPI base year was updated to 2022-23 in this series.

One-minute recall: WPI inflation for August 2026 (PIB, 14 September 2026).

Press Information Bureau

Government Schemes

DRI seizes over 362 MT of Pakistan-origin dry dates under Operation Deep Manifest

14 September 2026 | Press Information Bureau

PIB said the Directorate of Revenue Intelligence (DRI) seized more than 362 metric tonnes of Pakistan-origin dry dates under Operation Deep Manifest. DRI officers intercepted 13 containers imported by a Mumbai-based firm at CFS Ambad, Nashik, with documents declaring the UAE as the country of origin.

Preliminary investigation found a transshipment arrangement: the dry dates were shipped from Karachi Port to Jebel Ali Port, UAE, to hide the Pakistan origin, in an attempt to circumvent India's prohibition on imports from Pakistan.

Key facts

Seized: more than 362 MT of dry dates

Containers: 13

Operation: Deep Manifest

Location: CFS Ambad, Nashik

Exam takeaway: DRI is under the Central Board of Indirect Taxes and Customs.

One-minute recall: DRI Operation Deep Manifest (PIB, 14 September 2026).

Press Information Bureau

Appointments, Awards and Important Days

PM congratulates Indian Women's Cricket Team on winning the Asia Cup

14 September 2026 | Press Information Bureau

PIB said Prime Minister Narendra Modi congratulated the Indian Women's Cricket Team on winning the Asia Cup, saying the team's confidence, consistency and remarkable spirit were on full display throughout the tournament.

He hoped the triumph would inspire millions of youngsters across the country to play more and shine.

Key facts

Event: Asia Cup (Women's cricket)

Winner: India

Congratulated by: PM Narendra Modi

Date: 14 September 2026

Exam takeaway: The release does not give the final score.

One-minute recall: PM congratulates Women's team on Asia Cup (PIB, 14 September 2026).

Press Information Bureau

Rapid revision and vocabulary

WPI inflation for August 2026 (PIB, 14 September 2026).

DRI Operation Deep Manifest (PIB, 14 September 2026).

PM congratulates Women's team on Asia Cup (PIB, 14 September 2026).

WPI: Wholesale Price Index.

YoY: Year on year.

DRI: Directorate of Revenue Intelligence.

Transshipment: Moving goods via an intermediate port.

Primary Articles: WPI group of food and raw materials.

Rapid-revision prompts

What is WPI?

What is transshipment?

What does DRI do?

Sources and publication information

Every figure comes from the linked source page for that story. Where an official page was not read, the story names the publication that reported it. Items we could not verify, or whose outcome was not settled, were left out. This edition has 3 stories because that is what we could verify for the day.

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