

INDEX NUMBERS OF THE COSTS OF LABOUR AND MATERIALS
USED IN PUBLIC SECTOR CONSTRUCTION PROJECTS (APRIL 2003 = 100)
APPLICABLE TO THE MONTH OF JANUARY 2022

It is hereby notified that the index numbers of the costs of labour and materials used in public sector construction projects applicable to the month of JANUARY 2022 are as follows:—

PART A: Index Series with April 2003 as Base Period (i.e. April 2003 = 100)

	<i>Index Numbers</i>
<i>Labour</i>	
Composite labour wages for civil engineering contracts	164.0
Composite labour wages for building contracts	156.2
<i>Selected materials</i>	
Aggregates	271.1
Bitumen	225.6
Concrete blocks	247.0
Diesel fuel	331.7
Glass	184.2
Glazed ceramic wall tiles	213.2
Hardwood	254.7
Homogeneous floor tiles	207.8
Galvanised mild steel	583.1
Metal formwork	293.2
Mosaic tiles	229.3
Paint	174.5
Portland cement (ordinary)	185.2
Sand ^a	1061.8
Steel reinforcement	306.8
Teak	274.5
Timber formwork	214.3
uPVC pipes	166.5
GMS pipes	205.0

PART B: Index Series with Other Base Periods

	<i>Index Numbers</i>
<i>Selected materials</i>	
Copper pipes (September 2008 = 100) ^b	123.5

Notes:—

a: Figure does not include marine sand and manufactured sand.

b: The copper pipes cost index is a new index series with data collection commenced since 2008. The index adopts September 2008 as the base period (i.e. September 2008 = 100) and its index level is not directly comparable with those of other series.

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