# Construction Cost Indices

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### Definition

Construction Cost Index is an indicator of the average cost movement over time of a fixed basket of representative goods and services related to Construction Industry.

It is the monthly measure of Construction
Cost movement for the Indian Construction
Industry released by CIDC.

### **CCI** Formation Process

- Identification of the base year;
- Identification of the item basket;
- Allocation of weights at item, groups/ subgroups level;
- Statistical Analysis for the number evaluation;
- Publishing the Indices;
- Data management and warehousing.

### Criteria for Base Year

- A normal year i.e. a year in which there are no abnormalities in the level of production, trade and in the price level and price variations;
- A year for which reliable production, price and other required data are available; and
- A year as recent possible and comparable with other data series at national and state level.

### Item Basket

Constitution of the basket of goods and services is done so that their cost variations best represents the inflationary/deflationary changes of a specific sector of Construction Industry or cumulatively for the entire Industry.

At present, separate series of index numbers are compiled to capture the price movements at regional and Industry subsection level in India.

# **Basket Composition**

- Items in the index basket are the best representatives of the sector;
- All the important items transacted in the economy during the base year are included;
- The importance of an item depends on its traded value during the base year;
- At CCI level, bulk transactions of goods and services are captured;
- Current prices are collected as per the item basket from the designated sources.

# **Derivation of Weightages**

- Weights used in the CCI are value weights not quantity weights as its difficult to assign quantity weights.
- Distribution of the appropriate weight to each of the item is most important exercise for reliable index.
- Weightages are allotted as per the sound engineering practices/standards.

### **CCI** Calculation

Step 1

Calculation of Price relative as the ratio of the current price to the base price multiplied by 100 i.e. (P1/Po)X100.

Step 2

Apply the Weightage for each representative Item

Step 3

Calculate the indices for the sub groups/groups/ major groups using Laspeyres formula.

# Laspeyres Index Formula

$$P_{L} = \frac{\sum (p_{c,t_{n}} \cdot q_{c,t_{0}})}{\sum (p_{c,t_{0}} \cdot q_{c,t_{0}})}$$

P = Change in cost level,

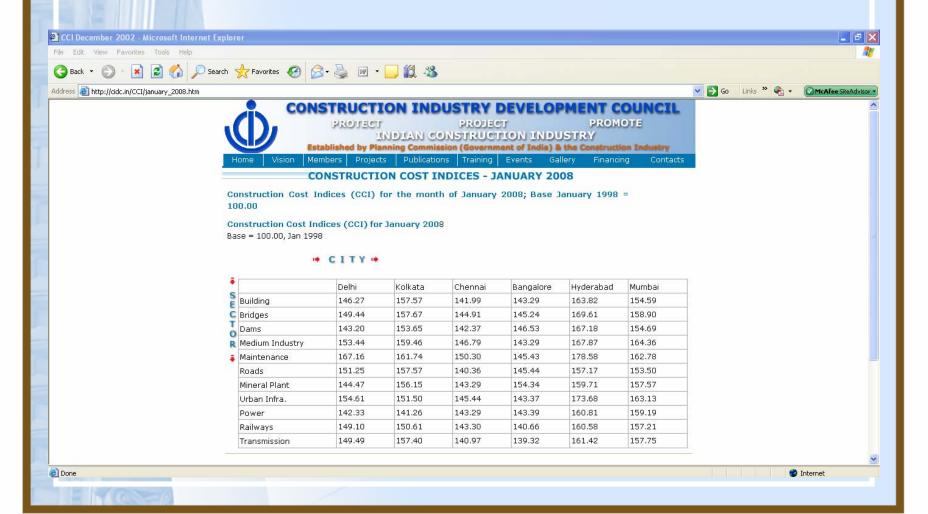
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 $T_0$  = Base period (usually the first year),

= Period of index computation

- Monthly CCI are released to the press and CIDC website simultaneously.
- It is also published in the CIDC Quarterly Journal 'Nirman Udyog'.
- CIDC has developed The CCI software for ONGC for their specific use.
- Similar tailor made software can be developed for Hydroelectric Projects.

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### **ONGC Sub Groups**

- 1. Civil Works
- 2. Mechanical & Piping-Pumps / Compressors / Piping etc.
- 3. Static Equipment
- 4. Electrical Works-LT /HT/SWGR/ Transformers / DG Sets / Cables etc.
- Instrumentation Works- Control & Measuring etc.
- 6. Utilities etc.

#### MASTERS

USERS (Alt + U)

CATEGORY (Alt + C)

PRODUCT (Alt + P)

EXCHANGE MASTER (Alt + E)

SUPPLIERS (Alt + S)

IMPORT SUPPLIERS FROM EXCEL (Alt + I)

IMPORT PRODUCTS FROM EXCEL (Alt + P)

BACK (Alt + M)

#### CONSTRUCTION COST INDICES - BASIC ITEM PRICE

|       | Year: 2001   | Location: ASSAM                                  |                 | ▼         |          |
|-------|--------------|--|-----------------|-----------|----------|
| SI No | Nomenclature | Description                                      | Unit            | Price     | ≖        |
|       | со           | Cost of Operation                                | Rs in Lakhs     | 0.00      | <u>∓</u> |
| 2     | CO1          | Skilled Specialist Wages                         | Rs Per Day      | 0.00      |          |
| 3     | CO2          | Average Cost of Chemicals                        | Rs Per Kg       | 172.00    |          |
| 4     | CO3          | Average Monthly Wages of Unskilled Workers (Indo | Rs Per Day      | 0.00      |          |
| 5     | so           | Cost of Survey                                   | Rs in Lakhs     | 0.00      |          |
| 6     | Α            | Plot Area  | M2              | 126000.00 |          |
| 7     | во           | Cost of Civil Works                              | Rs in Lakhs     | 0.00      |          |
|       | вос          | Cost of Cement                                   | Rs Per Bag      | 135.00    |          |
| 9     | BOS          | Cost of Steel (Bars)                             | Rs Per MT       | 15200.00  |          |
| 10    | BOL          | Fair minimum Wages of Unskilled Workers          | Rs Per Day      | 85.00     |          |
| 11    | BOST         | Cost of Steel (Rolled Section)                   | Rs Per MT       | 17000.00  |          |
| 12    | вов          | Cost of Road Grade Bitumen                       | Rs Per MT       | 120000.00 |          |
| 13    | BOBR         | Cost of Bricks                                   | Rs per 1000 Nos | 1467.00   |          |
| 14    | BOW          | Volume of Tanks / Reservoirs                     | M3              | 0.00      |          |
| 15    | восо         | Cost of Wire Grade Copper                        | Rs Per MT       | 140000.00 |          |
| 16    | BOAL         | Cost of Aluminium (Extended Products)            | Rs Per MT       | 135000.00 |          |
| 17    | DL           | Cost of Diesel                                   | Rs per Litre    | 18.01     |          |
| 18    | L            | Length of PipeLine                               | in Metre        | 2350.00   |          |
| 19    | PT           | Plate Thickness                                  | mm              | 8.50      |          |
| 20    | IL           | Insulated Length                                 | m               | 1250.00   |          |
| 21    | D            | Diameter of Pipe                                 | mm              | 323.90    | ₹        |
| 22    |              | No of Sleeves Nos 115.00                         |                 | -         |          |
| 4     |              |  |                 |           |          |

OK (Alt + O)

CANCEL (Alt + C)

DELETE (Alt + D)

BACK (Alt + B)

MAIN MENU (Alt + M)

#### **CONSTRUCTION COST INDICES - YEAR WISE**

| FACILITY                                  | YEAR | LOCATION       |
|---|------|----------------|
| GROUP GATHERING STATIONS (GGS) (Alt + 1)  | 2001 | ANDHRA PRADESH |
| GAS COLLECTING STATIONS (GCS) (Alt + 2)   | 2001 | ANDHRA PRADESH |
| CENTRAL TANK FARMS (CTF) (Alt + 3)        | 2001 | ANDHRA PRADESH |
| WATER INJECTION PLANT (WIP) (Alt + 4)     | 2001 | ANDHRA PRADESH |
| EFFLUENT TREATMENT PLANTS (ETP) (Alt + 5) | 2001 | ANDHRA PRADESH |
| GCP / GDU (Alt + 6)                       | 2001 | ANDHRA PRADESH |
| AS / ASPs (Alt + 7)                       | 2001 | ANDHRA PRADESH |
| PIPE LINES (Alt + 8)                      | 2001 | ANDHRA PRADESH |

BACK (Alt + B)

MAIN MENU (Alt + M)

| CONSTRUCTION COS                          | T INDICES - SUMMARY                 |
|---|-------------------------------------|
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|   | BACK (Alt + B)  MAIN MENU (Alt + M) |



- Data collection is done from the registered vendors of ONGC for proper & appropriate costing.
- Rates/costs are incorporated from the awarded rates/quotations (if rates not available) from the registered vendors on a regular basis.

# Registration Process

- Suppliers/Contractors are asked to apply on prescribed Registration Form, developed by CIDC each for Indigenous suppliers / Overseas suppliers / Contractors.
- On satisfactory review and acceptance of the documentation submitted, visit(s) as required are undertaken for verification of facilities.
- The evaluation is carried out against a number of parameters. A unique criteria of grading against the various parameters has been evolved.





#### Registration Form for Indigenous Vendor

#### (To be filled in by the Vendor)

Approval Desired for Process / item (Rating /Size/Type):

(To be filled in by the Vendor)

| COMPANY D | ETAILS |
|-----------|--------|
|-----------|--------|

| Name of Company:                         |                                   |
|--|-----------------------------------|
| Address of Regd. Office:                 |                                   |
|  | Tel                               |
| 8  | Fax                               |
| 72                                       | e-mail                            |
| <u> </u>                                 | Mobile                            |
| Address of Factory/Works:                |                                   |
|  | Tel                               |
| ×3                                       | Fax                               |
|  | e-mail                            |
|  | Mobile                            |
| Branch/Liaison office in Delhi/Other N   | Tel                               |
| <u> </u>                                 |                                   |
| ·  | Mobile                            |
| Weekly off day Person(s) to be contacted |                                   |
| Place Name(s)                            | Official Capacity Telephone No (s |
|  | Official Capacity Telephone No (s |
| Regd. Off.                               |                                   |
| Factory                                  |                                   |
| Branch/                                  |                                   |
| Liaison Off.                             |                                   |





#### **APPLICATION FOR REGISTRATION - FOREIGN SUPPLIERS**

| A. Category of regis | tration: |
|----------------------|----------|
|----------------------|----------|

| Please indicate the items for which | Items description |
|-------------------------------------|-------------------|
| registration is sought              |                   |

#### B. General Information:

#### 1. Contact Details:

| Registered Name of the Firm     |  |
|---------------------------------|--|
| Registered Office Address:      |  |
| Telephone / Fax / E-Mail        |  |
| Details of contact person       |  |
| Name & designation :            |  |
| Works Addresses:                |  |
| Telephone / Fax / E-Mail        |  |
| Details of contact person       |  |
| Name & designation :            |  |
| Indian Representative if any    |  |
| 2.17                            |  |
| Address                         |  |
| Telephone / Fax / E-Mail        |  |
| Contact details of your office  |  |
| where trade enquiries are to be |  |
| sent                            |  |
|                                 |  |
| Address                         |  |
| Telephone / Fax / E-Mail        |  |





#### **APPLICATION FOR REGISTRATION OF CONTRACTORS**

#### Category of Registration

Contractor Class to which registration is sought. Please strike out those not applicable.

The Upper Limit indicates the maximum value of single work that can be awarded to the applicant.

| Class | Upper Limit (Rs. Lacs) |
|-------|------------------------|
| I     | More than 500          |
| П     | 500                    |
| Ш     | 250                    |
| TV    | 100                    |
| V     | 40                     |
| VI    | 10                     |
|       |                        |

# Concluding Remarks

- Primary objective of CCI is to bring out an estimate of inflation / deflation values for the Construction Industry.
- It can help in evaluating the cost variation for project delays, escalation claims, liquidated damages etc.
- Ultimate use of the index compilation will depend upon the quality of data management and data dissemination.
- Timeliness and transparency in release of the indices is imperative.
- CCI for Hydroelectric Sector can be developed jointly by CEA and CIDC and released by CEA as the official index.

