

**INDEX NUMBERS OF THE COSTS OF LABOUR AND MATERIALS
USED IN PUBLIC SECTOR CONSTRUCTION PROJECTS (APRIL 2003 = 100)**

APPLICABLE TO THE MONTH OF JUNE 2017

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 JUNE 2017 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	162.8
Composite labour wages for building contracts	154.3
<i>Selected materials</i>	
Aggregates	160.0
Bitumen	157.7
Concrete blocks	192.1
Diesel fuel	219.7
Glass	168.2
Glazed ceramic wall tiles	201.7
Hardwood	225.7
Homogeneous floor tiles	172.3
Galvanised mild steel	296.2
Metal formwork	178.0
Mosaic tiles	212.5
Paint	151.5
Portland cement (ordinary)	137.0
Sand	453.7
Steel reinforcement	168.0
Teak	226.2
Timber formwork	194.1
uPVC pipes	152.5
GMS pipes	167.1

PART B: Index Series with Other Base Periods

	<i>Index Numbers</i>
<i>Selected materials</i>	
Copper pipes (September 2008 = 100) ^a	89.5

Note:—

a: 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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