

Quick Estimates of IIP for Textile and Clothing Sector (T&C): March 2019

Quick Estimates - Index of Industrial Production - Textiles & Clothing							
Description	Weights	Index			Cumulative Index		
		March 2018	March 2019	% Change	April 17– March 18	April 18– March 19	% Change
Manufacture of textiles	3.2913	119.0	117.7	-1.1	117.1	118.4	1.1
Manufacture of wearing apparel	1.3225	169.3	174.5	3.1	137.5	152.3	10.8
Textile and Clothing	4.6138	133.4	134.0	0.4	122.9	128.1	4.2

Source: Press Information Bureau and CITI Analysis

- The General Index for the month of March 2019 is **0.1** percent lower as compared to the level in the month of March 2018. The cumulative growth for the period April-March 2018-19 over the corresponding period of the previous year stands at **3.6** percent.
- Textiles (excluding apparels) were down by **(-) 1.1** percent, Wearing Apparel was up by **(+) 3.1** percent in March 2019 over the same month previous year.
- Cumulative change for April- March 2018-19 for textiles was up by **(+) 1.1** percent and wearing apparel was up by **(+) 10.8** percent over the same period previous year.
- Textile and clothing industry, as a whole, was up by 0.4 percent in March 2019 over the same month previous year while it is up by 4.2 percent during cumulative period April-March 2018-19 over the same period previous year.