

Government of Pakistan
Pakistan Bureau of Statistics

SUB:- ADVANCE RELEASE ON EXTERNALTRADE STATISTICS FOR THE MONTH OF FEBRUARY, 2025.

EXPORTS:

According to the provisional figures compiled by the Pakistan Bureau of Statistics, exports from Pakistan during February, 2025 amounted to Rs.695,846 million (provisional) as against Rs. 822,410 million in January, 2025 and Rs. 721,064 million during February, 2024 showing a decrease of 15.39% over January, 2025 and of 3.50% over February, 2024.

2. In terms of US dollars, the exports in February, 2025 totaled \$ 2,491 million (provisional) as compared to \$ 2,951 million in January, 2025 showing a decrease of 15.59% over January, 2025 and of 3.56% as compared to \$ 2,583 million in February, 2024.

3. Exports during July – February, 2024 - 2025 totaled Rs. 6,143,705 million (provisional) as against Rs.5,802,467 million during the corresponding period of last year showing an increase of 5.88%.

4. In terms of US dollars, the exports during July – February, 2024 - 2025 totaled \$ 22,074 million (provisional) against \$ 20,359 million during the corresponding period of last year showing an increase of 8.42%.

5. Main commodities of exports during February, 2025 were Knitwear (Rs. 102,098 million), Readymade garments (Rs.91,934 million), Bed wear (Rs. 69,716 million), Rice others (Rs. 56,027 million), Cotton cloth (Rs. 41,548 million), Towels (Rs.27,195 million), Basmati Rice (Rs.24,682 million), Madeup articles (excl towels & bedwear) (Rs.17,590 million), Vegetables (Rs.17,398 million) and Cotton yarn (Rs.14,363 million).

6. The increase (+) / decrease (-) recorded in main commodities exported during February, 2025 over January, 2025 and February, 2024 is given below: -

S.No.	Commodities	%Change for value in million Rupees in February, 2025 over	
		January, 2025	February, 2024
1	Knitwear	-21.76	8.85
2	Readymade garments	-16.86	7.26
3	Bed wear	-13.33	2.42
4	Rice others	-16.66	-37.19
5	Cotton cloth	-9.67	-14.22
6	Towels	-4.28	3.03
7	Basmati rice	13.88	7.09
8	Madeup Articles (Excl. Towels & Bedwears)	-15.22	1.40
9	Vegetables	83.23	-17.31
10	Cotton yarn	-20.82	-34.45

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IMPORTS

7. Imports into Pakistan during February, 2025 amounted to Rs. 1,343,584 million (provisional) as against Rs. 1,465,107 million in January, 2025 and Rs. 1,202,117 million during February, 2024 showing a decrease of 8.29% over January, 2025 but an increase of 11.77% over February, 2024.

8. In terms of US dollars, the imports in February, 2025 totaled \$ 4,810 million (provisional) as compared to \$ 5,258 million in January, 2025 showing a decrease of 8.52% over January, 2025 but an increase of 11.70% as compared to \$ 4,306 million in February, 2024.

9. Imports during July – February, 2024 - 2025 totaled Rs. 10,542,305 million (provisional) as against Rs. 10,031,330 million during the corresponding period of last year showing an increase of 5.09%.

10. In terms of US dollars, the imports during July – February, 2024 - 2025 totaled \$ 37,875 million (provisional) as against \$ 35,199 million during the corresponding period of last year showing an increase of 7.60%.

11. Main commodities of imports during February, 2025 were Petroleum products (Rs.130,365 million), Petroleum crude (Rs.123,821 million), Palm oil (Rs. 102,289 million), Electrical machinery & apparatus (Rs.84,230 million), Natural gas liquified (LNG) (Rs.70,885 million), Iron and steel (Rs.57,883 million), Plastic materials (Rs.50,262 million), Mobile phones (Rs. 37,041 million), Raw cotton (Rs.31,139 million) and Iron and steel scrap (Rs. 27,469 million)

12. The increase (+) / decrease (-) recorded in main commodities imported during February, 2025 over January, 2025 and February, 2024 is given below: -

S. No.	Commodities	%Change for value in million Rupees in February, 2025 over	
		January, 2025	February, 2024
1	Petroleum products	-9.62	-4.94
2	Petroleum crude	2.02	18.74
3	Palm oil	6.49	84.04
4	Electrical machinery & apparatus	-1.90	12.42
5	Natural gas, liquified (LNG)	-18.80	-20.11
6	Iron and steel	-4.80	50.70
7	Plastic materials	-22.56	-0.90
8	Mobile Phones	-0.97	-17.54
9	Raw cotton	-9.88	814.43
10	Iron and steel scrap	9.73	-13.91

BALANCE OF TRADE:

13. Based on the provisional figures of imports and exports the balance of trade in February, 2025 was (-)647,738 million in terms of Rupees and (-)2,319 million in US dollars. The balance of trade figures cumulative from July - February, 2024 - 2025 was (-)4,398,600 million in terms of Rupees and (-)15,801 million in US dollars.

14. Four statements giving quantity and value details of selected commodities of exports and imports for the month of February, 2025 and July – February, 2024 - 2025 along-with the data of previous month and corresponding period of last year are enclosed.