

**Government of Pakistan**  
**Pakistan Bureau of Statistics**

**SUB:- ADVANCE RELEASE ON EXTERNAL TRADE STATISTICS FOR THE MONTH OF JULY, 2014.**

**EXPORTS:**

According to the provisional figures compiled by the Pakistan Bureau of Statistics, exports from Pakistan during July, 2014 amounted to Rs.190,356 million (provisional) as against Rs. 199,634 million (provisional) in June, 2014 and Rs.210,465 million during July, 2013 showing a decrease of 4.65% over June,2014 and of 9.55% over July, 2013.

2. In terms of US dollars the exports in July, 2014 was \$ 1,930 million (provisional) as compared to \$ 2,027 million (provisional) in June, 2014 showing a decrease of 4.79% and of 7.88% as compared to \$ 2,095 million in July, 2013.

3. Main commodities of exports during July, 2014 were Knitwear (Rs.23,552 million), Cotton cloth (Rs.20,874 million), Bedwear (Rs.19,324 million), Readymade garments (Rs.18,373 million), Cotton yarn (Rs.12,953 million), Rice others (Rs.7,575 million), Towels (Rs.6,322 million), Made-up articles (excl. towels & bedwear) (Rs.5,847 million), Rice basmati (Rs.4,795 million) and Leather garments (Rs.4,045 million).

4. The increase(+) / decrease(-) recorded in main commodities exported during July, 2014 over June, 2014 and July, 2013 is given below:-

S.No.	COMMODITIES	%Change for value in million Rupees in July, 2014 over	
		June, 2014	July, 2013
1.	Knitwear	16.00	19.46
2.	Cotton cloth	7.21	-9.79
3.	Bedwear	9.23	12.47
4.	Readymade garments	-0.09	1.88
5.	Cotton yarn	-0.51	-36.49
6.	Rice others	-21.62	-11.83
7.	Towels	-2.23	5.49
8.	Madeup articles (excl. towels, bedwear)	0.21	-7.29
9.	Rice basmati	-4.79	-26.94
10.	Leather garments	21.22	9.27

## **IMPORTS**

5. Imports into Pakistan during July, 2014 amounted to Rs.331,961 million (provisional) as against Rs. 427,189 million (provisional) in June, 2014 and Rs.383,245 million during July, 2013 showing a decrease of 22.29% over June, 2014 and of 13.38% over July, 2013.

6. In terms of US dollars the imports in July, 2014 was \$ 3,364 million (provisional) as compared to \$ 4,338 million (provisional) in June, 2014 showing a decrease of 22.45 and by 11.80% as compared to \$ 3,814 million in July, 2013.

7. Main commodities of imports during July, 2014 were Petroleum products (Rs.67,206 million), Petroleum crude (Rs.22,688 million), Plastic materials (Rs.14,658 million), Palm oil (Rs.13,004 million), Iron & steel (Rs.11,103 million), Electrical machinery & apparatus (Rs.8,602 million), Other apparatus (Telecom) (Rs.7,600 million), Iron and Steel scrap (Rs.6,994 million), Power generating machinery (Rs.6,963 million) and Synthetic & artificial yarn (Rs.6,057 million).

8. The increase(+) / decrease(-) recorded in main commodities imported during July, 2014 over June, 2014 and July, 2013 is given below:-

S.No.	COMMODITIES	%Change for value in million Rupees in July, 2014 over	
		June, 2014	July, 2013
1.	Petroleum products	-23.30	-18.19
2.	Petroleum crude	-57.90	-51.99
3.	Plastic materials	-13.29	4.48
4.	Palm oil	-29.94	-28.95
5.	Iron & Steel	-34.23	36.76
6.	Electrical machinery & apparatus	-19.20	20.88
7.	Other apparatus (Telecom)	-49.40	31.21
8.	Iron & steel scrap	-30.64	12.39
9.	Power generating machinery	-33.08	38.81
10.	Synthetic & artificial yarn	-18.38	38.58

## **BALANCE OF TRADE:**

9. Based on the provisional figures of imports and exports the balance of trade in July, 2014 was (-) 141,605 million in terms of Rupees and (-) 1,434 million in US dollars.

10. Two statements giving quantity and value details of selected commodities of exports and imports for the month of July, 2014 along-with the data for previous month and corresponding period are enclosed.