

Government of Pakistan
Pakistan Bureau of Statistics

SUB: - ADVANCE RELEASE ON EXTERNALTRADE STATISTICS FOR THE MONTH OF NOVEMBER, 2021.

EXPORTS:

According to the provisional figures compiled by the Pakistan Bureau of Statistics, exports from Pakistan during November, 2021 amounted to Rs.502,376 million (provisional) as against Rs.423,063 million (provisional) in October, 2021 and Rs. 345,640 million during November, 2020 showing an increase of 18.75% over October, 2021 and of 45.35% over November, 2020.

2. In terms of US dollars the exports in November, 2021 were \$ 2,903 million (provisional) as compared to \$ 2,464 million (provisional) in October, 2021 showing an increase of 17.82% and by 33.72% as compared to \$ 2,171 million in November, 2020.

3. Exports during July – November,2021 totaled Rs. 2,072,512 million (provisional) as against Rs. 1,599,976 million during the corresponding period of last year showing an increase of 29.53%.

4. In terms of US dollars the exports during July – November, 2021 totaled \$ 12,364 million (provisional) against \$ 9,744 million during the corresponding period of last year showing an increase of 26.89%.

5. Main commodities of exports during November, 2021 were Knitwear (Rs. 79,221 million), Readymade garments (Rs. 56,877 million), Bed wear (Rs. 54,516 million), Cotton Cloth (Rs. 35,444 million), Rice Others (Rs. 29,203 million), Cotton Yarn (Rs.18,883 million), Towels (Rs.18,217 million), Madeup Articles (Excl. towels & Bedwear) (Rs.14,560 million), Rice Basmati (Rs.10,872 million) and Fish & Fish Preparations (Rs.9,364 million).

6. The increase (+) / decrease (-) recorded in main commodities exported during November, 2021 over October, 2021 and November, 2020 is given below: -

S.No.	COMMODITIES	%Change for value in million Rupees in November, 2021 over	
		October, 2021	November, 2020
1	Knitwear	0.92	53.14
2	Readymade garments	11.37	38.25
3	Bed wear	10.30	43.50
4	Cotton cloth	12.42	50.12
5	Rice Others	34.40	-6.60
6	Cotton Yarn	3.61	59.79
7	Towels	29.27	44.02
8	Madeup Articles (Excl. Towels & Bedwear.)	19.18	37.89
9	Rice Basmati	41.18	95.79
10	Fish & Fish Preparations	38.33	31.83

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IMPORTS

7. Imports into Pakistan during November, 2021 amounted to Rs. 1,371,660 million (provisional) as against Rs. 1,093,545 million (provisional) in October, 2021 and Rs. 683,354 million during November, 2020 showing an increase of 25.43% over October, 2021 and of 100.72% over November, 2020.

8. In terms of US dollars the imports in November, 2021 were \$ 7,928 million (provisional) as compared to \$ 6,369 million (provisional) in October, 2021 showing an increase of 24.48% and by 84.72% as compared to \$ 4,292 million in November, 2020.

9. Imports during July – November, 2021 totaled Rs. 5,537,253 million (provisional) as against Rs. 3,197,899 million during the corresponding period of last year showing an increase of 73.15%.

10. In terms of US dollars the imports during July – November, 2021 totaled \$ 33,012 million (provisional) as against \$ 19,468 million during the corresponding period of last year showing an increase of 69.57%.

11. Main commodities of imports during November, 2021 were Petroleum products (Rs. 218,224 million), Medicinal Products (Rs.119,194 million), Petroleum crude (Rs.75,456 million), Natural Gas Liquified (Rs. 72,372 million), Palm Oil (Rs. 67,478 million), Plastic Materials (Rs. 51,515 million), Iron & Steel (Rs.48,005 million), Iron & Steel scrap (Rs.47,603 million), Mobile Phone (Rs.36,691 million) and Electrical Machinery & Apparatus (Rs. 32,400 million).

12. The increase (+) / decrease (-) recorded in main commodities imported during November, 2021 over October, 2021 and November, 2020 is given below: -

S.No.	COMMODITIES	%Change for value in million Rupees in November, 2021 over	
		October, 2021	November, 2020
1	Petroleum products	76.77	344.69
2	Medicinal Products	141.81	852.71
3	Petroleum crude	20.31	130.63
4	Natural Gas Liquified	-11.32	101.94
5	Palm Oil	59.68	98.93
6	Plastic Materials	43.20	67.75
7	Iron & Steel	2.81	52.53
8	Iron & Steel scrap	35.88	120.76
9	Mobile Phone	42.74	38.72
10	Electrical Machinery & Apparatus	27.46	106.54

BALANCE OF TRADE:

13. Based on the provisional figures of imports and exports the balance of trade in November, 2021 was (-)869,284 million in terms of Rupees and (-)5,025 million in US dollars. The balance of trade figures cumulative from July - November, 2021 were (-)3,464,741 million in terms of Rupees and (-)20,648 million in US dollars.

14. Four statements giving quantity and value details of selected commodities of exports and imports for the month of November, 2021 and July – November, 2021 along-with the data for previous month and corresponding period of last year are enclosed.