

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

**SUB: - ADVANCE RELEASE ON EXTERNALTRADE STATISTICS FOR THE MONTH OF NOVEMBER, 2022.**

**EXPORTS:**

According to the provisional figures compiled by the Pakistan Bureau of Statistics, exports from Pakistan during November, 2022 amounted to Rs.531,599 million (provisional) as against Rs. 525,831 million in October, 2022 and Rs.502,009 million during November, 2021 showing an increase of 1.10% over October, 2022 and of 5.89% over November, 2021.

2. In terms of US dollars the exports in November, 2022 were \$ 2,391 million (provisional) as compared to \$ 2,384 million in October, 2022 showing an increase of 0.29% but decreased by 17.58% as compared to \$ 2,901 million in November, 2021.

3. Exports during July – November, 2022 totaled Rs. 2,661,304 million (provisional) as against Rs. 2,072,145 million during the corresponding period of last year showing an increase of 28.43%.

4. In terms of US dollars the exports during July – November, 2022 totaled \$ 11,945 million (provisional) against \$ 12,362 million during the corresponding period of last year showing a decrease of 3.37%.

5. Main commodities of exports during November, 2022 were Knitwear (Rs. 88,974 million), Readymade garments (Rs. 72,620 million), Bed wear (Rs. 49,457 million), Rice Others (Rs.34,909 million), Cotton Cloth (Rs. 34,140 million), Towels (Rs.20,597 million), Fish & fish preparations (Rs.11,382 million), Rice Basmati (Rs.10,252 million), Cotton Yarn (Rs.9,533 million) and Surgical goods & medical instruments (Rs.8,343 million).

6. The increase (+) / decrease (-) recorded in main commodities exported during November, 2022 over October, 2022 and November, 2021 is given below: -

S.No.	COMMODITIES	%Change for value in million Rupees in November, 2022 over	
		October, 2022	November, 2021
1	Knitwear	2.98	12.04
2	Readymade garments	19.48	28.49
3	Bed wear	3.26	-9.28
4	Rice Others	71.60	14.96
5	Cotton cloth	-8.73	-3.68
6	Towels	17.34	13.06
7	Fish & fish preparations	-5.60	21.55
8	Rice Basmati	-9.87	5.04
9	Cotton Yarn	-11.89	-49.51
10	Surgical goods & medical instruments	-3.98	31.11

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## **IMPORTS**

7. Imports into Pakistan during November, 2022 amounted to Rs. 1,152,054 million (provisional) as against Rs. 1,039,036 million in October, 2022 and Rs. 1,366,681 million during November, 2021 showing an increase of 10.88% over October, 2021 but a decrease of 15.70% over November, 2021.

8. In terms of US dollars the imports in November, 2022 were \$ 5,182 million (provisional) as compared to \$ 4,711 million in October, 2022 showing an increase of 10.00% but decreased by 34.40% as compared to \$ 7,899 million in November, 2021.

9. Imports during July – November, 2022 totaled Rs. 5,841,359 million (provisional) as against Rs. 5,532,271 million during the corresponding period of last year showing an increase of 5.59%.

10. In terms of US dollars the imports during July – November, 2022 totaled \$ 26,221 million (provisional) as against \$ 32,983 million during the corresponding period of last year showing a decrease of 20.50%.

11. Main commodities of imports during November, 2022 were Petroleum products (Rs. 157,448 million), Petroleum crude (Rs.121,378 million), Natural gas, liquified (Rs.70,725 million), Palm oil (Rs. 70,720 million), Plastic Materials (Rs. 42,730 million), Raw cotton (Rs.38,923 million), Fertilizer manufactured (Rs.37,281 million), Electrical machinery & apparatus (Rs.34,692 million), Medicinal products (Rs.34,487 million) and Iron & steel (Rs.34,170 million).

12. The increase (+) / decrease (-) recorded in main commodities imported during November, 2022 over October, 2022 and November, 2021 is given below: -

S.No.	COMMODITIES	%Change for value in million Rupees in November, 2022 over	
		October, 2022	November, 2021
1	Petroleum products	56.76	-27.85
2	Petroleum crude	47.80	60.86
3	Natural Gas Liquified	8.00	-2.28
4	Palm Oil	18.38	4.80
5	Plastic Materials	-9.66	-17.03
6	Raw cotton	29.99	26.27
7	Fertilizer manufactured	65.97	778.64
8	Electrical machinery & apparatus	44.20	8.64
9	Medical products	48.43	-71.07
10	Iron & Steel	-11.29	-28.79

### **BALANCE OF TRADE:**

13. Based on the provisional figures of imports and exports the balance of trade in November, 2022 was (-)620,455 million in terms of Rupees and (-)2,791 million in US dollars. The balance of trade figures cumulative from July - November, 2022 were (-)3,180,055 million in terms of Rupees and (-)14,276 million in US dollars.

14. Four statements giving quantity and value details of selected commodities of exports and imports for the month of November, 2022 and July – November, 2022 along-with the data for previous month and corresponding period of last year are enclosed.