

Government of Pakistan
Pakistan Bureau of Statistics

SUB:- ADVANCE RELEASE ON EXTERNAL TRADE STATISTICS FOR THE MONTH OF FEBRUARY, 2026.

EXPORTS:

According to the provisional figures compiled by the Pakistan Bureau of Statistics, exports from Pakistan during February, 2026 amounted to Rs.636,939 million (provisional) as against Rs. 855,496 million in January, 2026 and Rs. 695,549 million during February, 2025 showing a decrease of 25.55% over January, 2026 and of 8.43% over February, 2025.

2. In terms of US dollars, the exports in February, 2026 totaled \$ 2,278 million (provisional) as compared to \$ 3,055 million in January, 2026 showing a decrease of 25.43% over January, 2026 and of 8.51% as compared to \$ 2,490 million in February, 2025.

3. Exports during July – February, 2025 - 2026 totaled Rs.5,757,852 million (provisional) as against Rs.6,143,409 million during the corresponding period of last year showing a decrease of 6.28%.

4. In terms of US dollars, the exports during July – February, 2025 - 2026 totaled \$ 20,468 million (provisional) against \$ 22,073 million during the corresponding period of last year showing a decrease of 7.27%.

5. Main commodities of exports during February, 2026 were Readymade garments (Rs. 91,520 million), Knitwear (Rs.87,363 million), Bed wear (Rs. 61,767 million), Cotton cloth (Rs.37,057 million), Rice others (Rs. 32,244 million), Towels (Rs. 22,768 million), Cotton yarn (Rs. 20,650), Basmati rice (Rs.19,969 million), Madeup Articles (Excl. Towels & Bedwears) Rs.16,649 million and Meat & meat preparation (Rs. 15,072 million).

6. The increase (+) / decrease (-) recorded in main commodities exported during February, 2026 over January, 2026 and February, 2025 is given below: -

S.No.	Commodities	%Change for value in million Rupees in February, 2026 over	
		January, 2026	February, 2025
1	Readymade garments	-24.87	-0.44
2	Knitwear	-27.13	-14.42
3	Bed wear	-28.49	-11.40
4	Cotton cloth	-19.82	-10.81
5	Rice others	-30.84	-42.45
6	Towels	-30.09	-16.28
7	Cotton yarn	0.37	43.77
8	Basmati rice	-64.24	-19.10
9	Madeup Articles (Excl. Towels & Bedwears)	-26.57	-5.34
10	Meat and meat preparations	4.61	22.23

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IMPORTS

7. Imports into Pakistan during February, 2026 amounted to Rs. 1,489,124 million (provisional) as against Rs. 1,627,472 million in January, 2026 and Rs. 1,491,293 million during February, 2025 showing a decrease of 8.50% over January, 2026 and of 0.15% over February, 2025.

8. In terms of US dollars, the imports in February, 2026 totaled \$ 5,318 million (provisional) as compared to \$ 5,805 million in January, 2026 showing a decrease of 8.39% over January, 2026 and of 0.39% as compared to \$ 5,339 million in February, 2025.

9. Imports during July – February, 2025 - 2026 totaled Rs. 12,831,985 million (provisional) as against Rs. 11,722,061 million during the corresponding period of last year showing an increase of 9.47%.

10. In terms of US dollars, the imports during July – February, 2025 - 2026 totaled \$ 45,569 million (provisional) as against \$ 42,110 million during the corresponding period of last year showing an increase of 8.21%.

11. Main commodities of imports during February, 2026 were Petroleum crude (Rs.118,498 million), Palm oil (Rs.107,980 million), Petroleum products (Rs. 79,510 million), Plastic materials (Rs.71,211 million), Iron & steel (Rs.64,739 million), Natural gas, liquified (LNG) (Rs.52,923 million), Electrical machinery & apparatus (Rs.51,586 million), Motor cars (ckd/skd) (Rs.44,005 million), Mobile phones (Rs.43,560 million) and Iron & steel scrap (Rs.42,797 million).

12. The increase (+) / decrease (-) recorded in main commodities imported during February, 2026 over January, 2026 and February, 2025 is given below: -

S. No.	Commodities	%Change for value in million Rupees in February, 2026 over	
		January, 2026	February, 2025
1	Petroleum crude	8.04	-4.30
2	Palm oil	4.97	5.55
3	Petroleum products	-7.27	-39.12
4	Plastic materials	-7.25	29.35
5	Iron & steel	-13.62	11.19
6	Natural gas, liquified (LNG)	-29.29	-25.34
7	Electrical machinery & apparatus	-13.83	-39.90
8	Motor cars (ckd/skd)	-3.28	68.91
9	Mobile phones	-13.35	18.27
10	Iron & steel scrap	-23.83	-1.35

BALANCE OF TRADE:

13. Based on the provisional figures of imports and exports the balance of trade in February, 2026 was (-)852,185 million in terms of Rupees and (-)3,040 million in US dollars. The balance of trade figures cumulative from July - February, 2025-2026 was (-)7,074,133 million in terms of Rupees and (-)25,101 million in US dollars.

14. Four statements giving quantity and value details of selected commodities of exports and imports for the month of February, 2026 and July – February, 2025 - 2026 along-with the data of previous month and corresponding period of last year are enclosed.