Government of Pakistan
Pakistan Bureau of Statistics

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

EXPORTS:

According to the provisional figures compiled by the Pakistan Bureau of Statistics, exports from Pakistan during October, 2026 amounted to Rs.829,472 million (provisional) as against Rs. 829,456 million in September, 2026 and Rs. 800,551 million during October, 2025 showing an increase of 0.002% over September, 2026 and of 3.61% over October, 2025.

2. In terms of US dollars, the exports in October, 2026 totaled $ 2,995 million (provisional) as compared to $ 2,991 million in September, 2026 showing an increase of 0.13% over September, 2026 and of 5.16% as compared to $ 2,848 million in October, 2025.

3. Exports during July – October, 2026 totaled Rs.3,193,157 million (provisional) as against Rs.2,950,116 million during the corresponding period of last year showing an increase of 8.24%.

4. In terms of US dollars, the exports during July – October, 2026 totaled $ 11,507 million (provisional) against $ 10,446 million during the corresponding period of last year showing an increase of 10.16%.

5. Top 10 Export Commodities:(Monthly and Cumulative October,2026)

Rupees in million

S.No	Top 10 Exports	October 2026 (P)	September 2026 (F)	October 2025	July October 2026	July October 2025	% Change October, 2026 over September, 2026	% Change October, 2026 over October, 2025	% Change July-October, 2026 over July-October, 2025
1	KNITWEAR	135,328	134,599	135,262	549,027	538,045	0.54	0.05	2.04
2	READYMADE GARMENTS	109,844	111,338	104,249	450,973	403,397	-1.34	5.37	11.79
3	BED WEAR	78,395	80,201	81,814	315,180	323,063	-2.25	-4.18	-2.44
4	COTTON CLOTH	39,107	41,332	40,347	157,191	167,406	-5.38	-3.07	-6.10
5	PETROLEUM PRODUCTS(EXCL TOP NAPHTA)	35,915	21,347	59,650	88,122	85,728	68.24	-39.79	2.79
6	RICE OTHERS	29,106	41,182	30,537	133,596	107,036	-29.32	-4.69	24.81
7	TOWELS	27,588	27,852	25,408	108,550	100,392	-0.95	8.58	8.13
8	COTTON YARN	23,243	18,420	15,876	86,300	67,470	26.18	46.40	27.91
9	MADEUP ARTICLES(EXCL.TOWELS & BEDWEAR.)	22,453	21,401	19,100	84,430	77,597	4.91	17.55	8.81
10	FISH & FISH PREPARATIONS	18,653	15,221	11,630	47,148	36,942	22.55	60.38	27.63

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6. Imports into Pakistan during October, 2026 amounted to Rs. 1,987,538 million (provisional) as against Rs. 1,787,826 million in September, 2026 and Rs. 1,713,648 million during October, 2025 showing an increase of 11.17% over September, 2026 and of 15.98% over October, 2025.

7. In terms of US dollars, the imports in October, 2026 totaled $ 7,127 million (provisional) as compared to $ 6,438 million in September, 2026 showing an increase of 10.70% over September, 2026 and of 17.09% as compared to $ 6,087 million in October, 2025.

8. Imports during July – October, 2026 totaled Rs. 7,314,938 million (provisional) as against Rs. 6,516,677 million during the corresponding period of last year showing an increase of 12.25%.

9. In terms of US dollars, the imports during July – October, 2026 totaled $ 26,286 million (provisional) as against $ 23,060 million during the corresponding period of last year showing an increase of 13.99%.

10. Top 10 Import Commodities:(Monthly and Cumulative October,2026)

Rupees in million

S.No	Top 10 Imports	October 2026 (P)	September 2026 (F)	October 2025	July October 2026	July October 2025	% Change October, 2026 over September, 2026	% Change October, 2026 over October, 2025	% Change July-October, 2026 over July-October, 2025
1	PETROLEUM CRUDE	240,141	143,902	152,957	729,136	557,064	66.88	57.00	30.89
2	PETROLEUM PRODUCTS	162,904	163,173	152,860	595,845	548,064	-0.16	6.57	8.72
3	IRON AND STEEL	138,958	80,850	69,919	357,400	264,946	71.87	98.74	34.90
4	PALM OIL	101,562	96,310	91,253	373,465	374,408	5.45	11.30	-0.25
5	PLASTIC MATERIALS	91,975	87,308	64,131	338,005	275,352	5.35	43.42	22.75
6	ELECTRICAL MACHINERY & APPARATUS	67,577	77,158	69,468	382,838	289,913	-12.42	-2.72	32.05
7	IRON AND STEEL SCRAP	65,850	69,062	54,501	258,537	192,079	-4.65	20.82	34.60
8	FERTILIZER MANUFACTURED	54,943	20,431	38,222	105,395	95,504	168.92	43.75	10.36
9	MOTOR CARS (CKD/SKD)	51,405	68,044	48,156	218,148	177,411	-24.45	6.75	22.96
10	MOBILE PHONE	50,222	39,725	40,702	166,205	182,117	26.42	23.39	-8.74

BALANCE OF TRADE:

11. Based on the provisional figures of imports and exports the balance of trade in October, 2026 was (-)1,158,066 million in terms of Rupees and (-)4,132 million in US dollars. The balance of trade figures cumulative from July - October, 2026 was (-)4,121,781 million in terms of Rupees and (-)14,779 million in US dollars.

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