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Dey 1388

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(1383=100)

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Summary Results of the Export Price Index in Iran

Dey 1388

(1383=100)

increase



no change



decrease



Percent change compared to

Groups

previous month

similar month of
the previous year

General Index

2.9



7.7



Major Groups:

1- Animal Products

1.0



3.2



2- Vegetable Products

1.4



12.9



3- Animal or Vegetable Fats and Oils

5.2



10.3



4- Prepared Foodstuffs, Beverages and Tobacco

0.2



0.4



5- Mineral Products

8.8



55.7



6- Products of the Chemical or Allied Industries

9.3



34.5



7-Plastics and Articles Thereof, Rubber and Articles Thereof

1.0



0.5



8- Skins and Leather and Articles Thereof

0.0



6.4



9- Wood and Articles of Wood

0.1



2.9



10- Textiles and Textile Articles

0.7



0.4



11- Footwear

0.4



8.3



12- Articles of Stone

0.0



0.4



13- Base Metals and Articles of Base Metal

0.8



5.9



14- Machinery and Mechanical Appliances, Electrical Equipment

0.0



14.4



15- Vehicles and Associated Transport Equipment

0.4



1.3



16- Optical, Precision and Medical Instruments

0.0



0.4



Special Groups:

Petrochemical Products

13.0



78.2



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The Export Price Index (**XPI**) increased 2.9 percent* in Dey 1388. The index level of 193.6 was 7.7 percent higher than in Dey 1387.

For the first ten months of the 1388, the Export price index decreased 10.0 percent, compared to the similar period in 1387.

The **XPI** has fallen 8.9 percent over the last twelve months.

The animal products group index increased 1.0 percent which was attributed to the advance of the index for sheep assorted casing.

The index for vegetable products group decreased 1.4 percent in dey. Decline in the indexes for saffron, raisin, natural gums and liquorice extract powder were the major reasons for the mentioned decrease. The indexes for pistachio, date and cumin went up.

As a result of rising of the indexes for soya oil and palm oil, the index for animal or vegetable fats and oils group advanced 5.2 percent.

The prepared foodstuffs, beverages and tobacco group index increased 0.2 percent

During Dey, the mineral products group index rose 8.8 percent which was mainly due to the increase of the indexes for propane, butane, iron stone, paraffin, zinc-oxide concentrate, tar and cement.

The index for products of the chemical or allied industries group advanced 9.3 percent. Increases in the indexes for benzene, paraxylene, ammonia, methanole

* The index is compiled by Rial prices and during the reported period compared to the previous month, the exchange rate of Dollar increased 0.4 percent but the exchange rate of Euro decreased 2.3 percent.

and molybdenum-oxide principally accounted for the Dey rise of this group. Within the mentioned group, decreases in the indexes for sulfur and detergent powders were also considerable.

The plastics and articles thereof, rubber and articles thereof group index moved up 1.0 percent, largely due to the increase of the indexes for alkyd resin, polyvinyl chloride and polyethylene.

The skins and leather and articles thereof group index, the articles of stone group index, the machinery and mechanical appliances, electrical equipment group index and the optical, precision and medical instruments group index were unchanged.

The wood and articles of wood group index, the textiles and textile articles group index and the footwear group index increased 0.1 percent, 0.7 percent and 0.4 percent, respectively.

The indexes for base metals and articles of base metal group and vehicles and associated transport equipment group went up 0.8 percent and 0.4 percent, respectively.

Export Price Index in Iran

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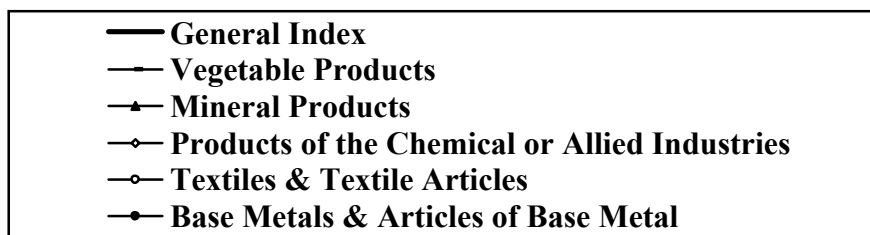
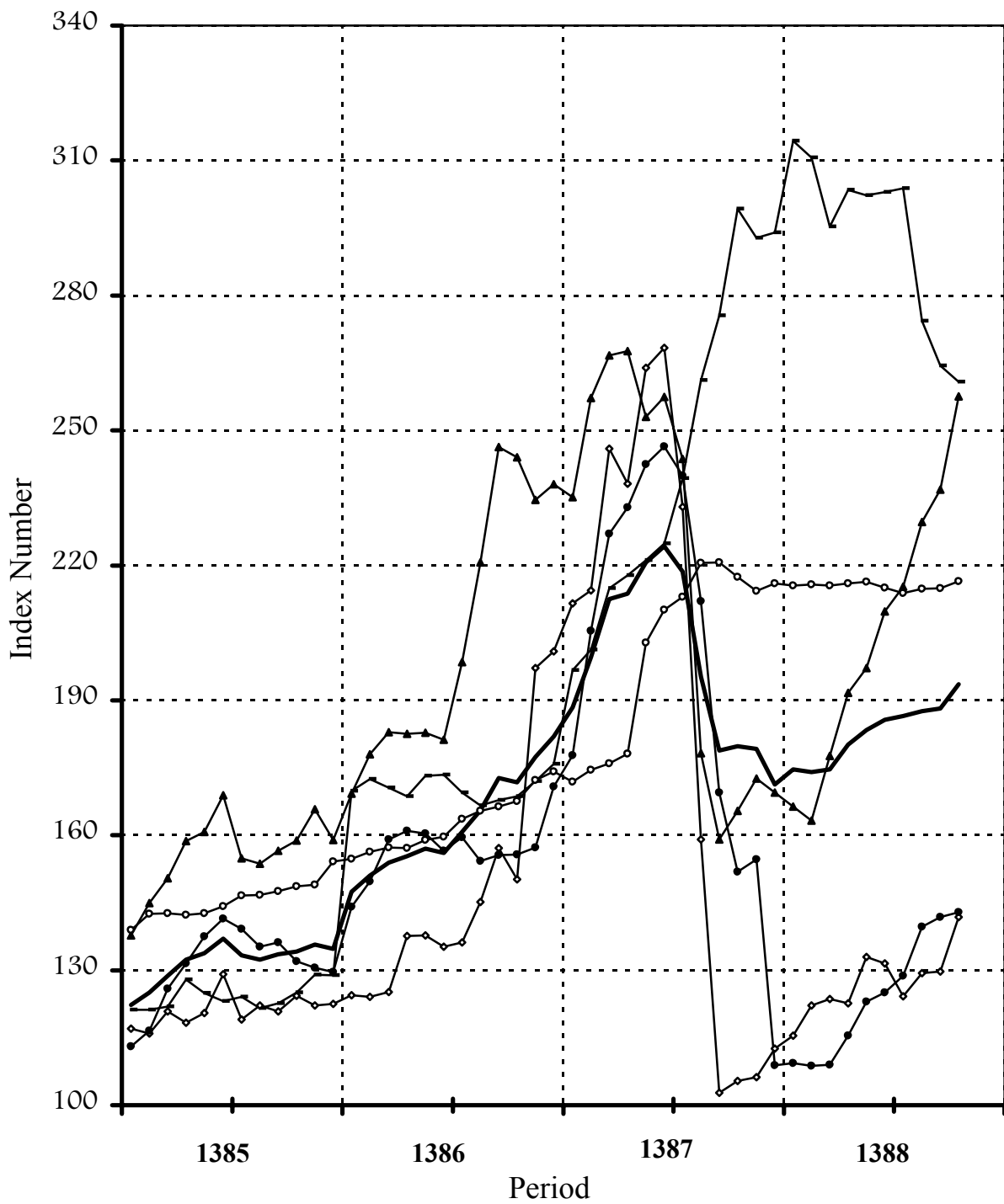


Table 1
Export Price Index in Iran
Index Numbers and Their Percent Changes

Dey 1388
(1383 = 100)

Description	Base Year Weight	Index Number in Dey 1388	Percent Change			
			Dey 1388 Compared to		Dey 1387 Compared to	
			Previous month	Similar month of the previous year	Previous month	Similar month of the previous year
General Index	100.00	193.6	2.9	7.7	0.5	4.7
Major Groups and Selected Sub Groups: *						
1-Animal Products	2.07	136.0	1.0	3.2	2.2	-2.4
2-Vegetable Products	15.50	260.8	-1.4	-12.9	8.6	77.4
Edible Fruit and Nuts	13.20	182.6	2.2	-0.1	-2.9	49.8
Coffee, Tea and Spices	1.95	784.9	-6.1	-28.2	25.9	128.3
Lac, Gums, Resins	0.21	342.8	-7.5	8.4	1.5	67.0
3-Animal or Vegetable Fats & Oils	0.61	183.3	5.2	10.3	-23.9	-20.2
4-Prepared Foodstuffs, Beverages & Tobacco	2.98	192.0	0.2	0.4	-0.1	31.0
5-Mineral Products	19.02	257.6	8.8	55.7	4.0	-32.2
Mineral Materials	1.84	170.7	-1.3	-1.2	1.6	25.2
Metals Stone	1.43	321.8	11.3	39.9	1.5	-5.7
Mineral Fuels & Related Oils	15.75	262.0	9.4	65.1	4.6	-38.1
6-Products of the Chemical or Allied Industries	12.29	141.8	9.3	34.5	2.5	-29.8
Inorganic Chemicals	2.88	169.0	4.2	11.8	2.9	-28.6
Organic Chemicals	7.02	122.3	18.1	96.9	9.3	-53.2
Tanning or Dyeing Extracts	0.54	172.9	0.0	-1.1	0.0	64.2
Soap, Organic Surface-Active Agents	1.07	171.3	-1.6	-7.6	-8.4	40.5
7-Plastics & Articles Thereof, Rubber & Articles Thereof	3.78	129.2	1.0	0.5	-7.4	2.6
8-Skins & Leather & Articles Thereof	1.46	128.3	0.0	6.4	0.7	2.7
9-Wood & Articles of Wood	0.13	172.0	0.1	-2.9	-2.6	1.8
10-Textiles & Textile Articles	13.69	216.5	0.7	-0.4	-1.5	29.7
Carpets & Other Textile Floor Coverings	11.27	232.1	0.3	-0.9	-1.4	33.5
Special Woven Fabrics	0.60	103.4	0.0	-7.1	-1.7	2.6
Articles of Apparel & Clothing Accessories	1.38	137.9	6.7	6.9	-13.9	6.1
Other Made up Textile Articles	0.44	215.3	2.0	3.5	33.5	7.7
11-Footwear	0.72	135.2	0.4	8.3	4.1	-0.2
12-Articles of Stone	2.85	134.8	0.0	0.4	-0.7	15.5
13-Base Metals & Articles of Base Metal	19.12	142.9	0.8	-5.9	-10.4	-2.4
Articles of Iron or Steel	12.75	125.0	-0.5	-24.2	-12.2	13.1
Copper	1.80	255.2	0.0	69.5	0.0	-36.7
Aluminium	2.96	147.9	6.8	56.2	-6.9	-33.9
14-Machinery & Mechanical Appliances, Electrical Equipment	3.11	153.5	0.0	-14.4	2.2	3.3
15-Vehicles & Associated Transport Equipment	2.37	131.7	0.4	1.3	0.2	4.7
16-Optical, Precision & Medical Instruments	0.30	163.9	0.0	0.4	-1.0	18.3
Special Groups:						
Petrochemical Products	21.86	192.5	13.0	78.2	7.4	-46.4

*As a few of subgroups are not mentioned in the table, therefore the total weights of subgroups in a few cases do not add up to the total weights of major groups.

Table 2
Export Price Index in Iran
General and Major Groups Index Numbers
(1383 = 100)

<div> <div>Description</div> <div>Period</div> </div>	General Index	Animal Products	Vegetable Products	Animal or Vegetable Fats& Oils	Prepared Foodstuffs, Beverages & Tobacco	Mineral Products	Products of the Chemical or Allied Industries	Plastics & Articles Thereof, Rubber & Articles Thereof	Skins& Leather & Articles Thereof
1376	28.3	18.1	36.9	41.0	33.3	13.6	24.1	31.2	24.1
1377	34.7	22.7	38.4	56.3	45.9	22.0	30.3	37.3	25.5
1378	55.4	40.4	77.6	84.0	67.7	50.6	40.7	60.6	44.3
1379	65.2	52.3	83.2	74.3	76.9	66.7	47.3	64.5	68.0
1380	66.0	59.0	79.8	67.7	78.5	66.1	51.4	64.9	89.0
1381	69.8	68.3	78.6	79.4	81.5	71.2	58.8	66.5	88.1
1382	77.9	87.8	76.8	90.7	89.5	76.4	69.3	67.6	94.4
1383	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1384	113.0	97.9	108.1	104.2	117.0	131.2	105.6	103.0	90.2
1385	131.9	109.9	124.3	113.3	123.9	155.9	121.1	115.9	85.9
1386	162.6	123.0	170.7	163.9	135.9	204.9	147.6	124.0	111.7
1387	198.5	131.2	244.9	224.3	180.4	218.8	188.5	140.3	122.7
1387									
Dey	179.8	131.8	299.3	166.2	191.2	165.4	105.4	128.5	120.6
Bahman	179.2	123.7	292.8	173.0	185.1	172.6	106.2	121.8	116.1
Esfand	171.3	127.1	294.0	175.8	187.2	169.5	112.6	124.6	104.8
1388									
Farvardin	174.6	130.9	314.4	179.0	191.4	166.4	115.5	124.5	106.1
Ordibehesht	174.1	129.4	310.6	189.3	190.6	163.3	122.2	124.0	110.1
Khordad	174.7	129.8	295.3	191.7	188.8	177.7	123.6	124.4	111.8
Tir	180.2	133.5	303.4	186.3	191.8	191.7	122.7	127.6	114.1
Mordad	183.4	133.5	302.3	183.3	191.8	197.2	132.9	129.3	114.1
Shahrivar	185.7	133.8	303.0	182.3	190.5	209.8	131.5	127.7	113.5
Mehr	186.5	135.1	303.8	182.2	190.4	215.3	124.2	125.9	115.5
Aban	187.6	134.0	274.3	173.6	190.7	229.7	129.3	125.2	118.3
Azar	188.2	134.7	264.4	174.3	191.6	236.8	129.7	127.9	128.3
Dey	193.6	136.0	260.8	183.3	192.0	257.6	141.8	129.2	128.3

Table 2 (Continued)

Period	Description	General Index	Wood & Articles of Wood	Textiles & Textile Articles	Footwear	Articles of Stone	Base Metals & Articles of Base Metal	Machinery & Mechanical Appliances , Electrical Equipment	Vehicles & Associated Transport Equipment	Optical, Precision & Medical Instruments
1387	1376	28.3	38.3	50.0	34.4	38.7	21.2	36.8	49.7	30.4
	1377	34.7	52.1	54.1	42.9	57.4	25.0	48.3	62.2	62.8
	1378	55.4	68.2	68.2	69.9	97.5	41.7	77.8	86.3	72.2
	1379	65.2	76.2	78.9	75.0	96.6	46.2	81.9	90.0	94.1
	1380	66.0	79.4	77.4	68.3	90.2	44.0	81.3	88.8	102.6
	1381	69.8	90.9	80.2	77.2	91.8	45.8	81.0	90.9	102.9
	1382	77.9	92.4	91.6	89.4	93.8	58.4	87.7	93.6	102.6
	1383	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
	1384	113.0	96.5	120.9	100.6	101.3	106.2	121.0	96.2	107.3
	1385	131.9	105.5	145.5	106.2	108.3	130.7	134.6	102.8	108.1
	1386	162.6	153.3	162.8	113.0	115.2	157.0	168.7	121.1	129.9
	1387	198.5	187.7	201.3	125.6	129.1	197.4	180.3	127.6	159.7
	Dey	179.8	177.2	217.4	124.8	134.2	151.9	179.4	130.0	163.2
1388	Bahman	179.2	174.0	214.3	114.9	132.2	154.6	171.1	127.0	161.9
	Esfand	171.3	173.7	216.0	114.8	132.7	108.9	171.0	130.4	163.2
	Farvardin	174.6	172.2	215.5	121.2	134.4	109.3	171.1	130.4	164.4
	Ordibehesht	174.1	172.2	215.8	121.1	133.2	108.8	169.3	130.4	163.7
	Khordad	174.7	171.8	215.5	125.4	132.8	109.0	168.9	134.0	162.5
	Tir	180.2	171.8	216.0	128.0	133.0	115.4	171.0	132.1	164.5
	Mordad	183.4	171.8	216.4	129.8	133.4	123.0	154.3	132.1	164.5
	Shahrivar	185.7	171.3	215.0	131.1	133.1	125.1	153.8	127.8	164.0
	Mehr	186.5	171.3	213.8	133.9	132.7	128.7	153.5	128.9	163.9
	Aban	187.6	171.7	214.8	134.2	134.5	139.7	153.5	133.2	163.9
	Azar	188.2	171.9	214.9	134.7	134.8	141.8	153.5	131.2	163.9
	Dey	193.6	172.0	216.5	135.2	134.8	142.9	153.5	131.7	163.9