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## **Export Price Index in Iran**

**Ordibehesht 1389**

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(1383=100)

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**Summary Results of the Export Price Index in Iran**





































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increase	
no change or virtually unchanged	
decrease	

**Percent change compared to**

**Groups**

	previous month		similar month of the previous year	
<b>General Index</b>	0.0		15.2	
<b>Major Groups:</b>				
1- Animal Products	1.0		3.9	
2- Vegetable Products	4.2		17.8	
3- Animal or Vegetable Fats and Oils	2.0		1.1	
4- Prepared Foodstuffs, Beverages and Tobacco	2.0		2.8	
5- Mineral Products	1.8		58.4	
6- Products of the Chemical or Allied Industries	10.7		21.6	
7-Plastics and Articles Thereof, Rubber and Articles Thereof	0.2		7.5	
8- Skins and Leather and Articles Thereof	4.0		23.5	
9- Wood and Articles of Wood	0.4		0.3	
10- Textiles and Textile Articles	0.4		0.7	
11- Footwear	24.7		39.4	
12- Articles of Stone	0.7		1.4	
13- Base Metals and Articles of Base Metal	8.7		60.0	
14- Machinery and Mechanical Appliances, Electrical Equipment	1.1		8.0	
15- Vehicles and Associated Transport Equipment	5.4		2.5	
16- Optical, Precision and Medical Instruments	2.0		9.0	
<b>Special Group:</b>				
Petrochemical Products	4.5		64.0	

## **Export Price Index in Iran**

### **Ordibehesht 1389**

**(1383 = 100)**

The Export Price Index (**XPI**) virtually unchanged\* in ordibehesht 1389. The index level of 200.5 was 15.2 percent higher than in Ordibehesht 1388.

During the first two months of the current Iranian year, the XPI increased 15.0 percent compared to the similar period in 1388.

The XPI has fallen 3.0 percent over the last twelve months.

The animal products group index decreased 1.0 percent, which was attributed to the decline of the index for sheep assorted casing.

The fall in the indices of pistachio, saffron, raisin, cumin and liquorice extract powder mostly resulted 4.2 percent decrease in the group index of vegetable products. In this group, the index for date went up.

As a result of rising in the indexes for sun flower oil and soya oil, the index for animal or vegetable fats and oils group advanced 2.0 percent.

The advance in the indexes of tomato puree, beverage, ice cream and fruit juice largely caused 2.0 percent rise in the group index of prepared foodstuffs, beverages and tobacco.

During Ordibehesht, the mineral products group index went up 1.8 percent which was mainly due to the increase in the indexes for paraffin, butane, iron stone, propane, cement, bentonite powder and barite powder.

The index for products of the chemical or allied industries group fell 10.7 percent. Decreases in the indexes for benzene, ammonia, methanole and

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\* The index is compiled by Rial prices and during the reported period, the exchange rate of Dollar increased 2.0 percent but the exchange rate of Euro decreased 2.2 percent compared to the previous month .

molybdenum-oxide were the major reasons for this decline. Within the mentioned group, increases in the indexes for paraxylene, shampoo and detergent powders were also considerable.

The plastics and articles thereof, rubber and articles thereof group index rose 0.2 percent.

The 4.0 percent increase in the group index of skins and leather and articles thereof was principally due to the rise of the index for processed sheep skin.

The wood and articles of wood group index and the textiles and textile articles group index increased 0.4 percent, each.

As a result of rising in the index for safety shoe, the index for footwear group went up 24.7 percent.

The articles of stone group index moved up 0.7 percent.

The index for base metals and articles of base metal group rose 8.7 percent. Increases in the indexes for hot coil iron, steel ingot and galvanized pipe mostly accounted for the current month advance of this group. In this group the index for aluminium ingot decreased.

The machinery and mechanical appliances, electrical equipment group index increased 1.1 percent.

The decrease in the index of tractor caused 5.4 percent decline in the vehicles and associated transport equipment group index.

The optical, precision and medical instruments group index moved up 2.0 percent, largely due to the increase of the index for syringe.

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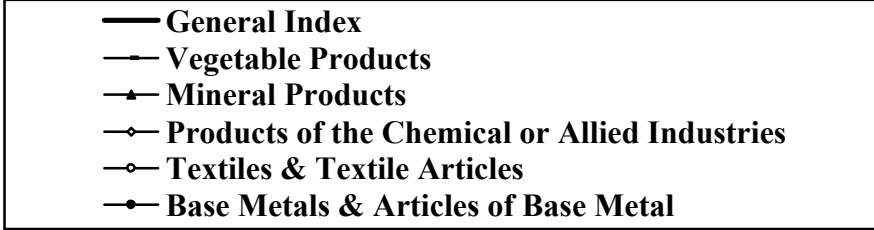
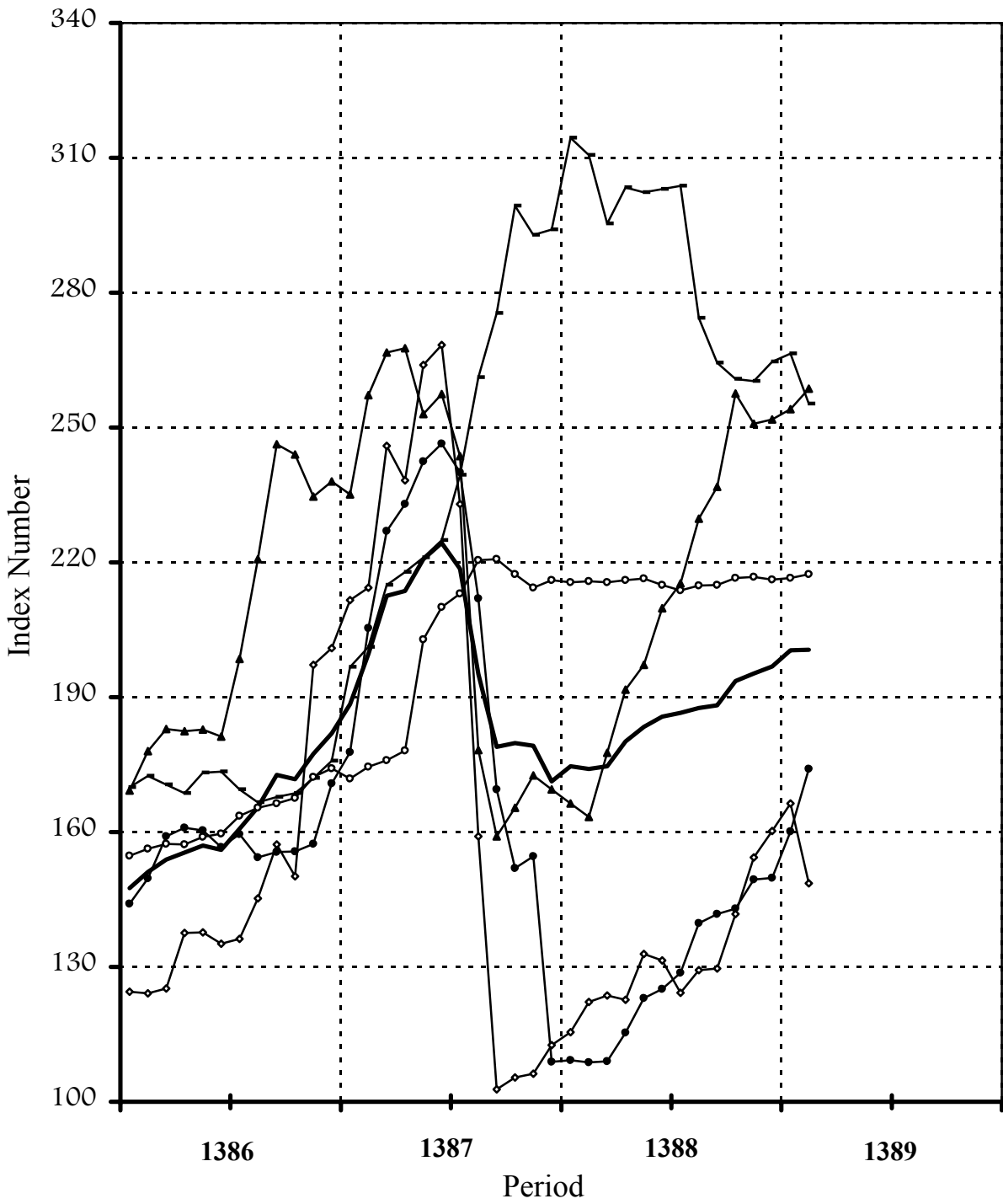


Table 1  
**Export Price Index in Iran**  
Index Numbers and Their Percent Changes  
**Ordibehesht 1389**  
(1383 = 100)

Description	Base Year Weight	Index Number in Ordibehesht 1389	Percent Change			
			Ordibehesht 1389 Compared to		Ordibehesht 1388 Compared to	
			Previous month	Similar month of the previous year	Previous month	Similar month of the previous year
<b>General Index</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>200.5</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>15.2</b>	<b>-0.3</b>	<b>-12.8</b>
<b>Major Groups and Selected Sub Groups: *</b>						
<b>1-Animal Products</b>	<b>2.07</b>	<b>134.5</b>	<b>-1.0</b>	<b>3.9</b>	<b>-1.1</b>	<b>-2.6</b>
<b>2-Vegetable Products</b>	<b>15.50</b>	<b>255.3</b>	<b>-4.2</b>	<b>-17.8</b>	<b>-1.2</b>	<b>54.4</b>
Edible Fruit and Nuts	13.20	190.5	-3.5	1.7	-0.9	26.0
Coffee, Tea and Spices	1.95	688.7	-5.7	-40.1	-1.5	109.1
Lac, Gums, Resins	0.21	330.2	-0.8	-1.0	-0.5	29.1
<b>3-Animal or Vegetable Fats &amp; Oils</b>	<b>0.61</b>	<b>191.4</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>1.1</b>	<b>5.8</b>	<b>-7.8</b>
<b>4-Prepared Foodstuffs, Beverages &amp; Tobacco</b>	<b>2.98</b>	<b>196.0</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>2.8</b>	<b>-0.4</b>	<b>14.1</b>
<b>5-Mineral Products</b>	<b>19.02</b>	<b>258.6</b>	<b>1.8</b>	<b>58.4</b>	<b>-1.9</b>	<b>-36.5</b>
Mineral Materials	1.84	184.2	2.0	6.4	0.5	23.4
Metals Stone	1.43	371.2	1.7	51.8	2.6	-23.6
Mineral Fuels & Related Oils	15.75	257.0	1.7	66.0	-2.8	-41.6
<b>6-Products of the Chemical or Allied Industries</b>	<b>12.29</b>	<b>148.6</b>	<b>-10.7</b>	<b>21.6</b>	<b>5.8</b>	<b>-43.0</b>
Inorganic Chemicals	2.88	207.0	-21.1	21.8	-0.2	-64.1
Organic Chemicals	7.02	118.6	-7.1	39.0	16.5	-36.4
Tanning or Dyeing Extracts	0.54	174.4	0.3	1.7	0.6	30.2
Soap, Organic Surface-Active Agents	1.07	166.8	0.5	-7.3	-0.5	32.8
<b>7-Plastics &amp; Articles Thereof, Rubber &amp; Articles Thereof</b>	<b>3.78</b>	<b>133.3</b>	<b>0.2</b>	<b>7.5</b>	<b>-0.4</b>	<b>-11.4</b>
<b>8-Skins &amp; Leather &amp; Articles Thereof</b>	<b>1.46</b>	<b>136.0</b>	<b>4.0</b>	<b>23.5</b>	<b>3.8</b>	<b>-12.8</b>
<b>9-Wood &amp; Articles of Wood</b>	<b>0.13</b>	<b>172.8</b>	<b>0.4</b>	<b>0.3</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>-8.7</b>
<b>10-Textiles &amp; Textile Articles</b>	<b>13.69</b>	<b>217.3</b>	<b>0.4</b>	<b>0.7</b>	<b>0.1</b>	<b>23.7</b>
Carpets & Other Textile Floor Coverings	11.27	231.9	0.2	0.6	0.2	25.6
Special Woven Fabrics	0.60	103.4	0.0	0.0	0.0	-3.5
Articles of Apparel & Clothing Accessories	1.38	148.9	3.3	2.0	0.0	15.1
Other Made up Textile Articles	0.44	214.0	1.0	1.9	0.4	14.8
<b>11-Footwear</b>	<b>0.72</b>	<b>168.8</b>	<b>24.7</b>	<b>39.4</b>	<b>-0.1</b>	<b>-7.7</b>
<b>12-Articles of Stone</b>	<b>2.85</b>	<b>135.0</b>	<b>0.7</b>	<b>1.4</b>	<b>-0.9</b>	<b>9.4</b>
<b>13-Base Metals &amp; Articles of Base Metal</b>	<b>19.12</b>	<b>174.1</b>	<b>8.7</b>	<b>60.0</b>	<b>-0.5</b>	<b>-47.0</b>
Articles of Iron or Steel	12.75	170.2	15.5	72.6	-7.9	-50.6
Copper	1.80	273.8	0.0	51.7	40.0	-43.2
Aluminium	2.96	142.4	-6.0	53.3	2.8	-47.1
<b>14-Machinery &amp; Mechanical Appliances, Electrical Equipment</b>	<b>3.11</b>	<b>155.7</b>	<b>1.1</b>	<b>-8.0</b>	<b>-1.1</b>	<b>-8.7</b>
<b>15-Vehicles &amp; Associated Transport Equipment</b>	<b>2.37</b>	<b>127.1</b>	<b>-5.4</b>	<b>-2.5</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>2.9</b>
<b>16-Optical, Precision &amp; Medical Instruments</b>	<b>0.30</b>	<b>149.0</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>-9.0</b>	<b>-0.4</b>	<b>13.7</b>
<b>Special Group:</b>						
<b>Petrochemical Products</b>	<b>21.86</b>	<b>189.8</b>	<b>-4.5</b>	<b>64.0</b>	<b>1.9</b>	<b>-51.2</b>

\*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 )

Description Period	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
1388	185.1	133.0	288.1	183.4	191.2	212.3	132.3	127.6	118.4
<b>1388</b>									
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
Bahman	195.3	133.0	260.3	188.0	192.3	250.8	154.3	132.7	129.7
Esfand	196.8	132.1	264.7	187.2	192.0	251.8	160.2	133.1	130.4
<b>1389</b>									
Farvardin	200.4	135.8	266.4	187.7	192.2	254.1	166.4	133.1	130.8
Ordibehesht	200.5	134.5	255.3	191.4	196.0	258.6	148.6	133.3	136.0

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
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
1388	185.1	171.8	215.6	130.4	133.8	128.6	159.1	131.6	161.9
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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
Bahman	195.3	172.1	216.8	135.6	134.8	149.4	153.7	133.2	158.4
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