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## **Export Price Index in Iran**

**Esfand 1390**

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**(1383=100)**

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

**Esfand 1390**

(1383=100)

increase



no change or virtually unchanged



decrease



Percent change compared to

**Groups**

previous month

similar month of  
the previous year

**General Index**

5.5



22.2



**Major Groups:**

**1- Animal Products**

1.1



15.0



**2- Vegetable Products**

0.9



11.4



**3- Animal or Vegetable Fats and Oils**

1.3



19.3



**4- Prepared Foodstuffs, Beverages and Tobacco**

0.8



21.2



**5- Mineral Products**

18.3



52.7



**6- Products of the Chemical or Allied Industries**

0.8



22.4



**7-Plastics and Articles Thereof, Rubber and Articles Thereof**

1.9



22.3



**8- Skins and Leather and Articles Thereof**

6.7



22.4



**9- Wood and Articles of Wood**

0.3



5.0



**10- Textiles and Textile Articles**

2.1



3.2



**11- Footwear**

2.0



55.7



**12- Articles of Stone**

2.6



18.0



**13- Base Metals and Articles of Base Metal**

1.1



8.9



**14- Machinery and Mechanical Appliances, Electrical Equipment**

0.8



7.9



**15- Vehicles and Associated Transport Equipment**

1.1



0.7



**16- Optical, Precision and Medical Instruments**

0.0



0.0



**Special Group:**

**Petrochemical Products**

19.4



58.1



## **Export Price Index in Iran**

### **Esfand 1390**

**(1383 = 100)**

The Export Price Index (**XPI**) went up 5.5 percent in Esfand 1390\* following a 4.2 percent rise in Bahman 1390. The index level of 260.4 was 22.2 percent higher than in Esfand 1389.

On average, the export price index in 1390 increased 14.2 percent compared to the previous year.

In Esfand, the animal products group index went up 1.1 percent mainly due to the advance in the index for sheep assorted casing.

The vegetable products group index rose 0.9 percent.

As a result of rising in the indexes for sunflower oil and soya oil, the group index for animal or vegetable fats and oils moved up 1.3 percent.

The group index for prepared foodstuffs, beverages and tobacco advanced 0.8 percent.

The 18.3 percent increase in the mineral products group index was principally attributed to the advances in the indexes for propane, butane, tar, paraffin wax, cement and bentonite powder.

The products of the chemical or allied industries group index increased 0.8 percent

During Esfand, rises in the indexes for polyethylene, motorcycle tires, melamine dishes, motorcycle and bicycle tubes and rubber pipe caused 1.9 percent

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\* The index is computed on the Iranian Rial basis. In this month, the exchange rates of Dollar and Euro increased 1.2 percent and 2.0 percent, respectively.

increase in the group index of plastics and articles thereof, rubber and articles thereof. In this group, the index for polystyrene declined.

As a result of decreasing in the index for processed sheep skin, the group index for skins and leather and articles thereof fell 6.7 percent.

The wood and articles of wood group index went up 0.3 percent.

The group index for textiles and textile articles rose 2.1 percent. Increases in the indexes for hand-woven carpet and machine-made carpet were the major reasons for this advance. In the mentioned group, the index for polypropylene gunny decreased.

Increase in the index of safety shoe, particularly accounted for the advance in the footwear group index by 2.0 percent.

The articles of stone group index moved up 2.6 percent mostly due to the rises in the indexes for tile and building stone.

The base metals and articles of base metal group index fell 1.1 percent. Decrease in the index for hot coil iron was the major factor for this decline. In this group, increases in the indexes for steel profile, cathode copper and ferro molybdenum were also considerable.

The machinery and mechanical appliances, electrical equipment group index advanced 0.8 percent.

The vehicles and associated transport equipment group index increased 1.1 percent mostly as a result of the rise in the index for radiator for automobile.

The optical, precision and medical instruments group index was unchanged.

# Export Price Index in Iran (1383=100)

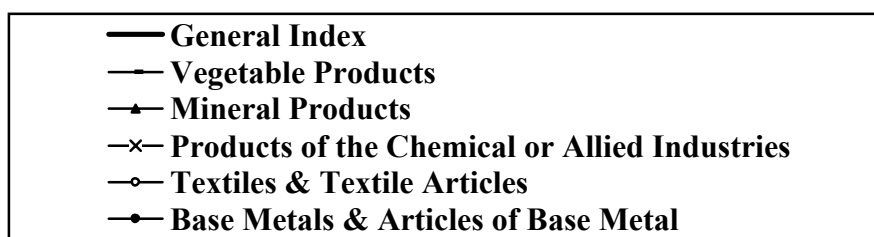
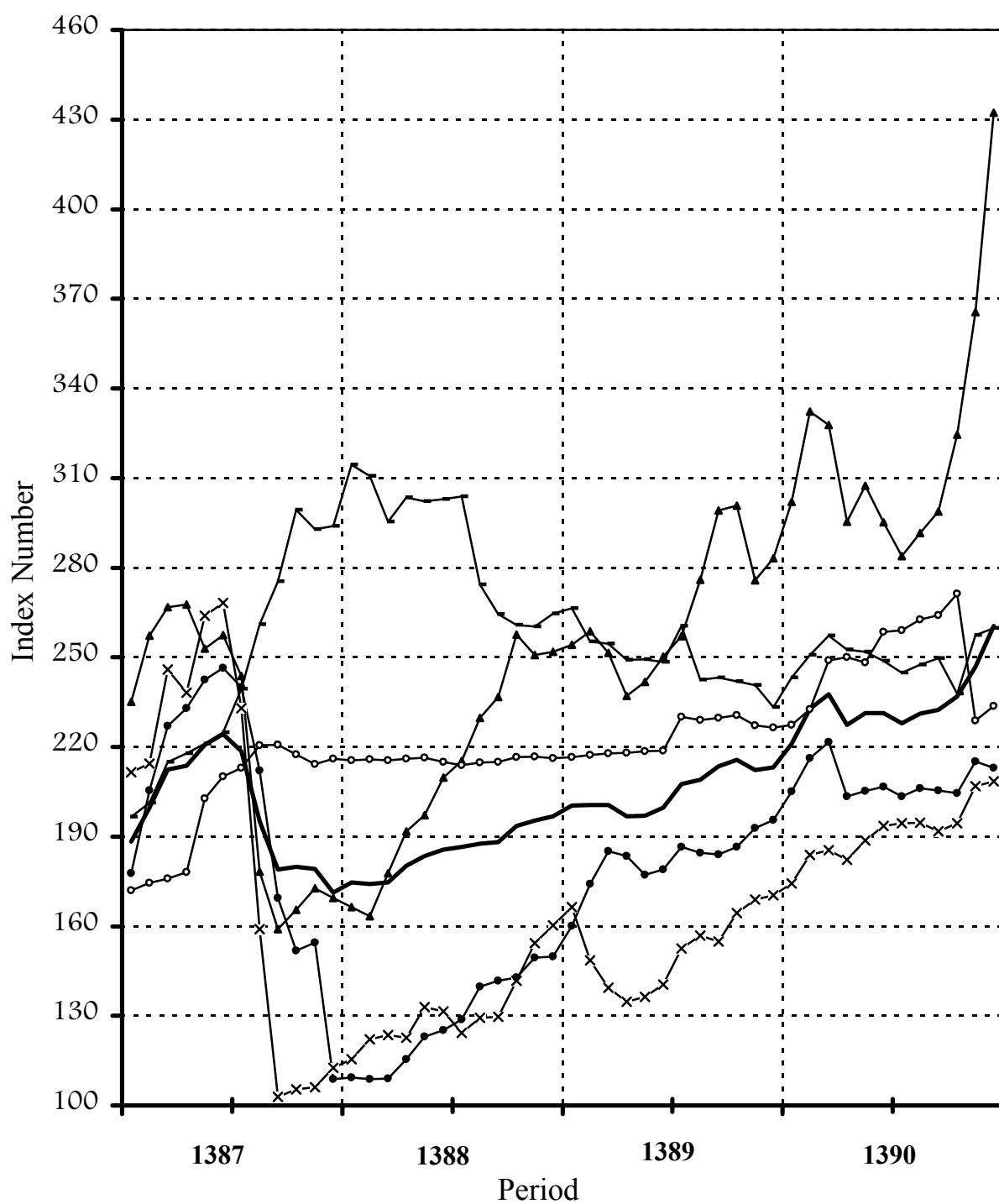


Table 1  
**Export Price Index in Iran**  
Index Numbers and Their Percent Changes  
**Esfand 1390**  
(1383 = 100)

Description	Base Year Weight	Index Number in Esfand 1390	Percent Change			
			Esfand 1390 Compared to		Esfand 1389 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>260.4</b>	<b>5.5</b>	<b>22.2</b>	<b>0.4</b>	<b>8.3</b>
<b>Major Groups and Selected Sub Groups:</b>						
<b>1-Animal Products</b>	<b>2.07</b>	<b>173.8</b>	<b>1.1</b>	<b>15.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>14.4</b>
<b>2-Vegetable Products</b>	<b>15.50</b>	<b>259.8</b>	<b>0.9</b>	<b>11.4</b>	<b>-3.1</b>	<b>-11.9</b>
Edible Fruit and Nuts	13.20	232.7	2.0	16.6	-1.5	1.9
Coffee, Tea and Spices	1.95	437.2	-2.7	-3.5	-7.8	-37.6
Lac, Gums, Resins	0.21	349.0	0.8	9.1	-3.1	-4.1
<b>3-Animal or Vegetable Fats &amp; Oils</b>	<b>0.61</b>	<b>346.3</b>	<b>1.3</b>	<b>19.3</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>55.1</b>
<b>4-Prepared Foodstuffs, Beverages &amp; Tobacco</b>	<b>2.98</b>	<b>253.9</b>	<b>0.8</b>	<b>21.2</b>	<b>0.3</b>	<b>9.1</b>
<b>5-Mineral Products</b>	<b>19.02</b>	<b>432.3</b>	<b>18.3</b>	<b>52.7</b>	<b>2.7</b>	<b>12.4</b>
Mineral Materials	1.84	214.0	1.9	16.6	-0.3	-0.8
Metals Stone	1.43	403.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	27.3
Mineral Fuels & Related Oils	15.75	460.4	21.1	62.2	3.2	11.9
<b>6-Products of the Chemical or Allied Industries</b>	<b>12.29</b>	<b>208.4</b>	<b>0.8</b>	<b>22.4</b>	<b>0.8</b>	<b>6.3</b>
Inorganic Chemicals	2.88	246.3	0.0	16.9	8.1	-16.1
Organic Chemicals	7.02	195.3	0.8	27.2	-3.0	26.2
Tanning or Dyeing Extracts	0.54	222.0	1.0	33.6	0.0	-4.1
Soap, Organic Surface-Active Agents	1.07	184.3	3.0	6.0	3.1	5.0
<b>7-Plastics &amp; Articles Thereof, Rubber &amp; Articles Thereof</b>	<b>3.78</b>	<b>170.3</b>	<b>1.9</b>	<b>22.3</b>	<b>-0.1</b>	<b>4.6</b>
<b>8-Skins &amp; Leather &amp; Articles Thereof</b>	<b>1.46</b>	<b>276.4</b>	<b>-6.7</b>	<b>22.4</b>	<b>1.8</b>	<b>73.2</b>
<b>9-Wood &amp; Articles of Wood</b>	<b>0.13</b>	<b>180.1</b>	<b>0.3</b>	<b>5.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>-0.2</b>
<b>10-Textiles &amp; Textile Articles</b>	<b>13.69</b>	<b>233.7</b>	<b>2.1</b>	<b>3.2</b>	<b>-0.4</b>	<b>4.7</b>
Carpets & Other Textile Floor Coverings	11.27	248.7	2.8	2.1	0.0	5.3
Special Woven Fabrics	0.60	109.2	0.6	5.6	0.0	0.0
Articles of Apparel & Clothing Accessories	1.38	164.7	0.0	16.7	-5.2	-0.8
Other Made up Textile Articles	0.44	236.0	-7.5	8.1	0.0	3.2
<b>11-Footwear</b>	<b>0.72</b>	<b>268.5</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>55.7</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>27.8</b>
<b>12-Articles of Stone</b>	<b>2.85</b>	<b>163.4</b>	<b>2.6</b>	<b>18.0</b>	<b>-0.1</b>	<b>3.0</b>
<b>13-Base Metals &amp; Articles of Base Metal</b>	<b>19.12</b>	<b>212.9</b>	<b>-1.1</b>	<b>8.9</b>	<b>1.3</b>	<b>30.5</b>
Articles of Iron or Steel	12.75	202.3	-1.9	9.7	1.8	35.2
Copper	1.80	366.5	0.9	4.7	0.6	36.0
Aluminium	2.96	175.8	0.1	3.9	0.5	19.1
<b>14-Machinery &amp; Mechanical Appliances, Electrical Equipment</b>	<b>3.11</b>	<b>171.0</b>	<b>0.8</b>	<b>7.9</b>	<b>-0.1</b>	<b>3.4</b>
<b>15-Vehicles &amp; Associated Transport Equipment</b>	<b>2.37</b>	<b>138.8</b>	<b>1.1</b>	<b>-0.7</b>	<b>-0.8</b>	<b>4.6</b>
<b>16-Optical, Precision &amp; Medical Instruments</b>	<b>0.30</b>	<b>152.3</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>4.5</b>
<b>Special Group:</b>						
<b>Petrochemical Products</b>	<b>21.86</b>	<b>349.4</b>	<b>19.4</b>	<b>58.1</b>	<b>3.4</b>	<b>12.1</b>

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
1388	185.1	133.0	288.1	183.4	191.2	212.3	132.3	127.6	118.4
1389	205.5	141.8	248.8	238.9	202.5	265.4	152.8	135.6	181.7
1390	234.7	167.2	250.1	311.8	233.5	321.4	191.6	156.7	270.8
<b>1389</b>									
Esfand	213.1	151.1	233.3	290.3	209.5	283.1	170.3	139.2	225.9
<b>1390</b>									
Farvardin	221.0	151.1	243.2	293.8	211.4	302.0	174.3	142.9	228.6
Ordibehesht	232.7	161.8	250.7	296.2	215.0	332.3	183.8	146.1	237.2
Khordad	237.6	162.9	257.2	311.1	221.7	327.7	185.5	153.1	249.1
Tir	227.4	162.4	252.6	300.2	229.8	295.4	182.2	145.0	269.3
Mordad	231.3	169.3	251.8	305.1	234.9	307.5	188.7	156.0	267.0
Shahrivar	231.3	169.3	248.8	307.5	231.9	295.2	193.6	161.3	295.3
Mehr	228.0	168.8	244.8	303.2	235.0	283.9	194.4	159.3	290.4
Aban	231.1	171.8	247.6	307.0	236.6	291.6	194.7	160.1	282.9
Azar	232.4	171.9	249.6	310.5	238.5	298.8	191.8	159.4	274.8
Dey	236.9	171.9	237.9	318.2	241.4	324.5	194.5	159.3	281.6
Bahman	246.8	171.9	257.5	342.0	251.9	365.5	206.8	167.2	296.4
Esfand	260.4	173.8	259.8	346.3	253.9	432.3	208.4	170.3	276.4

Table 2 (Continued)

<div> <div>Description</div> <div>Period</div> </div>	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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