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Summary Results of the Export Price Index in Iran
Esfand 1391
(1383=100)

increase 

no change or virtually unchanged 

decrease 

Groups	Percent change compared to			
	previous month		similar month of the previous year	
General Index	4.1		159.8	
Major Groups:				
1- Animal Products	6.2		83.1	
2- Vegetable Products	2.0		221.6	
3- Animal or Vegetable Fats and Oils	0.0		170.9	
4- Prepared Foodstuffs, Beverages and Tobacco	3.7		132.5	
5- Mineral Products	3.6		225.1	
6- Products of the Chemical or Allied Industries	5.4		108.1	
7-Plastics and Articles Thereof, Rubber and Articles Thereof	7.3		81.7	
8- Skins and Leather and Articles Thereof	4.1		137.2	
9- Wood and Articles of Wood	2.0		42.5	
10- Textiles and Textile Articles	19.4		76.7	
11- Footwear	0.0		7.1	
12- Articles of Stone	3.0		144.2	
13- Base Metals and Articles of Base Metal	3.6		115.5	
14- Machinery and Mechanical Appliances, Electrical Equipment	0.3		17.3	
15- Vehicles and Associated Transport Equipment	16.4		232.2	
16- Optical, Precision and Medical Instruments	0.0		0.0	
Special Group:				
Petrochemical Products	4.3		218.3	

Export Price Index in Iran

Esfand1391

(1383 = 100)

The Export Price Index (**XPI**) decreased 4.1 percent in Esfand 1391* following a 14.0 percent rise in Bahman 1391. The index level of 676.6 was 159.8 percent higher than in Esfand 1390.

On average, the export price index in 1391 increased 88.6 percent compared to the previous year.

In Esfand, the animal products group index declined 6.2 percent mainly due to the decrease in the index for sheep assorted casing.

As a result of rising in the indexes for pistachio and date, the group index for vegetable products advanced 2.0 percent. In this group, the indexes for raisin, cumin, liquorice extract powder, saffron and almond went down.

The animal or vegetable fats and oils group index had no change.

The prepared foodstuffs, beverages and tobacco group index fell 3.7 percent which was principally attributed to the declines in the indexes for tomato paste, beverage, biscuit and wafer, non-cacao chocolate, ice cream, cake and macaroni.

The 3.6 percent decrease in the mineral products group index was mostly due to the falls in the indexes for propane, butane, tar, paraffin wax, bentonite powder and barite powder while the index for cement rose in the mentioned group.

During Esfand, the group index for products of the chemical or allied industries went down 5.4 percent. Decreases in the indexes for paraxylene,

* The index is computed on the Iranian Rial basis. In this month, the exchange rates of Dollar and Euro decreased 4.1 percent and 4.8 percent, respectively.

methanol, detergent powders, decorative paints, molybdenum-oxide and soap were the major reasons for this decline.

Decreases in the indexes for alkyd resin, rubber pipe and poly vinyl chloride mainly caused 7.3 percent fall in the plastics and articles thereof, rubber and articles thereof group index.

Decline in the index for processed sheep skin, particularly accounted for the fall in the skins and leather and articles thereof group index by 4.1 percent.

The wood and articles of wood group index went down 2.0 percent as a result of decreasing in the index for plywood and chipboard.

The 19.4 percent fall in the textiles and textile articles group index was led by the declines in the indexes for hand-woven carpet, baby clothing and gunny. In this group, increases in the indexes for tulle and machine-made carpet were also considerable.

During this month, the group index for footwear was unchanged.

The indexes for building stone, tile, float glass and ceramic went down in Esfand reflecting a 3.0 percent decrease in the articles of stone group index. In the mentioned group, the index for sanitary porcelain moved up.

The base metals and articles of base metal group index fell 3.6 percent. Decreases in the indexes for cathode copper, aluminium ingot, ferro molybdenum and steel profile were the main factors for this decline while the indexes for hot coil iron and galvanized pipe advanced in this group.

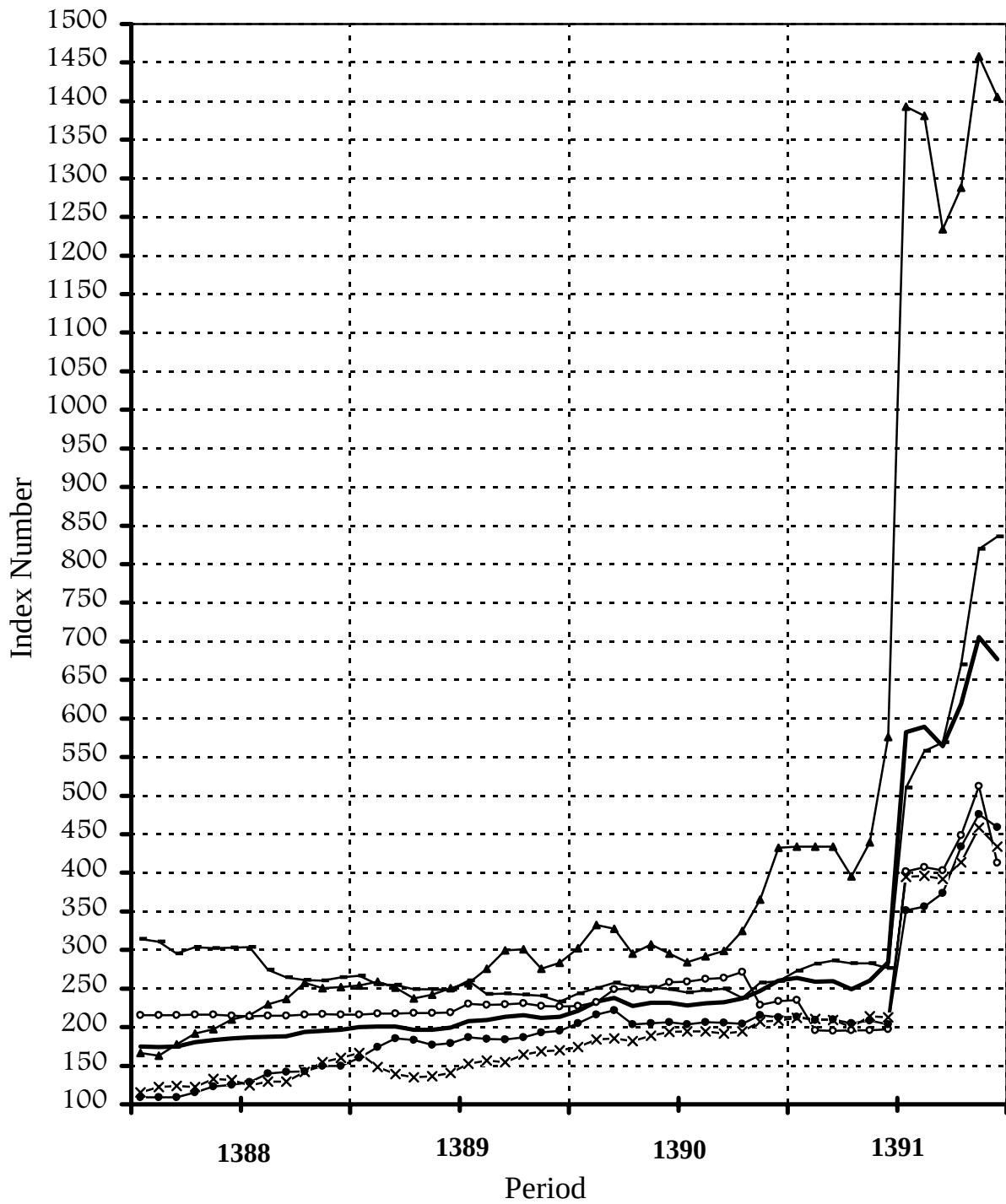
The machinery and mechanical appliances, electrical equipment group index declined 0.3 percent.

The vehicles and associated transport equipment group index rose 16.4 percent which was mostly attributed to the increase in the index for tractor. In the mentioned group, the index for car radiator went down.

The group index for optical, precision and medical instruments remained unchanged.

Export Price Index in Iran

(1383=100)



- General Index
- Vegetable Products
- Mineral Products
- ×— Products of the Chemical or Allied Industries
- Textiles & Textile Articles
- Base Metals & Articles of Base Metal

Table 1
Export Price Index in Iran
Index Numbers and Their Percent Changes
Esfand 1391
(1383 = 100)

Description	Base Year Weight	Index Number in Esfand 1391	Percent Change			
			Esfand 1391 Compared to		Esfand 1390 Compared to	
			Previous month	Similar month of the previous year	Previous month	Similar month of the previous year
General Index	100.00	676.6	-4.1	159.8	5.5	22.2
Major Groups and Selected Sub Groups:						
1-Animal Products	2.07	318.3	-6.2	83.1	1.1	15.0
2-Vegetable Products	15.50	835.4	2.0	221.6	0.9	11.4
Edible Fruit and Nuts	13.20	746.8	2.8	220.9	2.0	16.6
Coffee, Tea and Spices	1.95	1441.9	-0.4	229.8	-2.7	-3.5
Lac, Gums, Resins	0.21	642.2	-3.0	84.0	0.8	9.1
3-Animal or Vegetable Fats & Oils	0.61	938.2	0.0	170.9	1.3	19.3
4-Prepared Foodstuffs, Beverages & Tobacco	2.98	590.4	-3.7	132.5	0.8	21.2
5-Mineral Products	19.02	1405.2	-3.6	225.1	18.3	52.7
Mineral Materials	1.84	781.1	2.3	265.0	1.9	16.6
Metals Stone	1.43	403.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Mineral Fuels & Related Oils	15.75	1568.7	-4.0	240.7	21.1	62.2
6-Products of the Chemical or Allied Industries	12.29	433.7	-5.4	108.1	0.8	22.4
Inorganic Chemicals	2.88	252.6	-1.3	2.6	0.0	16.9
Organic Chemicals	7.02	511.4	-6.8	161.9	0.8	27.2
Tanning or Dyeing Extracts	0.54	547.0	-4.1	146.4	1.0	33.6
Soap, Organic Surface-Active Agents	1.07	401.3	-4.1	117.7	3.0	6.0
7-Plastics & Articles Thereof, Rubber & Articles Thereof	3.78	309.5	-7.3	81.7	1.9	22.3
8-Skins & Leather & Articles Thereof	1.46	655.7	-4.1	137.2	-6.7	22.4
9-Wood & Articles of Wood	0.13	256.7	-2.0	42.5	0.3	5.0
10-Textiles & Textile Articles	13.69	412.9	-19.4	76.7	2.1	3.2
Carpets & Other Textile Floor Coverings	11.27	411.3	-23.0	65.4	2.8	2.1
Special Woven Fabrics	0.60	305.3	43.9	179.6	0.6	5.6
Articles of Apparel & Clothing Accessories	1.38	454.7	-4.1	176.1	0.0	16.7
Other Made up Textile Articles	0.44	468.9	-3.2	98.7	-7.5	8.1
11-Footwear	0.72	249.5	0.0	-7.1	2.0	55.7
12-Articles of Stone	2.85	399.1	-3.0	144.2	2.6	18.0
13-Base Metals & Articles of Base Metal	19.12	458.9	-3.6	115.5	-1.1	8.9
Articles of Iron or Steel	12.75	403.9	-0.5	99.7	-1.9	9.7
Copper	1.80	940.7	-9.3	156.7	0.9	4.7
Aluminium	2.96	461.5	-8.5	162.5	0.1	3.9
14-Machinery & Mechanical Appliances, Electrical Equipment	3.11	200.6	-0.3	17.3	0.8	7.9
15-Vehicles & Associated Transport Equipment	2.37	461.1	16.4	232.2	1.1	-0.7
16-Optical, Precision & Medical Instruments	0.30	152.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Special Group:						
Petrochemical Products	21.86	1112.0	-4.3	218.3	19.4	58.1

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

Period	Description	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
1390	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
	Esfand	260.4	173.8	259.8	346.3	253.9	432.3	208.4	170.3	276.4
1391	Farvardin	263.6	175.0	272.9	339.8	255.1	433.7	211.9	168.3	276.5
	Ordibehesht	258.9	174.1	282.3	357.3	256.9	433.8	210.7	168.2	276.5
	Khordad	259.5	164.6	286.5	357.3	256.9	433.8	209.0	168.8	273.3
	Tir	249.4	163.6	283.0	357.3	255.9	395.3	199.8	165.5	273.3
	Mordad	260.1	163.6	282.4	357.3	255.9	439.2	214.4	168.4	271.7
	Shahrivar	284.2	161.1	276.5	357.3	255.3	576.0	212.6	170.6	262.2
	Mehr	582.0	321.7	510.3	357.3	530.7	1393.1	395.0	277.0	640.2
	Aban	589.4	340.0	558.0	357.3	526.2	1380.9	396.2	275.0	646.7
	Azar	564.1	305.9	568.7	357.3	501.9	1234.3	391.7	264.6	646.7
	Dey	618.8	305.9	669.6	938.2	549.5	1288.1	413.7	317.5	646.7
	Bahman	705.3	339.2	819.4	938.2	613.2	1458.1	458.3	333.8	683.7
	Esfand	676.6	318.3	835.4	938.2	590.4	1405.2	433.7	309.5	655.7

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
1390	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
	1389	205.5	173.2	223.3	169.1	137.5	182.4	158.5	138.8	151.5
	1390	234.7	175.7	248.8	230.7	148.6	208.8	167.4	140.6	152.3
1391	Esfand	260.4	180.1	233.7	268.5	163.4	212.9	171.0	138.8	152.3
	Farvardin	263.6	180.1	235.1	267.5	163.4	213.4	171.3	145.8	152.3
	Ordibehesht	258.9	180.1	196.1	264.7	163.4	209.5	169.2	146.2	152.3
	Khordad	259.5	180.1	195.1	255.1	163.4	210.2	182.0	148.4	152.3
	Tir	249.4	180.1	195.9	252.1	164.7	205.0	181.6	149.9	152.3
	Mordad	260.1	180.1	195.9	249.5	164.8	208.2	181.4	148.7	152.3
	Shahrivar	284.2	177.1	197.2	249.5	164.8	203.4	181.8	149.3	152.3
	Mehr	582.0	242.7	401.8	249.5	354.4	351.2	190.7	179.4	152.3
	Aban	589.4	242.4	407.1	249.5	357.1	356.5	195.5	177.2	152.3
	Azar	564.1	236.2	403.0	249.5	338.2	373.5	196.5	224.0	152.3
	Dey	618.8	236.2	448.3	249.5	367.2	433.9	201.4	242.8	152.3
	Bahman	705.3	262.0	512.3	249.5	411.3	475.8	201.2	396.3	152.3
	Esfand	676.6	256.7	412.9	249.5	399.1	458.9	200.6	461.1	152.3