## Central Bank of the Islamic Republic of Iran

## General Directorate of Economic Statistics

## Export Price Index in Iran

Tir 1397
(Jun 22 -July 22, 2018)
( $\mathbf{1 3 9 0}=100$ )

# IN THE NAME OF GOD <br> Summary Results of the Export Price Index in Iran <br> Cir 1397 <br> $(1390=100)$ 

Percent change compared to
$\left.\begin{array}{l}\text { previous month }\end{array} \begin{array}{c}\text { similar month of the } \\ \text { previous year }\end{array}\right]$

Major Groups:
1- Animal Products

2- Vegetable Products
3- Animal or Vegetable Fats and Oils
4- Prepared Foodstuffs, Beverages and Tobacco
5- Mineral Products
6- Products of the Chemical or Allied Industries
7-Plastics and Articles Thereof, Rubber and Articles Thereof
8- Skins and Leather and Articles Thereof

9- Wood and Articles of Wood
10- Textiles and Textile Articles
11- Footwear
12- Articles of Stone
13- Base Metals and Articles of Base Metal
14- Machinery and Mechanical Appliances, Electrical Equipment
15- Vehicles and Associated Transport Equipment
Special Group:

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The Export Price Index (XPI) increased 24.6 percent in Tir 1397. The index level of 552.2 was 130.6 percent higher than in Tir 1396.

During the first four months of the current Iranian year, the XPI rose 83.2 percent compared to the similar period in 1396.

The XPI has advanced 44.1 percent over the past twelve months.
In Tir, the animal products group index moved up 21.6 percent, which was mainly due to the increases in the prices for yogurt, frozen fish, shrimp, and sheep assorted casing.

The vegetable products group index turned up 17.1 percent. The mentioned advance was attributed to the increases in the prices for pistachio, raisin, date, liquorice extract powder, and shelled almond. In this group, the price for saffron decreased.

The 11.1 percent increase in the animal or vegetable fats and oils group index was mainly due to the rises in the prices for soya oil and palm oil.

The prepared foodstuffs, beverages and tobacco group index moved up 23.5 percent, largely due to the increases in the prices for tomato paste, cake, ice cream, non-cacao chocolate, biscuit and wafer, potato chips, fruit juice, chewing gum, chocolate, soft drink, and pasta.

During the mentioned month, the group index for mineral products went up 26.0 percent. Rises in the prices for propane, butane, industrial oil, copper
concentrate, cement, bitumen, paraffin wax, engine oil, and barite powder were the major reasons for this advance.

The products of the chemical or allied industries group index rose 30.1 percent. Higher prices for methanol, urea fertilizer, styrene, ammonia, "detergent powders and liquids", dodecyl benzene, caustic soda, glue, alkyd anti-corrosion primer, benzene, shampoo, crystal melamine, soap, spray paint, toluene, and building paints were the main factors for the mentioned rise while the decline in the price for molybdenum oxide was also considerable.

The 24.6 percent increase in the plastics and articles thereof, rubber and articles thereof group index was led by advances in the prices for low density polyethylene, high density polyethylene, plastic hoses, motorcycle tire, polyvinyl chloride, polycarbonate, polystyrene, and alkyd resin.

During this month, increase in the price for processed sheep skin led to the rise in the group index for skins and leather and articles thereof by 23.2 percent.

In Tir, the group index for wood and articles of wood turned up 28.8 percent. Rise in the price for particle board was the major factor for the mentioned advance.

Mostly as a result of increasing in the prices for hand-woven carpet, machinemade carpet, gunny, rug, tulle, babies clothing, and polyester fibres, the textiles and textile articles group index moved up 20.4 percent, over this month.

The footwear group index went up 23.2 percent, largely due to the increases in the prices for "sandal with uppers of rubber or plastics" and "shoe with uppers of rubber or plastics".

The articles of stone group index advanced 24.8 percent. The rise was driven by increasing prices for "tile and ceramic", float glass, building stones, sanitary porcelain, and sheet glass.

As a result of increasing in the prices for hot coil iron, cathode copper, zinc ingot, aluminum ingot, iron beam, lead ingot, galvanized pipes, ferromolybdenum, and rebar the base metals and articles of base metal group index increased 21.7 percent.

Advances in the prices for air cooler, cable, gas water heaters, and sewing machine caused 23.0 percent rise in the machinery and mechanical appliances, electrical equipment group index.

The vehicles and associated transport equipment group index turned up 29.7 percent over this month, mainly due to the increases in the prices for car radiator, tractor, and motorcycle.


Table 1

## Export Price Index in Iran

## Index Numbers and Their Percent Changes

Tir 1397
( $1390=100$ )

| Description | Base Year <br> Weight | Index Number in <br> Tir 1397 | Percent Change |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Tir 1397 Compared to |  | Tir 1396 Compared to |  |
|  |  |  | Previous month | Similar month of the previous year | Previous month | Similar month of the previous year |
| General Index | 100.00 | 552.2 | 24.6 | 130.6 | -0.1 | 13.5 |
| Major Groups and Selected Sub Groups: |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1-Animal Products | 2.41 | 703.4 | 21.6 | 115.8 | 0.0 | 10.1 |
| 2-Vegetable Products | 10.43 | 616.0 | 17.1 | 107.7 | 0.8 | 3.0 |
| Edible Fruit and Nuts | 6.90 | 722.9 | 20.1 | 120.0 | -0.5 | 8.6 |
| Coffee, Tea and Spices | 1.31 | 506.4 | -5.1 | 54.3 | -0.5 | -17.5 |
| Lac, Gums, Resins | 0.18 | 741.0 | 23.2 | 110.2 | 5.8 | 13.7 |
| 3-Animal or Vegetable Fats \& Oils | 0.36 | 700.9 | 11.1 | 108.8 | 0.6 | 4.3 |
| 4-Prepared Foodstuffs, Beverages \& Tobacco | 3.72 | 697.1 | 23.5 | 109.8 | 1.1 | 3.9 |
| 5-Mineral Products | 31.80 | 442.8 | 26.0 | 129.0 | 0.0 | 21.0 |
| Mineral Materials | 2.85 | 558.1 | 25.3 | 117.4 | 2.0 | -6.1 |
| Metals Stone | 3.15 | 492.9 | 26.5 | 155.1 | 0.2 | 27.3 |
| Mineral Fuels \& Related Oils | 25.80 | 424.9 | 26.0 | 128.1 | -0.3 | 25.8 |
| 6-Products of the Chemical or Allied Industries | 20.11 | 615.7 | 30.1 | 182.4 | -4.1 | 14.6 |
| Inorganic Chemicals | 2.70 | 498.7 | 20.9 | 106.2 | -4.3 | 9.8 |
| Organic Chemicals | 12.69 | 686.6 | 31.0 | 219.3 | -5.1 | 22.3 |
| Fertilisers | 3.58 | 499.7 | 35.8 | 155.9 | -2.8 | 3.1 |
| Tanning or Dyeing Extracts | 0.38 | 424.5 | 23.2 | 94.9 | 1.1 | 8.0 |
| Soap, Organic Surface-Active Agents | 0.56 | 623.2 | 27.0 | 135.1 | 1.1 | -5.8 |
| 7-Plastics \& Articles Thereof, Rubber \& Articles Thereof | 10.51 | 620.2 | 24.6 | 128.4 | 1.0 | 10.2 |
| Plastics \& Articles Thereof | 10.28 | 625.3 | 24.7 | 128.6 | 1.0 | 10.2 |
| 8-Skins \& Leather \& Articles Thereof | 0.59 | 249.5 | 23.2 | 121.0 | -0.5 | -9.2 |
| 9-Wood \& Articles of Wood | 0.05 | 553.8 | 28.8 | 104.8 | -2.2 | -2.7 |
| 10-Textiles \& Textile Articles | 3.61 | 508.0 | 20.4 | 74.7 | 1.7 | 13.6 |
| Carpets \& Other Textile Floor Coverings | 2.78 | 512.1 | 20.9 | 69.9 | 1.2 | 18.1 |
| 11-Footwear | 0.46 | 892.0 | 23.2 | 118.6 | 1.2 | 7.6 |
| 12-Articles of Stone | 2.13 | 504.8 | 24.8 | 104.5 | -0.6 | 7.8 |
| 13-Base Metals \& Articles of Base Metal | 9.71 | 559.4 | 21.7 | 131.8 | 2.4 | 26.3 |
| Iron and Steel | 3.01 | 564.3 | 24.4 | 166.3 | 1.4 | 48.6 |
| Copper | 2.37 | 530.9 | 16.5 | 130.1 | 3.1 | 24.1 |
| Aluminium | 1.50 | 508.9 | 16.0 | 99.0 | -7.0 | 14.8 |
| 14-Machinery \& Mechanical Appliances, Electrical Equipment | 2.96 | 559.8 | 23.0 | 114.1 | 0.9 | 7.9 |
| 15-Vehicles \& Associated Transport Equipment | 1.15 | 508.1 | 29.7 | 74.2 | 8.7 | 13.3 |
| Special Group: |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Petrochemical Products | 46.33 | 543.0 | 28.2 | 154.9 | -1.4 | 17.4 |

Table 2
Export Price Index in Iran
General and Major Groups Index Numbers

| $(1390=100)$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | General Index | Animal <br> Products | Vegetable <br> Products | Animal or <br> Vegetable <br> Fats\& Oils | Prepared <br> Foodstuffs, <br> Beverages <br>  <br> Tobacco | Mineral <br> Products | Products of the Chemical or Allied Industries |  <br> Articles <br> Thereof, Rubber \& Articles Thereof |  <br>  <br> Articles <br> Thereof |
| 1376 | 12.1 | 10.8 | 14.8 | 13.1 | 14.3 | 4.2 | 12.6 | 19.9 | 8.9 |
| 1377 | 14.8 | 13.6 | 15.4 | 18.1 | 19.7 | 6.9 | 15.8 | 23.8 | 9.4 |
| 1378 | 23.6 | 24.2 | 31.0 | 26.9 | 29.0 | 15.8 | 21.3 | 38.7 | 16.3 |
| 1379 | 27.8 | 31.3 | 33.3 | 23.8 | 32.9 | 20.8 | 24.7 | 41.2 | 25.1 |
| 1380 | 28.1 | 35.3 | 31.9 | 21.7 | 33.6 | 20.6 | 26.8 | 41.4 | 32.9 |
| 1381 | 29.7 | 40.8 | 31.4 | 25.5 | 34.9 | 22.2 | 30.7 | 42.4 | 32.6 |
| 1382 | 33.2 | 52.5 | 30.7 | 29.1 | 38.3 | 23.8 | 36.2 | 43.2 | 34.9 |
| 1383 | 42.6 | 59.8 | 40.0 | 32.1 | 42.8 | 31.1 | 52.2 | 63.8 | 36.9 |
| 1384 | 48.1 | 58.5 | 43.2 | 33.5 | 50.1 | 40.8 | 55.1 | 65.7 | 33.3 |
| 1385 | 56.2 | 65.8 | 49.7 | 36.4 | 53.1 | 48.5 | 63.2 | 74.0 | 31.7 |
| 1386 | 69.3 | 73.6 | 68.3 | 52.6 | 58.2 | 63.8 | 77.0 | 79.1 | 41.3 |
| 1387 | 84.6 | 78.5 | 97.9 | 71.9 | 77.3 | 68.1 | 98.3 | 89.5 | 45.3 |
| 1388 | 78.9 | 79.5 | 115.2 | 58.8 | 81.9 | 66.1 | 69.1 | 81.4 | 43.7 |
| 1389 | 87.6 | 84.8 | 99.5 | 76.6 | 86.7 | 82.6 | 79.8 | 86.5 | 67.1 |
| 1390 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 |
| 1391 | 224.1 | 229.0 | 223.6 | 240.4 | 226.7 | 224.8 | 232.0 | 215.5 | 198.0 |
| 1392 | 273.0 | 274.2 | 268.4 | 297.1 | 301.1 | 276.9 | 278.5 | 301.5 | 234.5 |
| 1393 | 271.7 | 285.5 | 274.1 | 298.5 | 299.4 | 286.2 | 249.9 | 304.0 | 212.5 |
| 1394 | 228.3 | 287.4 | 292.5 | 308.4 | 306.4 | 183.7 | 211.1 | 276.6 | 139.4 |
| 1395 | 222.2 | 312.4 | 275.1 | 339.1 | 327.8 | 168.7 | 208.6 | 268.6 | 129.8 |
| 1396 | 267.9 | 359.2 | 306.1 | 364.3 | 360.2 | 216.2 | 267.5 | 305.1 | 126.2 |
| 1396 Tir | 239.5 | 325.9 | 296.6 | 335.6 | 332.2 | 193.4 | 218.0 | 271.6 | 112.9 |
| Mordad | 240.5 | 330.4 | 291.0 | 346.5 | 335.7 | 192.1 | 217.8 | 277.7 | 113.9 |
| Shahrivar | 249.3 | 334.5 | 280.3 | 339.8 | 342.4 | 202.0 | 239.1 | 286.9 | 116.2 |
| Mehr | 261.1 | 345.7 | 288.5 | 383.7 | 350.7 | 212.1 | 258.2 | 305.6 | 128.2 |
| Aban | 275.9 | 352.7 | 307.4 | 357.6 | 373.3 | 232.2 | 268.1 | 314.9 | 131.4 |
| Azar | 285.4 | 379.6 | 315.5 | 381.1 | 382.4 | 231.4 | 296.4 | 323.1 | 134.6 |
| Dey | 300.6 | 403.2 | 332.8 | 406.1 | 387.9 | 241.0 | 326.8 | 331.5 | 133.0 |
| Bahman | 323.1 | 442.7 | 356.7 | 433.5 | 411.2 | 259.0 | 349.4 | 361.8 | 142.7 |
| Esfand | 317.5 | 430.5 | 356.8 | 411.1 | 406.5 | 257.2 | 332.5 | 355.7 | 142.7 |
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| Ordibehesht | 421.8 | 545.2 | 498.2 | 454.7 | 429.2 529.7 | 334.4 | 358.6 450.0 | 383.2 469.2 | 191.9 |
| Khordad | 443.2 | 578.4 | 526.1 | 631.1 | 564.4 | 351.4 | 473.4 | 497.6 | 202.5 |
| Tir | 552.2 | 703.4 | 616.0 | 700.9 | 697.1 | 442.8 | 615.7 | 620.2 | 249.5 |

Table 2 (Continued)


