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Export Price Index in Iran

Farvardin 1390

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(1383=100)

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Summary Results of the Export Price Index in Iran

Farvardin 1390

(1383=100)

increase ↗

no change or virtually unchanged ↔

decrease ↘

Groups	Percent change compared to previous month		Percent change compared to similar month of the previous year	
General Index	3.7	↗	10.3	↗
Major Groups:				
1- Animal Products	0.0	↔	11.3	↗
2- Vegetable Products	4.2	↗	8.7	↘
3- Animal or Vegetable Fats and Oils	1.2	↗	56.5	↗
4- Prepared Foodstuffs, Beverages and Tobacco	0.9	↗	10.0	↗
5- Mineral Products	6.7	↗	18.9	↗
6- Products of the Chemical or Allied Industries	2.3	↗	4.7	↗
7-Plastics and Articles Thereof, Rubber and Articles Thereof	2.7	↗	7.4	↗
8- Skins and Leather and Articles Thereof	1.2	↗	74.8	↗
9- Wood and Articles of Wood	0.2	↗	0.1	↘
10- Textiles and Textile Articles	0.4	↗	5.0	↗
11- Footwear	0.0	↔	27.4	↗
12- Articles of Stone	0.3	↗	3.7	↗
13- Base Metals and Articles of Base Metal	4.9	↗	28.0	↗
14- Machinery and Mechanical Appliances, Electrical Equipment	0.8	↗	3.8	↗
15- Vehicles and Associated Transport Equipment	0.6	↗	4.7	↗
16- Optical, Precision and Medical Instruments	0.0	↔	4.2	↗
Special Group:				
Petrochemical Products	8.0	↗	20.0	↗

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The Export Price Index (**XPI**) went up 3.7 percent in Farvardin 1390* following a 0.4 percent rise in Esfand 1389. The index level of 221.0 was 10.3 percent higher than in Farvardin 1389.

The XPI has advanced 10.7 percent over the last twelve months.

In Farvardin, the animal products group index was unchanged.

The group index for vegetable products increased 4.2 percent, which was principally attributed to the rise of the indexes for raisin, saffron, date and liquorice extract powder. In this group, the indexes for cumin and pistachio declined.

The group index for animal or vegetable fats and oils rose 1.2 percent. Increases in the indexes for sunflower oil and soya oil were the major factors for the mentioned advance.

The prepared foodstuffs, beverages and tobacco group index moved up 0.9 percent.

During Farvardin, the mineral products group index advanced 6.7 percent mostly as a result of the rise in the indexes for propane, butane, paraffin, cement and bentonite powder.

Rises in the indexes for ammonia, paraxylene, detergent powders and shampoo mainly accounted for the advance in the group index of products of the chemical or allied industries by 2.3 percent.

* The index is compiled by Rial prices and during the reported period compared to the previous month, the exchange rates of Dollar and Euro increased 1.2 percent and 4.2 percent, respectively.

The 2.7 percent increase in the group index of plastics and articles thereof, rubber and articles thereof was principally due to the advance in the indexes for polyvinyl chloride, polyethylene, melamine dishes and rubber pipe.

The rise in the index for processed sheep skin caused 1.2 percent increase in the group index for skins and leather and articles thereof.

The wood and articles of wood group index and the textiles and textile articles group index went up 0.2 percent and 0.4 percent, respectively.

The footwear group index was unchanged.

The articles of stone group index increased 0.3 percent.

The group index for base metals and articles of base metal moved up 4.9 percent mostly due to the rise in the indexes for hot coil iron, aluminium ingot, steel profile, ferromolybdenum and galvanized pipe.

The machinery and mechanical appliances, electrical equipment group index and the vehicles and associated transport equipment group index rose 0.8 percent and 0.6 percent, respectively.

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

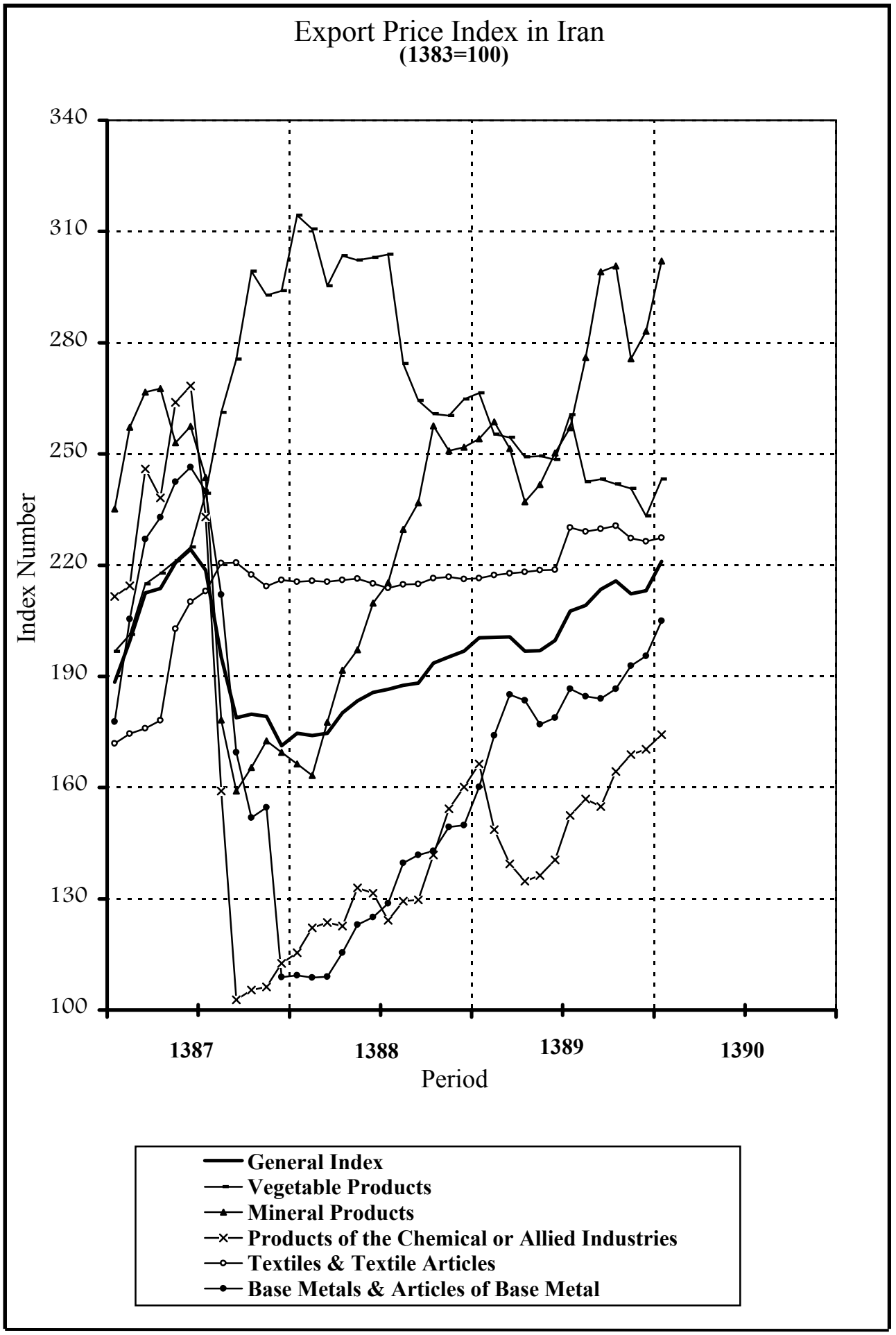

Export Price Index in Iran
(1383=100)
340
310
280
250
220
190
160
130
100
Index Number
1387
1388
1389
1390
Period
General Index
Vegetable Products
Mineral Products
Products of the Chemical or Allied Industries
Textiles & Textile Articles
Base Metals & Articles of Base Metal

Table 1

Export Price Index in Iran

Index Numbers and Their Percent Changes

Farvardin 1390

(1383 = 100)

Description	Base Year Weight	Index Number in Farvardin 1390	Percent Change			
			Farvardin 1390 Compared to		Farvardin 1389 Compared to	
			Previous month	Similar month of the previous year	Previous month	Similar month of the previous year
General Index	**100.00**	**221.0**	**3.7**	**10.3**	**1.8**	**14.8**
Major Groups and Selected Sub Groups:						
1-Animal Products	**2.07**	**151.1**	**0.0**	**11.3**	**2.8**	**3.7**
2-Vegetable Products	**15.50**	**243.2**	**4.2**	**-8.7**	**0.6**	**-15.3**
Edible Fruit and Nuts	13.20	209.7	5.1	6.2	0.8	4.4
Coffee, Tea and Spices	1.95	462.6	2.1	-36.7	0.6	-37.5
Lac, Gums, Resins	0.21	324.5	1.4	-2.5	-0.3	-0.7
3-Animal or Vegetable Fats & Oils	**0.61**	**293.8**	**1.2**	**56.5**	**0.3**	**4.9**
4-Prepared Foodstuffs, Beverages & Tobacco	**2.98**	**211.4**	**0.9**	**10.0**	**0.1**	**0.4**
5-Mineral Products	**19.02**	**302.0**	**6.7**	**18.9**	**0.9**	**52.7**
Mineral Materials	1.84	185.2	0.9	2.6	-2.4	4.7
Metals Stone	1.43	403.0	0.0	10.4	15.3	53.2
Mineral Fuels & Related Oils	15.75	306.5	8.0	21.3	-0.4	58.7
6-Products of the Chemical or Allied Industries	**12.29**	**174.3**	**2.3**	**4.7**	**3.9**	**44.1**
Inorganic Chemicals	2.88	222.2	5.5	-15.4	4.5	54.1
Organic Chemicals	7.02	155.6	1.4	21.8	5.0	74.5
Tanning or Dyeing Extracts	0.54	166.2	0.0	-4.4	0.3	1.9
Soap, Organic Surface-Active Agents	1.07	175.2	0.7	5.5	0.2	-8.2
7-Plastics & Articles Thereof, Rubber & Articles Thereof	**3.78**	**142.9**	**2.7**	**7.4**	**0.0**	**6.9**
8-Skins & Leather & Articles Thereof	**1.46**	**228.6**	**1.2**	**74.8**	**0.3**	**23.3**
9-Wood & Articles of Wood	**0.13**	**172.0**	**0.2**	**-0.1**	**0.1**	**-0.1**
10-Textiles & Textile Articles	**13.69**	**227.4**	**0.4**	**5.0**	**0.1**	**0.5**
Carpets & Other Textile Floor Coverings	11.27	244.1	0.2	5.4	0.0	0.6
Special Woven Fabrics	0.60	103.4	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Articles of Apparel & Clothing Accessories	1.38	141.1	0.0	-2.1	1.4	-1.2
Other Made up Textile Articles	0.44	241.4	10.6	13.9	0.1	1.2
11-Footwear	**0.72**	**172.5**	**0.0**	**27.4**	**0.3**	**11.7**
12-Articles of Stone	**2.85**	**138.9**	**0.3**	**3.7**	**-0.4**	**-0.3**
13-Base Metals & Articles of Base Metal	**19.12**	**205.0**	**4.9**	**28.0**	**6.9**	**46.5**
Articles of Iron or Steel	12.75	196.1	6.3	33.1	8.0	37.7
Copper	1.80	350.0	0.0	27.8	6.4	112.4
Aluminium	2.96	180.1	6.4	18.9	6.6	67.6
14-Machinery & Mechanical Appliances, Electrical Equipment	**3.11**	**159.8**	**0.8**	**3.8**	**0.5**	**-10.0**
15-Vehicles & Associated Transport Equipment	**2.37**	**140.7**	**0.6**	**4.7**	**0.6**	**3.1**
16-Optical, Precision & Medical Instruments	**0.30**	**152.3**	**0.0**	**4.2**	**0.3**	**-11.1**
Special Group:						
Petrochemical Products	**21.86**	**238.6**	**8.0**	**20.0**	**0.8**	**75.2**

Table 2

Export Price Index in Iran

General and Major Groups Index Numbers

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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
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
1389									
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
Khordad	200.6	132.3	254.5	195.3	198.9	251.5	139.4	133.0	138.8
Tir	196.8	135.5	249.2	199.8	199.1	237.1	134.7	134.0	165.1
Mordad	196.9	138.8	249.4	203.0	199.6	241.8	136.3	133.1	165.9
Shahrivar	199.7	144.3	248.5	223.8	200.5	250.3	140.5	133.9	179.6
Mehr	207.6	144.3	260.5	250.3	202.2	257.1	152.5	135.1	179.1
Aban	209.1	144.3	242.5	266.9	205.9	276.0	156.9	137.2	205.5
Azar	213.5	145.3	243.2	276.4	208.6	299.2	154.9	137.4	205.1
Dey	215.7	144.8	241.9	291.3	208.2	300.7	164.4	138.0	226.7
Bahman	212.3	151.1	240.7	290.4	208.9	275.7	168.9	139.3	222.0
Esfand	213.1	151.1	233.3	290.3	209.5	283.1	170.3	139.2	225.9
1390									
Farvardin	221.0	151.1	243.2	293.8	211.4	302.0	174.3	142.9	228.6

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
1389	205.5	173.2	223.3	169.1	137.5	182.4	158.5	138.8	151.5
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Farvardin	200.4	172.1	216.5	135.4	134.0	160.1	154.0	134.4	146.1
Ordibehesht	200.5	172.8	217.3	168.8	135.0	174.1	155.7	127.1	149.0
Khordad	200.6	173.6	217.8	172.2	137.5	185.1	157.4	140.8	152.0
Tir	196.8	173.7	218.1	172.5	137.7	183.5	159.2	144.2	152.3
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