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Export Price Index in Iran
Shahrivar 1396
(August 23 - September 22, 2017)
(1390=100)

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Summary Results of the Export Price Index in Iran
Shahrivar 1396
(1390=100)

increase 
no change or virtually unchanged 
decrease 

Groups	Percent change compared to			
	previous month		similar month of the previous year	
General Index	3.7		16.2	
Major Groups:				
1- Animal Products	1.2		6.6	
2- Vegetable Products	3.7		1.8	
3- Animal or Vegetable Fats and Oils	1.9		3.1	
4- Prepared Foodstuffs, Beverages and Tobacco	2.0		5.5	
5- Mineral Products	5.2		20.8	
6- Products of the Chemical or Allied Industries	9.8		28.9	
7-Plastics and Articles Thereof, Rubber and Articles Thereof	3.3		10.6	
8- Skins and Leather and Articles Thereof	2.0		9.4	
9- Wood and Articles of Wood	3.5		1.8	
10- Textiles and Textile Articles	2.0		16.4	
11- Footwear	2.7		16.1	
12- Articles of Stone	2.0		10.1	
13- Base Metals and Articles of Base Metal	2.2		25.9	
14- Machinery and Mechanical Appliances, Electrical Equipment	2.1		10.2	
15- Vehicles and Associated Transport Equipment	2.6		13.4	
Special Group:				
Petrochemical Products	7.3		21.1	

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Shahrivar 1396

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The Export Price Index (XPI) increased 3.7 percent in Shahrivar 1396* following a 0.4 percent rise in Mordad 1396. The index level of 249.3 was 16.2 percent higher than in Shahrivar 1395.

During the first six months of the current Iranian year, the XPI rose 14.2 percent compared to the similar period in 1395.

The XPI has advanced 9.7 percent over the past twelve months.

In Shahrivar, the animal products group index rose 1.2 percent, which was attributed to the increases in the prices for yogurt and frozen fish.

The vegetable products group index went down 3.7 percent. The mentioned decline was mainly due to the decrease in the price for pistachio. In this group, the prices for raisin, date, and saffron increased.

The animal or vegetable fats and oils group index declined 1.9 percent, over this month.

The 2.0 percent increase in the prepared foodstuffs, beverages and tobacco group index was led by rises in the prices for biscuit and wafer, ice cream, tomato paste, cake, and non-cacao chocolate.

The mineral products group index increased 5.2 percent. Higher prices for propane, butane, cement, copper concentrate, industrial oil, bitumen, and paraffin wax were the major reasons for this advance.

* The index is computed on the Iranian Rial basis. In this month, the exchange rates of Dollar and Euro increased 2.0 percent and 3.9 percent, respectively.

Mostly as a result of increasing in the prices for methanol, ammonia, urea fertilizer, styrene, and "detergent powders and liquids", the products of the chemical or allied industries group index moved up 9.8 percent.

In Shahrivar, increases in the prices for low density polyethylene, high density polyethylene, and plastic hoses caused 3.3 percent rise in the plastics and articles thereof, rubber and articles thereof group index.

During this month, the skins and leather and articles thereof group index moved up 2.0 percent. In contrast, the wood and articles of wood group index fell 3.5 percent.

The textiles and textile articles group index went up 2.0 percent, largely due to the increases in the prices for hand-woven carpet and machine-made carpet.

The footwear group index moved up 2.7 percent. Increase in the price for "sandal with uppers of rubber or plastics" was the major reason for this rise.

The articles of stone group index turned up 2.0 percent which was principally due to the advance in the price for "tile and ceramic".

The base metals and articles of base metal group index advanced 2.2 percent in Shahrivar. The rise was driven by increasing prices for cathode copper, aluminium ingot, steel profile, zinc ingot, galvanized pipes, and ferromolybdenum. In this group, the decline for hot coil iron was also considerable.

The machinery and mechanical appliances, electrical equipment group index increased 2.1 percent, which was attributed to the advance in the price for cable.

The prices for car radiator and tractor increased in this month, reflecting a 2.6 percent rise in the vehicles and associated transport equipment group index.

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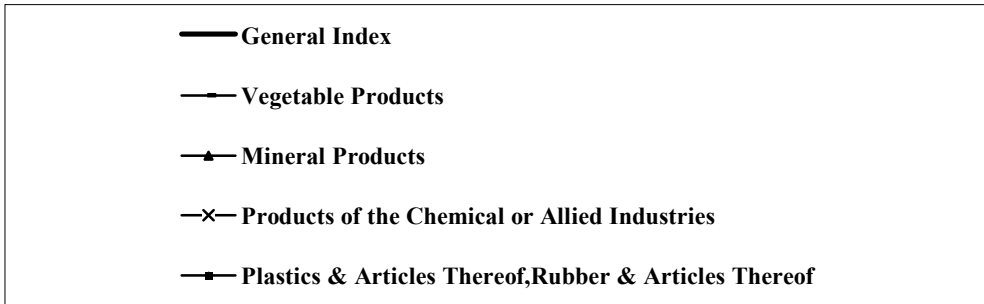
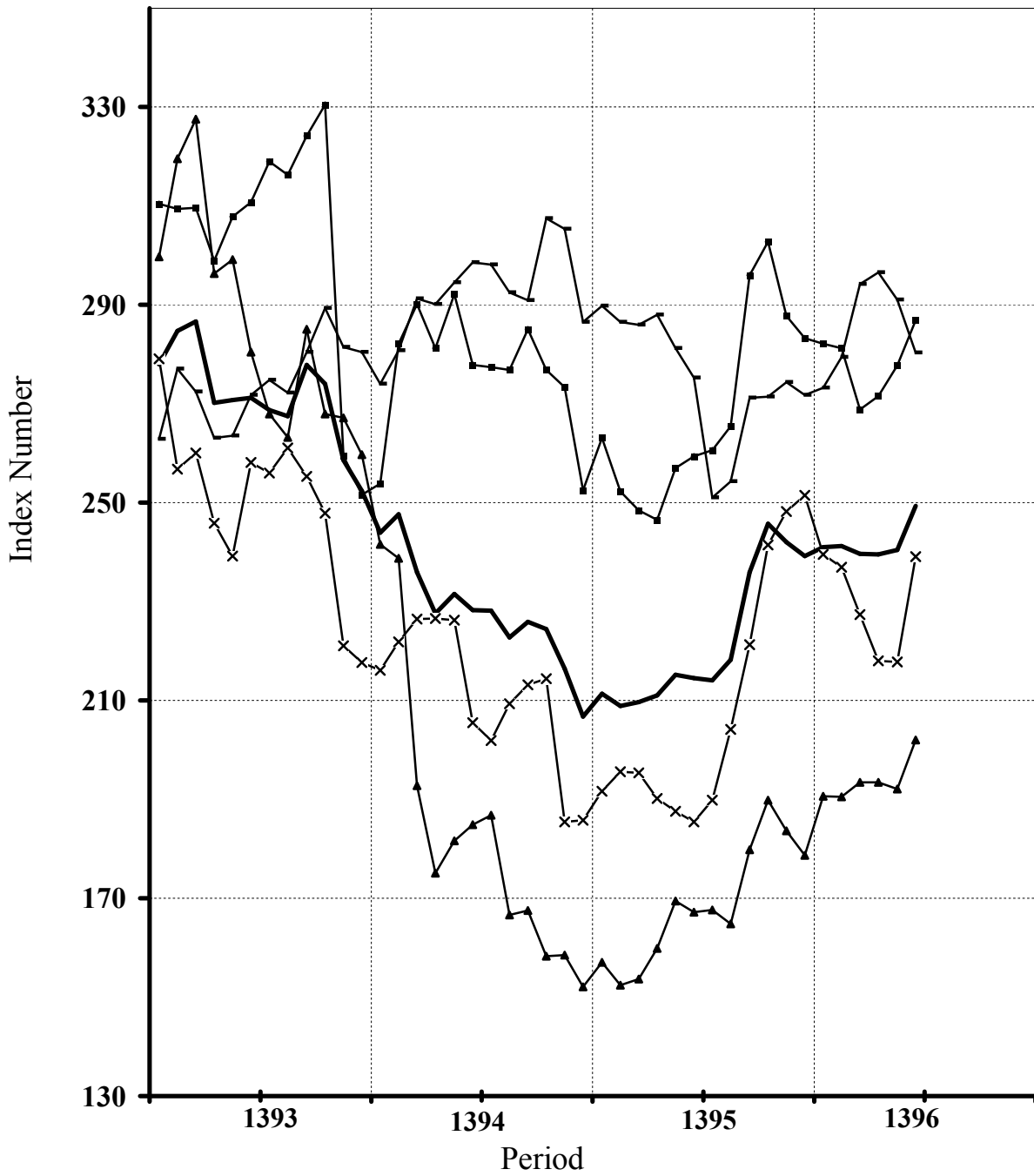


Table 1

Export Price Index in Iran

Index Numbers and Their Percent Changes

Shahrivar 1396

(1390 = 100)

Description	Base Year Weight	Index Number in Shahrivar 1396	Percent Change			
			Shahrivar 1396 Compared to		Shahrivar 1395 Compared to	
			Previous month	Similar month of the previous year	Previous month	Similar month of the previous year
General Index	100.00	249.3	3.7	16.2	-0.3	-6.0
Major Groups and Selected Sub Groups:						
1-Animal Products	2.41	334.5	1.2	6.6	1.3	10.1
2-Vegetable Products	10.43	280.3	-3.7	1.8	-2.1	-7.8
Edible Fruit and Nuts	6.90	307.2	-5.0	4.7	-1.4	-2.4
Coffee, Tea and Spices	1.31	320.0	2.0	-14.1	-4.5	-14.2
Lac, Gums, Resins	0.18	362.7	0.6	14.7	1.0	-0.9
3-Animal or Vegetable Fats & Oils	0.36	339.8	-1.9	3.1	1.3	5.4
4-Prepared Foodstuffs, Beverages & Tobacco	3.72	342.4	2.0	5.5	0.1	7.7
5-Mineral Products	31.80	202.0	5.2	20.8	-1.4	-9.6
Mineral Materials	2.85	271.5	5.8	5.3	-5.9	-15.7
Metals Stone	3.15	234.3	5.0	51.8	0.6	-12.9
Mineral Fuels & Related Oils	25.80	191.0	5.1	20.5	-0.6	-8.0
6-Products of the Chemical or Allied Industries	20.11	239.1	9.8	28.9	-1.1	-9.7
Inorganic Chemicals	2.70	220.9	5.2	5.9	-4.4	-9.0
Organic Chemicals	12.69	256.2	13.9	46.8	0.8	-8.7
Fertilisers	3.58	191.7	2.0	8.1	-4.2	-17.3
Tanning or Dyeing Extracts	0.38	224.1	2.0	9.4	0.6	4.1
Soap, Organic Surface-Active Agents	0.56	274.7	2.0	-4.0	0.6	2.0
7-Plastics & Articles Thereof, Rubber & Articles Thereof	10.51	286.9	3.3	10.6	0.9	-6.7
Plastics & Articles Thereof	10.28	289.0	3.3	10.6	1.0	-6.6
8-Skins & Leather & Articles Thereof	0.59	116.2	2.0	-9.4	0.6	-5.8
9-Wood & Articles of Wood	0.05	269.1	-3.5	-1.8	-8.0	-2.0
10-Textiles & Textile Articles	3.61	302.0	2.0	16.4	0.2	0.5
Carpets & Other Textile Floor Coverings	2.78	310.2	2.0	19.5	0.6	2.7
11-Footwear	0.46	447.5	2.7	16.1	0.5	1.9
12-Articles of Stone	2.13	255.3	2.0	10.1	0.3	-7.3
13-Base Metals & Articles of Base Metal	9.71	252.1	2.2	25.9	2.5	-7.9
Iron and Steel	3.01	209.5	-3.6	21.5	9.4	-9.0
Copper	2.37	269.4	6.8	42.5	0.6	-16.1
Aluminium	1.50	247.9	9.6	10.1	0.0	2.7
14-Machinery & Mechanical Appliances, Electrical Equipment	2.96	269.7	2.1	10.2	0.8	4.3
15-Vehicles & Associated Transport Equipment	1.15	304.8	2.6	13.4	3.4	1.9
Special Group:						
Petrochemical Products	46.33	226.7	7.3	21.1	-0.6	-7.6

Table 2
Export Price Index in Iran
General and Major Groups Index Numbers
(1390 = 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	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
1395									
Shahrivar	214.5	313.8	275.3	329.7	324.6	167.2	185.5	259.4	128.2
Mehr	214.1	315.1	251.1	343.2	321.3	167.6	189.9	260.6	129.4
Aban	218.2	320.0	254.3	329.8	324.2	164.8	204.2	265.5	131.1
Azar	235.9	338.6	271.2	345.6	341.2	179.8	221.3	296.0	139.1
Dey	245.8	347.1	271.5	362.6	351.7	189.8	241.5	302.8	145.0
Bahman	242.0	324.9	274.4	337.3	341.3	183.7	248.2	287.8	130.9
Esfand	239.2	319.3	271.8	328.1	335.8	178.7	251.5	283.3	128.9
1396									
Farvardin	241.0	319.4	273.2	319.6	336.4	190.6	239.5	282.1	121.7
Ordibehesht	241.2	320.2	279.5	323.3	335.0	190.5	237.0	281.3	123.2
Khordad	239.7	325.9	294.2	333.7	328.5	193.4	227.4	268.8	113.5
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

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
	1376	12.1	21.8	20.1	14.9	26.0	10.2	22.0	35.3
	1377	14.8	29.7	21.8	18.6	38.6	12.0	28.9	44.3
	1378	23.6	38.8	27.4	30.3	65.6	20.0	46.5	61.4
	1379	27.8	43.4	31.7	32.5	65.0	22.1	48.9	64.0
	1380	28.1	45.2	31.1	29.6	60.7	21.1	48.6	63.2
	1381	29.7	51.8	32.2	33.5	61.8	22.0	48.4	64.7
	1382	33.2	52.6	36.8	38.7	63.1	28.0	52.4	66.6
	1383	42.6	56.9	40.2	43.3	67.3	47.9	59.7	71.1
	1384	48.1	54.9	48.6	43.6	68.2	50.9	72.3	68.4
	1385	56.2	60.1	58.5	46.1	72.9	62.6	80.4	73.1
	1386	69.3	87.3	65.4	49.0	77.5	75.2	100.8	86.1
	1387	84.6	106.8	80.9	54.5	86.9	94.5	107.7	90.7
	1388	78.9	97.8	86.6	56.5	90.1	61.6	95.1	93.5
	1389	87.6	98.6	89.8	73.3	92.5	87.4	94.7	98.7
	1390	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
	1391	224.1	223.5	214.4	206.6	238.9	215.1	229.9	207.5
	1392	273.0	276.1	212.0	281.7	261.0	242.0	264.9	251.8
	1393	271.7	272.4	233.5	366.6	249.0	247.5	243.8	247.0
	1394	228.3	272.8	260.2	380.8	243.5	212.7	239.5	271.5
	1395	222.2	280.4	275.1	394.9	240.0	205.4	250.4	267.9
1395	Shahrivar	214.5	274.0	259.4	385.6	231.8	200.3	244.8	268.7
	Mehr	214.1	265.7	272.9	389.3	234.6	203.4	246.4	270.7
	Aban	218.2	280.1	274.7	394.6	242.1	209.9	251.4	272.8
	Azar	235.9	277.3	302.2	420.2	254.5	224.0	265.6	288.8
	Dey	245.8	340.4	310.9	432.2	264.9	229.8	273.3	258.6
	Bahman	242.0	280.4	300.4	414.8	258.2	231.2	264.6	256.8
	Esfand	239.2	270.9	293.9	408.8	253.6	229.9	259.9	252.8
1396	Farvardin	241.0	273.9	292.1	408.7	248.4	236.8	260.8	252.9
	Ordibehesht	241.2	287.1	293.3	406.4	250.1	238.5	260.1	252.8
	Khordad	239.7	276.4	286.0	403.3	248.3	235.6	259.2	268.3
	Tir	239.5	270.4	290.8	408.1	246.9	241.3	261.5	291.7
	Mordad	240.5	278.8	296.2	435.8	250.2	246.6	264.1	297.0
	Shahrivar	249.3	269.1	302.0	447.5	255.3	252.1	269.7	304.8