

IRAN

GENERAL INFORMATION:

Member Trade bloc : ECO, OIC, D-8, OPEC, OECD

Location : Middle East, bordering the Gulf of Oman, the

Persian Gulf, and the Caspian Sea, between

Iraq and Pakistan

Capital : Tehran

Official language : Farsi (Persian)

Area : 1.648 million km²

Population : 87.9 million

Key Economic Indicators

Indicators:	2020	2021	2022	2023
GDP (US \$ Billions)current prices	195.5	289.2	347.4	403.5
GDP per capita (US\$)	2,326.6	3,409.8	4,110.3	4,662.5
Real GDP growth (% change yoy)	1.7	4.7	3.7	2.9
Total Exports (US\$ Billions)	33.0	69.4	93.4	104.4
Total Imports (US\$ Billions)	38.9	48.9	58.9	65.5
Inflation (% change yoy)	36.4	40.1	45.7	47.0
Unemployment (% labour force)	12.2	10.8	10.9	-

GDP - COMPOSITION : Agriculture: 9.3%, Industry: 38.4%, Services: 52.3%

MAJOR INDUSTRIES : Petroleum, petrochemicals, textiles, cement and

other construction materials, food processing (particularly sugar refining and vegetable oil

production), metal fabrication, armaments

TOP TRADING PARTNERS OF IRAN

Top Export Partners : China 27.0%

Iraq 11.5%

Turkiye 6.7%

Pakistan 1.8%

Top Import Sources : UAE 31.3%

China 27.9%

Turkiye 10.5%

Pakistan 1.0%

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Source: ITC, World Bank

MAIN EXPORTS : petroleum 80%, chemical and petrochemical

products, fruits and nuts, carpets

MAIN IMPORTS : industrial raw materials and intermediate

goods, capital goods, foodstuffs and other consumer goods, technical services, military

supplies.

PAKISTAN'S TRADE WITH IRAN

(Million US\$)

YEAR	EXPORTS	IMPORTS	TOTAL TRADE	BALANCE OF TRADE	TOTAL EXPORT OF PAKISTAN	% SHARE IN TOTAL EXP.	TOTAL IMPORTS OF PAKISTAN	% SHARE IN TOTAL IMPORTS
2019	454.1	836.2	1,290.3	(382.1)	23,818.8	1.9	50,511.0	1.7
2020	210.6	615.3	825.9	(404.7)	22,245.7	0.9	45,841.7	1.3
2021	242.9	1,122.4	1,365.3	(879.6)	28,880.0	0.8	73,106.6	1.5
2022	939.2	1,361.6	2,300.8	(422.4)	31,175.9	3.0	71,104.7	1.9
2023	635.9	1,973.3	2,609.2	(1,337.4)	28,950.1	2.2	50,362.5	3.9

MAJOR ITEMS OF EXPORTS FROM PAKISTAN TO IRAN						MAJOR ITEMS OF IMPORTS IN PAKISTAN FROM IRAN						
Million US\$												
Specific Commodity Description	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	Specific Commodity Description	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	
Cereals	311.9	155.2	127.0	825.8	430.5	Mineral fuels, mineral oils and products of their distillation; bituminous substances; mineral	140.9	0.0	346.5	534.0	803.9	
Edible fruit and nuts; peel of citrus fruit or melons	28.4	21.2	71.6	59.9	86.4	Iron and steel	169.1	36.9	78.7	84.8	215.6	
Live animals	38.3	8.2	6.4	10.4	62.6	Plastics and articles thereof	65.8	40.9	54.9	78.8	210.1	
Oil seeds and oleaginous fruits; miscellaneous grains, seeds and fruit; industrial or medicinal	34.9	11.7	27.4	34.8	35.2	Dairy produce; birds' eggs; natural honey; edible products of animal origin, not elsewhere	18.8	30.5	82.0	142.5	158.7	
Meat and edible meat offal	18.3	2.6	0.6	0.0	8.7	Edible fruit and nuts; peel of citrus fruit or melons	107.6	124.7	141.8	127.8	138.2	
Machinery and mechanical appliances; parts thereof	2.1	0.6	0.6	1.7	3.5	Edible vegetables and certain roots and tubers	23.5	55.9	57.2	68.9	64.5	
Products of animal origin, not elsewhere specified or included	0.0	0.3	0.1	1.2	1.8	Organic chemicals	8.3	24.4	21.2	43.5	40.0	
Plastics and articles thereof	2.1	0.0	0.0	0.6	1.7	Preparations of vegetables, fruit, nuts or other parts of plants	45.0	37.5	26.9	29.8	29.2	
Optical, photographic, cinematographic, measuring, checking, precision, medical or surgical	3.9	0.6	0.9	0.6	1.6	Soap, organic surface-active agents, washing preparations, lubricating preparations, artificial	14.8	11.2	9.2	8.1	25.2	
Other vegetable textile fibres; paper yarn and woven fabrics of paper yarn	1.2	1.0	1.3	1.5	1.0	Raw hides and skins (other than furskins) and leather	11.4	13.2	21.3	16.7	21.1	

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