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### Press Release

#### **Department of Statistics: National Exports Grew by 7.6% During the First Ten Months of 2025.**

The Department of Statistics issued its monthly report on the external trade in Jordan, indicating increases by 7.6% in the national exports and by 9.1% in the re-exports during the first ten months of 2025. Accordingly, the total exports have increased by 7.7% compared to the same period in 2024. This growth coincided with a 10.8% increase in the imports, resulting in a 14.1% increase in the trade balance deficit during the first ten months of 2025 compared to the same period in 2024.

#### **Exports-to-Imports Coverage Ratio**

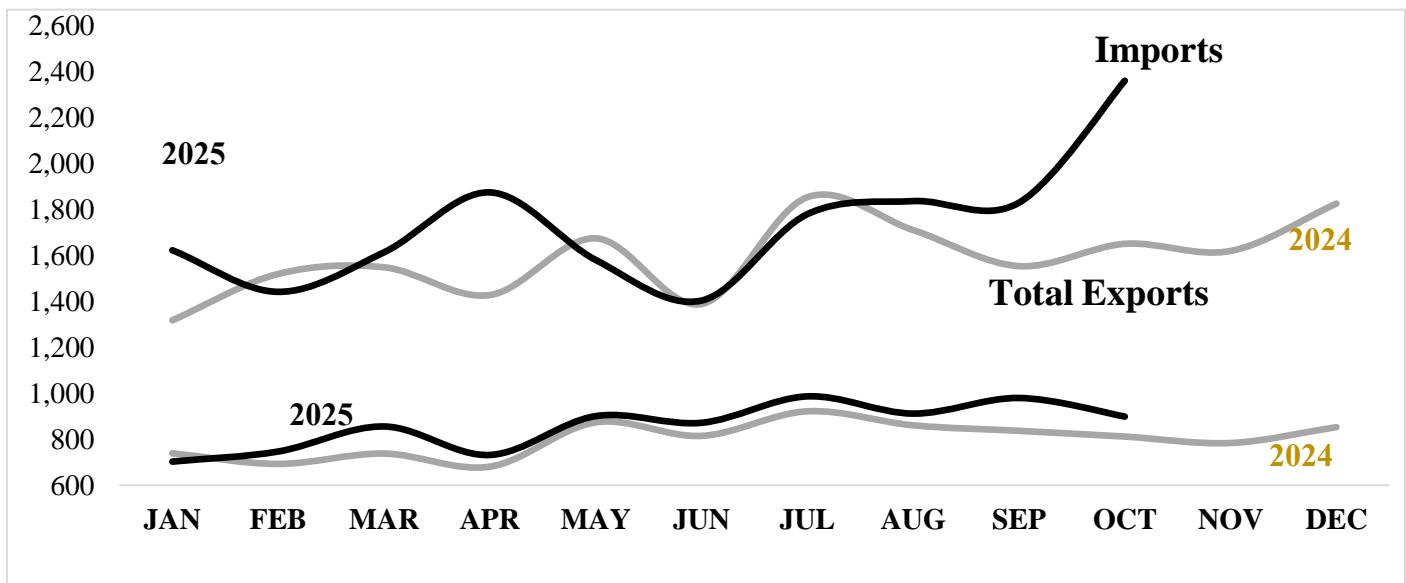
The total exports coverage ratio to imports reached 50% during the first ten months of 2025 compared to 51% for the same period in 2024, indicating a decrease by one percentage point. Meanwhile, the coverage ratio for October 2025 alone has reached 38% compared to 49% in October 2024, indicating a decrease of eleven percentage points.

#### **Economic Figures & Indicators During the 1<sup>st</sup> Ten Months of 2025**

The total export value during this period reached 8,588 million JOD, with domestic exports constituting 7,807 million JOD and the re-exports amounting to 781 million JOD, while the imports value reached 17,347 million JOD during the same period.

Accordingly, the trade balance deficit (which represents the difference between the value of total exports and the value of imports) has reached (8,759) million JOD in the first ten months of 2025 (i.e., trade balance deficit increased by (1,108) million JOD) compared to the same period in 2024.

**Figure 1: External Trade Monthly Values During the First Ten Months of 2024 and 2025 (Million JOD)**



### Monthly Performance for October 2025

The value of total exports in October 2025 reached 899 million JOD, including the national exports of 810 million JOD and the re-exports of 89 million JOD, while the imports amounted to 2,361 million JOD, resulting in a trade balance deficit of (1,462) million JOD during October 2025.

These figures indicate an increase in October 2025 compared to the same month in 2024 in the total exports by 10.7%, national exports by 8.4%, re-exports by 36.9%, and imports by 43.0%, resulting in a 74.3% increase in the trade balance deficit.

### Commodity Composition During the First Ten Months of 2025

The increase in the national exports concentrated in the "*Nitrogenous or Chemical Fertilizers*", "*Precious Ornaments and Jewelry*", "*Pharmaceutical Products*", "*Crude Phosphate*", and "*Crude Potash*" industries, which supported the national exports despite the slight decrease in the export of "*Clothes and related Accessories from Knitted Fabrics*". As for imports, there were increases in the value of "*Vehicles and Motorcycles*", "*Precious Ornaments and Jewelry*", "*Machines and Machinery Tools*", and "*Electrical Machines & Appliances*", and "*Grains*". However, the decline in the imports of "*Crude Oil and its Products*" had significantly contributed to limiting the increase in the imports (See Table 1).

**Table 1: The Most Important Exported and Imported Commodities During the First Ten Months of 2024 and 2025 - Value in (Million JOD)**

National Exports				Imports			
Items	*2024	*2025	Relative Change (%)	Items	*2024	*2025	Relative Change (%)
Clothes and related Acces from Knitted Fabrics	1,376	1,343	-2.4	Crude Oil and its Products & Mineral oil	2,249	2,173	-3.4
Nitrogenous or Chemical Fertilizers	836	881	5.4	Machines, Machinery Tools, their parts	1,398	1,643	17.5
Precious Ornaments and Jewelry	610	672	10.2	Precious Ornaments and Jewelry	928	1,580	70.3
Pharmaceutical products	490	520	6.1	Vehicles, Motorcycles, and their part	1,090	1,365	25.2
Crude Phosphate	438	492	12.3	Electrical Appliances and the Parts	747	814	9.0
Crude Potash	397	463	16.6	Grains	589	600	1.9
Other items	3,109	3,436	10.5	Other items	8,649	9,172	6.0
<b>National Exports</b>	<b>7,256</b>	<b>7,807</b>	<b>7.6</b>				
<b>Re-exports</b>	<b>716</b>	<b>781</b>	<b>9.1</b>				
<b>Total Exports (1)</b>	<b>7,972</b>	<b>8,588</b>	<b>7.7</b>	<b>Total Imports (2)</b>	<b>15,650</b>	<b>17,347</b>	<b>10.8</b>
				<b>Trade Deficit (1) – (2)</b>	<b>-7,678</b>	<b>-8,759</b>	<b>14.1</b>

Source: Department of Statistics / External Trade Division/ External Trade Report of October 2025

\*Primary numbers

### Trade Partners During the First Ten Months of 2025

The national exports have increased to countries of the Greater Arab Free Trade Area (GAFTA), including Syria, to which exports doubled by 341.3% during the period. Additionally, exports have expanded to non-Arab Asian Countries, such as India, and to European Union countries, including Italy. Meanwhile, the national exports decreased slightly to North American Free Trade Agreement (NAFTA) countries, including the United States.

As for imports, there were increases from GAFTA countries, including Saudi Arabia, NAFTA countries, including the USA, Non-Arab Asian countries, such as China, and EU countries, including Germany (see Table 2).

**Table 2: Main Trade Partners and Economic Blocs During the First Ten Months of 2024 and 2025**

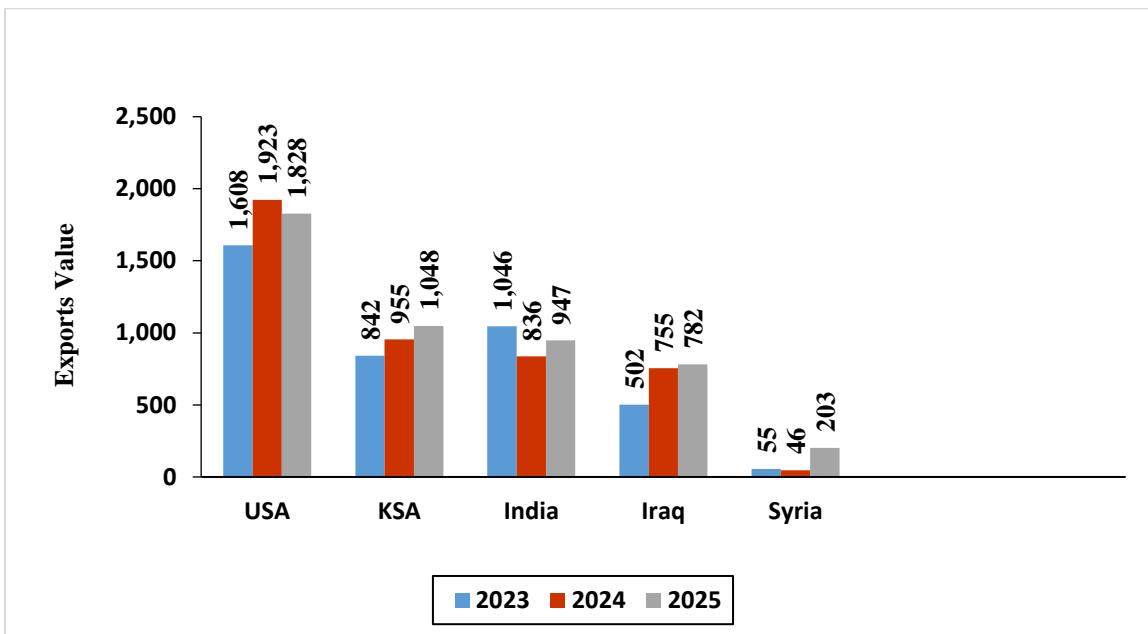
**Value in (Million JOD)**

National Exports to:				Imports from:			
Economic Blocs	*2024	*2025	Relative Change (%)	Economic Blocs	*2024	*2025	Relative Change (%)
Greater Arab Free Trade Area (GFTA) Countries of which:	2,983	3,242	8.7	Greater Arab Free Trade Area (GFTA) Countries of which:	4,245	4,585	8.0
Saudi Arabia	955	1,048	9.7	Saudi Arabia	2,444	2,469	1.0
Syria	46	203	341.3	Syria	51	75	47.1
Iraq	755	782	3.6	Iraq	159	125	-21.4
North American Free Trade Agreement Countries	1,995	1,901	-4.7	North American Free Trade Agreement countries	1,119	1,518	35.7
Of which the USA	1,923	1,828	-4.9	Of which the USA	1,044	1,434	37.4
Non-Arab Asian Countries	1,481	1,660	12.1	Non-Arab Asian countries	5,883	6,390	8.6
Of which India	836	947	13.3	Of which China	2,914	3,461	18.8
European Union Countries	357	520	45.7	European Union Countries	2,355	2,647	12.4
Of which Italy	46	172	273.9	Of which Germany	542	580	7.0
Rest of the Economic Blocs	440	484	10.0	Rest of the Economic Blocs	2,048	2,207	7.8
Of which Senegal	2	6	200.0	Of which Switzerland	299	542	81.3

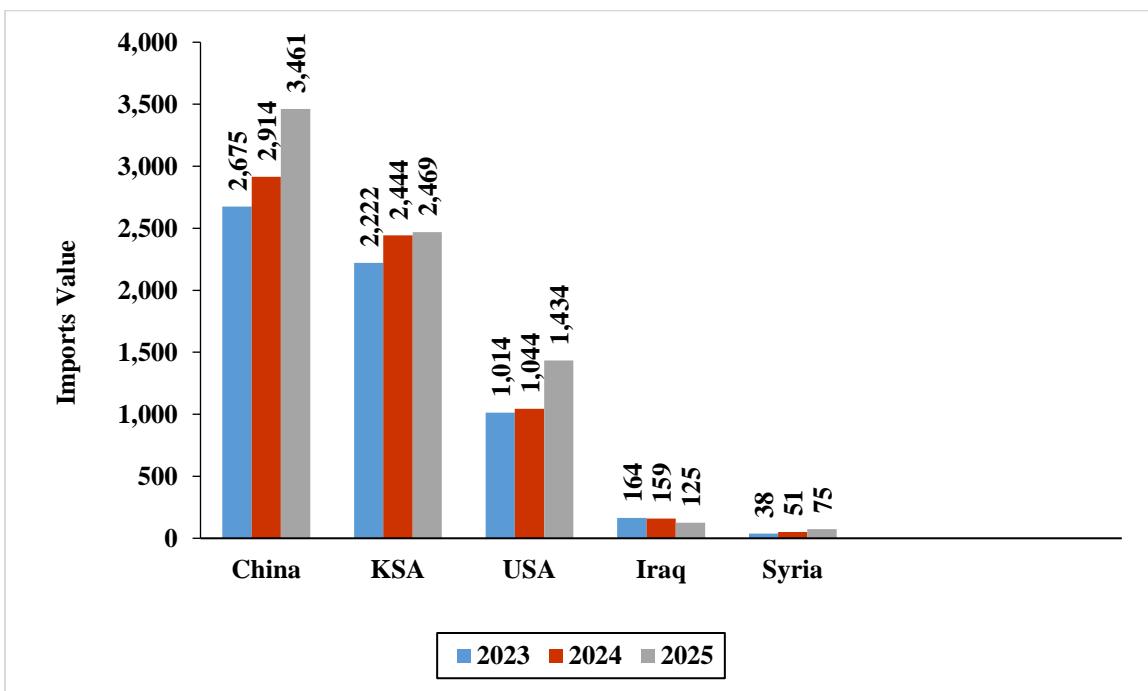
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**National Exports by the Most Important Trade Partners During the First Ten Months of the Years (2023, 2024, and 2025)**



**Imports by the Most Important Trade Partners During the First Ten Months of the Years (2023, 2024, and 2025)**



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