



## Daily Cotton Market Report

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Sr. No.	Particular of Cotton Market			Current Price	Current Month Avg.	Same Date Last Year	Price Diff with Pakistan (Cents/lb)
1.	Cotlook A Index	16-01-26	Cents/lb	74.80	74.45	79.05	7.57
2.	New York Cotton market cont.No.2 (Cents/lb)	16-01-26	Mar-2026	64.66	64.52	68.51	-2.57
			May-2026	66.23		69.68	-1.00
3.	China Cotton Index	16-01-26	Yuan/MT	15931		14630	36.30
			Cents/lb	103.53	101.11	90.55	
4.	Indian Cotton Index <Shankar-6>	17-01-26	IR/Candy	55650		54100	11.36
			Cents/lb	78.59	76.96	80.31	
5.	Brazil Cotton Index	16-01-26	Cents/lb	66.03	64.44	68.47	-1.86
6.	Karachi Cotton Association <Ex-gin Price>	12-12-25	PKR/40Kg	16612		19291	
			PKR/Maund 37.3242 kg	15500		18000	
			Cents/lb	67.23	67.11	78.27	

**Table:1 New York Cotton Market Closing Delivery Contract No.2 as on 16-01-2026**

Contract	Open	High	Low	Previous	Close	Change
Mar-26	64.65	64.84	64.51	64.71	64.66	-0.05
May-26	66.23	66.40	66.10	66.27	66.23	-0.04
July-26	67.69	67.80	67.10	67.69	67.65	-0.04

**Table: 2 Proposed Target of Cotton Crop During 2025-26 Season**

Province	Area (Million Hectares)
Punjab	1.400
Sindh	0.630
KPK	0.0003
Baluchistan	0.230
<b>Total</b>	<b>2.260</b>

*Source: FCA Meeting Kharif Season 2025-26*

<b>Table: 3 Sowing Position of Cotton Crop 2025-26 Season (Million Hectare)</b>			
<b>Province</b>	<b>Proposed Target 2025-26</b>	<b>Area Sown</b>	<b>%age Against Target</b>
Punjab	1.400	1.266	90%
Sindh	0.630	0.562	89%
KPK	0.0003	0.000126	42%
Baluchistan	0.230	0.174	76%
<b>Total</b>	<b>2.260</b>	<b>2.002</b>	<b>89%</b>

*Source: Provincial Agriculture Departments & Crop Reporting Service.*

<b>Table: 4 Targets &amp; Achievements of Cotton Crop 2024-25 (Bale=170Kg)</b>						
<b>Province</b>	<b>Area (Million Ha)</b>		<b>Production (Million Bales)</b>		<b>% age Against Target</b>	
	<b>Target</b>	<b>Achievement*</b>	<b>Target</b>	<b>Achievement**</b>	<b>Area</b>	<b>Production</b>
Punjab	1.680	1.304	6.500	3.838	78%	59%
Sindh	0.630	0.582	3.900	2.823	92%	72%
KPK	0.00030	0.000045	0.00093	0.00036	15%	39%
Baluchistan	0.808	0.157	0.473	0.423	19%	89%
<b>Total</b>	<b>3.118</b>	<b>2.043</b>	<b>10.874</b>	<b>7.084</b>	<b>66%</b>	<b>65%</b>

**Source:**

\* Provincial Agriculture Department & Crop Reporting Service.

\*\* Provincial Crop Reporting Services and Pakistan Bureau of Statistics

<b>Table:5 Seed Cotton Arrival as on 15<sup>th</sup> January, 2026 (Bales)</b>						
<b>Heads</b>	<b>2025-26 Season</b>			<b>2024-25 Season</b>		
	<b>Punjab</b>	<b>Sindh</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>Punjab</b>	<b>Sindh</b>	<b>Total</b>
Arrivals	2586229	2910723	5496952	2686521	2803297	5489818
Sales to Exporters	37600	138400	176000	6700	40000	46700
Sales to Textile Mills	2239813	2601830	4841643	2356599	2584435	4901034
Total Bales Sold	2277413	2740230	5017643	2363299	2584435	4947734
Unsold Stock	273997	151675	425672	296367	209202	505569
Un-ginned Stock	34819	18818	53637	26855	9660	36515

**Source: Pakistan Cotton Ginners Association**

<b>Table: 6 Seed Cotton, Raw Cotton, Cotton Seed &amp; Cotton Seed Cake Prices</b>				
<b>Market</b>	<b>Seed Cotton (Rs/40kg)</b>	<b>Raw Cotton (Lint) (Rs/Maund)</b>	<b>Cotton Seed (Rs/40kg)</b>	<b>Cotton Seed Cake (Rs/40kg)</b>
Rahim Yar Khan			3450	3400
BahawalPur			3000	
Vehari			3400	
Burewala			3100	3100
D.G.Khan		16200		
Mian Channu		14500		
<b>Punjab</b>		<b>15350</b>	<b>3238</b>	<b>3250</b>
Mir Pur Khas				3100
Tandoadam		15700		
Sanghar			3300	3150
Nawabshah			3400	
Shahdad Pur		15600		
<b>Sindh</b>		<b>15650</b>	<b>3350</b>	<b>3125</b>
Kohlu				
Kharan				
Barkhan				
Turbat				
Khuzdar				
Sibi				
<b>Baluchistan</b>				
<b>Pakistan</b>		<b>15500</b>	<b>3294</b>	<b>3187</b>

<b>Table: 7 Provisional Statements of Export &amp; Import of Raw Cotton in 2025-26. (Value= Million Rs.) (Quantity in MT)</b>											
<b>Exports</b>						<b>Imports</b>					
<b>July to Nov, 2025</b>		<b>July to Nov, 2024</b>		<b>% change over last year</b>		<b>July to Nov, 2025</b>		<b>July to Nov, 2024</b>		<b>% change over last year</b>	
<b>Qty MT</b>	<b>Value</b>	<b>Qty MT</b>	<b>Value</b>	<b>Qty MT</b>	<b>Value</b>	<b>Qty MT</b>	<b>Value</b>	<b>Qty MT</b>	<b>Value</b>	<b>Qty MT</b>	<b>Value</b>
1550	733	0	0	100	100	340297	171236	448087	245422	-24.06	-30.23

*Source: Pakistan Bureau of Statistics*

<b>Table: 8 Provisional Statements of Export &amp; Import of Raw Cotton in 2024-25. (Value= Million Rs.) (Quantity in MT)</b>											
<b>Exports</b>						<b>Imports</b>					
<b>July to June, 2024-25</b>		<b>July to June, 2023-24</b>		<b>% change over last year</b>		<b>July to June, 2024-25</b>		<b>July to June, 2023-24</b>		<b>% change over last year</b>	
<b>Qty MT</b>	<b>Value</b>	<b>Qty MT</b>	<b>Value</b>	<b>Qty MT</b>	<b>Value</b>	<b>Qty MT</b>	<b>Value</b>	<b>Qty MT</b>	<b>Value</b>	<b>Qty MT</b>	<b>Value</b>
433	243	31027	15944	-99%	-98%	684802	353757	204888	126465	234%	180%

*Source: Pakistan Bureau of Statistics*