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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	04-02-25	Cents/lb	77.05	77.05	94.10	-1.76
2.	New York Cotton Market Cont.No.2 (Cents/lb)	04.02.25	Mar-2025	66.94	66.29	86.49	-11.87
			May-2025	68.05		87.64	-10.76
3.	China Cotton Index	04.02.25	Yuan/MT	14752		16980	13.11
			Cents/lb	91.91	92.18	108.48	
4.	Indian Cotton Index <Shankar-6>	04.02.25	IR/Candy	52500		54500	-2.04
			Cents/lb	76.77	77.09	83.80	
5.	Brazil Cotton Index	04.02.25	Cents/lb	70.57	70.39	NA	-8.24
6.	Karachi Cotton Association <Ex-gin Price>	04.02.25	PKR/40Kg	19291		21434	
			PKR/Maund 37.3242 kg	18000		20000	
			Cents/lb	78.81	79.18	87.78	

Table:1 New York Cotton Market Closing Delivery Contract No.2 as on 31.01.2025

Contract	Open	High	Low	Previous	Close	Change
Mar-25	66.04	67.15	66.04	65.88	66.94	+0.90
May-25	67.25	68.18	67.25	67.04	68.05	+0.94
Jul-25	68.47	69.25	68.39	68.23	69.10	+0.88

Table: 2 Proposed Target of Cotton Crop During 2024-25 Season

Province	Targets 2024-25		
	Area (Million Hectares)	Production (Million Bales)	Yield (Kg/Hectare)
Punjab	1.680	6.500	657.74
Sindh	0.630	3.900	1052.38
KPK	0.00030	0.00093	527.00
Baluchistan	0.808	0.473	99.52
Total	3.118	10.874	592.81

Source: Federal Committee on Agriculture

Table: 3 Sowing Position of Cotton Crop 2024-25 Season (Million Hectare)					
Province	Proposed Target 2024-25	Area Sown		%age Against Target	% Change Over Last Year
		2024-25	2023-24		
Punjab	1.680	1.304	1.680	78%	-22%
Sindh	0.630	0.550	0.625	87%	-14%
KPK	0.00030	0.000045	0.000040	15%	13%
Baluchistan	0.808	0.119	0.0768	15%	55%
Total	3.118	1.974	2.382	63%	-17%

Source: Provincial Crop Reporting Service.

Table: 4 Targets & Achievements of Cotton Crop 2023-24 (Bale=170Kg)						
Province	Area (Million Ha)		Production (Million Bales)		% age Against Target	
	Target	Achievement	Target	Achievement	Area	Production
Punjab	2.018	1.68	8.336	6.028	83.25%	72.31%
Sindh	0.671	0.625	4.000	3.8796	90.91%	96.99%
KPK	0.002	0.000040	0.004	0.00012	9.0%	3.00%
Baluchistan	0.073	0.118	0.430	0.315	105.21%	73.26%
Total	2.764	2.423	12.770	10.223	85.64%	80.05%

Source: Pakistan Bureau of Statistics

Table:5 Seed Cotton Arrival as on 31 January, 2025 (Bales)						
Heads	2024-25 Season			2023-24 Season		
	Punjab	Sindh	Total	Punjab	Sindh	Total
Arrivals	2704464	2806277	5510741	4238434	4111119	8349553
Sales to Exporters	6700	40000	46700	151226	141500	292726
Sales to Textile Mills	2409237	2568460	4977697	3803921	3880196	7684117
Total Bales Sold	2415937	2608460	5024397	3955147	4021696	7976843
Unsold Stock	271258	189951	461209	246182	85765	331947
Un-ginned Stock	17269	7866	25135	37105	3658	40763

Source: Pakistan Cotton Ginners Association

Table: 6 Seed Cotton, Raw Cotton, Cotton Seed & Cotton Seed Cake Prices (Rs/ 40Kg) (04.02.25)				
Market	Seed Cotton	Raw Cotton (Lint)	Cotton Seed	Cotton Seed Cake
Rahim Yar Khan	-	-	-	-
Bahawalpur	-	-	-	-
Vehari	-	-	3750	3715
Burewala	-	-	3800	3785
D.G.Khan	-	-	-	-
Punjab	-	-	3775	3750
Mir Pur Khas	-	17500	2510	2700
Hyderabad	-	17400	2515	2715
Sanghar	-	-	-	-
Ghotki	-	-	-	-
Sindh	-	17450	2513	2708
Bela	-	-	-	-
Uthal	-	-	-	-
Sibi	-	-	-	-
Nall	-	-	-	-
Barkhan	-	-	-	-
Kohlu	-	-	-	-
Baluchistan	-	-	-	-
Pakistan	-	17450	3144	3229

Source: Market Committee

Table: 7 Monthly Provisional Statement of Export & Import of Raw Cotton (Value= Million Rs.)											
Exports						Imports					
July to Dec, 2024		July to Dec, 2023		% change over last year		July to Dec, 2024		July to Dec, 2023		% change over last year	
Qty Bales	Value	Qty Bales	Value	Qty Bales	Value	Qty Bales	Value	Qty Bales	Value	Qty Bales	Value
1953	171	173635	15195	-98.88%	-98.87%	1468388	135863	497024	55086	195.44%	146.64%

Source: Pakistan Bureau of Statistics