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Export from South Khorasan increases 50% in 10 months on year

TEHRAN- The value of export from South Khorasan province, in the east of Iran, increased by 50 percent during the first 10 months of the current Iranian calendar year (March 21, 2023-January 20, 2024), as compared to the same period of time in the past year, according to a provincial official. Please visit the following link for more information:

https://www.tehrantimes.com/news/4949 89/Export-from-South-Khorasanincreases-50-in-10-months-on-year

Commodities worth \$168m exported from Kish Free Zone in 10 months

TEHRAN- Commodities valued at \$168 million were exported from Kish Free Trade Zone, in the southern Kish island, during the first ten months of the current Iranian calendar year (March 21, 2023-January 20, 2024), an official with Kish Free Zone Organization announced. Please visit the following link for more information:

https://www.tehrantimes.com/news/4950 46/Commodities-worth-168m-exportedfrom-Kish-Free-Zone-in-10-months

Trade between Iran, EU exceeds €4.7b in 2023

TEHRAN - The value of trade between Iran and the European Union (EU)'s member states reached €4.732 billion in 2023, according to the data released by the European Union's statistics office Eurostat. Please visit the following link for more information:

https://www.tehrantimes.com/news/495 053/Trade-between-Iran-EU-exceeds-4-7b-in-2023

Iran becomes world's 5th biggest producer of tiles, ceramic

TEHRAN - Iran has become the fifth biggest producer and exporter of ceramic and tiles in the world, the head of the Iranian Tile and Ceramic Manufacturers and Exporters Association told IRIB. Please visit the following link for more information:

https://www.tehrantimes.com/news/495056/Iran-becomes-world-s-5th-biggest-producer-oftiles-ceramic



Iran negotiating with 21 countries to establish joint free zones

TEHRAN - The Secretary of Iran's Free Zones High Council Hojatollah Abdolmaleki said the country is negotiating with 21 different countries to establish joint free zones, with six of which agreement documents have also been signed. Please visit the following link for more information:

https://www.tehrantimes.com/news/4951 11/Iran-negotiating-with-21-countries-toestablish-joint-free-zones

Pakistan to finalize Gwadar-Iran gas pipeline project

TEHRAN, Feb. 20 (MNA) – Pakistani authorities have decided to finalize an 81-kilometer-long gas pipeline from the country's Gwadar port city to the Iranian border as part of the Iran-Pakistan gas pipeline project. Please visit the following link for more information:

https://en.mehrnews.com/news/212199/P akistan-to-finalize-Gwadar-Iran-gaspipeline-project

Iran-China cooperation should yield more tangible results

TEHRAN, Feb. 18 (MNA) – Iranian Foreign Minister Hossein Amir-Abdollahian says that growing cooperation between Iran and China should yield more tangible results. Please visit the following link for more information:

https://en.mehrnews.com/news/212143/ Iran-China-cooperation-should-yieldmore-tangible-results

Iran 2nd largest exporter of pistachio to Europe

Eurostat, the statistical office of the European Union, has announced that Iran exported €92 million worth of pistachios to Europe in 2023, making it the second-largest pistachio exporter to the continent. Please visit the following link for more information:

https://www.ilna.ir/Section-economy-4/1449911-iran-nd-largest-exporter-ofpistachio-to-europe



Iran's mining exports at \$11bn in 10 months to late Jan : IMIRDO

Annual trade between Iran, Tatarstan up 25%



Value of Iran's 10-month export to India stands at \$1.8b

TEHRAN- Iran exported commodities valued at \$1.8 billion to India during the first ten months of the current Iranian calendar year (March 21, 2023-January 20, 2024), the head of the Islamic Republic of Iran Customs Administration (IRICA) announced. Please visit the following link for more information:

https://www.tehrantimes.com/news/4951 02/Value-of-Iran-s-10-month-export-to-India-stands-at-1-8b

Iron ore pellet production up 7.7% in 10 months on year

TEHRAN- Production of iron ore pellet in Iran rose by 7.7 percent during the first ten months of the current Iranian calendar year (March 21, 2023-January 20, 2024), as compared to the same period of time in the past year, according to the data released by the Iranian Steel Producers Association (ISPA). Please visit the following link for more information:

https://www.tehrantimes.com/news/49516 7/Iron-ore-pellet-production-up-7-7-in-10months-on-year

Tehran hosting SCO investment working group meeting

TEHRAN – Iran's capital Tehran is hosting the eighth meeting of the investment working group of the member countries of the Shanghai Cooperation Organization (SCO), an official with the Organization for Investment Economic and Technical Assistance of Iran announced. Please visit the following link for more information:

https://www.tehrantimes.com/news/4951 57/Tehran-hosting-SCO-investmentworking-group-meeting



Iran Overtakes Qatar in Extracting Gas from SP Joint Fields: CEO

TEHRAN (Tasnim) – The chief executive of Iran's Pars Special Economic Zone Organization said Iran has outpaced Qatar in the extraction of gas from joint fields. Please visit the following link for more information:

https://www.tasnimnews.com/en/news/20 24/02/20/3042419/iran-overtakes-gatarin-extracting-gas-from-sp-joint-fields-ceo

Iran ranks 1st in world in trout production

TEHRAN - Deputy Head of Iran's Fisheries Organization (IFO) Mehdi Shakouri said Iran is ranked first in the world in terms of trout production, IRNA reported. Please visit the following link for more information:

https://www.tehrantimes.com/news/4952 14/Iran-ranks-1st-in-world-in-troutproduction