



## Palestinian Central Bureau of Statistics (PCBS)

### A decrease in Imports from Israel on Registered\* Goods in September, 09/2019 by 2% compared to August, 2019

#### Imports in Goods

Imports increased in September, 2019 by 5% compared to August, 2019. It also increased by 10% compared to September, 2018 and reached USD 506.4 Million.

Imports from Israel decreased by 2% in September, 2019 compared to August, 2019 and it represented 57% of total imports in September, 2019.

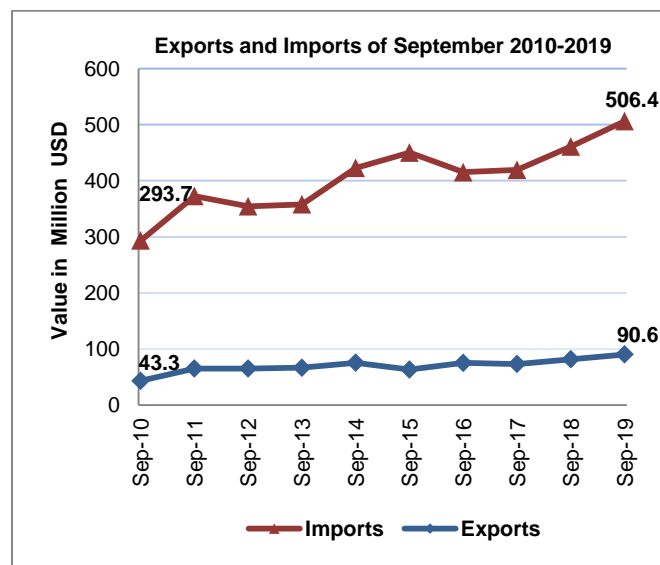
On the other hand, imports from other countries increased by 15% compared to August, 2019.

#### Exports in Goods

Exports increased in September, 2019 by 10% compared to August, 2019. It also increased by 11% compared to September, 2018 and reached USD 90.6 Million.

Exports to Israel increased in September, 2019 by 5% compared to August, 2019 and it represented 88% of total exports in September, 2019.

At the same time, exports to other countries increased by 80% during the same period compared to August, 2019 and reached USD 10.6 Million.



#### Trade Balance on Registered Goods

The trade balance which represents the difference between exports and imports showed an increase in trade deficit by 4% in September, 2019 compared to August, 2019. It also increased by 10% compared to September, 2018 and reached USD 415.8 Million.

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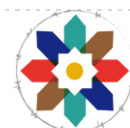
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