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14.4 % decrease in the deficit of trade balance on Octeber 7.17

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The value of deficit of trade

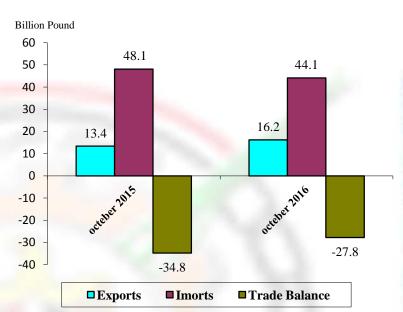
Balance reached YV.AT billion

pounds during Octeber Y.YY

versus T4.Yo billion pounds for the

same month of the previous year,

a decrease of Y4.4%.



The most important indicator are as follows.

• Exports:

The value of exports increased by Y1.4% as it reached 17.77 billion pounds during Octeber Y1.17 versus 17.77 billion pounds for the same month of the previous year due to the increase of value of some commodities such as

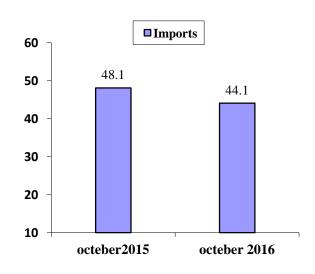


(Fertilizers by ۱۹٦,0.1%, crude oil by ۲۱,1 %, Furniture by ٤0.1%, fresh fruits by ۳٨.٦%, pates and Food preparations by ٣٣,٧%).			

While Exports of some commodities decreased on Octeber ۲۰۱7 versus its similarity for the same month of the previous year such as (Petroleum products by •٨.٣ %, Fresh Onions by •٨.٨, dairy products by ٣٠.٦ %, sanitary Paper by ٢٢.٢ %, ready-made clothes by ٣.٢%).

• **Imports:**

The value of imports decreased by $\wedge.4\%$ as it reached 44.4% billion pounds during Octeber 4.4%, versus 4.4% billion pounds for the same month of the previous year due to the decrease of value of some commodities such as



(Wheat by 4... %, cars by 14.7 %, corn by 4.4 %, Car parts by 7.4 %)

While Imports of some commodities increased on Octeber 7.17 versus its similarity for the same month of the previous year such as (Crude oil by 77.1%,outword Tires and inner tubes for means transportation by 77.7%, medicines and pharmaceutical preparations by 17.7%, raw materials of iron or steel by 17.7%, plastics in primary forms "plastics in primary forms" by 17.7%.

