

WEEKLY MARKET PRICE

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- *The cotton market continues to be influenced by macroeconomic headwinds, including a strong U.S. dollar and uncertainties around trade policies. The recent imposition of tariffs by the U.S. adds further challenges for exporters. Despite these pressures, the moderate global economic recovery may help sustain demand for cotton in the medium term.*
- *Paraxylene (PX) prices slipped by 1.03% to \$865 per metric ton (FOB Korea) over the past week. PTA (Purified Terephthalic Acid) followed suit, with CIF China prices declining by 1.18% to \$672 per metric ton.*
- *Cotton yarn prices in China saw an increase this Tuesday, following a moderate rise in cotton fiber prices.*
- *The Indian cotton fiber market recorded a modest increase over the past week, with Shankar-6 cotton fiber rising by 1.41 rupees per kilogram, or 0.94 percent, to 151 rupees per kilogram.*
- *Cotton yarn prices remained stable last week in Pakistan, following a previous downward trend.*
- *Indian cotton yarn export prices continued their downward trend over the past week, reflecting weak international demand and a loss of competitiveness due to expensive domestic cotton.*

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