

October 2025 Press Highlights

All values in billions of dollars. Goods and services monthly BOP series began with January 1992 statistics.

Goods and Services (BOP Basis, seasonally adjusted)

	October 2025	September 2025	Percent Change from Prior Month	Larger Increase or Decrease by Percent Change / When it Occurred	
Goods and Services					
Balance	-29.4	-48.1	-39.0	-55.6	March 2025 - April 2025
Exports	302.0	294.2	2.6	3.6	August 2025 - September 2025
Goods (BOP Basis)					
Balance	-59.1	-78.3	-24.5	-46.5	March 2025 - April 2025
Exports	195.9	188.8	3.8	5.6	August 2025 - September 2025
Imports	255.0	267.1	-4.5	-6.6	July 2025 - August 2025
	October 2025	September 2025	Dollar Change from Prior Month	Larger Increase or Decrease by Dollar Change / When it Occurred	
Goods and Services					
Balance	-29.4	-48.1	18.8	75.8	March 2025 - April 2025
Exports	302.0	294.2	7.8	10.2	August 2025 - September 2025
Goods (BOP Basis)					
Balance	-59.1	-78.3	19.2	75.5	March 2025 - April 2025
Exports	195.9	188.8	7.1	10.0	August 2025 - September 2025
Imports	255.0	267.1	-12.1	-18.6	July 2025 - August 2025

* The October goods and services deficit (\$29.4 billion) was the lowest since June 2009 (\$27.2 billion).

* The October goods deficit (\$59.1 billion) was the lowest since March 2016 (\$58.4 billion).

* October exports of goods and services (\$302.0 billion) were the highest on record.

* October exports of goods (\$195.9 billion) were the highest on record.

* October exports of services (\$106.1 billion) were the highest on record.

* October imports of services (\$76.3 billion) were the highest on record.

Goods (Census Basis, seasonally adjusted)

Balance

* The October petroleum surplus (\$6.1 billion) was the highest on record.

* The October non-petroleum deficit (\$64.7 billion) was the lowest since February 2020 (\$61.8 billion).

Exports

* October exports of goods (\$195.2 billion) were the highest on record.

* October non-petroleum exports (\$173.9 billion) were the highest on record.

Imports

* October imports of goods (\$253.8 billion) were the lowest since June 2023 (\$251.6 billion).

* October imports of industrial supplies and materials (\$46.9 billion) were the lowest since February 2021 (\$46.6 billion).

* October imports of consumer goods (\$51.5 billion) were the lowest since June 2020 (\$50.7 billion).

* October petroleum imports (\$15.2 billion) were the lowest since April 2021 (\$15.1 billion).

Real Dollar Basis (Chained 2017 Dollars, seasonally adjusted)

Balance

* The October real dollar goods deficit (\$63.1 billion) was the lowest since February 2020 (\$59.9 billion).

Exports

* October real dollar exports of goods (\$158.9 billion) were the highest on record.

Imports

* October real dollar imports of goods (\$222.0 billion) were the lowest since October 2021 (\$219.5 billion).

* October real dollar imports of foods, feeds, and beverages (\$13.1 billion) were the lowest since July 2020 (\$12.9 billion).

* October real dollar imports of industrial supplies (\$33.4 billion) were the lowest since November 1996 (\$32.6 billion).

* October real dollar imports of consumer goods (\$49.4 billion) were the lowest since May 2020 (\$46.3 billion).

Country and Other Highlights (Census Basis, not seasonally adjusted)

Balance

* The October deficit with Mexico (\$18.9 billion) was the highest on record.

* The October deficit with Thailand (\$7.5 billion) was the highest on record.

* The October deficit with Taiwan (\$17.4 billion) was the highest on record.

* The October deficit with South Korea (\$2.8 billion) was the lowest since November 2021 (\$2.6 billion).

* The October surplus with Brazil (\$2.6 billion) was the highest on record.

* The October surplus with the United Kingdom (\$6.7 billion) was the highest on record.

* The October surplus with Switzerland (\$8.8 billion) was the highest on record.

Exports

* October exports to the United Kingdom (\$11.7 billion) were the highest on record.

* October exports to Switzerland (\$12.7 billion) were the highest on record.

* October exports to India (\$4.5 billion) were the highest on record.

Imports

* October imports from Mexico (\$48.5 billion) were the highest on record.

* October imports from Thailand (\$9.2 billion) were the highest on record.

* October imports from Taiwan (\$22.3 billion) were the highest on record.

* The October import average price per barrel of crude oil (\$60.47) was the lowest since May 2021 (\$58.92).