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590+ Taxes & Levies (including FED, GIDC, Budgets, IMF, ORS/BS 19+ FST cum Customs Duty but excluding those which are exclusively about Customs Duty)

1. [FBR amends rules for active taxpayers of AJK and GB-PK](#)
2. [FBR warns PM of Rs560b shortfall-ET](#)
3. [FBR seizes illegal cigarette manufacturing setup linked to influential figure-TN](#)
4. [RTO Abbottabad dismantles major illegal cigarette factory, seizes MK-8 machines-PK](#)
5. [PM Shehbaz directs FBR to expedite sales tax refunds, strengthen tax compliance-PK](#)
6. [Taxation Principles for Permanent Establishments in Pakistan: Non-Residents Tax Year 2026-PK](#)
7. [2025-26: IMF projects Rs157bn shortfall in budgeted PDL-BR](#)
8. [Pakistan faces new structural benchmarks for IMF loan compliance-PK](#)
9. [IMF projects gross external financing needs at USD19.398bn-BR](#)
10. [IMF assured of agreed contingency revenue steps implementation-BR](#)
11. [IMF projects Rs4.5trn jump in domestic debt-BR](#)
12. [IMF urges Pakistan to cut power sector circular debt-BR](#)

Economy & Inflation matters (including Import, Export & CPEC)

1. [Pakistan signs MoU with Binance to explore blockchain-based innovation for sovereign assets-APP](#)
2. [Aurangzeb meets Standard Chartered Bank delegation to deepen collaboration on investment, reforms-TN](#)
3. [Pak-Turkiye trade ties strengthen as PM's aide eyes \\$5b trade target-TN](#)
4. [Pak-Uzbekistan agrees to fast-track PTA to reach \\$2b trade target-TN](#)
5. [PM adviser urges businessmen to donate 1pc profits for children's education-TN](#)
6. [Karachi Yellow Line BRT cost soars 191p-TN](#)
7. [CPEC projects accelerated across Balochistan-DTS](#)
8. [CBD Punjab conducts ballot for luxury showrooms-BR](#)
9. [CDWP clears eight projects worth Rs266bn-DD](#)
10. [CDWP clears 8 uplift projects costing Rs226.55bn-BR](#)
11. [SAPM engages Turkish business delegation to boost bilateral ties-DTS](#)
12. [Goods transport strike threatens Pakistan's trade as KCCI, SAI sound alarm-PK](#)
13. [KCCI raises alarm over transporters' strike-BR](#)
14. [Urgent govt action demanded: Transporters' strike threatens industrial output: OICCI-BR](#)
15. [Exporters turn panicky as transporters strike enters fifth day-DD](#)
16. [Weekly inflation falls slightly-TN](#)
17. [Weekly inflation falls slightly-DTS](#)
18. [SPI declines marginally, but yearly inflation continues to pressure household budgets-ET](#)

36+ Customs Duty (including PSW)

1. [Pakistan customs seizes gold and silver worth Rs306 million at airports-PK](#)
2. [Port Qasim issues detailed daily shipping operations report for December 12-PK](#)

3. [Customs seizes gold, silver worth over Rs. 306 million at international airports-APP](#)
4. [Algerian ambassador inaugurated Pindi Food festival-APP](#)

300+ Banking, Finance & Investments (including Monetary Policy, Foreign Exchange, FATF, AML/CFT & NBFC)

1. [SBP releases updated daily currency exchange rates for December 12, 2025-PK](#)
2. [SBP injects over Rs 10.48 trillion in the market-DTS](#)
3. [SBP likely to maintain policy rate at 11% in December 15 meeting-PK](#)
4. [SBP sets new maximum remuneration limits for bank directors-PK](#)
5. [SBP exempts Gwadar Free Zones from FEPP, undoing dollar role-DTS](#)
6. [SBP pumps Rs10.48tr into banks-ET](#)
7. [SBP backs expansion of security-ink production-ET](#)
8. [SBP may hold rate at 11% as IMF flags inflation risks-BR](#)
9. [ADB approves \\$540 million for Pakistan's SOE reforms, Sindh coastal resilience-TN](#)
10. [Pakistan, ADB sign \\$257m agreements to strengthen Punjab's education, health sectors-TN](#)
11. [Directors' meetings: SBP ups remuneration limits by 50%-BR](#)
12. [State Bank may hold rate at 11% as IMF flags risks-ET](#)
13. [Two programmes inked with ADB-BR](#)
14. [Aurangzeb appreciates Standard Chartered Bank's continued support to Pakistan-PK](#)
15. [No rate cut seen as IMF wants tight liquidity-DD](#)
16. [Lenders approve \\$940m for SOE reforms, water hygiene, sanitation-DD](#)
17. [World Bank announces \\$400mn project to improve urban services and resilience in Pakistan-BR](#)
18. [World Bank approves \\$400m to upgrade water and sanitation systems in Punjab-APP](#)
19. [Investor protection framework planned-ET](#)

Market (Stock, Currency, Gold, Textile, Cotton & PMEX)

1. [PSX hits new record high, KSE-100 Index approaches 170,000 points-PK](#)
2. [KSE-100 jumps 1,290 points after IMF endorses reforms-DTS](#)
3. [KSE-100 jumps 1,290 points after IMF endorses reforms-ET](#)
4. [Stocks rebound strongly after 2-day breather-ET](#)
5. [Bulls in control as KSE-100 Index gains nearly 1,300 points-BR](#)
6. [Pak-Qatar Family Takaful raises Rs901mn through IPO at PSX-BR](#)
7. [PSX stays bullish, gains 1,289 points-TN](#)
8. [Rupee gains four paisa against dollar-DTS](#)
9. [Rupee gains 4 paisa against dollar-TN](#)
10. [PKE vs USD: Rupee strengthens 4 paisa against dollar in interbank market-PK](#)
11. [Pakistan Releases Updated Open Market Currency Exchange Rates Today-PK](#)
12. [Gold and Silver Rates in Pakistan: December 12, 2025-PK](#)
13. [Gold price increases by Rs 10,700 per tola-DTS](#)
14. [Pakistan gold hits Rs10,700 single-day surge, silver reaches all-time high-PK](#)
15. [Gold, silver at new highs-BR](#)
16. [Gold price increases by Rs10,700 per tola-APP](#)
17. [Pakistan Gold today price & History with search of any date](#)
18. [Pakistan Silver today price & History with search of any date](#)

19. [World Gold & Silver Prices Live and Gold Price World Price History](#)
20. [World Silver & Gold Price Live and Silver History \(USD\)](#)

POL, Gas, other Minerals & Electricity (including Solar & Water)

1. [Significant Petroleum Price Cuts Expected from December 16-PK](#)
2. [Petroleum prices likely to see up to Rs12 per litre dip-DD](#)
3. [Government plans to raise petroleum levy to Rs85 per litre to settle Rs1.7tr gas debt-ET](#)
4. [Solar rush delivers economic and environmental dividends, study shows-ET](#)
5. [Power transmission projects: NGC & AFD strengthen partnership-BR](#)

Weather Updates

1. [The Weather-BR](#)
2. [PMD warns of rain, thunderstorms and heavy snowfall across northern Pakistan-PK](#)

320+ Human Resources (including Training, Health, Precautions & Safety - other than above areas)

1. [Medical moot focused on women's health today-BR](#)
2. [Medical sector: Tax-compliance crisis exposed in new data-BR](#)
3. [Supreme Court Rules Forced DNA Testing Violates Fundamental Rights in Pakistan-PK](#)
4. [IHC orders MoF to clear dues, release pension of former AGP-BR](#)

Other Pakistan

1. [Pakistan, Uzbekistan agree to fast-track expanded PTA-DTS](#)
2. [Senate panel okays Railways bill-DD](#)
3. [Pakistan, Uzbekistan push to expand PTA, lift trade-ET](#)
4. [Senate panel reviews performance of BISP, Baitu-ul-Mal-BR](#)
5. [Murad vows reforms to boost agriculture-BR](#)
6. [APNS dismayed over stoppage of govt ads to Dawn Media Group-BR](#)
7. [Pakistan Navy's Maritime Security workshop concludes-BR](#)
8. [Traders warn govt of shutter-down strike-BR](#)
9. [PM Shehbaz, President Pezeshkian appreciate Pak-Iran strong bilateral support during external aggression-APP](#)
10. [PM Shehbaz exchanges pleasantries with world leaders-APP](#)
11. [Pakistan calls for peaceful disputes' resolution, urges world to press Afghan regime on counterterrorism commitments-APP](#)
12. [PM Shehbaz lays wreath at Turkmenistan's Neutrality Monument-APP](#)
13. [Non-payment of pension to former AGP could lead to contempt proceedings, freezing of govt accounts: IHC warns-TN](#)
14. [PM Shehbaz warns of rising terror threat from Afghanistan, calls for global action-TN](#)
15. [Punjab launches NADRA-integrated e-registration app for digital civil record services-TN](#)
16. [Bilawal vows strict action against anti-state elements, urges PPP to gear up for local govt polls-TN](#)
17. [CM Afridi calls for financial reforms, university debate on KP's constitutional rights-TN](#)

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19. [PM Shehbaz warns of rising terror threat from Afghanistan, calls for global action-TN](#)
20. [Magisterial court rejects after-arrest bail plea of accused allegedly involved in embezzlement of millions of rupees in famous visa scam-APP](#)
21. [Pakistan, Iraq Agree to strengthen security cooperation, facilitate pilgrims in high-level Brussels meeting-APP](#)

The below news items are extracted after sending yesterday email:

(A) Six Newspapers Websites [Business Recorder **(BR)**, Daily Dawn **(DD)**, Express Tribune **(ET)**, The News **(TNS)**, The Nation **(TN)** & Associated Press of Pakistan **(APP)**] and

(B) Three other Business Websites [Pakistan Revenue **(PK)**, Profit Pakistan Today **(PPT)** & Daily Times **(DTS)**]

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