Feldspar

Metals

A group of common aluminum-silicate rock-forming minerals, mined and ground for glass, ceramics, tiles and fillers, where it supplies alumina and fluxes the melt.

Key facts

World production, 2025
31 million tonnes

Top producer
India, 19%

Top exporter, feldspar (HS 252910), 2024
Turkey (Türkiye), 42% of export value

HS code
252910 Feldspar

USGS MCS item
Mine production Mine production (feldspar)

Also called
feldspars, nepheline syenite, potash feldspar, soda feldspar

Top producers, 2025

Country	Tonnes	Share
India	6 million	19%
Turkey (Türkiye)	5.3 million	17%
Iran	3.9 million	13%
China	3.7 million	12%
Italy	2.2 million	7.1%

USGS Mineral Commodity Summaries, MCS 2026.

Top exporters, 2024

Country	Export value	Share
Turkey (Türkiye)	288.1 million USD	42%
South Africa	92 million USD	14%
India	68.8 million USD	10%
China	43.3 million USD	6.4%
Thailand	26.1 million USD	3.8%

CEPII BACI international trade database (HS22, V202601).

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