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Tanzania-Origin Cargo

An emerging origin now visible in Pakistan's import data. There is no single published Tanzanian export grade, so every parcel is checked against the buyer's window below.

SOURCE AREA	RANK	SUPPLY
southern basins (Ruvuma / Ngaka, Songwe–Mbeya), exported via Mtwara and Dar es Salaam	**Bituminous / sub-bituminous by source (HS 2701.12 / 2701.19)**	**Occasional parcels — each cargo evaluated on its own CoA**

Specification

Parameter	Basis	Typical	Range / limit	Test method
Calorific value	NAR	per cargo CoA	5,500 kcal/kg min (buyer target)	ASTM D5865 / ISO 1928
Total moisture	ARB	per cargo CoA	15% max (buyer target)	ASTM D3302 / ISO 589
Ash	ADB	per cargo CoA	20% max (buyer target)	ASTM D3174 / ISO 1171
Volatile matter	ADB	per cargo CoA	22% min (buyer target)	ASTM D3175 / ISO 562
Total sulphur	ADB	per cargo CoA	1.0% max (buyer target)	ASTM D4239 / ISO 19579
Size	—	0 – 50 mm	90% min passing 50 mm	ASTM D4749

Buyer acceptance window — each cargo is offered only with a matching load-port CoA.

Best suited for: Cement kilns and boilers when a cargo meets the window · Alternative to RB2 when prices favour it

Market notes

- Tanzania supplied about 2.1% of Pakistan's coal import value in Jan–Jun 2026, under both bituminous and sub-bituminous codes [1].
- The Ngaka project (Ruvuma) was developed with export routes via Mtwara [2].
- The window on this sheet is a buyer acceptance target for cement and boiler use, not a published origin standard.

Indicative specification; final quality per the certificate of analysis of each cargo or lot. ARB as received · ADB air dried · NAR / GAR net / gross as received.

Sources: 1. TradeInt — Coal imports in Pakistan 2026 (Jan–Jun 2026, HS 2701) — tradeint.com · 2. Engineering News — Ngaka thermal coal project, Tanzania — www.engineeringnews.co.za

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