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TABLE 3 Philippine Imports by Major Type of Goods
December 2015 and 2014
(FOB in Thousand U.S. Dollars)

Commodity Group	2015		2014		Growth Rate %
	December ^p	% Share	December ^r	% Share	
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	
Total Imports	4,056,487	100.0	5,469,755	100.0	(25.8)
Capital Goods	1,535,123	37.8	1,270,141	23.2	20.9
Power Generating & Specialized Machines	323,158	8.0	404,715	7.4	(20.2)
Office & EDP Machines	160,803	4.0	131,975	2.4	21.8
Telecommunication Eqpt.& Elect. Mach.	843,006	20.8	525,125	9.6	60.5
Land Transport Eqpt. excl. Passenger Cars & Motorized cycle	100,485	2.5	116,519	2.1	(13.8)
Aircraft, Ships and Boats	43,323	1.1	55,998	1.0	(22.6)
Prof.Sci.& Cont. Inst., Photographic Eqpt. & Optical Goods	64,347	1.6	35,810	0.7	79.7
Raw Materials & Intermediate Goods	1,231,114	30.3	2,629,167	48.1	(53.2)
Unprocessed Raw Materials	98,541	2.4	176,433	3.2	(44.1)
Wheat	15,123	0.4	88,109	1.6	(82.8)
Corn	6,217	0.2	24,001	0.4	(74.1)
Unmilled cereals excl. rice & corn	318	0.0	1,039	0.0	(69.4)
Crude materials, inedible	67,855	1.7	60,752	1.1	11.7
Pulp & waste paper	2,834	0.1	4,034	0.1	(29.7)
Cotton	813	0.0	3,601	0.1	(77.4)
Syn. Fibers	4,090	0.1	5,492	0.1	(25.5)
Metalliferous ores	30,745	0.8	19,828	0.4	55.1
Others	29,372	0.7	27,798	0.5	5.7
Tobacco, unmanufactured	9,028	0.2	2,531	0.0	256.8
Semi-Processed Raw Materials	1,132,573	27.9	2,452,734	44.8	(53.8)
Feeding stuffs for animals	93,518	2.3	139,886	2.6	(33.1)
Animal & vegetable oils & fats	27,084	0.7	39,231	0.7	(31.0)
Chemical	289,647	7.1	558,482	10.2	(48.1)
Chemical compounds	57,156	1.4	128,511	2.3	(55.5)
Medicinal & pharmaceutical chem.	48,193	1.2	78,648	1.4	(38.7)
Urea	5,648	0.1	29,254	0.5	(80.7)
Fertilizer excl. urea	12,675	0.3	22,055	0.4	(42.5)
Artificial resins	66,398	1.6	161,399	3.0	(58.9)
Others	99,578	2.5	138,614	2.5	(28.2)
Manufactured goods	395,331	9.7	454,817	8.3	(13.1)
Paper & paper products	29,062	0.7	63,193	1.2	(54.0)
Textile yarn, fabrics & made-up articles	43,727	1.1	58,955	1.1	(25.8)
Non-metallic mineral manufactures	52,744	1.3	55,589	1.0	(5.1)
Iron & steel	105,989	2.6	112,026	2.0	(5.4)
Non-ferrous metals	36,207	0.9	48,399	0.9	(25.2)
Metal products	87,292	2.2	72,884	1.3	19.8
Others	40,309	1.0	43,770	0.8	(7.9)
Embroideries	534	0.0	1,800	0.0	(70.4)
Mat/Acc for the mfr. of elect. eqpt.	326,459	8.0	1,258,518	23.0	(74.1)
Iron ore, not agglomerated	-	-	-	-	-
Mineral Fuels, Lubricant & Related Materials	649,268	16.0	756,095	13.8	(14.1)
Coal, Coke	46,546	1.1	52,645	1.0	(11.6)
Petroleum crude	337,521	8.3	329,928	6.0	2.3
Others	265,200	6.5	373,523	6.8	(29.0)
Consumer Goods	617,036	15.2	774,197	14.2	(20.3)
Durable	333,651	8.2	340,058	6.2	(1.9)
Passenger cars & motorized cycle	196,375	4.8	179,454	3.3	9.4
Home appliances	19,828	0.5	27,789	0.5	(28.6)
Misc. manufactures	117,448	2.9	132,815	2.4	(11.6)
Non-Durable	283,385	7.0	434,138	7.9	(34.7)
Food & live animals chiefly for food	252,522	6.2	394,748	7.2	(36.0)
Dairy products	17,846	0.4	65,002	1.2	(72.5)
Fish & fish preparation	19,910	0.5	19,116	0.3	4.2
Rice	43,905	1.1	33,038	0.6	32.9
Fruits & vegetables	51,163	1.3	52,600	1.0	(2.7)
Others	119,698	3.0	224,992	4.1	(46.8)
Beverages & tobacco mfture.	9,601	0.2	12,143	0.2	(20.9)
Articles of apparel, access.	21,262	0.5	27,247	0.5	(22.0)
Special Transactions	23,947	0.6	40,156	0.7	(40.4)
Articles temporarily imported & exported	4,084	0.1	8,105	0.1	(49.6)
Others	19,862	0.5	32,050	0.6	(38.0)

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Note: Growth rates were computed from actual values
Details may not add up to total due to rounding.