

**REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES**  
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**Manila**

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

Commodity Group	2015		2014		Growth Rate %
	May <sup>p</sup>	% Share	May <sup>r</sup>	% Share	
<b>Total Imports</b>	<b>4,390,513</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>5,068,877</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>(13.4)</b>
<b>Capital Goods</b>	<b>1,122,938</b>	<b>25.6</b>	<b>995,153</b>	<b>19.6</b>	<b>12.8</b>
Power Generating & Specialized Machines	397,483	9.1	315,360	6.2	26.0
Office & EDP Machines	99,350	2.3	82,172	1.6	20.9
Telecommunication Eqpt. & Elect. Mach.	451,048	10.3	290,206	5.7	55.4
Land Transport Eqpt. excl. Passenger Cars & Motorized cycle	103,914	2.4	87,176	1.7	19.2
Aircraft, Ships and Boats	31,526	0.7	170,431	3.4	(81.5)
Prof.Sci.& Cont. Inst., Photographic Eqpt. & Optical Goods	39,617	0.9	49,808	1.0	(20.5)
<b>Raw Materials &amp; Intermediate Goods</b>	<b>1,860,059</b>	<b>42.4</b>	<b>2,425,338</b>	<b>47.8</b>	<b>(23.3)</b>
Unprocessed Raw Materials	78,775	1.8	178,026	3.5	(55.8)
Wheat	22,881	0.5	60,257	1.2	(62.0)
Corn	5,122	0.1	7,621	0.2	(32.8)
Unmilled cereals excl. rice & corn	765	0.0	1,439	0.0	(46.8)
Crude materials, inedible	45,433	1.0	90,675	1.8	(49.9)
Pulp & waste paper	3,674	0.1	5,353	0.1	(31.4)
Cotton	520	0.0	3,373	0.1	(84.6)
Syn. Fibers	4,203	0.1	8,201	0.2	(48.8)
Metalliferous ores	701	0.0	37,861	0.7	(98.1)
Others	36,335	0.8	35,886	0.7	1.3
Tobacco, unmanufactured	4,574	0.1	18,033	0.4	(74.6)
Semi-Processed Raw Materials	1,781,283	40.6	2,247,312	44.3	(20.7)
Feeding stuffs for animals	81,277	1.9	97,172	1.9	(16.4)
Animal & vegetable oils & fats	31,580	0.7	52,979	1.0	(40.4)
Chemical	481,812	11.0	536,120	10.6	(10.1)
Chemical compounds	85,299	1.9	77,902	1.5	9.5
Medicinal & pharmaceutical chem.	83,591	1.9	112,260	2.2	(25.5)
Urea	14,317	0.3	10,411	0.2	37.5
Fertilizer excl. urea	22,074	0.5	14,122	0.3	56.3
Artificial resins	125,194	2.9	154,613	3.1	(19.0)
Others	151,339	3.4	166,813	3.3	(9.3)
Manufactured goods	479,404	10.9	514,124	10.1	(6.8)
Paper & paper products	66,849	1.5	61,817	1.2	8.1
Textile yarn, fabrics & made-up articles	68,411	1.6	66,366	1.3	3.1
Non-metallic mineral manufactures	55,556	1.3	56,525	1.1	(1.7)
Iron & steel	112,953	2.6	139,602	2.8	(19.1)
Non-ferrous metals	50,289	1.1	56,290	1.1	(10.7)
Metal products	71,520	1.6	72,941	1.4	(1.9)
Others	53,827	1.2	60,584	1.2	(11.2)
Embroideries	2,376	0.1	8,556	0.2	(72.2)
Mat/Acc for the mfr. of elect. eqpt.	704,834	16.1	1,038,360	20.5	(32.1)
Iron ore, not agglomerated	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Mineral Fuels, Lubricant &amp; Related Materials</b>	<b>668,283</b>	<b>15.2</b>	<b>888,764</b>	<b>17.5</b>	<b>(24.8)</b>
Coal, Coke	50,889	1.2	65,175	1.3	(21.9)
Petroleum crude	431,502	9.8	528,885	10.4	(18.4)
Others	185,892	4.2	294,703	5.8	(36.9)
<b>Consumer Goods</b>	<b>704,673</b>	<b>16.0</b>	<b>729,220</b>	<b>14.4</b>	<b>(3.4)</b>
Durable	307,330	7.0	346,592	6.8	(11.3)
Passenger cars & motorized cycle	153,729	3.5	167,541	3.3	(8.2)
Home appliances	26,978	0.6	32,428	0.6	(16.8)
Misc. manufactures	126,622	2.9	146,623	2.9	(13.6)
Non-Durable	397,344	9.1	382,628	7.5	3.8
Food & live animals chiefly for food	353,675	8.1	348,340	6.9	1.5
Dairy products	59,503	1.4	78,339	1.5	(24.0)
Fish & fish preparation	28,352	0.6	15,056	0.3	88.3
Rice	25,717	0.6	19,053	0.4	35.0
Fruits & vegetables	42,834	1.0	31,697	0.6	35.1
Others	197,269	4.5	204,195	4.0	(3.4)
Beverages & tobacco mfture.	15,754	0.4	13,671	0.3	15.2
Articles of apparel, access.	27,914	0.6	20,618	0.4	35.4
<b>Special Transactions</b>	<b>34,560</b>	<b>0.8</b>	<b>30,402</b>	<b>0.6</b>	<b>13.7</b>
Articles temporarily imported & exported	9,902	0.2	8,538	0.2	16.0
Others	24,658	0.6	21,864	0.4	12.8

Note: Components may not add up to total due to rounding.

p - Preliminary

r - Revised