

**REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES**  
**PHILIPPINE STATISTICS AUTHORITY**  
**Economic Sectoral Statistics Service**  
**Quezon City**

**TABLE 3a Philippine Imports by Major Type of Goods**  
**January to May 2016 and 2015**  
(FOB Value in Thousand U.S. Dollars)

Commodity Group	2016		2015	Growth
	Jan-May <sup>p</sup>	Jan-May <sup>r</sup>	Jan-May <sup>r</sup>	Rate %
	(1)	(2)	(2)	(3)
<b>Total Imports</b>	<b>31,893,411</b>	<b>26,976,020</b>		<b>18.2</b>
<b>Capital Goods</b>	<b>10,877,415</b>	<b>6,808,849</b>		<b>59.8</b>
Power Generating and Specialized Machines	2,834,631	1,816,775		56.0
Office and EDP Machines	1,053,546	648,149		62.5
Telecommunication Eqpt.and Elect. Mach.	5,006,822	2,717,309		84.3
Land Transport Eqpt. excl. Passenger Cars and Motorized cycle	889,358	627,230		41.8
Aircraft, Ships and Boats	564,420	769,919		(26.7)
Prof.Sci.and Cont. Inst., Photographic Eqpt. and Optical Goods	528,639	229,466		130.4
<b>Raw Materials &amp; Intermediate Goods</b>	<b>12,210,406</b>	<b>11,389,078</b>		<b>7.2</b>
Unprocessed Raw Materials	903,030	1,176,336		(23.2)
Wheat	390,035	582,676		(33.1)
Corn	77,082	73,287		5.2
Unmilled cereals excl. rice and corn	4,180	4,510		(7.3)
Crude materials, inedible	367,899	444,480		(17.2)
Pulp and waste paper	36,617	18,328		99.8
Cotton	5,762	10,506		(45.2)
Syn. Fibers	25,563	29,278		(12.7)
Metalliferous ores	64,264	143,259		(55.1)
Others	235,693	243,109		(3.1)
Tobacco, unmanufactured	63,835	71,382		(10.6)
Semi-Processed Raw Materials	11,307,375	10,212,742		10.7
Feeding stuffs for animals	492,428	544,672		(9.6)
Animal and vegetable oils and fats	332,150	305,244		8.8
Chemical	3,230,984	2,886,768		11.9
Chemical compounds	588,584	591,283		(0.5)
Medicinal and pharmaceutical chem.	600,833	492,731		21.9
Urea	72,215	85,851		(15.9)
Fertilizer excl. urea	98,112	137,724		(28.8)
Artificial resins	831,983	665,786		25.0
Others	1,039,257	913,392		13.8
Manufactured goods	3,819,193	2,968,550		28.7
Paper and paper products	414,844	351,406		18.1
Textile yarn, fabrics and made-up articles	420,877	299,354		40.6
Non-metallic mineral manufactures	439,918	259,531		69.5
Iron and steel	1,151,775	1,077,293		6.9
Non-ferrous metals	372,085	244,269		52.3
Metal products	607,853	495,828		22.6
Others	411,841	240,870		71.0
Embroideries	23,834	11,746		102.9
Mat/Acc for the mfr. of elect. eqpt.	3,408,785	3,495,762		(2.5)
Iron ore, not agglomerated				-
<b>Mineral Fuels, Lubricant &amp; Related Materials</b>	<b>3,074,806</b>	<b>4,150,842</b>		<b>(25.9)</b>
Coal, Coke	333,727	356,012		(6.3)
Petroleum crude	1,091,759	1,847,668		(40.9)
Others	1,649,320	1,947,162		(15.3)
<b>Consumer Goods</b>	<b>5,537,096</b>	<b>4,497,242</b>		<b>23.1</b>
Durable	3,027,768	1,911,858		58.4
Passenger cars and motorized cycle	1,821,680	1,039,114		75.3
Home appliances	273,093	202,507		34.9
Misc. manufactures	932,995	670,237		39.2
Non-Durable	2,509,327	2,585,384		(2.9)
Food and live animals chiefly for food	2,263,980	2,344,403		(3.4)
Dairy products	337,115	400,023		(15.7)
Fish and fish preparation	140,375	158,875		(11.6)
Rice	111,822	202,931		(44.9)
Fruits and vegetables	288,580	257,702		12.0
Others	1,386,089	1,324,872		4.6
Beverages and tobacco mfture.	88,088	85,328		3.2
Articles of apparel, access.	157,259	155,652		1.0
<b>Special Transactions</b>	<b>193,688</b>	<b>130,009</b>		<b>49.0</b>
Articles temporarily imported and exported	24,075	35,414		(32.0)
Others	169,612	94,595		79.3

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

Growth rates were computed from actual values