

PHILIPPINE EXPORTS TO ALL COUNTRIES: MAY, APRIL 1998 AND MAY 1997
(F.O.B. Value in Million U.S. Dollars)

COMMODITY	1998		1997	GROWTH RATES (%)	
	MAY	APRIL	MAY	MONTHLY	ANNUAL
TOTAL	2,414.69	2,284.50	1,982.88	5.70	21.78
1. Electronics and Components	1,088.37	1,214.45	894.62	-10.38	21.66
(a) Micro-circuits	184.64	188.04	185.67	-1.81	-0.55
(b) Semi-conductor	700.46	803.02	492.94	-12.77	42.10
(c) Others	203.27	223.40	216.01	-9.01	-5.90
2. Articles of Apparel and Clothing Accessories	207.19	153.87	189.87	34.66	9.13
3. Input/Output/Peripheral Units	155.42	151.54	151.14	2.56	2.83
4. Coconut Oil 1/	58.26	65.60	18.54	-11.18	214.32
5. Other Products Manufactured from Materials Imported on Consignment Basis	46.49	30.31	30.38	53.39	53.04
6. Woodcraft and Furniture	39.46	33.23	34.77	18.77	13.50
7. Ignition Wiring Set & Other Wiring Sets Used in Vehicles, Aircrafts and Ships	38.99	27.14	43.94	43.69	-11.26
8. Metal Components	26.93	25.82	22.67	4.30	18.76
9. Gold 3/	24.91	21.92	25.53	13.63	-2.41
10. Bananas (Fresh)	20.08	18.71	19.56	7.34	2.66
11. Footwear	16.36	15.49	15.83	5.61	3.35
12. Tuna 4/	16.17	15.51	11.76	4.26	37.47
13. Pineapple & Pineapple Products	12.83	12.74	10.65	0.69	20.43
14. Sugar	12.46	8.86	8.79	40.63	41.71
15. Fertilizers, Manufactured	12.26	11.86	8.08	3.37	51.70
16. Petroleum Products 2/	12.22	10.78	18.17	13.40	-32.75
17. Christmas Lights & Decor	11.18	6.45	10.57	73.23	5.78
18. Shrimps and Prawns, Fresh, Chilled or Frozen	10.33	10.19	8.54	1.36	20.91
19. Transmission Apparatus with Reception for Radiotelephony, etc.	8.97	5.28	8.82	69.83	1.78
20. Cathodes & Sections of Cathodes, of Refined Copper	7.04	12.11	13.76	-41.89	-48.86
21. Desiccated Coconut	6.91	4.38	6.54	57.54	5.58
22. Basketwork	6.90	5.72	7.59	20.69	-9.05
23. Processed Tropical Fruits	6.33	6.21	8.21	1.93	-22.90
24. Seaweeds and Carageenan	5.91	6.77	8.36	-12.72	-29.29
25. Ceramic Tiles & Decor	4.92	3.98	4.22	23.70	16.55
26. Copra-Oil Cake or Meal	4.46	1.79	2.56	148.29	74.33
27. Copper Concentrates	3.74	2.10	3.85	78.03	-2.80
28. Activated Carbon	3.65	2.28	2.89	60.41	26.33
29. Iron Ore Agglomerates	3.36	3.02	1.90	11.30	77.20
30. Unmanufactured Tobacco	3.05	2.25	3.34	35.57	-8.66
31. Fine Jewelry	0.43	0.42	0.24	2.12	81.33
32. Others	539.11	393.73	387.20	36.92	39.23

- 1/ Includes crude and refined
2/ Includes refined petroleum products, manufactured from crude petroleum oil imported on consignment basis
3/ Extracted from copper ores and concentrates
4/ Includes fresh, frozen, prepared or preserved in airtight containers

Note: Growth rates were computed from actual values

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