

Philippine Exports Performance by Country: May 1998 & 1997
(F.O.B. Value in Million U.S. Dollars)

Country	1998				1997			
	Jan-May	% Share	May	% Share	Jan-May	% Share	May	% Share
Total	11,515.39	100.00	2,414.69	100.00	9,571.01	100.00	1,982.88	100.00
1. United States of America 1/	3,840.31	33.35	792.99	32.84	3,299.38	34.47	672.08	33.89
2. Japan 2/	1,869.63	16.24	390.32	16.16	1,610.54	16.83	329.57	16.62
3. Singapore	801.67	6.96	245.80	10.18	626.47	6.55	114.15	5.76
4. United Kingdom of Great Britain	638.00	5.54	133.27	5.52	327.05	3.42	74.94	3.78
5. Netherlands	916.37	7.96	117.13	4.85	671.49	7.02	121.58	6.13
6. Taiwan	648.76	5.63	113.56	4.70	385.38	4.03	91.52	4.62
7. Hongkong	521.20	4.53	94.88	3.93	422.53	4.41	99.00	4.99
8. Germany	453.52	3.94	82.17	3.40	391.82	4.09	90.91	4.58
9. Malaysia 3/	357.44	3.10	71.15	2.95	261.39	2.73	48.63	2.45
10. Korea, Republic of	189.73	1.65	47.28	1.96	182.76	1.91	41.55	2.10
11. Others	1,278.75	11.10	326.14	13.51	1,392.20	14.55	298.95	15.08

- * Based on May 1998 ranking
 1/ includes Alaska and Hawaii
 2/ includes Okinawa
 3/ includes Sabah and Sarawak

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

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