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Table 3 Philippine Imports by Major Type of Goods
December and November 2012 and December 2011
(FOB in Thousand U.S. Dollars)

Commodity Group	2012				2011		Growth Rate	
	December ^p		November ^r		December		(%)	
	FOB Value	% Share	FOB Value	% Share	FOB Value	% Share	Monthly	Annual
Total Imports	5,245,733	100.00	5,139,127	100.00	4,633,316	100.00	2.1	13.2
Capital Goods	1,774,406	33.83	1,382,854	26.91	1,266,018	27.32	28.3	40.2
Power Generating & Specialized Machines	342,741	6.53	326,191	6.35	295,802	6.38	5.1	15.9
Office & EDP Machines	148,995	2.84	138,368	2.69	137,244	2.96	7.7	8.6
Telecommunication Eqpt. & Elect. Mach.	729,516	13.91	663,253	12.91	662,942	14.31	10.0	10.0
Land Transport Eqpt. excl. Passenger Cars & Motorized cycle	100,822	1.92	121,178	2.36	69,640	1.50	(16.8)	44.8
Aircraft, Ships and Boats	399,559	7.62	81,703	1.59	60,109	1.30	389.0	564.7
Prof.Sci.& Cont. Inst., Photographic Eqpt. & Optical Goods	52,773	1.01	52,160	1.01	40,281	0.87	1.2	31.0
Raw Materials & Intermediate Goods	1,857,478	35.41	1,729,271	33.65	1,750,151	37.77	7.4	6.1
Unprocessed Raw Materials	324,786	6.19	152,214	2.96	231,298	4.99	113.4	40.4
Wheat	64,341	1.23	41,625	0.81	141,655	3.06	54.6	(54.6)
Corn	2,206	0.04	7,220	0.14	7,897	0.17	(69.4)	(72.1)
Unmilled cereals excl. rice & corn	1,379	0.03	966	0.02	1,420	0.03	42.8	(2.9)
Crude materials, inedible	251,648	4.80	96,249	1.87	72,835	1.57	161.5	245.5
Pulp & waste paper	2,696	0.05	2,682	0.05	3,078	0.07	0.5	(12.4)
Cotton	959	0.02	659	0.01	1,196	0.03	45.5	(19.8)
Syn. Fibers	7,079	0.13	4,852	0.09	9,290	0.20	45.9	(23.8)
Metalliferous ores	194,692	3.71	39,697	0.77	23,022	0.50	390.4	745.7
Others	46,222	0.88	48,359	0.94	36,249	0.78	(4.4)	27.5
Tobacco, unmanufactured	5,212	0.10	6,155	0.12	7,492	0.16	(15.3)	(30.4)
Semi-Processed Raw Materials	1,532,692	29.22	1,577,057	30.69	1,518,853	32.78	(2.8)	0.9
Feeding stuffs for animals	115,549	2.20	111,048	2.16	66,123	1.43	4.1	74.7
Animal & vegetable oils & fats	17,316	0.33	20,172	0.39	52,797	1.14	(14.2)	(67.2)
Chemical	474,196	9.04	498,878	9.71	476,657	10.29	(4.9)	(0.5)
Chemical compounds	98,928	1.89	119,634	2.33	117,422	2.53	(17.3)	(15.8)
Medicinal & pharmaceutical chem.	114,362	2.18	80,083	1.56	65,252	1.41	42.8	75.3
Urea	13,568	0.26	35,733	0.70	35,891	0.77	(62.0)	(62.2)
Fertilizer excl. urea	18,553	0.35	27,506	0.54	22,252	0.48	(32.5)	(16.6)
Artificial resins	101,189	1.93	108,830	2.12	125,991	2.72	(7.0)	(19.7)
Others	127,596	2.43	127,091	2.47	109,848	2.37	0.4	16.2
Manufactured goods	446,704	8.52	401,881	7.82	408,957	8.83	11.2	9.2
Paper & paper products	53,049	1.01	58,868	1.15	54,393	1.17	(9.9)	(2.5)
Textile yarn, fabrics & made-up articles	55,289	1.05	59,991	1.17	56,203	1.21	(7.8)	(1.6)
Non-metallic mineral manufactures	53,251	1.02	45,209	0.88	41,548	0.90	17.8	28.2
Iron & steel	128,759	2.45	85,401	1.66	112,179	2.42	50.8	14.8
Non-ferrous metals	47,191	0.90	53,851	1.05	47,379	1.02	(12.4)	(0.4)
Metal products	68,591	1.31	61,887	1.20	61,656	1.33	10.8	11.2
Others	40,576	0.77	36,675	0.71	35,600	0.77	10.6	14.0
Embroideries	8,190	0.16	13,794	0.27	4,517	0.10	(40.6)	81.3
Mat/Acc for the mfr. of elect. eqpt.	470,738	8.97	512,131	9.97	509,803	11.00	(8.1)	(7.7)
Iron ore, not agglomerated	-	-	19,154	0.37	-	-	-	-
Mineral Fuels, Lubricant & Related Materials	880,830	16.79	1,255,959	24.44	1,049,471	22.65	(29.9)	(16.1)
Coal, Coke	58,457	1.11	50,287	0.98	50,817	1.10	16.2	15.0
Petroleum crude	477,248	9.10	862,987	16.79	589,833	12.73	(44.7)	(19.1)
Others	345,125	6.58	342,686	6.67	408,820	8.82	0.7	(15.6)
Consumer Goods	688,319	13.12	724,988	14.11	497,934	10.75	(5.1)	38.2
Durable	341,149	6.50	386,426	7.52	226,854	4.90	(11.7)	50.4
Passenger cars & motorized cycle	198,020	3.77	199,132	3.87	109,791	2.37	(0.6)	80.4
Home appliances	33,556	0.64	39,145	0.76	22,673	0.49	(14.3)	48.0
Misc. manufactures	109,573	2.09	148,149	2.88	94,390	2.04	(26.0)	16.1
Non-Durable	347,170	6.62	338,562	6.59	271,080	5.85	2.5	28.1
Food & live animals chiefly for food	318,034	6.06	308,485	6.00	247,055	5.33	3.1	28.7
Dairy products	59,170	1.13	54,805	1.07	45,484	0.98	8.0	30.1
Fish & fish preparation	21,568	0.41	18,050	0.35	10,516	0.23	19.5	105.1
Rice	9,416	0.18	10,049	0.20	1,265	0.03	(6.3)	644.5
Fruits & vegetables	60,034	1.14	40,791	0.79	58,134	1.25	47.2	3.3
Others	167,846	3.20	184,789	3.60	131,656	2.84	(9.2)	27.5
Beverages & tobacco mfture.	6,352	0.12	10,085	0.20	8,634	0.19	(37.0)	(26.4)
Articles of apparel, access.	22,784	0.43	19,992	0.39	15,391	0.33	14.0	48.0
Special Transactions	44,699	0.85	46,055	0.90	69,742	1.51	(2.9)	(35.9)
Articles temporarily imported & exported	18,319	0.35	15,154	0.29	22,667	0.49	20.9	(19.2)
Others	26,380	0.50	30,901	0.60	47,075	1.02	(14.6)	(44.0)

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

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