

Table 2a Philippine Imports from all Countries
January to February 2009 and 2008
(F.O.B. Value in U.S. Dollars)

Commodity Group	2009 Jan-Feb	2008 Jan-Feb	Growth Rate
Total	6,328,718,607	9,484,459,898	(33.27)
1 Electronic Products 1/	2,382,390,772	4,189,201,711	(43.13)
2 Mineral Fuels, Lubricants and Related Materials	905,841,091	1,873,862,523	(51.66)
3 Office and EDP Machines	676,048	981,290	(31.11)
4 Telecommunication Equipment and Electrical Machinery 2/	94,737,259	157,216,336	(39.74)
5 Industrial Machinery and Equipment	287,240,574	337,303,458	(14.84)
6 Transport Equipment	393,414,701	362,063,143	8.66
7 Textile Yarn, Fabrics, Made-Up Articles and Related Products 3/	91,075,994	128,290,862	(29.01)
8 Cereals and Cereal Preparations	266,923,003	218,332,778	22.26
9 Organic and Inorganic Chemical	163,616,957	198,881,003	(17.73)
10 Plastics in Primary and Non-Primary Forms	118,562,519	191,905,747	(38.22)
11 Iron and Steel	142,948,091	204,173,100	(29.99)
12 Dairy Products	75,876,085	144,499,505	(47.49)
13 Chemical Materials and Products, n.e.s.	76,753,594	84,302,986	(8.96)
14 Medicinal and Pharmaceutical Products	121,091,907	100,225,653	20.82
15 Non-Ferrous Metal	47,399,553	84,627,761	(43.99)
16 Miscellaneous Manufactured Articles	62,935,825	71,246,281	(11.66)
17 Feeding Stuff For Animals (Not Including Unmilled Cereals)	80,224,689	100,829,871	(20.44)
18 Paper and Paper Products	68,196,950	78,194,971	(12.79)
19 Professional, scientific and controlling instruments; photographic and optical goods, n.e.s., watches and clocks	48,221,034	54,304,113	(11.20)
20 Power Generating and Specialized Machinery	47,189,485	41,605,555	13.42
21 Metal Products	58,984,228	55,682,147	5.93
22 Dyeing, Tanning and Coloring Materials	37,469,262	35,704,304	4.94
23 Non-Metallic Mineral Manufactures	35,602,744	39,059,562	(8.85)
24 Fertilizers, Manufactured	59,604,417	74,977,903	(20.50)
25 Rubber Manufacture	18,793,173	23,525,215	(20.11)
26 Textiles Fiber & Their Waste	11,526,449	15,759,977	(26.86)
27 Metalliferous Ores and Metal Scrap	102,362,158	54,935,546	86.33
28 Others	529,060,045	562,766,597	(5.99)

Source: **Foreign Trade Statistics Section**
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Notes: 1 Includes consigned and direct importation using the expanded coverage of electronic products
2 Includes telecommunications and sound recording and reproducing apparatus and equipment
3 Includes consigned and direct importation