

Table 3a Philippine Imports by Major Type of Goods
January to February 2009 and 2008
(FOB in U.S. Dollars)

Commodity Group	2009 Jan-Feb	2008 Jan-Feb	Growth Rate (%)
Total Imports	6,328,718,607	9,484,459,898	(33.27)
Capital Goods	1,686,558,825	2,730,877,566	(38.24)
Power Generating & Specialized Machines	337,305,071	381,730,509	(11.64)
Office & EDP Machines	263,510,798	503,589,465	(47.67)
Telecommunication Eqpt. & Elect. Mach.	792,464,764	1,582,779,037	(49.93)
Land transport equipment excluding passenger Cars motorized cycle	76,523,449	94,036,350	(18.62)
Aircraft, Ships and Boats	151,071,270	92,602,713	63.14
Prof.Sci.& Cont. Inst., Photographic Eqpt. & Optical Goods	65,683,473	76,139,492	(13.73)
Raw Materials & Intermediate Goods	2,934,196,799	3,965,251,648	(26.00)
Unprocessed Raw Materials	341,740,464	289,287,978	18.13
Wheat	127,600,219	119,117,411	7.12
Corn	12,832,504	1,287,441	896.75
Unmilled cereals excl. rice & corn	1,333,329	2,441,024	(45.38)
Crude materials, inedible	185,161,202	140,937,233	31.38
Pulp & waste paper	7,562,090	10,237,751	(26.14)
Cotton	975,160	3,064,864	(68.18)
Syn. Fibers	8,899,919	11,416,974	(22.05)
Metalliferous ores	102,362,158	54,943,171	86.31
Others	65,361,875	61,274,473	6.67
Tobacco, unmanufactured	14,813,210	25,504,869	(41.92)
Semi-Processed Raw Materials	2,592,456,335	3,675,963,670	(29.48)
Feeding stuffs for animals	80,228,295	100,829,871	(20.43)
Animal & vegetable oils & fats	24,384,713	27,609,856	(11.68)
Chemical	646,735,435	744,455,000	(13.13)
Chemical compounds	163,693,678	198,948,862	(17.72)
Medicinal & pharmaceutical chem.	121,165,679	100,233,370	20.88
Urea	39,647,075	36,863,211	7.55
Fertilizer excl. urea	19,957,342	38,114,692	(47.64)
Artificial resins	118,634,528	191,968,376	(38.20)
Others	183,637,133	178,326,489	2.98
Manufactured goods	462,491,085	607,218,239	(23.83)
Paper & paper products	67,182,938	77,939,852	(13.80)
Textile yarn, fabrics & made-up articles	76,599,716	104,929,117	(27.00)
Non-metallic mineral manufactures	35,810,970	39,321,303	(8.93)
Iron & steel	142,948,091	204,173,100	(29.99)
Non-ferrous metals	47,417,928	84,644,097	(43.98)
Metal products	59,082,262	55,756,336	5.97
Others	33,449,180	40,454,434	(17.32)
Embroideries	15,000,051	24,515,766	(38.81)
Mat/Acc for the mftr. of elect. eqpt.	1,357,710,928	2,154,735,148	(36.99)
Iron ore, not agglomerated	5,905,828	16,599,790	(64.42)
Mineral Fuels, Lubricant & Related Materials	905,841,091	1,873,862,523	(51.66)
Coal, Coke	64,647,533	35,185,738	83.73
Petroleum crude	95,555,844	1,092,922,378	(91.26)
Others	745,637,714	745,754,407	(0.02)
Consumer Goods	732,824,065	788,236,702	(7.03)
Durable	311,604,965	337,009,943	(7.54)
Passenger cars & motorized cycle	167,570,625	177,427,748	(5.56)
Home appliances	44,942,229	48,803,029	(7.91)
Misc. manufactures	99,092,111	110,779,166	(10.55)
Non-Durable	421,219,100	451,226,759	(6.65)
Food & live animals chiefly for food	400,393,422	426,932,348	(6.22)
Dairy products	75,977,272	144,505,475	(47.42)
Fish & fish preparation	16,616,846	20,596,416	(19.32)
Rice	109,738,518	74,507,913	47.28
Fruits & vegetables	40,500,160	32,430,144	24.88
Others	157,560,626	154,892,400	1.72
Beverages & tobacco mfture.	6,043,137	9,281,990	(34.89)
Articles of apparel, access.	14,782,541	15,012,421	(1.53)
Special Transactions	69,297,827	126,231,459	(45.10)

Articles temporarily imported & exported	29,145,420	36,355,850	(19.83)
Others	40,152,407	89,875,609	(55.32)

Source: Foreign Trade Statistics Section
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Note: Components may not add up to total due to rounding.