

**Table 3 Philippine Imports by Major Type of Goods
October and September 2011 and October 2010
(FOB in Thousand U.S. Dollars)**

Commodity Group	2011				2010		Growth Rate (%)	
	October p FOB Value	% Share	September r FOB Value	% Share	October FOB Value	% Share	Monthly	Annual
Total Imports	5,019,394	100.00	5,076,427	100.00	4,904,461	100.00	(1.12)	2.34
Capital Goods	1,399,319	27.88	1,492,145	29.39	1,568,753	31.99	(6.22)	(10.80)
Power generating and specialized machines	328,272	6.54	304,467	6.00	267,289	5.45	7.82	22.82
Office and electronic data processing machines	166,976	3.33	190,199	3.75	170,472	3.48	(12.21)	(2.05)
Telecommunication equipment and electrical machines	696,489	13.88	720,909	14.20	865,634	17.65	(3.39)	(19.54)
Land transport equipment excluding passenger cars and motorized cycle	100,294	2.00	108,690	2.14	117,004	2.39	(7.72)	(14.28)
Aircraft, Ships and Boats	61,783	1.23	120,169	2.37	94,877	1.93	(48.59)	(34.88)
Professional scientific and controlling instruments, photographic equipment and optical goods	45,505	0.91	47,711	0.94	53,477	1.09	(4.62)	(14.91)
Raw Materials & Intermediate Goods	1,778,751	35.44	2,028,757	39.96	1,796,964	36.64	(12.32)	(1.01)
Unprocessed Raw Materials	205,050	4.09	316,379	6.23	286,998	5.85	(35.19)	(28.55)
Wheat	61,686	1.23	77,348	1.52	30,440	0.62	(20.25)	102.65
Corn	1,413	0.03	4,373	0.09	1,864	0.04	(67.68)	(24.20)
Unmilled cereals excluding rice and corn	511	0.01	728	0.01	981	0.02	(29.89)	(47.94)
Crude materials, inedible	129,097	2.57	220,815	4.35	244,249	4.98	(41.54)	(47.15)
Pulp & waste paper	19,455	0.39	7,188	0.14	5,329	0.11	170.67	265.10
Cotton	1,776	0.04	1,067	0.02	2,832	0.06	66.37	(37.29)
Syn. Fibers	4,416	0.09	8,106	0.16	6,201	0.13	(45.52)	(28.78)
Metalliferous ores	57,819	1.15	160,488	3.16	189,329	3.86	(63.97)	(69.46)
Others	45,630	0.91	43,965	0.87	40,559	0.83	3.79	12.51
Tobacco, unmanufactured	12,343	0.25	13,115	0.26	9,464	0.19	(5.88)	30.43
Semi-Processed Raw Materials	1,573,701	31.35	1,712,379	33.73	1,509,966	30.79	(8.10)	4.22
Feeding stuffs for animals	74,168	1.48	83,710	1.65	44,052	0.90	(11.40)	68.37
Animal & vegetable oils & fats	43,131	0.86	40,758	0.80	22,286	0.45	5.82	93.54
Chemical	514,560	10.25	512,072	10.09	497,197	10.14	0.49	3.49
Chemical compounds	122,527	2.44	150,442	2.96	143,382	2.92	(18.56)	(14.54)
Medicinal & pharmaceutical chemicals	78,254	1.56	73,159	1.44	71,704	1.46	6.96	9.13
Urea	18,930	0.38	3,498	0.07	8,382	0.17	441.19	125.83
Fertilizer excl. urea	28,148	0.56	11,545	0.23	7,586	0.15	143.82	271.07
Artificial resins	123,819	2.47	140,260	2.76	121,247	2.47	(11.72)	2.12
Others	142,882	2.85	133,168	2.62	144,895	2.95	7.29	(1.39)
Manufactured goods	472,841	9.42	456,164	8.99	392,351	8.00	3.66	20.51
Paper & paper products	62,060	1.24	60,778	1.20	57,409	1.17	2.11	8.10
Textile yarn, fabrics and made-up articles	63,691	1.27	68,534	1.35	49,623	1.01	(7.07)	28.35
Non-metallic mineral manufactures	34,271	0.68	32,782	0.65	35,266	0.72	4.54	(2.82)
Iron & steel	132,895	2.65	121,110	2.39	95,889	1.96	9.73	38.59
Non-ferrous metals	77,446	1.54	79,391	1.56	66,315	1.35	(2.45)	16.79
Metal products	63,290	1.26	53,105	1.05	49,454	1.01	19.18	27.98
Others	39,187	0.78	40,463	0.80	38,395	0.78	(3.15)	2.06
Embroideries	7,686	0.15	6,521	0.13	5,627	0.11	17.87	36.59
Materials/Accessories for the manufacture of electrical equipment	407,868	8.13	571,183	11.25	548,453	11.18	(28.59)	(25.63)
Iron ore, not agglomerated	53,447	1.06	41,972	0.83	-	-	27.34	-
Mineral Fuels, Lubricant & Related Materials	1,159,248	23.10	882,949	17.39	902,822	18.41	31.29	28.40
Coal, Coke	42,471	0.85	49,860	0.98	44,757	0.91	(14.82)	(5.11)
Petroleum crude	659,528	13.14	536,218	10.56	616,698	12.57	23.00	6.94
Others	457,249	9.11	296,872	5.85	241,367	4.92	54.02	89.44
Consumer Goods	617,929	12.31	598,211	11.78	561,334	11.45	3.30	10.08
Durable	341,010	6.79	309,030	6.09	279,496	5.70	10.35	22.01
Passenger cars & motorized cycle	175,610	3.50	172,023	3.39	159,888	3.26	2.09	9.83
Home appliances	41,017	0.82	34,589	0.68	27,071	0.55	18.58	51.51
Misc. manufactures	124,384	2.48	102,418	2.02	92,536	1.89	21.45	34.42
Non-Durable	276,919	5.52	289,182	5.70	281,838	5.75	(4.24)	(1.75)
Food & live animals chiefly for food	250,576	4.99	262,889	5.18	262,480	5.35	(4.68)	(4.54)
Dairy products	67,035	1.34	63,411	1.25	61,711	1.26	5.72	8.63
Fish & fish preparation	9,844	0.20	10,807	0.21	10,363	0.21	(8.91)	(5.01)

Rice	5,097	0.10	19,984	0.39	1,850	0.04	(74.49)	175.57
Fruits & vegetables	21,607	0.43	20,628	0.41	23,987	0.49	4.75	(9.92)
Others	146,992	2.93	148,058	2.92	164,570	3.36	(0.72)	(10.68)
Beverages & tobacco mfture.	8,815	0.18	7,212	0.14	9,119	0.19	22.22	(3.33)
Articles of apparel, access.	17,528	0.35	19,080	0.38	10,240	0.21	(8.14)	71.17
Special Transactions	64,147	1.28	74,364	1.46	74,588	1.52	(13.74)	(14.00)
Articles temporarily imported & exported	17,497	0.35	20,226	0.40	22,718	0.46	(13.49)	(22.98)
Others	46,650	0.93	54,138	1.07	51,871	1.06	(13.83)	(10.06)

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