

TABLE 1. PHILIPPINE EXPORTS TO ALL COUNTRIES

MARCH, FEBRUARY 1997 AND MARCH 1996

(F.O.B. Value in Million U.S. Dollars)

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COMMODITY	1997		1996		GROWTH RATES (%)	
	MAR	FEB	MAR	MONTHLY	ANNUAL	
TOTAL	1,996.37	1,812.42	1,670.60	10.15	19.50	
1. Electronics and Components	860.94	760.41	657.98	13.22	30.85	
(a) Micro-circuits	157.69	153.38	133.13	2.81	18.45	
(b) Semi-conductor	511.35	407.52	374.03	25.48	36.71	
(c) Others	191.90	199.51	150.82	-3.81	27.24	
2. Articles of Apparel and Clothing Accessories	193.37	182.39	196.20	6.02	-1.44	
3. Input/Output/Pheripheral U	126.06	126.80	20.51	-0.58	514.63	
4. Ignition Wiring Set & Other Wiring Sets Used in Vehicles, Aircrafts and Ships	45.29	44.89	36.20	0.89	25.11	
5. Woodcraft and Furniture	41.89	39.38	36.94	6.37	13.40	

6. Coconut Oil	1/	33.04	45.34	54.45	-27.13	-39.32
7. Other Products Manufactured						
from Materials Imported on						
Consignment Basis						
		32.16	33.31	33.16	-3.45	-3.02
8. Metal Components		24.07	21.94	22.58	9.71	6.60
9. Cathodes & Sections						
of Cathodes,						
of Refined Copper						
		20.81	21.48	42.52	-3.12	-51.06
10. Gold	2/	19.12	17.84	23.86	7.17	-19.87
11. Bananas (Fresh)		19.07	15.53	19.92	22.79	-4.27
12. Petroleum Products	3/	16.14	22.63	24.45	-28.68	-33.99
13. Tuna	4/	14.39	14.53	9.67	-0.96	48.81
14. Footwear		13.80	15.76	11.57	-12.44	19.27
15. Seaweeds and Carageenan		13.22	7.65	9.42	72.81	40.34
16. Pineapple & Pineapple Prod		12.40	9.69	12.00	27.97	3.33
17. Shrimps and Prawns, Fresh,						
Chilled or Frozen						
		11.49	9.27	17.22	23.95	-33.28

18. Transmission Apparatus with Reception for Radiotelephony, etc.	10.61	9.18	12.20	15.58	-13.03	
19. Basketwork	8.01	8.06	9.23	-0.62	-13.22	
20. Processed Tropical Fruits	7.80	5.25	6.29	48.57	24.01	
21. Fertilizers, Manufactured	7.32	1.45	8.22	404.83	-10.95	
22. Iron Ore Agglomerates	6.63	6.42	4.96	3.27	33.67	
23. Desiccated Coconut	6.51	8.31	5.49	-21.66	18.58	
24. Ceramic Tiles & Decor	5.73	4.52	5.42	26.77	5.72	
25. Sugar	5.11	3.70	0.00	38.11	0.00	
26. Christmas Lights & Decor	4.67	3.85	6.38	21.30	-26.80	
27. Copra-Oil Cake or Meal	4.22	4.20	3.59	0.48	17.55	
28. Copper Concentrates	3.81	3.92	12.30	-2.81	-69.02	
29. Activated Carbon	3.06	2.84	2.89	7.75	5.88	
30 Unmanufactured Tobacco	2.91	0.95	1.92	206.32	51.56	

31. Fine Jewelry	0.38	0.57	0.34	-33.33	11.76
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32. Others	422.34	360.36	362.72	17.20	16.44
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1/ Includes crude and refined

2/ Extracted from copper ores and concentrates

3/ Includes refined petroleum products, manufactures from
oil imported on consignment basis

4/ Includes fresh, frozen, prepared or preserved in airtight containers

Note: Growth rates were computed from actual values

Source: === NATIONAL STATISTICS OFFICE

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