

PHILIPPINE IMPORTS FROM ALL COUNTRIES
AUGUST AND JULY 2000 AND AUGUST 1999
(F.O.B. Value in Million U.S. Dollars)

Commodity			2000		1999
Growth Rates (%)			August	July	
August	Monthly	Annual			
TOTAL			2,642.71	2,676.28	
2,661.46	(1.25)	(0.70)			
1	Electronics Components 1/		505.55	464.62	
687.94	8.81	(26.51)			
2	Telecommunication Equipment		280.41	281.42	
184.96	(0.36)	51.60			
	and Electrical Machinery 2/				
3	Mineral Fuels, Lubricants		275.81	401.81	
219.35	(31.36)	25.74			
	and Related Materials				
4	Industrial Machinery and Equipment		162.26	166.93	
168.07	(2.79)	(3.45)			
5	Office and EDP Machines		153.97	138.48	
131.43	11.19	17.15			
6	Transport Equipment		121.34	93.77	
93.17	29.40	30.24			
7	Materials/Accessories Imported		109.49	123.91	
138.15	(11.63)	(20.75)			
	on Consignment Basis for the				
	Manufacture of Other Electrical				
	and Electronic Machinery and Equipment				
8	Textile Yarn, Fabrics, Made-Up		89.43	85.47	
99.11	4.64	(9.76)			
	Articles and Related Products 1/				
9	Power Generating and Specialized Machinery		85.53	27.83	
32.85	207.37	160.39			
10	Iron and Steel		70.70	86.35	
62.33	(18.12)	13.43			
11	Plastics In Primary and Non-Primary Forms		62.66	61.92	
50.79	1.19	23.37			
12	Organic and Inorganic Chemical		56.95	64.48	
52.16	(11.67)	9.18			
13	Cereals and Cereal Preparations		40.79	63.03	
54.92	(35.28)	(25.73)			
14	Dairy Products		37.65	30.09	
24.71	25.13	52.33			
15	Miscellaneous Manufactured Articles		36.27	30.36	
43.84	19.48	(17.27)			
16	Non-Ferrous Metal		34.39	32.23	
29.91	6.71	14.96			
17	Medicinal and Pharmaceutical Products		33.26	25.93	
33.52	28.28	(0.75)			
18	Professional, Scientific and Controlling		31.12	37.58	
30.58	(17.20)	1.76			
	Instruments; Photographic and Optical				
	Goods, n.e.s.; Watches and Clocks				
19	Metalliferous Ores and Metal Scrap		30.98	30.92	
32.56	0.22	(4.84)			
20	Feeding Stuff For Animals		29.51	23.67	
20.23	24.66	45.85			
	(Not Including Unmilled Cereals)				
21	Paper and Paper Products		29.16	32.72	
28.31	(10.88)	3.01			
22	Chemical Materials and Products, n.e.s.		28.45	26.29	
33.81	8.22	(15.85)			
23	Non-Metallic Mineral Manufactures		25.58	22.66	
12.85	12.89	99.14			
24	Metal Products		23.15	23.74	
29.01	(2.47)	(20.19)			
25	Dyeing, Tanning and Coloring Materials		14.67	18.57	
15.76	(20.98)	(6.89)			
26	Textiles Fiber & Their Waste		12.66	14.04	
14.05	(9.82)	(9.85)			
27	Rubber Manufacture		11.87	10.45	
10.13	13.52	17.11			
28	Fertilizers, Manufactured		11.59	19.88	
10.94	(41.70)	5.98			
29	Others		237.49	237.14	
316.03	0.15	(24.85)			

1/ includes on consignment and not on consignment
2/ includes telecommunications and sound recording and reproducing apparatus and equipment

Source: Trade Statistics Division
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