

Philippine Exports Performance by Country: September 1997 & 1996

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

| Country | 1997 | | 1996 | | 1997 | | 1996 | |
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| | Jan-Sept | % Share | Sept | % Share | Jan-Sept | % Share | Sept | % Share |
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| Total | 18,362.35 | 100.00 | 2,337.15 | 100.00 | 14,925.65 | 100.00 | 1,875.57 | 100.00 |
| 1. United States of America 1/ | 6,458.28 | 35.17 | 835.07 | 35.73 | 5,089.39 | 34.10 | 638.00 | 34.02 |
| 2. Japan 2/ | 3,109.30 | 16.93 | 375.68 | 16.07 | 2,668.26 | 17.88 | 361.93 | 19.30 |
| 3. Hongkong | 864.13 | 4.71 | 161.73 | 6.92 | 617.17 | 4.13 | 63.32 | 3.38 |
| 4. Singapore | 1,180.12 | 6.43 | 140.75 | 6.02 | 904.07 | 6.06 | 94.79 | 5.05 |
| 5. Netherlands | 1,164.42 | 6.34 | 123.32 | 5.28 | 721.44 | 4.83 | 135.70 | 7.24 |

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| 6. Taiwan | 789.68 | 4.30 | 122.76 | 5.25 | 455.78 | 3.05 | 70.99 | 3.78 |
| 7. United Kingdom of Great Britain | 755.27 | 4.11 | 119.77 | 5.12 | 734.81 | 4.92 | 70.76 | 3.77 |
| 8. Germany | 762.70 | 4.15 | 89.98 | 3.85 | 650.64 | 4.36 | 69.48 | 3.70 |
| 9. Malaysia 3/ | 440.29 | 2.40 | 59.74 | 2.56 | 458.91 | 3.07 | 72.53 | 3.87 |
| 10. Thailand | 663.99 | 3.62 | 57.44 | 2.46 | 586.23 | 3.93 | 53.32 | 2.84 |
| 11. Others | 2,174.17 | 11.84 | 250.91 | 10.74 | 2,038.95 | 13.66 | 244.75 | 13.05 |

* Based on September 1997 ranking

1/ includes Alaska and Hawaii

2/ includes Okinawa

3/ includes Sabah and Sarawak

Note: Components may not add up to total due to rounding

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