

TABLE 2. PHILIPPINE IMPORTS FROM ALL COUNTRIES
AUGUST AND JULY 2002 AND AUGUST 2001
(F.O.B. Value in Million U.S. Dollars)

Commodity	2002				2001		Growth Rates (%)	
	August	% share	July	% share	August	% share	Monthly	Annual
TOTAL	3,163.61	100.00	3,022.57	100.00	2,584.22	100.00	4.67	22.42
1 Electronics Components 1/	967.71	30.59	777.80	25.73	516.21	19.98	24.42	87.47
2 Office and EDP Machines	312.82	9.89	308.63	10.21	179.87	6.96	1.36	73.92
3 Mineral Fuels, Lubricants and Related Materials	230.57	7.29	360.51	11.93	319.12	12.35	(36.04)	(27.75)
4 Telecommunication Equipment and Electrical Machinery 2/	211.52	6.69	232.45	7.69	268.71	10.40	(9.00)	(21.28)
5 Industrial Machinery and Equipment	157.48	4.98	122.61	4.06	125.22	4.85	28.44	25.77
6 Iron and Steel	114.74	3.63	77.90	2.58	78.67	3.04	47.29	45.85
7 Transport Equipment	103.80	3.28	116.97	3.87	88.59	3.43	(11.26)	17.17
8 Textile Yarn, Fabrics, Made-Up Articles and Related Products 1/	99.84	3.16	113.74	3.76	93.08	3.60	(12.23)	7.26
9 Materials/Accessories Imported On Consignment Basis for the Manufacture of Other Electrical and Electronic Machinery and Equipment	95.65	3.02	77.13	2.55	108.51	4.20	24.01	(11.85)
10 Cereals and Cereal Preparations	72.22	2.28	78.40	2.59	50.11	1.94	(7.89)	44.11
Top 10 Imports Total	2,366.35	74.80	2,266.15	74.97	1,828.08	70.74	4.42	29.44
11 Plastics in Primary and Non-Primary Forms	58.43	1.85	54.81	1.81	52.85	2.05	6.60	10.54
12 Organic and Inorganic Chemical	53.75	1.70	55.20	1.83	61.26	2.37	(2.64)	(12.26)
13 Miscellaneous Manufactured Articles	34.95	1.10	37.35	1.24	31.32	1.21	(6.41)	11.61
14 Power Generating and Specialized Machinery	33.46	1.06	21.25	0.70	34.04	1.32	57.44	(1.72)
15 Non-Ferrous Metal	33.32	1.05	32.24	1.07	30.42	1.18	3.33	9.53
16 Chemical Materials and Products, n.e.s.	33.30	1.05	34.98	1.16	32.27	1.25	(4.80)	3.20
17 Paper and Paper Products	31.74	1.00	28.45	0.94	24.70	0.96	11.58	28.54
18 Metal Products	31.56	1.00	26.21	0.87	23.74	0.92	20.41	32.93
19 Professional, Scientific and Controlling Instruments; Photographic and Optical Goods, n.e.s.; Watches and Clocks	31.51	1.00	29.05	0.96	28.67	1.11	8.47	9.89
20 Medicinal and Pharmaceutical Products	31.22	0.99	32.08	1.06	29.45	1.14	(2.70)	6.01
21 Dairy Products	29.66	0.94	25.12	0.83	38.82	1.50	18.10	(23.58)
22 Feeding Stuff For Animals (Not Including Unmilled Cereals)	22.43	0.71	33.91	1.12	23.41	0.91	(33.85)	(4.17)
23 Dyeing, Tanning and Coloring Materials	13.63	0.43	13.31	0.44	13.28	0.51	2.37	2.58
24 Non-Metallic Mineral Manufactures	13.30	0.42	12.22	0.40	18.13	0.70	8.85	(26.63)
25 Textiles Fiber & Their Waste	11.12	0.35	11.31	0.37	12.85	0.50	(1.71)	(13.47)
26 Fertilizers, Manufactured	10.82	0.34	15.47	0.51	11.90	0.46	(30.06)	(9.02)
27 Metalliferous Ores and Metal Scrap	10.07	0.32	26.06	0.86	19.40	0.75	(61.35)	(48.07)
28 Rubber Manufacture	9.16	0.29	9.16	0.30	9.77	0.38	0.04	(6.23)
29 Others	303.84	9.60	258.24	8.54	259.88	10.06	17.66	16.91

1/includes on consignment and not on consignment

2/includes telecommunications and sound recording and reproducing
apparatus and equipment

Source: Economic Indices and Indicators Division
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