

TABLE 2a. PHILIPPINE IMPORTS FROM ALL COUNTRIES
JANUARY to SEPTEMBER 2003 AND 2002
(F.O.B. Value in U.S. Dollars)

Commodity Group	2003 January to September	2002 January to September	Growth Rate
TOTAL	27,952,129,767	26,669,126,396	4.81
1 Electronic Products 1/	12,844,530,461	12,820,666,423	0.19
a) Components/Devices (Semiconductors)	9,248,218,403	9,225,155,683	0.25
b) Electronic Data Processing	2,328,892,778	2,362,553,398	(1.42)
c) Office Equipment	71,843,387	63,182,921	13.71
d) Consumer Electronics	434,611,925	377,673,103	15.08
e) Telecommunication	333,294,774	325,331,309	2.45
f) Communication/Radar	337,526,316	377,355,822	(10.55)
g) Control and Instrumentation	62,712,904	50,334,455	24.59
h) Medical/Industrial Instrumentation	18,515,111	32,097,350	(42.32)
i) Automotive Electronics	8,914,863	6,982,382	27.68
2 Mineral Fuels, Lubricants and Related Materials	2,921,106,814	2,427,613,663	20.33
3 Other Office Machines	6,888,698	4,516,286	52.53
4 Telecommunication Equipment and Electrical Machinery 2/	661,314,858	565,087,940	17.03
5 Industrial Machinery and Equipment	1,174,322,218	1,127,834,415	4.12
6 Transport Equipment	1,073,916,597	845,678,544	26.99
7 Textile Yarn, Fabrics, Made-Up Articles and Related Products 1/	785,820,156	846,983,815	(7.22)
8 Cereals and Cereal Preparations	481,016,309	609,574,054	(21.09)
9 Organic and Inorganic Chemical	517,250,498	462,975,246	11.72
10 Plastics in Primary and Non-Primary Form	574,573,650	485,451,602	18.36
11 Iron and Steel	796,665,911	760,992,741	4.69
12 Dairy Products	300,714,098	251,748,259	19.45
13 Chemical Materials and Products, n.e.s.	297,513,194	293,584,626	1.34
14 Medicinal and Pharmaceutical Products	312,428,254	276,861,025	12.85
15 Non-Ferrous Metal	283,894,772	263,649,244	7.68
16 Miscellaneous Manufactured Articles	294,323,231	279,132,533	5.44
17 Feeding Stuff For Animals (Not Including Unmilled Cereals)	216,926,590	260,278,326	(16.66)
18 Paper and Paper Products	277,594,451	245,133,996	13.24
19 Professional, Scientific and Controlling Instruments; Photographic and Optical Goods, n.e.s.; Watches and Clocks	257,917,603	190,416,026	35.45
20 Power Generating and Specialized Machinery	208,645,367	224,937,708	(7.24)
21 Metal Products	261,883,158	216,100,627	21.19
22 Dyeing, Tanning and Coloring Materials	139,967,418	116,783,788	19.85
23 Non-Metallic Mineral Manufactures	118,814,363	126,905,964	(6.38)
24 Fertilizers, Manufactured	148,148,186	123,488,821	19.97
25 Rubber Manufacture	88,341,185	85,667,657	3.12
26 Textiles Fiber & Their Waste	96,935,767	92,775,848	4.48
27 Metalliferous Ores and Metal Scrap	231,636,559	198,485,525	16.70
28 Others	2,579,039,401	2,465,801,694	4.59

Source: Economic Indices and Indicators Division
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Notes: 1 Includes consigned and direct importation using the expanded coverage of electronic products
 2 Includes consigned and direct importation
 3 Includes telecommunications and sound recording and reproducing apparatus and equipment