

TABLE 4. PHILIPPINE IMPORTS PERFORMANCE BY COUNTRY: APRIL 2002 & 2001
(F.O.B. Value in Million U.S. Dollars)

COUNTRY OF ORIGIN	2002				2001				Growth Rate %	
	April	% share	Jan - Apr	% share	April	% share	Jan - Apr	% share	Current	Cummulative
TOTAL	3,223.81	100.00	10,307.87	100.00	2,692.52	100.00	9,962.60	100.00	19.73	3.47
1 Japan 1/	665.04	20.63	2,127.46	20.64	581.73	21.61	2,073.29	20.81	14.32	2.61
2 United States Of America 2/	634.56	19.68	2,071.54	20.10	469.41	17.43	1,712.96	17.19	35.18	20.93
3 Korea, Republic of	327.10	10.15	924.27	8.97	158.50	5.89	590.96	5.93	106.38	56.40
4 Singapore	205.46	6.37	688.13	6.68	154.48	5.74	601.17	6.03	33.01	14.46
5 Taiwan	156.45	4.85	501.94	4.87	140.08	5.20	616.33	6.19	11.69	(18.56)
6 Hongkong	140.75	4.37	466.78	4.53	95.18	3.54	394.62	3.96	47.87	18.28
7 China, People's Republic of	100.81	3.13	333.97	3.24	74.50	2.77	268.46	2.69	35.32	24.40
8 Malaysia 3/	98.68	3.06	343.15	3.33	99.46	3.69	332.97	3.34	(0.78)	3.06
9 Saudi Arabia	91.18	2.83	193.10	1.87	71.10	2.64	358.38	3.60	28.25	(46.12)
10 Iran	86.83	2.69	138.10	1.34	107.64	4.00	266.98	2.68	(19.33)	(48.27)
11 Others	716.93	22.24	2,519.43	24.44	740.45	27.50	2,746.47	27.57	(3.18)	(8.27)

* Based on April 2002 ranking.

1/ includes Okinawa

2/ includes Alaska and Hawaii

3/ includes Sabah and Sarawak

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

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