

Table 2 Philippine Exports by Commodity Group
May and April 2006 and May 2005
(FOB in Thousand U.S. Dollars)

Commodity	2006				2005		Growth Rate	
	FOB Value	May p % share	April r FOB Value	% share	May FOB Value	% share	Monthly Percent	Annual
Total Exports	3,877,270	100.00	3,911,500	100.00	3,304,994	100.00	(0.88)	17.32
Total Agro-Based Products	194,626	5.02	218,511	5.59	188,260	5.70	(10.93)	3.38
Agro-Based Products	150,321	3.88	181,305	4.64	150,936	4.57	(17.09)	(0.41)
Coconut Products	80,112	2.07	94,358	2.41	74,673	2.26	(15.10)	7.28
Copra	a	-	a	-	a	-	-	-
Coconut Oil	65,071	1.68	82,452	2.11	60,236	1.82	(21.08)	8.03
Desiccated Coconut	11,808	0.30	8,507	0.22	11,578	0.35	38.80	1.98
Copra Meal/Cake	2,691	0.07	2,717	0.07	2,369	0.07	(0.95)	13.59
Others	542	0.01	681	0.02	489	0.01	(20.40)	10.81
Sugar and Products	501	0.01	23,580	0.60	17,973	0.54	(97.88)	(97.21)
Centrifugal & Refined	229	0.01	19,677	0.50	16,794	0.51	(98.84)	(98.64)
Molasses	a	-	3,346	0.09	1,025	0.03	-	-
Others	271	0.01	557	0.01	154	0.00	(51.28)	76.41
Fruits and Vegetables	69,708	1.80	63,367	1.62	58,289	1.76	10.01	19.59
Canned Pineapple	6,453	0.17	6,521	0.17	8,362	0.25	(1.04)	(22.83)
Pineapple Juice	1,863	0.05	1,307	0.03	1,356	0.04	42.50	37.39
Pineapple Concentrates	4,113	0.11	3,086	0.08	2,960	0.09	33.26	38.96
Bananas	42,736	1.10	34,272	0.88	30,952	0.94	24.70	38.07
Mangoes	3,442	0.09	4,179	0.11	4,212	0.13	(17.63)	(18.27)
Others	11,101	0.29	14,002	0.36	10,448	0.32	(20.72)	6.25
Other Agro-Based Products	44,305	1.14	37,206	0.95	37,325	1.13	19.08	18.70
Fish, Fresh or Preserved								
Of Which: shrimps and prawns	23,818	0.61	20,113	0.51	19,641	0.59	18.42	21.26
Coffee, Raw, not Roasted	18	0.00	38	0.00	a	-	(53.03)	-
Abaca Fibers	1,041	0.03	805	0.02	1,036	0.03	29.28	0.47
Tobacco Unmanufactured	1,657	0.04	1,327	0.03	1,862	0.06	24.90	(11.00)
Natural Rubber	5,299	0.14	3,811	0.10	2,662	0.08	39.03	99.05
Ramie Fibers, Raw or Roasted	22	0.00	a	-	a	-	-	-
Seaweeds, Dried	3,407	0.09	2,740	0.07	2,538	0.08	24.35	34.25
Rice	a	-	a	-	b	-	-	-
Others	9,043	0.23	8,372	0.21	9,585	0.29	8.02	(5.65)
Forest Products	1,171	0.03	1,308	0.03	2,874	0.09	(10.48)	(59.26)
Logs	a	-	1	0.00	a	-	-	-
Lumber	786	0.02	743	0.02	968	0.03	5.85	(18.79)
Plywood	120	0.00	215	0.01	1,292	0.04	(44.12)	(90.69)
Veneer Sheets/Corestocks	130	0.00	287	0.01	128	0.00	(54.76)	1.50
Others	135	0.00	62	0.00	487	0.01	118.25	(72.31)
Mineral Products	182,033	4.69	166,401	4.25	77,602	2.35	9.39	134.57
Copper Concentrates	4,906	0.13	4,875	0.12	3,396	0.10	0.65	44.47
Copper Metal	106,587	2.75	100,523	2.57	34,687	1.05	6.03	207.29
Gold	3,321	0.09	3,381	0.09	2,121	0.06	(1.80)	56.57
Iron Ore Agglomerates	20,275	0.52	11,533	0.29	12,659	0.38	75.79	60.16
Chromium Ore	444	0.01	62	0.00	101	0.00	618.24	340.99
Nickel	a	-	a	-	a	-	-	-
Others	46,500	1.20	46,027	1.18	24,639	0.75	1.03	88.73
Petroleum Products	53,566	1.38	74,655	1.91	44,141	1.34	(28.25)	21.35
Manufactures	3,357,147	86.59	3,379,968	86.41	2,909,014	88.02	(0.68)	15.40
Electronic Products	2,289,594	59.05	2,531,215	64.71	2,083,109	63.03	(9.55)	9.91
Components/Devices (Semiconductors)	1,723,732	44.46	2,024,181	51.75	1,555,250	47.06	(14.84)	10.83
Electronic Data Processing	424,366	10.94	377,269	9.65	402,053	12.17	12.48	5.55
Office Equipment	22,504	0.58	20,937	0.54	15,467	0.47	7.49	45.50
Consumer Electronics	40,027	1.03	39,463	1.01	47,117	1.43	1.43	(15.05)
Telecommunication	24,302	0.63	17,975	0.46	6,785	0.21	35.20	258.18
Communication/Radar Control and Instrumentation	16,072	0.41	15,127	0.39	28,621	0.87	6.25	(43.85)
Medical/Industrial Instrumentations	511	0.01	705	0.02	2,048	0.06	(27.56)	(75.06)
Automotive Electronics	289	0.01	523	0.01	481	0.01	(44.75)	(39.97)
Other Electronics	37,791	0.97	35,036	0.90	25,287	0.77	7.86	49.45
Garments	157,940	4.07	145,210	3.71	99,362	3.01	8.77	58.95
Textile Yarns/Fabrics	238,610	6.15	153,385	3.92	192,743	5.83	55.56	23.80
Footwear	21,226	0.55	18,613	0.48	23,184	0.70	14.04	(8.44)
Travel Goods and Handbags	3,152	0.08	1,965	0.05	2,256	0.07	60.37	39.75
Wood Manufactures	5,058	0.13	3,026	0.08	2,746	0.08	67.14	84.21
Furniture & Fixtures	55,445	1.43	42,380	1.08	12,254	0.37	30.83	352.48
Chemicals	29,702	0.77	23,634	0.60	25,123	0.76	25.68	18.23
Non-Metallic Mineral Manufactures	64,573	1.67	70,045	1.79	47,041	1.42	(7.81)	37.27
Machinery & Transport Equipment	17,737	0.46	10,103	0.26	14,158	0.43	75.56	25.28
Processed food and Beverages	140,545	3.62	125,227	3.20	167,365	5.06	12.23	(16.02)
Iron & Steel	48,300	1.25	38,318	0.98	46,953	1.42	26.05	2.87
Baby Carr., Toys, Games and sporting goods	22,552	0.58	7,667	0.20	10,739	0.32	194.13	110.00
Basketwork, Wickerwork & Other Articles of plaiting materials	14,561	0.38	9,731	0.25	12,103	0.37	49.64	20.32
Misc.Manufactured Articles, not elsewhere specified	4,130	0.11	4,756	0.12	5,360	0.16	(13.17)	(22.94)
Others	29,252	0.75	25,446	0.65	23,188	0.70	14.96	26.15
Others	214,769	5.54	169,245	4.33	141,332	4.28	26.90	51.96
Special Transactions	88,728	2.29	70,657	1.81	83,102	2.51	25.58	6.77
Re-Export	50,305	1.30	48,095	1.23	71,119	2.15	4.59	(29.27)

Source: Economic Indices and Indicators Division
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Notes: a - No export data
b - less than 1,000
- - No % share / No growth rate
r - Revised
p - Preliminary

Components may not add up to totals due to rounding