

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

Commodity	2006				2005		Growth Rate	
	April p		March r		April		Percent	
	FOB Value	% share	FOB Value	% share	FOB Value	% share	Monthly	Annual
<b>Total Exports</b>	<b>3,851,838</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>4,127,239</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>3,245,697</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>(6.67)</b>	<b>18.68</b>
Total Agro-Based Products	218,482	5.67	195,069	4.73	213,344	6.57	12.00	2.41
Agro-Based Products	181,264	4.71	156,824	3.80	177,945	5.48	15.58	1.86
Coconut Products	94,358	2.45	83,240	2.02	108,753	3.35	13.36	(13.24)
Copra	a	-	a	-	a	-	-	-
Coconut Oil	82,452	2.14	68,401	1.66	92,546	2.85	20.54	(10.91)
Desiccated Coconut	8,507	0.22	12,362	0.30	11,194	0.34	(31.19)	(24.00)
Copra Meal/Cake	2,717	0.07	1,748	0.04	4,215	0.13	55.44	(35.54)
Others	681	0.02	729	0.02	798	0.02	(6.56)	(14.62)
Sugar and Products	23,580	0.61	13,922	0.34	12,880	0.40	69.37	83.07
Centrifugal & Refined	19,677	0.51	13,197	0.32	11,972	0.37	49.11	64.37
Molasses	3,346	0.09	471	0.01	786	0.02	610.37	325.66
Others	557	0.01	254	0.01	123	0.00	119.07	354.10
Fruits and Vegetables	63,325	1.64	59,661	1.45	56,311	1.73	6.14	12.46
Canned Pineapple	6,461	0.17	5,722	0.14	6,911	0.21	12.90	(6.52)
Pineapple Juice	1,307	0.03	1,332	0.03	1,003	0.03	(1.87)	30.36
Pineapple Concentrates	3,086	0.08	2,215	0.05	2,906	0.09	39.37	6.21
Bananas	34,272	0.89	34,099	0.83	30,250	0.93	0.51	13.30
Mangoes	4,179	0.11	2,875	0.07	4,409	0.14	45.38	(5.23)
Others	14,021	0.36	13,418	0.33	10,832	0.33	4.49	29.44
Other Agro-Based Products	37,219	0.97	38,245	0.93	35,399	1.09	(2.68)	5.14
Fish, Fresh or Preserved								
Of Which: shrimps and prawns	20,111	0.52	20,528	0.50	18,264	0.56	(2.03)	10.12
Coffee, Raw, not Roasted	38	0.00	39	0.00	26	0.00	(3.23)	45.59
Abaca Fibers	805	0.02	1,418	0.03	1,253	0.04	(43.19)	(35.72)
Tobacco Unmanufactured	1,327	0.03	2,024	0.05	2,466	0.08	(34.44)	(46.20)
Natural Rubber	3,811	0.10	3,814	0.09	2,144	0.07	(0.06)	77.79
Ramie Fibers, Raw or Roasted	a	-	a	-	10	0.00	-	(100.00)
Seaweeds, Dried	2,734	0.07	2,074	0.05	2,429	0.07	31.85	12.55
Rice	a	-	b	-	a	-	-	-
Others	8,392	0.22	8,349	0.20	8,808	0.27	0.51	(4.72)
<b>Forest Products</b>	<b>1,308</b>	<b>0.03</b>	<b>2,860</b>	<b>0.07</b>	<b>3,276</b>	<b>0.10</b>	<b>(54.27)</b>	<b>(60.07)</b>
Logs	1	0.00	a	-	a	-	-	-
Lumber	743	0.02	2,078	0.05	1,209	0.04	(64.27)	(38.56)
Plywood	215	0.01	544	0.01	1,950	0.06	(60.41)	(88.96)
Veneer Sheets/Corestocks	287	0.01	217	0.01	64	0.00	32.33	345.68
Others	62	0.00	22	0.00	52	0.00	187.20	18.01
<b>Mineral Products</b>	<b>166,470</b>	<b>4.32</b>	<b>91,173</b>	<b>2.21</b>	<b>79,304</b>	<b>2.44</b>	<b>82.59</b>	<b>109.91</b>
Copper Concentrates	4,875	0.13	3,985	0.10	3,325	0.10	22.32	46.59
Copper Metal	100,523	2.61	44,423	1.08	39,998	1.23	126.29	151.32
Gold	3,381	0.09	3,584	0.09	2,194	0.07	(5.64)	54.09
Iron Ore Agglomerates	11,533	0.30	13,602	0.33	11,912	0.37	(15.21)	(3.18)
Chromium Ore	62	0.00	411	0.01	185	0.01	(84.95)	(66.50)
Nickel	a	-	a	-	a	-	-	-
Others	46,096	1.20	25,169	0.61	21,689	0.67	83.15	112.53
<b>Petroleum Products</b>	<b>74,655</b>	<b>1.94</b>	<b>90,281</b>	<b>2.19</b>	<b>41,651</b>	<b>1.28</b>	<b>(17.31)</b>	<b>79.24</b>
<b>Manufactures</b>	<b>3,319,329</b>	<b>86.18</b>	<b>3,678,112</b>	<b>89.12</b>	<b>2,842,899</b>	<b>87.59</b>	<b>(9.75)</b>	<b>16.76</b>
Electronic Products	2,510,794	65.18	2,719,141	65.88	2,097,465	64.62	(7.66)	19.71
Components/Devices (Semiconductors)	2,005,484	52.07	2,099,521	50.87	1,548,026	47.69	(4.48)	29.55
Electronic Data Processing	376,374	9.77	454,122	11.00	428,008	13.19	(17.12)	(12.06)
Office Equipment	20,937	0.54	22,463	0.54	12,759	0.39	(6.80)	64.09
Consumer Electronics	38,617	1.00	46,211	1.12	47,432	1.46	(16.43)	(18.58)
Telecommunication	17,975	0.47	21,859	0.53	6,406	0.20	(17.77)	180.58
Communication/Radar Control and Instrumentation	15,127	0.39	18,003	0.44	17,316	0.53	(15.98)	(12.64)
Medical/Industrial Instrumentations	704	0.02	620	0.02	1,504	0.05	13.44	(53.18)
Automotive Electronics	540	0.01	777	0.02	426	0.01	(30.57)	26.60
Other Electronics	35,036	0.91	55,564	1.35	35,588	1.10	(36.94)	(1.55)
Garments	145,261	3.77	170,174	4.12	108,602	3.35	(14.64)	33.76
Textile Yarns/Fabrics	153,435	3.98	194,295	4.71	128,677	3.96	(21.03)	19.24
Footwear	18,673	0.48	19,620	0.48	23,784	0.73	(4.82)	(21.49)
Travel Goods and Handbags	2,140	0.06	2,797	0.07	2,605	0.08	(23.52)	(17.86)
Wood Manufactures	2,843	0.07	4,897	0.12	1,649	0.05	(41.95)	72.35
Furniture & Fixtures	42,340	1.10	21,682	0.53	10,044	0.31	95.28	321.54
Chemicals	23,632	0.61	24,294	0.59	26,600	0.82	(2.72)	(11.16)
Non-Metallic Mineral Manufactures	70,088	1.82	67,188	1.63	42,495	1.31	4.32	64.93
Machinery & Transport Equipment	10,103	0.26	15,508	0.38	12,907	0.40	(34.85)	(21.73)
Processed food and Beverages	125,142	3.25	149,185	3.61	152,402	4.70	(16.12)	(17.89)
Iron & Steel	38,522	1.00	44,750	1.08	40,882	1.26	(13.92)	(5.77)
Baby Carr., Toys, Games and sporting goods	7,641	0.20	13,170	0.32	13,680	0.42	(41.98)	(44.15)
Basketwork, Wickerwork & Other Articles of plaiting materials	9,731	0.25	9,445	0.23	10,183	0.31	3.03	(4.44)
Misc.Manufactured Articles, not elsewhere specified	4,767	0.12	5,939	0.14	5,181	0.16	(19.72)	(7.99)
Others	25,405	0.66	32,800	0.79	22,976	0.71	(22.55)	10.57
Others	128,812	3.34	183,229	4.44	142,765	4.40	(29.70)	(9.77)
<b>Special Transactions</b>	<b>71,594</b>	<b>1.86</b>	<b>69,743</b>	<b>1.69</b>	<b>65,223</b>	<b>2.01</b>	<b>2.66</b>	<b>9.77</b>
<b>Re-Export</b>	<b>48,095</b>	<b>1.25</b>	<b>50,718</b>	<b>1.23</b>	<b>47,205</b>	<b>1.45</b>	<b>(5.17)</b>	<b>1.89</b>

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