

Table 2 Philippine Imports from All Countries
October and September 2009 and October 2008
(F.O.B. Value in Million U.S. Dollars)

Commodity	2009				2008		Growth Rates	
	October p	Percent Share	September r	Percent Share	October	Percent Share	Monthly	Annual
Total	3,808.28	100.00	3,669.91	100.00	4,577.74	100.00	3.77	(16.81)
1 Electronic Products 1/	1,430.94	37.57	1,330.50	36.25	1,613.75	35.25	7.55	(11.33)
a) Components/Devices (Semiconductors)	1,062.87	27.91	980.78	26.72	1,220.68	26.67	8.37	(12.93)
b) Electronic Data Processing	223.60	5.87	216.25	5.89	229.66	5.02	3.40	(2.64)
c) Office Equipment	6.42	0.17	7.98	0.22	8.79	0.19	(19.55)	(26.95)
d) Consumer Electronics	38.49	1.01	26.78	0.73	38.73	0.85	43.72	(0.63)
e) Telecommunication	75.51	1.98	72.12	1.97	76.45	1.67	4.70	(1.24)
f) Communication/Radar	9.09	0.24	11.84	0.32	17.45	0.38	(23.24)	(47.93)
g) Control and Instrumentation	9.31	0.24	9.01	0.25	11.59	0.25	3.36	(19.68)
h) Medical/Industrial Instrumentation	3.61	0.09	4.14	0.11	7.01	0.15	(12.96)	(48.53)
i) Automotive Electronics	2.04	0.05	1.59	0.04	3.38	0.07	28.81	(39.54)
2 Mineral Fuels, Lubricants and Related Materials	607.92	15.96	681.73	18.58	905.42	19.78	(10.83)	(32.86)
3 Transport Equipment	194.49	5.11	221.36	6.03	303.35	6.63	(12.14)	(35.89)
4 Industrial Machinery and Equipment	162.79	4.27	127.26	3.47	194.36	4.25	27.92	(16.24)
5 Iron and Steel	103.88	2.73	80.58	2.20	110.90	2.42	28.91	(6.33)
6 Organic and Inorganic Chemicals	101.62	2.67	88.17	2.40	112.91	2.47	15.25	(10.00)
7 Telecommunication Equipment and Electrical Machinery 2/	81.03	2.13	89.54	2.44	88.25	1.93	(9.50)	(8.18)
8 Cereals and Cereal Preparations	77.48	2.03	69.70	1.90	84.41	1.84	11.16	(8.20)
9 Plastics in Primary and Non-Primary Forms	76.24	2.00	68.85	1.88	94.36	2.06	10.74	(19.20)
10 Metalliferous Ores and Metal Scrap	73.56	1.93	32.38	0.88	35.08	0.77	127.19	109.69
Top 10 Imports Total	2,909.95	76.41	2,790.06	76.03	3,542.80	77.39	4.30	(17.86)
11 Medicinal and Pharmaceutical Products	52.92	1.39	61.46	1.67	58.98	1.29	(13.89)	(10.27)
12 Feeding Stuff For Animals (Not Including Unmilled cereals)	52.74	1.38	59.30	1.62	58.75	1.28	(11.05)	(10.22)
13 Non-Ferrous Metal	51.53	1.35	48.27	1.32	70.93	1.55	6.75	(27.35)
14 Chemical Materials and Products, n.e.s.	49.12	1.29	48.53	1.32	58.85	1.29	1.23	(16.52)
15 Paper and Paper Products	48.97	1.29	45.82	1.25	51.29	1.12	6.87	(4.53)
16 Metal Products	44.57	1.17	35.34	0.96	39.32	0.86	26.14	13.37
17 Dairy Products	44.35	1.16	24.18	0.66	64.41	1.41	83.44	(31.14)
18 Textile Yarn, Fabrics, Made-Up Articles and Related products	42.93	1.13	46.60	1.27	65.08	1.42	(7.89)	(34.04)
19 Miscellaneous Manufactured Articles	39.33	1.03	41.24	1.12	47.99	1.05	(4.63)	(18.05)
20 Fertilizers, Manufactured	28.46	0.75	26.00	0.71	41.78	0.91	9.49	(31.88)
21 Power Generating and Specialized Machine	26.93	0.71	37.33	1.02	20.70	0.45	(27.86)	30.12
22 Professional, scientific and controlling instrument, photographic and optical goods, not elsewhere specified, watches and clocks	25.05	0.66	36.19	0.99	33.92	0.74	(30.79)	(26.15)
23 Dyeing, Tanning and Coloring Materials	23.80	0.63	21.33	0.58	23.74	0.52	11.59	0.26
24 Non-Metallic Mineral Manufactures	22.86	0.60	25.80	0.70	27.72	0.61	(11.40)	(17.54)
25 Rubber Manufacture	13.24	0.35	13.91	0.38	13.47	0.29	(4.84)	(1.71)
26 Textiles Fiber & Their Waste	8.81	0.23	7.80	0.21	7.12	0.16	12.93	23.76
27 Office and EDP Machines	0.35	0.01	0.37	0.01	0.43	0.01	(6.08)	(19.62)
28 Others	322.36	8.46	300.38	8.18	350.47	7.66	7.32	(8.02)

Source: **Foreign Trade Statistics Section**
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Notes: 1 Includes consigned and direct importation using the expanded coverage of electronic products
2 Includes telecommunications and sound recording and reproducing apparatus and equipment
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