

Table 2 Philippine Imports from All Countries
February and January 2006 and February 2005
(F.O.B. Value in Million U.S. Dollars)

Commodity	2006				February	2005 Percent share	Growth Rates (Percent)	
	February	Percent share	January	Percent share			Monthly	Annual
Total	3,357.54	100.00	3,676.99	100.00	3,211.23	100.00	(8.69)	4.56
1 Electronic Products 1/	1,611.54	48.00	1,573.90	42.80	1,629.96	50.76	2.39	(1.13)
2 Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials	524.83	15.63	681.06	18.52	423.66	13.19	(22.94)	23.88
3 Industrial Machinery and Equipment	138.85	4.14	138.80	3.77	120.65	3.76	0.04	15.08
4 Transport Equipment	135.34	4.03	124.55	3.39	81.74	2.55	8.66	65.56
5 Cereals and Cereal Preparations	88.94	2.65	70.19	1.91	64.72	2.02	26.72	37.43
6 Telecommunication Equipment and Electrical Machinery 2/	58.34	1.74	64.02	1.74	65.77	2.05	(8.87)	(11.30)
7 Textile Yarn, Fabrics, Made-Up Articles and related products	57.62	1.72	94.22	2.56	50.39	1.57	(38.85)	14.34
8 Plastics in Primary and Non-Primary Forms	56.41	1.68	73.09	1.99	55.49	1.73	(22.82)	1.65
9 Organic and Inorganic Chemical	52.36	1.56	76.23	2.07	53.03	1.65	(31.31)	(1.25)
10 Iron and Steel	51.56	1.54	80.18	2.18	92.57	2.88	(35.69)	(44.30)
Top 10 Imports Total	2,775.78	82.67	2,976.24	80.94	2,637.99	82.15	(6.74)	5.22
11 Medicinal and Pharmaceutical Products	39.38	1.17	44.88	1.22	35.51	1.11	(12.27)	10.88
12 Non-Ferrous Metal	37.91	1.13	44.72	1.22	29.45	0.92	(15.23)	28.73
13 Miscellaneous Manufactured Articles	32.23	0.96	31.80	0.86	24.91	0.78	1.35	29.39
14 Feeding stuff for animals (not including unmilled cereals)	32.01	0.95	41.56	1.13	19.30	0.60	(22.98)	65.87
15 Dairy Products	31.05	0.92	32.11	0.87	38.34	1.19	(3.30)	(19.02)
16 Professional, scientific and controlling instrument, photographic and optical goods, not elsewhere specified, watches and clocks	30.36	0.90	23.64	0.64	24.13	0.75	28.43	25.78
17 Paper and Paper Products	29.67	0.88	33.14	0.90	28.62	0.89	(10.48)	3.66
18 Chemical materials and products, not elsewhere specified	29.25	0.87	35.59	0.97	30.57	0.95	(17.82)	(4.32)
19 Metal Products	20.32	0.61	27.09	0.74	17.60	0.55	(24.99)	15.47
20 Power Generating and Specialized Mach.	19.15	0.57	22.07	0.60	15.23	0.47	(13.25)	25.76
21 Non-Metallic Mineral Manufactures	14.03	0.42	17.45	0.47	11.90	0.37	(19.60)	17.89
22 Dyeing, Tanning and Coloring Materials	13.33	0.40	15.63	0.43	13.64	0.42	(14.73)	(2.27)
23 Fertilizers, Manufactured	11.77	0.35	12.63	0.34	7.48	0.23	(6.84)	57.38
24 Rubber Manufacture	10.04	0.30	11.15	0.30	8.29	0.26	(9.97)	21.14
25 Textiles Fiber & Their Waste	6.15	0.18	9.83	0.27	12.45	0.39	(37.44)	(50.62)
26 Metalliferous Ores and Metal Scrap	1.22	0.04	51.15	1.39	25.38	0.79	(97.61)	(95.17)
27 Office and EDP Machines	0.28	0.01	0.22	0.01	0.23	0.01	26.66	23.49
28 Others	223.63	6.66	246.09	6.69	230.23	7.17	(9.13)	(2.87)

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 telecommunications and sound recording and reproducing apparatus and equipment