

Table 2a Philippine Imports from all Countries
January to October 2009 and 2008
(F.O.B. Value in U.S. Dollars)

Commodity Group	2009 Jan-Oct	2008 Jan-Oct	Growth Rate
Total	35,485,426,916	49,960,419,695	(28.97)
1 Electronic Products 1/	12,778,459,979	17,605,551,273	(27.42)
a) Components/Devices (Semiconductors)	9,622,935,725	13,652,707,552	(29.52)
b) Electronic Data Processing	1,792,262,346	2,417,475,799	(25.86)
c) Office Equipment	66,685,735	64,352,863	3.63
d) Consumer Electronics	329,178,379	336,845,971	(2.28)
e) Telecommunication	690,767,500	791,539,037	(12.73)
f) Communication/Radar	113,765,345	159,906,093	(28.85)
g) Control and Instrumentation	92,531,873	112,344,353	(17.64)
h) Medical/Industrial Instrumentation	52,386,916	45,793,732	14.40
i) Automotive Electronics	17,946,160	24,585,873	(27.01)
2 Mineral Fuels, Lubricants and Related Materials	5,814,454,720	11,191,519,158	(48.05)
3 Office and EDP Machines	3,684,428	6,137,991	(39.97)
4 Telecommunication Equipment and Electrical Machinery 2/	598,978,409	766,902,835	(21.90)
5 Industrial Machinery and Equipment	1,352,873,095	1,946,705,873	(30.50)
6 Transport Equipment	1,854,210,915	2,368,253,251	(21.71)
7 Textile Yarn, Fabrics, Made-Up Articles and Related Products 3/	474,244,548	686,257,208	(30.89)
8 Cereals and Cereal Preparations	1,738,105,448	2,413,774,645	(27.99)
9 Organic and Inorganic Chemical	973,366,926	1,103,729,765	(11.81)
10 Plastics in Primary and Non-Primary Forms	633,943,266	972,260,224	(34.80)
11 Iron and Steel	762,665,301	1,447,731,842	(47.32)
12 Dairy Products	361,224,321	600,757,471	(39.87)
13 Chemical Materials and Products, n.e.s.	470,214,695	500,492,170	(6.05)
14 Medicinal and Pharmaceutical Products	609,944,067	569,515,964	7.10
15 Non-Ferrous Metal	362,081,156	531,776,208	(31.91)
16 Miscellaneous Manufactured Articles	426,128,409	476,208,524	(10.52)
17 Feeding Stuff For Animals (Not Including Unmilled Cereals)	489,470,166	530,928,279	(7.81)
18 Paper and Paper Products	408,376,591	462,794,817	(11.76)
19 Professional, scientific and controlling instruments; photographic and optical goods,n.e.s., watches and clocks	287,308,719	318,094,560	(9.68)
20 Power Generating and Specialized Machinery	291,891,957	245,683,973	18.81
21 Metal Products	360,740,325	368,858,281	(2.20)
22 Dyeing, Tanning and Coloring Materials	201,462,777	204,001,541	(1.24)
23 Non-Metallic Mineral Manufactures	227,890,539	229,490,791	(0.70)
24 Fertilizers, Manufactured	269,985,582	515,382,917	(47.61)
25 Rubber Manufacture	119,711,015	118,905,146	0.68
26 Textiles Fiber & Their Waste	80,973,339	81,208,683	(0.29)
27 Metalliferous Ores and Metal Scrap	532,643,225	318,817,904	67.07
28 Others	3,000,392,998	3,378,678,401	(11.20)

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
³ Includes consigned and direct importation