

**Table 2a Philippine Imports from all Countries**  
**January to August 2007 and 2006**  
**(F.O.B. Value in U.S. Dollars)**

Commodity Group	2007 Jan-Aug	2006 Jan-Aug	Growth Rate
<b>Total</b>	<b>35,325,424,029</b>	<b>34,043,662,391</b>	<b>3.77</b>
1 Electronic Products 1/	16,050,039,074	15,486,141,142	3.64
2 Mineral Fuels, Lubricants and Related Materials	6,083,527,566	5,690,053,012	6.92
3 Office and EDP Machines	5,333,432	9,635,336	(44.65)
4 Telecommunication Equipment and Electrical Machinery 2/	545,736,430	533,054,641	2.38
5 Industrial Machinery and Equipment	1,309,739,409	1,311,853,037	(0.16)
6 Transport Equipment	1,279,443,286	1,220,016,466	4.87
7 Textile Yarn, Fabrics, Made-Up Articles and Related Products 3/	755,793,549	769,729,926	(1.81)
8 Cereals and Cereal Preparations	745,625,446	831,349,880	(10.31)
9 Organic and Inorganic Chemical	719,753,548	601,367,856	19.69
10 Plastics in Primary and Non-Primary Forms	638,916,744	628,100,405	1.72
11 Iron and Steel	814,474,147	849,603,055	(4.13)
12 Dairy Products	403,658,721	311,187,219	29.72
13 Chemical Materials and Products, n.e.s.	327,393,739	321,370,353	1.87
14 Medicinal and Pharmaceutical Products	396,052,367	356,956,103	10.95
15 Non-Ferrous Metal	424,055,609	420,881,713	0.75
16 Miscellaneous Manufactured Articles	321,652,749	300,494,188	7.04
17 Feeding Stuff For Animals (Not Including Unmilled Cereals)	294,317,355	274,263,422	7.31
18 Paper and Paper Products	316,164,774	302,833,094	4.40
19 Professional, scientific and controlling instruments; photographic and optical goods,n.e.s., watches and clocks	206,822,121	228,698,014	(9.57)
20 Power Generating and Specialized Machinery	187,829,140	169,221,262	11.00
21 Metal Products	316,757,967	249,506,633	26.95
22 Dyeing, Tanning and Coloring Materials	142,759,314	124,914,433	14.29
23 Non-Metallic Mineral Manufactures	141,505,551	131,494,833	7.61
24 Fertilizers, Manufactured	161,204,457	167,305,071	(3.65)
25 Rubber Manufacture	89,293,591	84,333,839	5.88
26 Textiles Fiber & Their Waste	72,931,817	73,834,292	(1.22)
27 Metalliferous Ores and Metal Scrap	239,075,900	247,267,392	(3.31)
28 Others	2,335,566,226	2,348,195,774	(0.54)

Source: **Foreign Trade Statistics Section**  
**Industry and Trade Statistics Department**  
**National Statistics Office**  
**Republic of the Philippines**

Notes: <sup>1</sup> Includes consigned and direct importation using the expanded coverage of electronic products  
<sup>2</sup> Includes telecommunications and sound recording and reproducing apparatus and equipment  
<sup>3</sup> Includes consigned and direct importation