

Table 2a Philippine Imports from all Countries  
January to August 2006 and 2005  
(F.O.B. Value in U.S. Dollars)

Commodity Group	2005	Growth	2006
	Jan-Aug	Rate	Jan-Aug
<b>Total</b>	<b>30,737,314,083</b>	<b>10.15</b>	<b>33,857,874,622</b>
1 Electronic Products 1/	14,644,655,388	5.82	15,496,277,537
2 Mineral Fuels, Lubricants and Related Materials	4,096,827,087	39.56	5,717,555,732
3 Office and EDP Machines	3,889,643	150.45	9,741,699
4 Telecommunication Equipment and Electrical Machinery 2/	557,087,612	(11.68)	492,038,774
5 Industrial Machinery and Equipment	1,148,857,436	13.82	1,307,581,706
6 Transport Equipment	986,578,608	20.28	1,186,673,814
7 Textile Yarn, Fabrics, Made-Up Articles and Related Products 3/	677,710,481	11.93	758,571,350
8 Cereals and Cereal Preparations	724,012,843	17.01	847,152,747
9 Organic and Inorganic Chemical	560,030,161	7.22	600,485,123
10 Plastics in Primary and Non-Primary Forms	553,012,398	12.99	624,838,676
11 Iron and Steel	981,811,691	(16.36)	821,213,298
12 Dairy Products	304,799,837	1.93	310,685,035
13 Chemical Materials and Products, n.e.s.	275,137,283	16.59	320,791,067
14 Medicinal and Pharmaceutical Products	302,021,152	18.86	358,971,211
15 Non-Ferrous Metal	291,387,015	41.71	412,916,190
16 Miscellaneous Manufactured Articles	272,211,385	9.11	297,012,210
17 Feeding Stuff For Animals (Not Including Unmilled Cereals)	301,231,957	(8.71)	275,006,933
18 Paper and Paper Products	267,206,085	13.38	302,964,451
19 Professional, scientific and controlling instruments; photographic and optical goods, n.e.s., watches and clocks	213,517,147	5.84	225,992,518
20 Power Generating and Specialized Machinery	238,531,235	(34.87)	155,347,560
21 Metal Products	213,598,659	11.37	237,894,664
22 Dyeing, Tanning and Coloring Materials	134,865,359	(10.05)	121,314,975
23 Non-Metallic Mineral Manufactures	124,956,502	4.91	131,089,731
24 Fertilizers, Manufactured	148,836,237	12.24	167,052,586
25 Rubber Manufacture	83,629,751	0.76	84,263,736
26 Textiles Fiber & Their Waste	93,771,862	(21.16)	73,928,893
27 Metalliferous Ores and Metal Scrap	286,422,131	(13.43)	247,961,940
28 Others	2,250,717,138	0.97	2,272,550,466

Source: Economic Indices and Indicators Division  
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  
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