

Table 3a Philippine Imports by Major Type of Goods
 January to February 2006 and 2005
 (FOB in U.S. Dollars)

Commodity Group	2006 Jan-Feb	2005 Jan-Feb	Growth Rate (%)
Total Imports	7,034,526,664	6,712,624,690	4.80
Capital Goods	2,382,456,160	2,212,340,058	7.69
Power Generating & Specialized Machines	318,872,534	298,447,070	6.84
Office & EDP Machines	448,188,860	480,865,765	(6.80)
Telecommunication Eqpt. & Elect. Mach.	1,380,481,193	1,266,972,333	8.96
Land transport equipment excluding passenger Cars motorized cycle	91,392,303	89,124,000	2.55
Aircraft, Ships and Boats	72,548,875	13,687,889	430.02
Prof.Sci.& Cont. Inst., Photographic Eqpt. & Optical Goods	70,972,395	63,243,001	12.22
Raw Materials & Intermediate Goods	2,813,296,716	3,042,362,810	(7.53)
Unprocessed Raw Materials	228,265,966	242,863,352	(6.01)
Wheat	57,115,584	28,484,118	100.52
Corn	17,155,485	1,377,484	1,145.42
Unmilled cereals excl. rice & corn	706,172	740,550	(4.64)
Crude materials, inedible	139,361,767	185,929,155	(25.05)
Pulp & waste paper	11,343,720	10,737,991	5.64
Cotton	4,631,904	8,871,527	(47.79)
Syn. Fibers	10,448,160	14,697,774	(28.91)
Metalliferous ores	52,375,372	99,498,795	(47.36)
Others	60,562,611	52,123,068	16.19
Tobacco, unmanufactured	13,926,958	26,332,045	(47.11)
Semi-Processed Raw Materials	2,585,030,750	2,799,499,458	(7.66)
Feeding stuffs for animals	73,576,122	47,644,535	54.43
Animal & vegetable oils & fats	24,369,358	21,780,183	11.89
Chemical	508,511,081	475,525,573	6.94
Chemical compounds	128,598,596	120,250,540	6.94
Medicinal & pharmaceutical chem.	84,259,773	72,017,542	17.00
Urea	4,766,577	8,916,363	(46.54)
Fertilizer excl. urea	19,634,344	10,660,241	84.18
Artificial resins	129,500,082	116,966,198	10.72
Others	141,751,709	146,714,689	(3.38)
Manufactured goods	516,206,024	528,386,878	(2.31)
Paper & paper products	62,803,662	63,252,019	(0.71)
Textile yarn, fabrics & made-up articles	122,090,843	93,811,679	30.14
Non-metallic mineral manufactures	31,486,640	23,400,600	34.55
Iron & steel	131,738,656	205,882,876	(36.01)
Non-ferrous metals	82,630,042	65,239,346	26.66
Metal products	47,404,168	38,407,600	23.42
Others	38,052,013	38,392,758	(0.89)
Embroideries	29,746,184	29,515,417	0.78
Mat/Acc for the mftr. of elect. eqpt.	1,424,118,486	1,682,002,434	(15.33)
Iron ore, not agglomerated	8,503,495	14,644,438	(41.93)
Mineral Fuels, Lubricant & Related Materials	1,205,885,867	833,349,881	44.70
Coal, Coke	23,574,155	10,483,300	124.87
Petroleum crude	733,421,355	489,435,657	49.85
Others	448,890,357	333,430,924	34.63
Consumer Goods	511,544,302	493,916,869	3.57
Durable	215,770,697	189,036,985	14.14
Passenger cars & motorized cycle	96,177,386	75,753,679	26.96
Home appliances	25,744,660	30,598,251	(15.86)
Misc. manufactures	93,848,651	82,685,055	13.50
Non-Durable	295,773,605	304,879,884	(2.99)
Food & live animals chiefly for food	273,828,286	288,146,406	(4.97)
Dairy products	63,157,577	75,255,676	(16.08)
Fish & fish preparation	11,205,790	8,646,413	29.60
Rice	74,055,256	56,398,836	31.31
Fruits & vegetables	21,609,678	16,272,028	32.80
Others	103,799,985	131,573,453	(21.11)
Beverages & tobacco mfture.	7,505,542	6,297,987	19.17
Articles of apparel, access.	14,439,777	10,435,491	38.37
Special Transactions	121,343,619	130,655,072	(7.13)
Articles temporarily imported & exported	57,084,670	72,362,068	(21.11)
Others	64,258,949	58,293,004	10.23

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Note: Components may not add up to total due to rounding.