

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

2005		Growth Rate	2006
Commodity Group	Jan-Aug	(%)	Jan-Aug
<b>Total Imports</b>			<b>33,857,874,622</b>
<b>30,737,314,083</b>	<b>10.15</b>		
<b>Capital Goods</b>			<b>10,853,967,621</b>
<b>10,013,774,108</b>	<b>8.39</b>		
Power Generating & Specialized Machines			1,462,929,266
1,387,388,671	5.44		
Office & EDP Machines			2,043,491,040
2,160,339,554	(5.41)		
Telecommunication Eqpt. & Elect. Mach.			6,280,338,691
5,573,123,889	12.69		
Land transport equipment excluding passenger Cars motorized cycle			414,667,067
424,733,079	(2.37)		
Aircraft, Ships and Boats			350,853,970
180,158,470	94.75		
Prof.Sci.& Cont. Inst., Photographic Eqpt. & Optical Goods			301,687,587
288,030,445	4.74		
<b>Raw Materials &amp; Intermediate Goods</b>			<b>14,160,932,891</b>
<b>13,640,905,983</b>	<b>3.81</b>		
Unprocessed Raw Materials			1,069,834,962
1,011,288,495	5.79		
Wheat			309,945,614
212,998,375	45.52		
Corn			42,825,069
15,216,525	181.44		
Unmilled cereals excl. rice & corn			3,230,033
2,878,043	12.23		
Crude materials, inedible			616,716,528
658,563,057	(6.35)		
Pulp & waste paper			45,960,388
44,290,166	3.77		
Cotton			20,464,155
30,498,779	(32.90)		
Syn. Fibers			48,514,016
59,097,622	(17.91)		
Metalliferous ores			247,961,940
286,422,131	(13.43)		
Others			253,816,029
238,254,359	6.53		
Tobacco, unmanufactured			97,117,718
121,632,495	(20.15)		
Semi-Processed Raw Materials			13,091,097,929
12,629,617,488	3.65		
Feeding stuffs for animals			275,006,933
301,231,957	(8.71)		
Animal & vegetable oils & fats			97,275,476
99,269,281	(2.01)		
Chemical			2,432,158,952
2,194,076,450	10.85		
Chemical compounds			600,485,123
560,030,161	7.22		
Medicinal & pharmaceutical chem.			358,971,211
302,021,152	18.86		
Urea			71,554,264
71,506,319	0.07		
Fertilizer excl. urea			95,498,322
77,329,918	23.49		
Artificial resins			624,838,676
553,012,398	12.99		
Others			680,811,356
630,176,502	8.04		
Manufactured goods			2,670,525,080
2,541,878,676	5.06		
Paper & paper products			302,964,451
267,206,085	13.38		
Textile yarn, fabrics & made-up articles			597,650,911
500,911,584	19.31		
Non-metallic mineral manufactures			131,089,731
124,956,502	4.91		
Iron & steel			821,213,298
981,811,691	(16.36)		
Non-ferrous metals			412,916,190
291,387,015	41.71		
Metal products			237,894,664
213,598,659	11.37		
Others			166,795,835
162,007,140	2.96		
Embroideries			160,920,439
176,798,897	(8.98)		
Mat/Acc for the mftr. of elect. eqpt.			7,425,576,458
7,256,799,320	2.33		
Iron ore, not agglomerated			29,634,591
59,562,907	(50.25)		
<b>Mineral Fuels, Lubricant &amp; Related Materials</b>			<b>5,717,555,732</b>
<b>4,096,827,087</b>	<b>39.56</b>		
Coal, Coke			151,675,735
108,243,427	40.12		
Petroleum crude			3,579,619,098
2,409,013,433	48.59		
Others			1,986,260,899
1,579,570,227	25.75		
Consumer Goods			2,498,020,196
2,370,468,200	5.38		
Durable			979,501,454
903,410,652	8.42		
Passenger cars & motorized cycle			423,343,839
383,520,402	10.38		
Home appliances			125,252,496
137,435,118	(8.86)		
Misc. manufactures			430,905,119
382,455,132	12.67		
Non-Durable			1,518,518,742
1,467,057,548	3.51		
Food & live animals chiefly for food			1,411,327,060
1,380,163,786	2.26		
Dairy products			310,685,035
304,799,837	1.93		
Fish & fish preparation			31,866,217
37,496,690	(15.02)		
Rice			443,659,069
437,115,123	1.50		
Fruits & vegetables			93,657,112
67,127,953	39.52		
Others			531,459,627
533,624,183	(0.41)		
Beverages & tobacco mfture.			47,563,976
38,293,689	24.21		
Articles of apparel, access.			59,627,706
48,600,073	22.69		
<b>Special Transactions</b>			<b>627,398,182</b>
<b>615,338,705</b>	<b>1.96</b>		