

TABLE 4. PHILIPPINE IMPORTS PERFORMANCE BY COUNTRY: SEPTEMBER 2001 & 2000
(F.O.B. Value in Million U.S. Dollars)

Country	2001				2000			
	Sept*	% share	Jan-Sept	% share	Sept	% share	Jan-Sept	% share
TOTAL	2,499.41	100.00	22,998.55	100.00	2,972.78	100.00	23,628.18	100.00
1 Japan 1/	506.61	20.27	4,659.13	20.26	596.60	20.07	4,506.51	19.07
2 United States of America 2/	375.50	15.02	3,968.38	17.25	464.49	15.62	4,135.88	17.50
3 Korea, Republic of	184.33	7.38	1,459.97	6.35	197.59	6.65	1,853.53	7.84
4 Singapore	159.11	6.37	1,380.50	6.00	189.43	6.37	1,606.42	6.80
5 Taiwan	117.29	4.69	1,307.14	5.68	258.52	8.70	1,430.11	6.05
6 Hongkong	111.70	4.47	946.19	4.11	94.28	3.17	919.10	3.89
7 China, People's Republic	99.26	3.97	703.34	3.06	61.98	2.09	579.83	2.45
8 Saudi Arabia	92.55	3.70	754.55	3.28	85.09	2.86	677.06	2.87
9 Indonesia 3/	88.74	3.55	566.09	2.46	68.78	2.31	526.77	2.23
10 Iran, Islamic Republic of	87.08	3.48	606.01	2.63	100.67	3.39	488.83	2.07
11 Others	677.24	27.10	6,647.25	28.90	855.36	28.77	6,904.14	29.22

* Based on September 2001 ranking.

1/ includes Okinawa

2/ includes Alaska and Hawaii

3/ includes Sabah and Sarawak

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

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