

Table 4. Philippine Imports Performance by Country: May 2003 and 2002
(F.O.B. Value in Million U.S. Dollars)

Country of Origin	2 0 0 3				2 0 0 2				Annual Growth Rate (%)	
	May	Percent share	Jan-May	Percent share	May	Percent share	Jan-May	Percent share	Current	Cummulative
Total	3,305.40	100.00	15,648.91	100.00	2,945.85	100.00	13,873.93	100.00	12.21	12.79
1 United States of America 2/	679.56	20.56	3,252.79	20.79	647.03	21.96	2,993.35	21.58	5.03	8.67
2 Japan 1/	613.37	18.56	3,027.13	19.34	586.50	19.91	2,809.43	20.25	4.58	7.75
3 Singapore	213.96	6.47	1,034.40	6.61	200.18	6.80	914.83	6.59	6.89	13.07
4 Korea, Republic of	203.65	6.16	1,045.21	6.68	249.16	8.46	1,248.31	9.00	(18.27)	(16.27)
5 Saudi Arabia	148.57	4.49	520.87	3.33	64.31	2.18	257.33	1.85	131.04	102.41
6 Taiwan	145.67	4.41	741.92	4.74	187.03	6.35	731.50	5.27	(22.11)	1.43
7 China, People's Republic of	139.83	4.23	638.85	4.08	95.13	3.23	434.03	3.13	46.99	47.19
8 Hong Kong	135.39	4.10	664.34	4.25	129.92	4.41	599.86	4.32	4.21	10.75
9 Thailand	126.32	3.82	551.44	3.52	78.19	2.65	369.97	2.67	61.55	49.05
10 Malaysia 3/	111.77	3.38	556.65	3.56	92.75	3.15	474.62	3.42	20.51	17.29
11 Others	787.30	23.82	3,615.30	23.10	615.65	20.90	3,040.69	21.92	27.88	18.90

Source: Economic Indices and Indicators Division
Industry and Trade Statistics Department
National Statistics Office
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Notes: * Based on May 2003 ranking.
1 includes Okinawa
2 includes Alaska and Hawaii
3 includes Sabah and Sarawak
Components may not add up to total due to rounding.