

Table 4a Philippine Imports Performance by Selected Economic Bloc: September 2009 and 2008  
(F.O.B. Value in Million U.S. Dollars)

| Country of Origin             | 2 0 0 9   |               |           |               | 2 0 0 8   |               |           |               | Annual Growth |            |
|-------------------------------|-----------|---------------|-----------|---------------|-----------|---------------|-----------|---------------|---------------|------------|
|                               | September | Percent Share | Jan-Sep   | Percent Share | September | Percent Share | Jan-Sep   | Percent Share | Current       | Cumulative |
| Total                         | 3,669.91  | 100.00        | 31,677.15 | 100.00        | 4,891.09  | 100.00        | 45,382.68 | 100.00        | (24.97)       | (30.20)    |
| 1 Eastern Asia 1/             | 1,553.07  | 42.32         | 12,209.40 | 38.54         | 1,711.44  | 34.99         | 15,437.27 | 34.02         | (9.25)        | (20.91)    |
| 2 A S E A N 2/                | 871.34    | 23.74         | 8,237.53  | 26.00         | 1,226.77  | 25.08         | 11,663.29 | 25.70         | (28.97)       | (29.37)    |
| 3 United States of America 3/ | 379.75    | 10.35         | 3,873.07  | 12.23         | 611.66    | 12.51         | 5,611.75  | 12.37         | (37.91)       | (30.98)    |
| 4 European Union 4/           | 244.38    | 6.66          | 2,454.63  | 7.75          | 375.12    | 7.67          | 3,490.96  | 7.69          | (34.85)       | (29.69)    |
| 5 Others                      | 621.36    | 16.93         | 4,902.53  | 15.48         | 966.10    | 19.75         | 9,179.41  | 20.23         | (35.68)       | (46.59)    |

Source: Foreign Trade Statistics Section  
Industry and Trade Statistics Department  
National Statistics Office  
Republic of the Philippines

Notes:

- <sup>1</sup> includes China, Hong Kong, Japan, Macau, Mongolia, N. Korea, S. Korea, Taiwan  
<sup>2</sup> includes Brunei Darusalam, Cambodia, Indonesia, Laos, Malaysia, Myanmar, Singapore, Thailand, Vietnam  
<sup>3</sup> includes Alaska & Hawaii  
<sup>4</sup> includes Austria, Belgium, Bulgaria, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Ireland, Italy, Latvia, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta, Netherlands, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Latvia, and UK Great Britain & N. Ireland

Components may not add up to total due to rounding.