

Table 6 Philippine Imports from All Countries: September 2006  
Based on 2004 Philippine Standard Commodity Classification  
(F.O.B. Value in Million U.S. Dollars)

Growth Rate Commodity	2006			
	September	Percent Share	August	Percent Share
<b>Monthly</b>				
<b>Total</b>	<b>4,324.10</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>4,883.66</b>	<b>100.00</b>
(11.46)				
1 Electronic Products 1/ 0.47	2,201.46	50.91	2,191.22	44.87
2 Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials (49.43)	477.55	11.04	944.36	19.34
3 Transport Equipment 33.68	229.92	5.32	171.99	3.52
4 Industrial Machinery and Equipment (1.02)	172.43	3.99	174.20	3.57
5 Textile Yarn, Fabrics, Made-Up Articles and related products 18.80	106.27	2.46	89.46	1.83
6 Organic and Inorganic Chemicals (6.52)	89.16	2.06	95.38	1.95
7 Plastics in Primary and Non-Primary Forms 2.02	86.89	2.01	85.17	1.74
8 Cereals and Cereal Preparations (18.47)	84.82	1.96	104.03	2.13
9 Iron and Steel (23.56)	81.53	1.89	106.66	2.18
10 Telecommunication Equipment and Electrical Machinery 2/ 16.92	75.80	1.75	64.83	1.33
<b>Top 10 Imports Total</b>	<b>3,605.84</b>	<b>83.39</b>	<b>4,027.30</b>	<b>82.46</b>
(10.47)				
11 Non-Ferrous Metal (6.90)	55.20	1.28	59.29	1.21
12 Medicinal and Pharmaceutical Products 10.70	46.87	1.08	42.34	0.87
13 Miscellaneous Manufactured Articles 3.76	44.46	1.03	42.85	0.88
14 Paper and Paper Products (8.28)	40.81	0.94	44.49	0.91
15 Chemical Materials and Products, n.e.s. (19.94)	36.78	0.85	45.94	0.94
16 Metal Products 4.38	36.37	0.84	34.84	0.71
17 Dairy Products (30.19)	28.37	0.66	40.63	0.83
18 Professional, scientific and controlling instrument, photographic and optical goods, not elsewhere specified, watches and clocks (24.94)	25.13	0.58	33.48	0.69
19 Metalliferous Ores and Metal Scrap (73.95)	22.38	0.52	85.93	1.76
20 Power Generating and Specialized Mach. 31.57	20.94	0.48	15.91	0.33
21 Fertilizers, Manufactured (25.51)	19.07	0.44	25.60	0.52
22 Non-Metallic Mineral Manufactures (12.35)	15.01	0.35	17.12	0.35
23 Feeding stuff for animals (not including unmilled cereals) (53.57)	14.78	0.34	31.83	0.65
24 Dyeing, Tanning and Coloring Materials (24.56)	14.01	0.32	18.57	0.38
25 Textiles Fiber & Their Waste (10.03)	9.68	0.22	10.76	0.22
26 Rubber Manufacture (7.04)	9.50	0.22	10.22	0.21
27 Office and EDP Machines (84.67)	0.50	0.01	3.25	0.07
28 Others (5.07)	278.43	6.44	293.30	6.01

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

Notes: <sup>1</sup> Includes consigned and direct importation using the expanded coverage of electronic products

<sup>2</sup> Includes telecommunications and sound recording and reproducing apparatus and equipment