

PHILIPPINE EXPORTS BY COMMODITY GROUP
 JULY, JUNE 1998 AND JULY 1997
 (FOB in Thousand U.S. Dollars)

Commodity Group	1998		1997	Growth Rate		Jan-July 1998
	JULY FOB Value	JUNE FOB Value	JULY FOB Value	(%) Monthly	Annual	
Total Exports	2,498,525	2,389,568	2,067,142	4.56	20.87	16,403,584
Agro-Based Products	141,953	112,413	118,922	26.28	19.37	896,625
Coconut Products	91,059	67,785	66,382	34.33	37.17	531,903
Copra	a	656	a	-	-	1,399
Coconut Oil	73,125	58,779	53,259	24.41	37.30	450,540
Desiccated Coconut	9,762	5,934	8,130	64.51	20.08	43,284
Copra Meal/Cake	6,266	1,071	3,698	484.99	69.44	26,591
Others	1,905	1,345	1,295	41.61	47.06	10,089
Sugar and Products	18,749	12,109	17,747	54.84	5.65	95,130
Centrifugal & Refined	18,342	8,711	17,681	110.56	3.74	77,303
Molasses	390	3,329	a	-88.29	-	17,499
Others	17	68	66	-75.04	-74.16	328
Fruits and Vegetables	32,145	32,519	34,793	-1.15	-7.61	269,592
Canned Pineapple	7,828	5,251	5,616	49.07	39.39	42,950
Pineapple Juice	527	462	177	14.04	198.23	3,925
Pineapple Concentrates	3,291	3,516	2,359	-6.41	39.52	19,405
Bananas	12,593	16,242	15,695	-22.47	-19.77	122,387
Mangoes	2,018	2,617	1,548	-22.88	30.42	37,766
Others	5,888	4,430	9,399	32.92	-37.36	43,158
Other Agro-Based Products	34,046	31,616	38,203	7.69	-10.88	262,787
Fish, Fresh or Preserved						
Of Which: Shrimps & Prawns	22,837	20,197	21,402	13.07	6.70	165,486
Coffee, Raw, not Roasted	57	149	149	-62.05	-62.17	1,189
Abaca Fibers	1,381	1,226	1,215	12.62	13.70	10,922
Tobacco Unmanufactured	1,429	2,189	2,604	-34.70	-45.12	14,172
Natural Rubber	896	772	1,978	16.15	-54.67	9,116
Ramie Fibers, Raw or Roasted	a	a	a	-	-	11
Seaweeds, Dried	2,637	2,540	2,042	3.82	29.10	18,972
Rice	a	a	a	-	-	a
Others	4,810	4,544	8,812	5.87	-45.42	42,919
Forest Products	1,415	1,546	3,972	-8.47	-64.38	13,718
Logs	a	a	a	-	-	a
Lumber	869	1,237	3,184	-29.71	-72.70	6,628
Plywood	330	138	498	138.64	-33.83	1,484
Veneer Sheets/Corestocks	42	171	287	-75.63	-85.53	4,814
Others	174	a	2	-	-	793
Mineral Products	52,307	40,493	91,265	29.17	-42.69	366,423
Copper Concentrates	3,050	2,569	5,776	18.71	-47.20	19,441
Copper Metal	12,765	8,765	39,740	45.64	-67.88	109,797
Gold	4,856	2,981	6,242	62.91	-22.19	24,823
Iron Ore Agglomerates	2,411	3,999	7,543	-39.71	-68.03	29,581
Chromium Ore	604	1,543	905	-60.86	-33.24	3,813
Nickel	a	a	b	-	-	1
Others	28,621	20,637	31,059	38.69	-7.85	178,968
Petroleum Products	17,698	11,617	25,271	52.34	-29.97	80,738
Manufactures	2,192,686	2,140,982	1,752,021	2.41	25.15	14,324,093
Electronic Eqpt. & Parts	1,389,946	1,395,923	978,503	-0.43	42.05	9,398,554
Garments	258,846	231,169	227,394	11.97	13.83	1,376,321
Textile Yarns/Fabrics	17,170	19,665	25,496	-12.69	-32.66	157,277
Footwear	12,557	13,217	16,943	-5.00	-25.88	97,407
Travel Goods and Handbags	17,653	15,467	13,293	14.13	32.80	105,284
Wood Manufactures	11,496	11,360	11,441	1.20	0.48	70,505
Furniture & Fixtures	24,953	27,848	28,480	-10.40	-12.38	182,297
Chemicals	21,224	28,833	34,202	-26.39	-37.95	193,634
Non-Metallic Mineral Manufactures	10,820	8,846	7,842	22.31	37.97	59,230
Machinery & Transport Equipment	274,669	247,280	239,561	11.08	14.66	1,765,280

Processed food and Beverages	31,715	26,618	31,308	19.15	1.30	185,696
Iron & Steel	3,476	6,011	9,509	-42.17	-63.44	16,898
Baby Carr., Toys, Games and sporting goods	20,874	19,805	22,984	5.40	-9.18	99,564
Basketwork, Wickerwork & Other Articles of Plaiting Materials	7,332	7,787	8,206	-5.84	-10.65	51,809
Misc.Manufactured Articles, n.e.s.	18,955	18,651	18,454	1.63	2.71	119,551
Others	71,001	62,502	78,407	13.60	-9.45	444,790
Special Transactions	58,421	50,902	37,489	14.77	55.83	459,200
Re-Exports	35,707	49,671	45,429	-28.11	-21.40	451,229

a - no export data
b - less than \$1,000
- - no growth rate

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

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