

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

Commodity Group	1998		1997	Growth Rate		Jan-June
	JUNE FOB Value	MAY FOB Value	JUNE FOB Value	(%) Monthly	Annual	1998 FOB Value
Total Exports	2,389,281	2,414,739	2,129,077	-1.05	12.22	13,904,107
Agro-Based Products	112,466	130,667	146,847	-13.93	-23.41	754,116
Coconut Products	67,761	71,465	96,269	-5.18	-29.61	440,210
Copra	655	a	a	-	-	1,399
Coconut Oil	58,757	58,424	82,886	0.57	-29.11	376,782
Desiccated Coconut	5,934	6,921	7,842	-14.26	-24.33	33,522
Copra Meal/Cake	1,071	4,456	3,672	-75.97	-70.84	20,325
Others	1,344	1,664	1,869	-19.22	-28.09	8,182
Sugar and Products	12,108	14,935	14,346	-18.93	-15.60	76,381
Centrifugal & Refined	8,711	11,412	13,336	-23.67	-34.68	58,961
Molasses	3,329	3,486	855	-4.51	289.36	17,109
Others	68	37	155	86.20	-56.23	311
Fruits and Vegetables	32,597	44,267	36,231	-26.36	-10.03	237,525
Canned Pineapple	5,251	5,918	8,822	-11.27	-40.48	35,122
Pineapple Juice	462	825	817	-44.01	-43.47	3,398
Pineapple Concentrates	3,516	2,736	2,630	28.50	33.69	16,114
Bananas	16,173	20,079	15,537	-19.45	4.10	109,726
Mangoes	2,613	8,548	1,626	-69.43	60.68	35,744
Others	4,582	6,160	6,799	-25.62	-32.61	37,421
Other Agro-Based Products	31,614	39,734	47,170	-20.44	-32.98	228,738
Fish, Fresh or Preserved						
Of Which: Shrimps & Prawns	20,127	24,229	22,124	-16.93	-9.03	142,580
Coffee, Raw, not Roasted	149	210	371	-29.20	-59.83	1,132
Abaca Fibers	1,282	1,892	2,382	-32.25	-46.18	9,597
Tobacco Unmanufactured	2,189	3,051	5,683	-28.25	-61.48	12,743
Natural Rubber	772	1,388	2,103	-44.38	-63.29	8,220
Ramie Fibers, Raw or Roasted	a	a	a	-	-	11
Seaweeds, Dried	2,540	2,080	2,867	22.09	-11.41	16,335
Rice	b	b	b	-	-	b
Others	4,555	6,883	11,641	-33.82	-60.87	38,120
Forest Products	1,536	2,044	1,563	-24.87	-1.76	12,293
Logs	a	a	a	-	-	b
Lumber	1,237	1,645	939	-24.81	31.74	5,758
Plywood	128	215	14	-40.39	788.21	1,144
Veneer Sheets/Corestocks	171	185	508	-7.34	-66.35	4,772
Others	b	a	102	-	-	619
Mineral Products	40,491	47,828	70,054	-15.34	-42.20	314,113
Copper Concentrates	2,569	3,487	3,009	-26.33	-14.62	16,391
Copper Metal	8,765	7,038	19,681	24.54	-55.46	97,032
Gold	2,981	4,069	4,430	-26.74	-32.71	19,966
Iron Ore Agglomerates	3,999	3,361	8,544	18.98	-53.20	27,170
Chromium Ore	1,543	a	1,039	-	48.45	3,209
Nickel	a	1,050	a	-	-	1
Others	20,634	28,823	33,351	-28.41	-38.13	150,344
Petroleum Products	11,617	12,222	22,486	-4.95	-48.34	63,041
Manufactures	2,140,548	2,030,376	1,800,171	5.43	18.91	12,130,975
Electronic Eqpt. & Parts	1,393,752	1,277,093	1,027,133	9.13	35.69	8,006,339
Garments	232,312	202,905	216,219	14.49	7.44	1,118,628
Textile Yarns/Fabrics	19,693	26,765	26,670	-26.42	-26.16	140,136
Footwear	13,155	16,474	18,131	-20.15	-27.44	84,837
Travel Goods and Handbags	15,494	14,405	16,415	7.56	-5.61	87,658
Wood Manufactures	11,598	12,745	12,606	-9.00	-8.00	59,248
Furniture & Fixtures	27,963	26,934	29,184	3.82	-4.18	157,459
Chemicals	28,804	35,418	43,260	-18.67	-33.42	172,381
Non-Metallic Mineral Manufactures	8,851	7,345	10,800	20.51	-18.05	48,419
Machinery & Transport Equipment	247,381	272,115	235,560	-9.09	5.02	1,490,712

Processed food and Beverages	26,745	27,284	27,284	-1.98	-1.97	154,122
Iron & Steel	6,011	2,745	630	118.98	854.45	13,422
Baby Carr., Toys, Games and sporting goods	19,798	16,215	29,538	22.10	-32.97	78,682
Basketwork, Wickerwork & Other Articles of Plaiting Materials	7,806	6,747	8,475	15.70	-7.90	44,496
Misc.Manufactured Articles, n.e.s.	18,723	18,596	17,932	0.68	4.41	100,668
Others	62,462	66,590	80,334	-6.20	-22.25	373,768
Special Transactions	51,009	151,868	40,786	-66.41	25.07	400,831

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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