

Table 2 Philippine Imports from All Countries
November and October 2005 and November 2004
(F.O.B. Value in Million U.S. Dollars)

Commodity	2005				2004		Growth Rates (Percent)	
	November	Percent share	October	Percent share	November	Percent share	Monthly	Annual
Total	3,708.90	100.00	3,882.28	100.00	3,657.58	100.00	(4.47)	1.40
1 Electronic Products 1/	1,801.35	48.57	1,895.09	48.81	1,828.51	49.99	(4.95)	(1.49)
2 Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials	558.46	15.06	389.71	10.04	414.73	11.34	43.30	34.66
3 Industrial Machinery and Equipment	154.53	4.17	161.32	4.16	125.10	3.42	(4.21)	23.52
4 Transport Equipment	125.43	3.38	194.69	5.01	109.03	2.98	(35.57)	15.05
5 Iron and Steel	90.28	2.43	105.87	2.73	89.19	2.44	(14.72)	1.23
6 Textile Yarn, Fabrics, Made-Up Articles and related products	79.89	2.15	100.96	2.60	77.91	2.13	(20.87)	2.54
7 Plastics in Primary and Non-Primary Forms	69.84	1.88	79.80	2.06	68.80	1.88	(12.49)	1.50
8 Telecommunication Equipment and Electrical Machinery 2/	66.56	1.79	75.41	1.94	66.77	1.83	(11.73)	(0.31)
9 Organic and Inorganic Chemical	58.53	1.58	77.62	2.00	65.98	1.80	(24.59)	(11.28)
10 Medicinal and Pharmaceutical Products	45.72	1.23	39.56	1.02	42.37	1.16	15.57	7.90
Top 10 Imports Total	3,050.59	82.25	3,120.02	80.37	2,888.39	78.97	(2.23)	5.62
11 Non-Ferrous Metal	42.69	1.15	41.15	1.06	38.89	1.06	3.76	9.78
12 Feeding stuff for animals (not including unmilled cereals)	38.95	1.05	33.60	0.87	33.05	0.90	15.91	17.84
13 Chemical materials and products, not elsewhere specified	34.43	0.93	37.84	0.97	38.28	1.05	(9.02)	(10.06)
14 Miscellaneous Manufactured Articles	32.03	0.86	36.65	0.94	45.45	1.24	(12.59)	(29.52)
15 Paper and Paper Products	30.61	0.83	35.68	0.92	28.09	0.77	(14.19)	8.99
16 Dairy Products	30.58	0.82	32.50	0.84	54.22	1.48	(5.91)	(43.61)
17 Professional, scientific and controlling instrument, photographic and optical goods, not elsewhere specified, watches and clocks	29.74	0.80	26.05	0.67	23.52	0.64	14.19	26.43
18 Metal Products	27.66	0.75	28.33	0.73	25.04	0.68	(2.38)	10.45
19 Cereals and Cereal Preparations	25.73	0.69	49.26	1.27	33.07	0.90	(47.78)	(22.20)
20 Power Generating and Specialized Mach.	16.63	0.45	27.88	0.72	19.75	0.54	(40.37)	(15.80)
21 Non-Metallic Mineral Manufactures	14.77	0.40	16.40	0.42	15.98	0.44	(9.94)	(7.57)
22 Dyeing, Tanning and Coloring Materials	14.62	0.39	15.46	0.40	15.36	0.42	(5.50)	(4.88)
23 Fertilizers, Manufactured	13.05	0.35	16.06	0.41	16.51	0.45	(18.74)	(20.93)
24 Metalliferous Ores and Metal Scrap	12.48	0.34	36.70	0.95	43.38	1.19	(65.99)	(71.22)
25 Rubber Manufacture	8.83	0.24	9.14	0.24	8.95	0.24	(3.36)	(1.32)
26 Textiles Fiber & Their Waste	8.04	0.22	8.82	0.23	12.01	0.33	(8.83)	(33.08)
27 Office and EDP Machines	0.24	0.01	0.45	0.01	0.33	0.01	(46.63)	(27.58)
28 Others	277.23	7.47	310.28	7.99	317.30	8.68	(10.65)	(12.63)

Source: Economic Indices and Indicators Division
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Notes: ¹ Includes consigned and direct importation using the expanded coverage of electronic products
² Includes telecommunications and sound recording and reproducing apparatus and equipment