

Table 2. Philippine Exports by Commodity Group
April and March 2005 and April 2004
(FOB in Thousand U.S. Dollars)

Commodity	2005				2004		Growth Rate	
	April p FOB Value	% share	March r FOB Value	% share	April r FOB Value	% share	Monthly Percent	Annual
Total Exports	3,229,010	100.00	3,255,770	100.00	2,968,562	100.00	(0.82)	8.77
Total Agro-Based Products	213,207	6.60	150,644	4.63	164,247	5.53	41.53	29.81
Agro-Based Products	177,840	5.51	110,810	3.40	124,971	4.21	60.49	42.31
Coconut Products	108,753	3.37	45,626	1.40	69,472	2.34	138.36	56.54
Copra	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Coconut Oil	92,546	2.87	33,763	1.04	60,116	2.03	174.10	53.95
Desiccated Coconut	11,194	0.35	9,792	0.30	5,512	0.19	14.32	103.08
Copra Meal/Cake	4,215	0.13	1,402	0.04	3,112	0.10	200.65	35.44
Others	798	0.02	669	0.02	731	0.02	19.32	9.18
Sugar and Products	12,880	0.40	10,098	0.31	2,277	0.08	27.55	465.70
Centrifugal & Refined	11,972	0.37	8,006	0.25	0	0.00	49.54	16,861,474.65
Molasses	786	0.02	1,984	0.06	2,206	0.07	(60.38)	(64.36)
Others	123	0.00	108	0.00	71	0.00	13.23	72.59
Fruits and Vegetables	56,207	1.74	55,086	1.69	53,222	1.79	2.03	5.61
Canned Pineapple	6,814	0.21	8,603	0.26	5,597	0.19	(20.79)	21.74
Pineapple Juice	1,003	0.03	822	0.03	1,096	0.04	22.04	(8.51)
Pineapple Concentrates	2,893	0.09	3,338	0.10	2,766	0.09	(13.33)	4.59
Bananas	30,177	0.93	28,187	0.87	28,159	0.95	7.06	7.17
Mangoes	4,409	0.14	2,341	0.07	4,679	0.16	88.29	(5.77)
Others	10,910	0.34	11,795	0.36	10,925	0.37	(7.51)	(0.13)
Other Agro-Based Products	35,367	1.10	39,834	1.22	39,276	1.32	(11.21)	(9.95)
Fish, Fresh or Preserved								
Of Which: shrimps and prawns	18,263	0.57	18,219	0.56	21,927	0.74	0.24	(16.71)
Coffee, Raw, not Roasted	26	0.00	-	-	-	-	-	-
Abaca Fibers	1,253	0.04	709	0.02	1,014	0.03	76.74	23.56
Tobacco Unmanufactured	2,466	0.08	7,649	0.23	1,330	0.04	(67.76)	85.45
Natural Rubber	2,144	0.07	3,176	0.10	3,041	0.10	(32.51)	(29.51)
Ramie Fibers, Raw or Roasted	10	0.00	14	0.00	-	-	(29.03)	-
Seaweeds, Dried	2,429	0.08	2,012	0.06	3,457	0.12	20.75	(29.72)
Rice	-	-	0	0.00	-	-	(100.00)	-
Others	8,776	0.27	8,056	0.25	8,507	0.29	8.94	3.16
Forest Products	3,276	0.10	1,888	0.06	3,633	0.12	73.51	(9.84)
Logs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Lumber	1,209	0.04	882	0.03	1,128	0.04	37.08	7.17
Plywood	1,950	0.06	797	0.02	1,638	0.06	144.56	19.06
Veneer Sheets/Corestocks	64	0.00	130	0.00	184	0.01	(50.36)	(65.05)
Others	52	0.00	79	0.00	683	0.02	(33.63)	(92.34)
Mineral Products	79,304	2.46	70,210	2.16	75,778	2.55	12.95	4.65
Copper Concentrates	3,325	0.10	3,143	0.10	93	0.00	5.80	3,490.10
Copper Metal	39,998	1.24	35,922	1.10	40,463	1.36	11.35	(1.15)
Gold	2,194	0.07	2,156	0.07	-	-	1.79	-
Iron Ore Agglomerates	11,912	0.37	4,040	0.12	3,584	0.12	194.83	232.40
Chromium Ore	185	0.01	128	0.00	449	0.02	44.30	(58.92)
Nickel	-	-	1	0.00	-	-	(100.00)	-
Others	21,689	0.67	24,820	0.76	31,189	1.05	(12.62)	(30.46)
Petroleum Products	41,651	1.29	34,318	1.05	22,771	0.77	21.37	82.91
Manufactures	2,825,696	87.51	2,915,792	89.56	2,605,283	87.76	(3.09)	8.46
Electronic Products	2,086,615	64.62	2,162,040	66.41	1,963,538	66.14	(3.49)	6.27
Components/Devices (Semiconductors)	1,540,677	47.71	1,610,360	49.46	1,306,517	44.01	(4.33)	17.92
Electronic Data Processing	425,609	13.18	427,737	13.14	519,013	17.48	(0.50)	(18.00)
Office Equipment	12,396	0.38	14,655	0.45	13,309	0.45	(15.42)	(6.86)
Consumer Electronics	47,332	1.47	53,076	1.63	49,170	1.66	(10.82)	(3.74)
Telecommunication	6,392	0.20	7,692	0.24	7,028	0.24	(16.90)	(9.04)
Communication/Radar Control and Instrumentation	16,716	0.52	19,248	0.59	33,389	1.12	(13.16)	(49.94)
Medical/Industrial Instrumentations	1,504	0.05	1,143	0.04	612	0.02	31.53	145.48
Automotive Electronics	402	0.01	409	0.01	529	0.02	(1.76)	(24.00)
Other Electronics	35,588	1.10	27,719	0.85	33,971	1.14	28.39	4.76
Garments	104,104	3.22	90,437	2.78	70,586	2.38	15.11	47.48
Textile Yarns/Fabrics	128,729	3.99	149,166	4.58	136,650	4.60	(13.70)	(5.80)
Footwear	23,770	0.74	18,345	0.56	19,763	0.67	29.58	20.28
Travel Goods and Handbags	2,603	0.08	2,560	0.08	3,276	0.11	1.66	(20.54)
Wood Manufactures	1,649	0.05	1,453	0.04	2,672	0.09	13.49	(38.28)
Furniture & Fixtures	10,044	0.31	16,907	0.52	15,486	0.52	(40.59)	(35.14)
Chemicals	26,600	0.82	25,307	0.78	22,790	0.77	5.11	16.72
Non-Metallic Mineral Manufactures	42,211	1.31	45,207	1.39	42,097	1.42	(6.63)	0.27
Machinery & Transport Equipment	12,907	0.40	16,736	0.51	13,259	0.45	(22.88)	(2.66)
Processed food and Beverages	151,585	4.69	178,062	5.47	123,717	4.17	(14.87)	22.53
Iron & Steel	41,007	1.27	41,099	1.26	37,955	1.28	(0.22)	8.04
Baby Carr., Toys, Games and sporting goods	13,680	0.42	3,447	0.11	3,277	0.11	296.84	317.45
Basketwork, Wickerwork & Other Articles of plaiting materials	10,183	0.32	7,721	0.24	9,211	0.31	31.89	10.55
Misc.Manufactured Articles, not elsewhere specified	5,275	0.16	5,792	0.18	5,163	0.17	(8.93)	2.16
	22,828	0.71	21,439	0.66	17,518	0.59	6.48	30.31

Others	141,906	4.39	130,075	4.00	118,324	3.99	9.10	19.93
Special Transactions	65,877	2.04	82,919	2.55	96,850	3.26	(20.55)	(31.98)
Re-Export	47,205	1.46	52,392	1.61	36,428	1.23	(9.90)	29.58

Source: Economic Indices and Indicators Division
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Notes: a - No export data
b - Less than \$1,000
- - No growth rate
r - Revised
p - Preliminary

Components may not add up to totals due to rounding