

**Table 3 Philippine Imports by Major Type of Goods**  
**June and May 2005 and June 2004**  
(FOB in Thousand U.S. Dollars)

Commodity Group	2005				2004		Growth Rate (%)	
	June FOB Value	June % share	May FOB Value	May % share	June FOB Value	June % share	Monthly	Annual
<b>Total Imports</b>	<b>4,005,264</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>3,585,011</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>3,778,070</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>11.72</b>	<b>6.01</b>
<b>Capital Goods</b>	<b>1,372,032</b>	<b>34.26</b>	<b>1,132,398</b>	<b>31.59</b>	<b>1,238,209</b>	<b>32.77</b>	<b>21.16</b>	<b>10.81</b>
Power generating and specialized machines	171,465	4.28	149,266	4.16	166,652	4.41	14.87	2.89
Office and electronic data processing machines	275,323	6.87	244,059	6.81	243,006	6.43	12.81	13.30
Telecommunication equipment and electrical machines	723,941	18.07	643,721	17.96	722,673	19.13	12.46	0.18
Land transport equipment excluding passenger cars and motorized cycle	61,902	1.55	55,425	1.55	48,948	1.30	11.69	26.47
Aircraft, Ships and Boats	103,563	2.59	4,155	0.12	16,849	0.45	2,392.76	514.66
Professional scientific and controlling instruments, photographic equipment and optical goods	35,839	0.89	35,774	1.00	40,082	1.06	0.18	(10.59)
<b>Raw Materials &amp; Intermediate Goods</b>	<b>1,609,230</b>	<b>40.18</b>	<b>1,573,733</b>	<b>43.90</b>	<b>1,667,723</b>	<b>44.14</b>	<b>2.26</b>	<b>(3.51)</b>
Unprocessed Raw Materials	129,314	3.23	126,308	3.52	144,166	3.82	2.38	(10.30)
Wheat	31,279	0.78	30,291	0.84	33,532	0.89	3.26	(6.72)
Corn	570	0.01	1,543	0.04	219	0.01	(63.07)	160.28
Unmilled cereals excluding rice and corn	347	0.01	513	0.01	180	0.00	(32.40)	92.63
Crude materials, inedible	80,782	2.02	80,955	2.26	100,082	2.65	(0.21)	(19.28)
Pulp & waste paper	5,792	0.14	5,526	0.15	7,789	0.21	4.80	(25.64)
Cotton	2,586	0.06	3,397	0.09	5,857	0.16	(23.86)	(55.84)
Syn. Fibers	5,976	0.15	7,508	0.21	9,089	0.24	(20.40)	(34.25)
Metalliferous ores	27,661	0.69	34,086	0.95	39,007	1.03	(18.85)	(29.09)
Others	38,767	0.97	30,438	0.85	38,340	1.01	27.36	1.11
Tobacco, unmanufactured	16,335	0.41	13,006	0.36	10,153	0.27	25.60	60.90
Semi-Processed Raw Materials	1,479,916	36.95	1,447,425	40.37	1,523,557	40.33	2.24	(2.86)
Feeding stuffs for animals	57,431	1.43	45,816	1.28	25,694	0.68	25.35	123.52
Animal & vegetable oils & fats	16,221	0.40	16,086	0.45	9,194	0.24	0.84	76.42
Chemical	264,747	6.61	284,118	7.93	248,166	6.57	(6.82)	6.68
Chemical compounds	58,004	1.45	76,509	2.13	55,119	1.46	(24.19)	5.23
Medicinal and pharmaceutical chemical	40,170	1.00	42,993	1.20	34,544	0.91	(6.57)	16.29
Urea	9,443	0.24	9,187	0.26	5,021	0.13	2.78	88.06
Fertilizer excl. urea	14,471	0.36	10,445	0.29	9,705	0.26	38.55	49.11
Artificial resins	68,024	1.70	71,156	1.98	67,370	1.78	(4.40)	0.97
Others	74,635	1.86	73,829	2.06	76,407	2.02	1.09	(2.32)
Manufactured goods	329,684	8.23	310,367	8.66	284,760	7.54	6.22	15.78
Paper & paper products	34,552	0.86	34,756	0.97	31,359	0.83	(0.59)	10.18
Textile yarn, fabrics, made up articles	65,284	1.63	67,917	1.89	72,558	1.92	(3.88)	(10.02)
Non-metallic mineral manufactures	16,334	0.41	16,013	0.45	13,764	0.36	2.00	18.67
Iron & steel	127,593	3.19	108,479	3.03	76,662	2.03	17.62	66.44
Non-ferrous metals	37,874	0.95	37,786	1.05	39,353	1.04	0.23	(3.76)
Metal products	28,868	0.72	28,058	0.78	33,950	0.90	2.89	(14.97)
Others	19,179	0.48	17,357	0.48	17,114	0.45	10.50	12.06
Embroideries	24,877	0.62	24,365	0.68	23,952	0.63	2.10	3.86
Materials/Accessories for the manufacture of electrical equipment	778,030	19.43	756,945	21.11	918,378	24.31	2.79	14.08
Iron ore, not agglomerated	8,926	0.22	9,728	0.27	13,413	0.36	(8.24)	(33.45)
<b>Mineral Fuels, Lubricant and Related Materials</b>	<b>649,669</b>	<b>16.22</b>	<b>493,910</b>	<b>13.78</b>	<b>517,526</b>	<b>13.70</b>	<b>31.54</b>	<b>25.53</b>
Coal, Coke	28,764	0.72	6,374	0.18	13,114	0.35	351.26	119.34
Petroleum crude	422,443	10.55	291,456	8.13	340,391	9.01	44.94	24.11
Others	198,462	4.96	196,080	5.47	164,021	4.34	1.22	21.00
Consumer Goods	290,192	7.25	325,050	9.07	245,817	6.51	(10.72)	18.05
Durable	119,587	2.99	126,530	3.53	102,674	2.72	(5.49)	16.47
Passenger cars & motorized cycle	51,909	1.30	57,294	1.60	42,621	1.13	(9.40)	21.79
Home appliances	18,134	0.45	16,885	0.47	16,629	0.44	7.39	9.05
Misc. manufactures	49,544	1.24	52,351	1.46	43,424	1.15	(5.36)	14.09
Non-Durable	170,605	4.26	198,520	5.54	143,143	3.79	(14.06)	19.18
Food & live animals chiefly for food	161,294	4.03	188,323	5.25	134,561	3.56	(14.35)	19.87
Dairy products	44,063	1.10	30,492	0.85	40,935	1.08	44.51	7.64
Fish & fish preparation	5,578	0.14	3,845	0.11	2,102	0.06	45.08	165.41
Rice	40,331	1.01	73,607	2.05	25,331	0.67	(45.21)	59.22
Fruits & vegetables	7,821	0.20	8,185	0.23	7,229	0.19	(4.45)	8.19
Others	63,501	1.59	72,194	2.01	58,964	1.56	(12.04)	7.69
Beverages & tobacco mfture.	3,923	0.10	4,999	0.14	3,762	0.10	(21.53)	4.29
Articles of apparel, access.	5,388	0.13	5,197	0.14	4,821	0.13	3.67	11.76
<b>Special Transactions</b>	<b>84,141</b>	<b>2.10</b>	<b>59,920</b>	<b>1.67</b>	<b>108,795</b>	<b>2.88</b>	<b>40.42</b>	<b>(22.66)</b>
Articles temporarily imported & exported	48,638	1.21	40,411	1.13	72,304	1.91	20.36	(32.73)
Others	35,503	0.89	19,509	0.54	36,491	0.97	81.98	(2.71)

*Source:* Economic Indices and Indicators Division  
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*Note:* Components may not add up to total due to rounding.