

Table 3a Philippine Imports by Major Type of Goods
January to April 2005 and 2004
(FOB in U.S. Dollars)

Commodity Group	2005 Jan-Apr	2004 Jan-Apr	Growth Rate (%)
Total Imports	13,076,368,823	13,205,891,118	(0.98)
Capital Goods	4,785,303,989	5,273,473,558	(9.26)
Power Generating & Specialized Machines	669,818,028	685,437,661	(2.28)
Office & EDP Machines	1,071,062,979	1,184,877,936	(9.61)
Telecommunication Eqpt. & Elect. Mach.	2,672,949,788	2,994,184,840	(10.73)
Land transport equipment excluding passenger Cars motorized cycle	196,686,224	183,582,669	7.14
Aircraft, Ships and Boats	42,852,702	63,012,584	(31.99)
Prof.Sci.& Cont. Inst., Photographic Eqpt. & Optical Goods	131,934,268	162,377,868	(18.75)
Raw Materials & Intermediate Goods	4,955,325,252	5,092,852,191	(2.70)
Unprocessed Raw Materials	510,967,302	489,791,557	4.32
Wheat	98,912,667	118,504,319	(16.53)
Corn	4,285,491	3,856,519	11.12
Unmilled cereals excl. rice & corn	1,496,326	1,110,226	34.78
Crude materials, inedible	341,790,182	331,026,705	3.25
Pulp & waste paper	23,401,312	24,883,712	(5.96)
Cotton	17,266,750	19,074,691	(9.48)
Syn. Fibers	30,965,285	32,744,767	(5.43)
Metalliferous ores	159,886,882	114,274,058	39.92
Others	110,269,953	140,049,477	(21.26)
Tobacco, unmanufactured	64,482,636	35,293,788	82.70
Semi-Processed Raw Materials	4,444,357,950	4,603,060,634	(3.45)
Feeding stuffs for animals	104,166,523	139,886,378	(25.53)
Animal & vegetable oils & fats	41,772,968	30,830,665	35.49
Chemical	1,033,771,575	1,012,715,140	2.08
Chemical compounds	261,439,952	223,063,286	17.20
Medicinal & pharmaceutical chem.	144,900,038	132,454,449	9.40
Urea	22,052,411	13,681,214	61.19
Fertilizer excl. urea	26,544,646	29,519,190	(10.08)
Artificial resins	263,313,388	297,034,716	(11.35)
Others	315,521,140	316,962,285	(0.45)
Manufactured goods	1,274,618,500	1,204,901,617	5.79
Paper & paper products	133,521,554	129,327,060	3.24
Textile yarn, fabrics & made-up articles	226,168,471	228,597,321	(1.06)
Non-metallic mineral manufactures	56,210,121	49,860,998	12.73
Iron & steel	532,103,338	478,415,774	11.22
Non-ferrous metals	142,388,419	143,411,541	(0.71)
Metal products	100,592,162	107,438,739	(6.37)
Others	83,634,435	67,850,184	23.26
Embroideries	72,315,062	69,805,397	3.60
Mat/Acc for the mftr. of elect. eqpt.	1,889,648,808	2,125,986,650	(11.12)
Iron ore, not agglomerated	28,064,514	18,934,787	48.22
Mineral Fuels, Lubricant & Related Materials	1,875,177,054	1,371,902,849	36.68
Coal, Coke	42,934,730	29,658,151	44.77
Petroleum crude	1,028,953,805	619,862,755	66.00
Others	803,288,519	722,381,943	11.20
Consumer Goods	1,148,898,244	923,946,610	24.35
Durable	413,366,128	389,714,441	6.07
Passenger cars & motorized cycle	162,242,638	141,355,476	14.78
Home appliances	68,036,909	74,301,499	(8.43)
Misc. manufactures	183,086,581	174,057,466	5.19
Non-Durable	735,532,116	534,232,169	37.68
Food & live animals chiefly for food	695,008,185	485,841,078	43.05
Dairy products	180,196,898	146,201,265	23.25
Fish & fish preparation	15,897,919	9,985,948	59.20
Rice	198,707,902	71,933,892	176.24
Fruits & vegetables	33,674,373	34,337,172	(1.93)
Others	266,531,093	223,382,801	19.32
Beverages & tobacco mfture.	17,636,963	29,490,100	(40.19)
Articles of apparel, access.	22,886,968	18,900,991	21.09
Special Transactions	311,664,284	543,715,910	(42.68)
Articles temporarily imported & exported	176,133,884	386,842,551	(54.47)
Others	135,530,400	156,873,359	(13.61)

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Note: Components may not add up to total due to rounding.