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TABLE 1 Total Trade by Month and Year: 2015 - 2017
(FOB Value in Million U.S. Dollars)

Month/Year	Total Trade	Imports	Exports	Balance of Trade in Goods	Cumulative			Balance of Trade in Goods
					Total Trade	Imports	Exports	
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
January								
2015	10,020	5,663	4,357	(1,306)	10,020	5,663	4,357	(1,306)
2016	11,012	6,825	4,187	(2,638)	11,012	6,825	4,187	(2,638)
2017	12,575	7,444	5,130	(2,314)	12,575	7,444	5,130	(2,314)
February								
2015	10,248	5,735	4,513	(1,221)	20,267	11,397	8,870	(2,527)
2016	9,725	5,414	4,310	(1,104)	20,737	12,239	8,498	(3,742)
March								
2015	11,126	5,691	5,434	(257)	31,393	17,089	14,304	(2,784)
2016	10,969	6,358	4,611	(1,747)	31,706	18,597	13,109	(5,488)
April								
2015	9,487	5,053	4,434	(619)	40,880	22,142	18,738	(3,403)
2016	10,814	6,560	4,254	(2,306)	42,520	25,157	17,363	(7,794)
May								
2015	9,734	4,834	4,899	65	50,614	26,976	23,638	(3,338)
2016	11,451	6,736	4,715	(2,021)	53,971	31,893	22,078	(9,816)
June								
2015	11,305	5,941	5,364	(577)	61,918	32,917	29,002	(3,915)
2016	11,607	6,853	4,754	(2,098)	65,579	38,746	26,832	(11,914)
July								
2015	12,216	6,846	5,371	(1,475)	74,135	39,762	34,372	(5,390)
2016	11,405	6,732	4,673	(2,058)	76,983	45,478	31,505	(13,972)
August								
2015	11,304	6,176	5,128	(1,048)	85,439	45,938	39,500	(6,438)
2016	11,901	6,927	4,975	(1,952)	88,884	52,404	36,480	(15,924)
September								
2015	11,215	6,255	4,960	(1,296)	96,653	52,193	44,460	(7,734)
2016	12,311	7,101	5,211	(1,890)	101,196	59,505	41,691	(17,814)
October								
2015	11,124	6,534	4,590	(1,944)	107,777	58,728	49,050	(9,678)
2016	11,859	6,921	4,938	(1,983)	113,055	66,426	46,629	(19,797)
November								
2015	11,212	6,095	5,118	(977)	118,990	64,822	54,168	(10,654)
2016	12,030	7,298	4,732	(2,566)	125,085	73,724	51,361	(22,363)
December								
2015	10,905	6,245	4,660	(1,586)	129,894	71,067	58,827	(12,240)
2016	12,061	7,110	4,952	(2,158)	137,146	80,834	56,313	(24,521)

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TABLE 2 Total Growth Rate by Month and Year: 2015 - 2017

Month/Year	Total Trade	Imports	Exports	Balance of Trade in Goods	Cumulative			Balance of Trade in Goods
					Total Trade	Imports	Exports	
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
January								
2015	(3.3)	(5.7)	(0.0)	(20.8)	(3.3)	(5.7)	(0.0)	(20.8)
2016	9.9	20.5	(3.9)	102.0	9.9	20.5	(3.9)	102.0
2017	14.2	9.1	22.5	(12.3)	14.2	9.1	22.5	(12.3)
February								
2015	7.8	18.1	(3.0)	496.1	2.0	4.9	(1.5)	36.3
2016	(5.1)	(5.6)	(4.5)	(9.6)	2.3	7.4	(4.2)	48.1
March								
2015	3.5	3.7	3.1	18.4	2.5	4.5	0.2	34.5
2016	(1.4)	11.7	(15.1)	579.1	1.0	8.8	(8.4)	97.1
April								
2015	(4.5)	(5.8)	(2.8)	(22.9)	0.8	2.0	(0.5)	18.5
2016	14.0	29.8	(4.1)	272.5	4.0	13.6	(7.3)	129.0
May								
2015	(11.5)	(4.6)	(17.4)	(92.5)	(1.8)	0.7	(4.6)	66.1
2016	17.6	39.3	(3.8)	(3,212.1)	6.6	18.2	(6.6)	194.0
June								
2015	9.9	23.0	(1.8)	(191.1)	0.1	4.1	(4.1)	184.2
2016	2.7	15.4	(11.4)	263.8	5.9	17.7	(7.5)	204.3
July								
2015	11.2	23.0	(1.0)	961.6	1.8	7.0	(3.6)	255.4
2016	(6.6)	(1.7)	(13.0)	39.5	3.8	14.4	(8.3)	159.2
August								
2015	(0.1)	5.7	(6.3)	180.8	1.5	6.8	(4.0)	240.7
2016	5.3	12.2	(3.0)	86.2	4.0	14.1	(7.6)	147.3
September								
2015	(3.6)	8.2	(15.2)	(2,145.7)	0.9	6.9	(5.4)	323.4
2016	9.8	13.5	5.1	45.9	4.7	14.0	(6.2)	130.3
October								
2015	3.6	16.9	(10.8)	340.7	1.2	8.0	(5.9)	326.8
2016	6.6	5.9	7.6	2.0	4.9	13.1	(4.9)	104.6
November								
2015	4.7	10.1	(1.1)	170.3	1.5	8.2	(5.5)	305.3
2016	7.3	19.7	(7.5)	162.6	5.1	13.7	(5.2)	109.9
December								
2015	6.2	14.2	(3.0)	137.5	1.9	8.7	(5.3)	271.3
2016	10.6	13.8	6.3	36.1	5.6	13.7	(4.3)	100.3

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TABLE 3 Philippine Imports from all Countries by Commodity Group
January 2017 and 2016
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Commodity Group	2017		2016		Growth Rate %
	January ^p	% Share	January ^r	% Share	
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	
TOTAL	7,444.18	100.0	6,825.21	100.0	9.1
1 Electronic Products 1/	1,864.90	25.1	2,225.17	32.6	(16.2)
a) Components/Devices (Semiconductors)	1,254.34	16.9	1,538.61	22.5	(18.5)
b) Electronic Data Processing	256.31	3.4	278.06	4.1	(7.8)
c) Office Equipment	14.96	0.2	12.13	0.2	23.3
d) Consumer Electronics	86.72	1.2	60.57	0.9	43.2
e) Telecommunication	77.61	1.0	184.44	2.7	(57.9)
f) Communication/Radar	119.61	1.6	98.04	1.4	22.0
g) Control and Instrumentation	36.97	0.5	33.19	0.5	11.4
h) Medical/Industrial Instrumentation	14.87	0.2	18.57	0.3	(20.0)
i) Automotive Electronics	3.51	0.0	1.57	0.0	123.8
2 Mineral Fuels, Lubricants and Related Materials	997.89	13.4	699.23	10.2	42.7
3 Transport Equipment	627.50	8.4	693.43	10.2	(9.5)
4 Industrial Machinery and Equipment	470.35	6.3	423.21	6.2	11.1
5 Iron and Steel	362.34	4.9	201.68	3.0	79.7
6 Other Food & Live Animals	238.12	3.2	209.93	3.1	13.4
7 Miscellaneous Manufactured Articles	237.14	3.2	184.36	2.7	28.6
8 Telecommunication Equipment and Electrical Machinery 2/	217.33	2.9	175.32	2.6	24.0
9 Plastics in Primary and Non-Primary Forms	196.41	2.6	159.28	2.3	23.3
10 Cereals and Cereal Preparations	184.48	2.5	141.27	2.1	30.6
TOP TEN IMPORTS TOTAL	5,396.46	72.5	5,112.90	74.9	5.5
11 Metal Products	151.98	2.0	141.76	2.1	7.2
12 Power Generating and Specialized Machinery	132.59	1.8	99.91	1.5	32.7
13 Medicinal and Pharmaceutical Products	132.39	1.8	124.68	1.8	6.2
14 Textile Yarn, Fabrics, Made-Up Articles and Related Products 3/	117.52	1.6	91.51	1.3	28.4
15 Organic and Inorganic Chemicals	113.36	1.5	119.50	1.8	(5.1)
16 Non-Metallic Mineral Manufactures	110.75	1.5	79.25	1.2	39.8
17 Non-Ferrous Metal	107.45	1.4	76.57	1.1	40.3
18 Paper and Paper Products	103.58	1.4	75.18	1.1	37.8
19 Chemical Materials and Products, n.e.s.	100.34	1.3	92.94	1.4	8.0
20 Other chemicals	92.72	1.2	71.60	1.0	29.5
21 Professional, Scientific and Controlling Instruments; Photographic and Optical Goods, n.e.s.; Watches and Clocks	92.29	1.2	64.00	0.9	44.2
22 Animal & Vegetable Oils & Fats	84.11	1.1	64.88	1.0	29.6
23 Feeding Stuff For Animals (Not Including Unmilled Cereals)	81.13	1.1	110.27	1.6	(26.4)
24 Dairy Products	67.38	0.9	57.19	0.8	17.8
25 Fertilizers, Manufactured	62.27	0.8	36.85	0.5	69.0
26 Other Manufactured Goods	62.04	0.8	39.55	0.6	56.9
27 Fruits and Vegetables	60.78	0.8	53.64	0.8	13.3
28 Other Crude Materials, inedible	52.84	0.7	46.99	0.7	12.5
29 Fish & Fish Preparations	48.81	0.7	30.93	0.5	57.8
30 Rubber Manufacture	42.40	0.6	38.32	0.6	10.6
31 Articles of Apparel, accessories	41.71	0.6	36.32	0.5	14.8
32 Dyeing, Tanning and Coloring Materials	36.51	0.5	36.25	0.5	0.7
33 Metalliferous Ores and Metal Scrap	27.76	0.4	20.29	0.3	36.8
34 Home Appliances	27.52	0.4	22.20	0.3	24.0
35 Beverages and Tobacco Manufactures	21.86	0.3	12.54	0.2	74.3
36 Corn	14.46	0.2	12.30	0.2	17.5
37 Tobacco, unmanufactured	11.72	0.2	9.25	0.1	26.7
38 Textiles Fiber & Their Waste	11.32	0.2	9.24	0.1	22.5
39 Pulp & Waste Paper	5.62	0.1	6.02	0.1	(6.6)
40 Other Special Transactions	4.31	0.1	6.45	0.1	(33.2)
41 Articles of Temporarily Imported & Exported	3.73	0.1	5.93	0.1	(37.1)
42 Office and EDP Machines	1.55	0.0	0.55	0.0	182.4
43 Artificial Resins	0.25	0.0	0.14	0.0	78.5
44 Chemical Compounds	0.01	0.0	0.04	0.0	(71.9)
45 Iron Ore, not agglomerated	0.00	-	0.00	-	
46 Other Mineral Fuels & Lubricant	0.00	-	0.00	-	
47 Others	22.63	0.3	19.25	0.3	17.6

1/ includes consigned and direct importation using the expanded coverage of electronic products

2/ includes telecommunications and sound recording and reproducing apparatus and equipment

3/ includes on consignment and not on consignment

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TABLE 4 Philippine Imports by Major Type of Goods
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Major Type of Goods	2017		2016		Growth Rate %
	January ^p	% Share	January ^r	% Share	
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	
Total Imports	7,444,179	100.0	6,825,209	100.0	9.1
Capital Goods	2,299,220	30.9	2,582,414	37.8	(11.0)
Power Generating and Specialized Machines	602,937	8.1	522,500	7.7	15.4
Office and EDP Machines	256,394	3.4	290,613	4.3	(11.8)
Telecommunication Eqpt. and Elect. Mach.	1,059,658	14.2	1,304,121	19.1	(18.7)
Land Transport Eqpt. excl. Passenger Cars and Motorized cycle	173,017	2.3	166,248	2.4	4.1
Aircraft, Ships and Boats	78,016	1.0	202,794	3.0	(61.5)
Prof. Sci. and Cont. Inst., Photographic Eqpt. and Optical Goods	129,199	1.7	96,138	1.4	34.4
Raw Materials and Intermediate Goods	2,839,748	38.1	2,465,585	36.1	15.2
Unprocessed Raw Materials	231,518	3.1	175,755	2.6	31.7
Wheat	105,400	1.4	70,218	1.0	50.1
Corn	16,448	0.2	12,928	0.2	27.2
Unmilled cereals excl. rice and corn	402	0.0	821	0.0	(51.0)
Crude materials, inedible	97,542	1.3	82,537	1.2	18.2
Pulp and waste paper	5,622	0.1	6,018	0.1	(6.6)
Cotton	2,749	0.0	1,379	0.0	99.4
Syn. Fibers	6,732	0.1	4,579	0.1	47.0
Metalliferous ores	27,758	0.4	20,288	0.3	36.8
Others	54,682	0.7	50,272	0.7	8.8
Tobacco, unmanufactured	11,725	0.2	9,252	0.1	26.7
Semi-Processed Raw Materials	2,608,230	35.0	2,289,830	33.5	13.9
Feeding stuffs for animals	81,133	1.1	110,270	1.6	(26.4)
Animal and vegetable oils and fats	84,113	1.1	64,883	1.0	29.6
Chemical	734,224	9.9	641,279	9.4	14.5
Chemical compounds	113,336	1.5	119,539	1.8	(5.2)
Medicinal and pharmaceutical chem.	132,385	1.8	124,675	1.8	6.2
Urea	35,341	0.5	15,324	0.2	130.6
Fertilizer excl. urea	26,933	0.4	21,529	0.3	25.1
Artificial resins	196,662	2.6	159,423	2.3	23.4
Others	229,566	3.1	200,789	2.9	14.3
Manufactured goods	1,057,550	14.2	735,833	10.8	43.7
Paper and paper products	103,209	1.4	73,542	1.1	40.3
Textile yarn, fabrics and made-up articles	117,369	1.6	85,154	1.2	37.8
Non-metallic mineral manufactures	110,753	1.5	79,248	1.2	39.8
Iron and steel	362,345	4.9	201,680	3.0	79.7
Non-ferrous metals	107,450	1.4	76,570	1.1	40.3
Metal products	151,980	2.0	141,762	2.1	7.2
Others	104,444	1.4	77,876	1.1	34.1
Embroideries	155	0.0	6,356	0.1	(97.6)
Mat/Acc for the mfr. of elect. eqpt.	651,055	8.7	731,210	10.7	(11.0)
Iron ore, not agglomerated	-	-	-	-	-
Mineral Fuels, Lubricant and Related Materials	997,891	13.4	699,231	10.2	42.7
Coal, Coke	116,639	1.6	64,811	0.9	80.0
Petroleum crude	413,931	5.6	330,253	4.8	25.3
Others	467,322	6.3	304,168	4.5	53.6
Consumer Goods	1,274,319	17.1	1,038,077	15.2	22.8
Durable	718,964	9.7	567,917	8.3	26.6
Passenger cars and motorized cycle	376,806	5.1	324,583	4.8	16.1
Home appliances	59,815	0.8	48,224	0.7	24.0
Misc. manufactures	282,343	3.8	195,109	2.9	44.7
Non-Durable	555,355	7.5	470,160	6.9	18.1
Food and live animals chiefly for food	491,779	6.6	421,299	6.2	16.7
Dairy products	67,380	0.9	57,192	0.8	17.8
Fish and fish preparation	48,814	0.7	30,927	0.5	57.8
Rice	48,975	0.7	45,500	0.7	7.6
Fruits and vegetables	60,776	0.8	53,640	0.8	13.3
Others	265,833	3.6	234,040	3.4	13.6
Beverages and tobacco mfture.	21,865	0.3	12,542	0.2	74.3
Articles of apparel, access.	41,711	0.6	36,319	0.5	14.8
Special Transactions	33,001	0.4	39,901	0.6	(17.3)
Articles temporarily imported and exported	3,731	0.1	5,928	0.1	(37.1)
Others	29,270	0.4	33,973	0.5	(13.8)

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TABLE 5 Philippine Imports from the Top Ten Countries: January 2017 and 2016
(FOB Value in Million U.S.Dollars)

Country	2017		2016		Growth Rate (%)
	January ^p	% Share	January ^r	% Share	
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
Total Imports	7,444.18	100.0	6,825.21	100.0	9.1
Top 10 Countries Total	5,830.31	78.3	5,209.41	76.3	11.9
1 China, People's Republic of	1,551.55	20.8	1,228.02	18.0	26.3
2 Japan ^{1/}	806.11	10.8	727.78	10.7	10.8
3 Korea, Republic of	589.68	7.9	492.69	7.2	19.7
4 United States Of America ^{2/}	564.61	7.6	606.53	8.9	(6.9)
5 Thailand	533.77	7.2	491.24	7.2	8.7
6 Singapore	452.84	6.1	437.23	6.4	3.6
7 Taiwan	399.91	5.4	464.84	6.8	(14.0)
8 Indonesia	396.96	5.3	241.40	3.5	64.4
9 Malaysia ^{3/}	271.42	3.6	279.30	4.1	(2.8)
10 Hong Kong	263.46	3.5	240.40	3.5	9.6
Other Countries	1,613.86	21.7	1,615.80	23.7	(0.1)
11 Vietnam	212.81	2.9	159.93	2.3	33.1
12 Saudi Arabia	187.71	2.5	161.98	2.4	15.9
13 Germany	143.40	1.9	135.41	2.0	5.9
14 India	99.08	1.3	134.87	2.0	(26.5)
15 Australia	94.08	1.3	45.45	0.7	107.0
16 Kuwait	78.96	1.1	104.19	1.5	(24.2)
17 United Arab Emirates	70.24	0.9	34.83	0.5	101.6
18 France	67.55	0.9	186.06	2.7	(63.7)
19 Qatar	61.95	0.8	2.06	0.0	2,912.1
20 Netherlands	53.11	0.7	43.78	0.6	21.3
21 Others	544.97	7.3	607.25	8.9	(10.3)

1/ includes Okinawa

2/ includes Alaska and Hawaii

3/ includes Sabah and Sarawak

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TABLE 6 Philippine Imports Performance by Selected Economic Bloc: January 2017 and 2016
(FOB Value in Million U.S. Dollars)

Economic Bloc	2017		2016		Growth Rate (%)
	January ^p	% Share	January ^r	% Share	
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	
Total Imports	7,444.18	100.0	6,825.21	100.0	9.1
1 East Asia ^{1/}	3,612.73	48.5	3,160.65	46.3	14.3
2 A S E A N ^{2/}	1,874.24	25.2	1,613.67	23.6	16.1
3 United States of America ^{3/}	564.61	7.6	606.53	8.9	(6.9)
4 European Union (EU) ^{4/}	488.56	6.6	671.35	9.8	(27.2)
5 Others	904.03	12.1	773.02	11.3	16.9

1/ includes China, Hong Kong, Japan, Macau, Mongolia, N. Korea, S. Korea, Taiwan

2/ includes Brunei Darussalam, Cambodia, Indonesia, Laos, Malaysia, Myanmar, Singapore, Thailand, Vietnam

3/ includes Alaska and Hawaii

4/ includes Austria, Belgium, Bulgaria, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Ireland, Italy, Latvia, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta, Netherlands, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden and UK Great Britain

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TABLE 7 Balance of Trade by Major Trading Partners: January 2017
 (FOB Value in Million U.S. Dollars)

Country	Total Trade	Imports ^p	Exports ^p	Balance of Trade in Goods
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
Total	12,574.57	7,444.18	5,130.39	(2,313.78)
1 China, People's Republic of	2,052.75	1,551.55	501.20	(1,050.35)
2 Japan 1/	1,693.79	806.11	887.68	81.57
3 United States Of America 2/	1,411.68	564.61	847.07	282.46
4 Korea, Republic of	812.78	589.68	223.11	(366.57)
5 Hong Kong	793.11	263.46	529.64	266.18
6 Singapore	778.26	452.84	325.41	(127.43)
7 Thailand	740.33	533.77	206.56	(327.21)
8 Taiwan	571.65	399.91	171.74	(228.17)
9 Indonesia	448.87	396.96	51.91	(345.04)
10 Malaysia 3/	381.72	271.42	110.30	(161.12)
11 Germany	358.04	143.40	214.64	71.23
12 Netherlands	311.27	53.11	258.15	205.04
13 Vietnam	266.29	212.81	53.48	(159.33)
14 Saudi Arabia	193.76	187.71	6.05	(181.67)
15 France	144.33	67.55	76.78	9.23
16 Malta	131.99	0.05	131.94	131.89
17 India	130.90	99.08	31.82	(67.27)
18 Italy	123.85	38.41	85.44	47.02
19 Australia	120.55	94.08	26.48	(67.60)
20 United Arab Emirates	93.71	70.24	23.47	(46.76)
21 Others	1,014.93	647.41	367.51	(279.90)

1/ includes Okinawa

2/ includes Alaska and Hawaii

3/ includes Sabah and Sarawak

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TABLE 8 Balance of Trade by Selected Economic Bloc: January 2017
(FOB Value in Million U.S. Dollars)

Economic Bloc	Total Trade	Imports ^p	Exports ^p	Balance of Trade in Goods
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
Total	12,574.57	7,444.18	5,130.39	(2,313.78)
1 East Asia	5,927.85	3,612.73	2,315.12	(1,297.62)
2 A S E A N	2,625.79	1,874.24	751.54	(1,122.70)
3 United States of America	1,411.68	564.61	847.07	282.46
4 European Union (EU)	1,385.26	488.56	896.69	408.13
5 Others	1,224.00	904.03	319.97	(1,224.00)

1/ includes China, Hong Kong, Japan, Macau, Mongolia, N. Korea, S. Korea, Taiwan

2/ includes Brunei Darusalam, Cambodia, Indonesia, Laos, Malaysia, Myanmar, Singapore, Thailand, Vietnam

3/ includes Alaska & Hawaii

4/ includes Austria, Belgium, Bulgaria, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Ireland, Italy, Latvia, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta, Netherlands, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Latvia, and UK Great Britain & N. Ireland

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