TABLE 2A. Philippine Imports from all Countries
January to May 2004 and January to May 2003
(F.O.B. Value in U.S. Dollars)

Commodity Group	2004 January - May	2003   January - May	Growth   Rate
1 Electronic Products 1/	7,511,423,451	7,072,425,978	6.21
2 Mineral Fuels, Lubricants and Related Materials	1,736,458,116	1,774,116,250	(2.12
3 Office and EDP Machines	2,563,774	2,512,794	2.03
4 Telecommunication Equipment and Electrical Machinery 3/	374,946,991	346,214,162	8.30
5 Industrial Machinery and Equipment	749,223,807	635,395,749	17.91
6 Transport Equipment	479,424,032	598,240,974	(19.86
7 Textile Yarn, Fabrics, Made-Up Articles and Related Products 2/	388,277,441	453,411,490	(14.37
8 Cereals and Cereal Preparations	280,097,483	280,568,549	(0.17
9 Organic and Inorganic Chemical	276,907,575	314,038,828	(11.82
O Plastics in Primary and Non-Primary Forms	377,836,303	313,812,834	20.40
1 Iron and Steel	586,585,852	533,828,875	9.88
2 Dairy Products	190,952,010	158,895,780	20.1
3 Chemical Materials and Products, n.e.s.	176,825,411	168,162,982	5.1
4 Medicinal and Pharmaceutical Products	169,438,806	169,915,168	(0.28
5 Non-Ferrous Metal	181,161,309	160,057,994	13.1
6 Miscellaneous Manufactured Articles	155,289,548	163,852,248	(5.2
7 Feeding Stuff For Animals (Not Including Unmilled Cereals)	186,566,447	97,809,482	90.7
8 Paper and Paper Products	163,425,372	156,871,491	4.18
9 Professional, Scientific and Controlling Instruments;			
Photographic and Optical goods, n.e.s.	160 000 000	100 006 416	00.1
watches and clock	163,027,372	127,226,416	28.14
0 Power Generating and Specialized Machinery	102,421,561	115,518,528	(11.34
1 Metal Products	132,037,349	131,687,657	0.2
2 Dyeing, Tanning and Coloring Materials	83,252,658	81,916,832	1.63
3 Non-Metallic Mineral Manufactures	62,898,814	64,846,857	(3.00
4 Fertilizers, Manufactured	66,185,385	75,435,076	(12.26
5 Rubber Manufacture	46,799,350		(12.7
6 Textiles Fiber & Their Waste	68,267,313	58,096,522	17.5
7 Metalliferous Ores and Metal Scrap		158,241,624	(16.28
8 Others	1,634,579,702	1,412,590,972	15.72

Source: Economic Indices and Indicators Division Industry and Trade Statistics Department

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Notes: 1 Includes consigned and direct importation using the expanded coverage of electronic products

<sup>2</sup> Includes consigned and direct importation

<sup>3</sup> Includes telecommunications and sound recording and reproducing apparatus and equipment