

Table 3a Philippine Imports by Major Type of Goods  
January to May 2007 and 2006  
(FOB in U.S. Dollars)

Commodity Group	2007 Jan-May	2006 Jan-May	Growth Rate (%)
<b>Total Imports</b>	<b>20,608,356,393</b>	<b>20,213,555,020</b>	<b>1.95</b>
<b>Capital Goods</b>	<b>5,889,495,563</b>	<b>6,466,487,586</b>	<b>(8.92)</b>
Power Generating & Specialized Machines	877,448,551	899,588,411	(2.46)
Office & EDP Machines	1,234,843,843	1,211,798,580	1.90
Telecommunication Eqpt. & Elect. Mach.	3,138,507,057	3,796,336,524	(17.33)
Land transport equipment excluding passenger Cars motorized cycle	250,292,391	256,841,555	(2.55)
Aircraft, Ships and Boats	187,853,254	126,082,895	48.99
Prof.Sci.& Cont. Inst., Photographic Eqpt. & Optical Goods	200,550,467	175,839,621	14.05
<b>Raw Materials &amp; Intermediate Goods</b>	<b>9,454,550,703</b>	<b>8,583,986,374</b>	<b>10.14</b>
Unprocessed Raw Materials	664,477,469	615,365,808	7.98
Wheat	150,023,683	213,512,018	(29.74)
Corn	7,751,493	30,627,324	(74.69)
Unmilled cereals excl. rice & corn	2,293,573	2,099,020	9.27
Crude materials, inedible	434,598,581	321,343,026	35.24
Pulp & waste paper	28,820,926	27,933,524	3.18
Cotton	9,641,694	13,303,157	(27.52)
Syn. Fibers	30,296,469	28,482,180	6.37
Metalliferous ores	170,755,797	92,925,219	83.76
Others	195,083,695	158,698,946	22.93
Tobacco, unmanufactured	69,810,139	47,784,420	46.09
Semi-Processed Raw Materials	8,790,073,234	7,968,620,566	10.31
Feeding stuffs for animals	200,709,733	183,309,438	9.49
Animal & vegetable oils & fats	76,445,765	64,312,359	18.87
Chemical	1,558,702,712	1,466,292,280	6.30
Chemical compounds	425,072,455	360,717,882	17.84
Medicinal & pharmaceutical chem.	251,822,703	213,377,204	18.02
Urea	44,438,810	42,303,057	5.05
Fertilizer excl. urea	46,711,187	56,426,024	(17.22)
Artificial resins	376,499,329	382,951,458	(1.68)
Others	414,158,228	410,516,655	0.89
Manufactured goods	1,638,872,304	1,592,399,617	2.92
Paper & paper products	194,196,824	183,620,996	5.76
Textile yarn, fabrics & made-up articles	370,100,857	371,296,368	(0.32)
Non-metallic mineral manufactures	80,895,295	81,896,308	(1.22)
Iron & steel	443,603,843	466,942,996	(5.00)
Non-ferrous metals	240,985,580	236,331,694	1.97
Metal products	201,164,271	148,228,365	35.71
Others	107,925,634	104,082,890	3.69
Embroideries	98,210,805	97,615,541	0.61
Mat/Acc for the mftr. of elect. eqpt.	5,166,262,517	4,533,305,891	13.96
Iron ore, not agglomerated	50,869,398	31,385,440	62.08
<b>Mineral Fuels, Lubricant &amp; Related Materials</b>	<b>3,385,853,438</b>	<b>3,274,462,291</b>	<b>3.40</b>
Coal, Coke	106,701,031	95,116,129	12.18
Petroleum crude	1,871,698,911	1,957,476,375	(4.38)
Others	1,407,453,496	1,221,869,787	15.19
Consumer Goods	1,617,492,536	1,507,404,975	7.30
Durable	731,366,064	578,816,292	26.36
Passenger cars & motorized cycle	370,059,442	248,316,243	49.03
Home appliances	84,852,633	73,477,378	15.48
Misc. manufactures	276,453,989	257,022,671	7.56
Non-Durable	886,126,472	928,588,683	(4.57)
Food & live animals chiefly for food	833,010,341	864,551,928	(3.65)
Dairy products	229,602,036	196,113,353	17.08
Fish & fish preparation	31,738,287	25,084,042	26.53
Rice	134,311,949	271,349,093	(50.50)
Fruits & vegetables	65,154,714	59,883,903	8.80
Others	372,203,355	312,121,537	19.25
Beverages & tobacco mfture.	17,810,977	26,468,543	(32.71)
Articles of apparel, access.	35,305,154	37,568,212	(6.02)
<b>Special Transactions</b>	<b>260,964,153</b>	<b>381,213,794</b>	<b>(31.54)</b>
Articles temporarily imported & exported	115,707,139	166,713,801	(30.60)
Others	145,257,014	214,499,993	(32.28)

Source: Foreign Trade Statistics Section  
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Note: Components may not add up to total due to rounding.