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## EXTERNAL TRADE PERFORMANCE

JUNE 2009

(Preliminary)

	2009		2008
	June <sup>p</sup>	May <sup>r</sup>	June <sup>r</sup>
<b>TOTAL IMPORTS</b>			
FOB Value (in Million US Dollars)	4,107.71	3,616.59	5,322.25
Year-on-Year Growth (Percent)	- 22.8	- 24.3	13.1
Month-on-Month Growth (Percent)	13.6	18.9	11.4
<b>Electronic Products</b>			
FOB Value (in Million US Dollars)	1,389.56	1,300.69	1,743.47
Year-on-Year Growth (Percent)	- 20.3	- 12.3	- 20.3
Month-on-Month Growth (Percent)	6.8	40.7	17.6

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### Top 10 Philippine Imports from All Countries: June 2009 (Year-on-Year Growth in Percent)

Gainer	Losers
Medicinal and Pharmaceutical Products	9.0
	Iron and Steel
	Plastics in Primary and Non-Primary Forms
	Industrial Machinery and Equipment
	Mineral Fuels, Lubricants and Related Materials
	Telecommunication Equipment and Electrical Machinery
	Electronic Products
	Organic and Inorganic Chemicals
	Cereals and Cereal Preparations
	Transport Equipment



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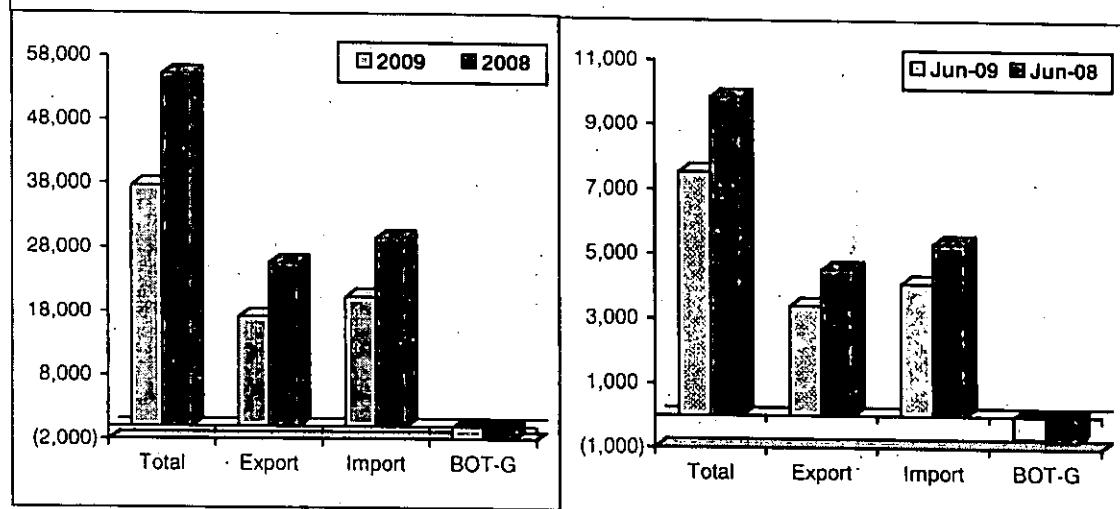
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## JANUARY TO JUNE TOTAL TRADE VALUED AT \$37.586 BILLION

Total external trade in goods for January to June 2009 reached \$37.586 billion, exhibiting a 31.9 percent decline from \$55.188 billion recorded during the same period in 2008. This was attributed to the 31.1 percent decrease of total imports to \$20.365 billion from \$29.565 billion reported in the first six months of 2008. Similarly, total exports went down by 32.8 percent to \$17.221 billion from \$25.623 billion posted in January to June 2008. Thus, the balance of trade in goods (BOT-G) for the Philippines under review registered a \$3.143 billion deficit from \$3.943 billion deficit in the same 6-month period last year.

**Figure 1. Philippine Trade Performance in June: 2009 and 2008**

(F.O.B. Value in Million US Dollars)



## JUNE 2009 IMPORTS DROPPED BY 22.8 PERCENT

Total merchandise trade for June 2008 contracted by 23.7 percent to \$7.514 billion from \$9.849 billion in June 2008. Total exports amounted to \$3.406 billion or 24.8 percent lower from last year's \$4.527 billion. Similarly, the country's total merchandise imports for June 2009 plunged by 22.8 percent to \$4.108 billion from \$5.322 billion in June 2008. However, month-on-month, it appreciated by 13.6 percent from \$3.617 billion recorded in May 2009.

## **ELECTRONIC PRODUCTS ACCOUNTED FOR 33.8 PERCENT OF IMPORT BILL**

Accounting for 33.8 percent of the aggregate import bill, payments for **Electronic Products** (including consigned and direct importation using the expanded coverage of electronic products) in June 2009 amounted to \$1.390 billion. It went down to 20.3 percent over last year's figure of \$1.743 billion. This was due to the 21.2 percent decrease in **Components/Devices (Semiconductors)** which comprised the biggest share of 25.7 percent among the major groups of electronic products. However, electronic products rose by 6.8 percent month-on-month from \$1.301 billion in May 2009.

Imports of **Mineral Fuels, Lubricants and Related Materials** comprising 20.8 percent of the total imports in June 2009 ranked second, valued at \$855.16 million over the previous year's level of \$1.233 billion.

**Cereals and Cereal Preparations**, amounting to \$347.58 million was the RP's third top import for the month with 8.5 percent share to total imports and showed a negative annual growth of 5.3 percent.

Contributing 4.7 percent to the total import bill and RP's fourth top imports in June 2009 was **Transport Equipment** with payments placed at \$193.16 million. The amount diminished by 1.4 percent from last year's recorded value of \$195.80 million.

Fifth in rank and with 3.2 percent share, **Industrial Machinery and Equipment** registered \$132.52 million worth of imports, lower by 31.9 percent from its year ago level of \$194.52 million.

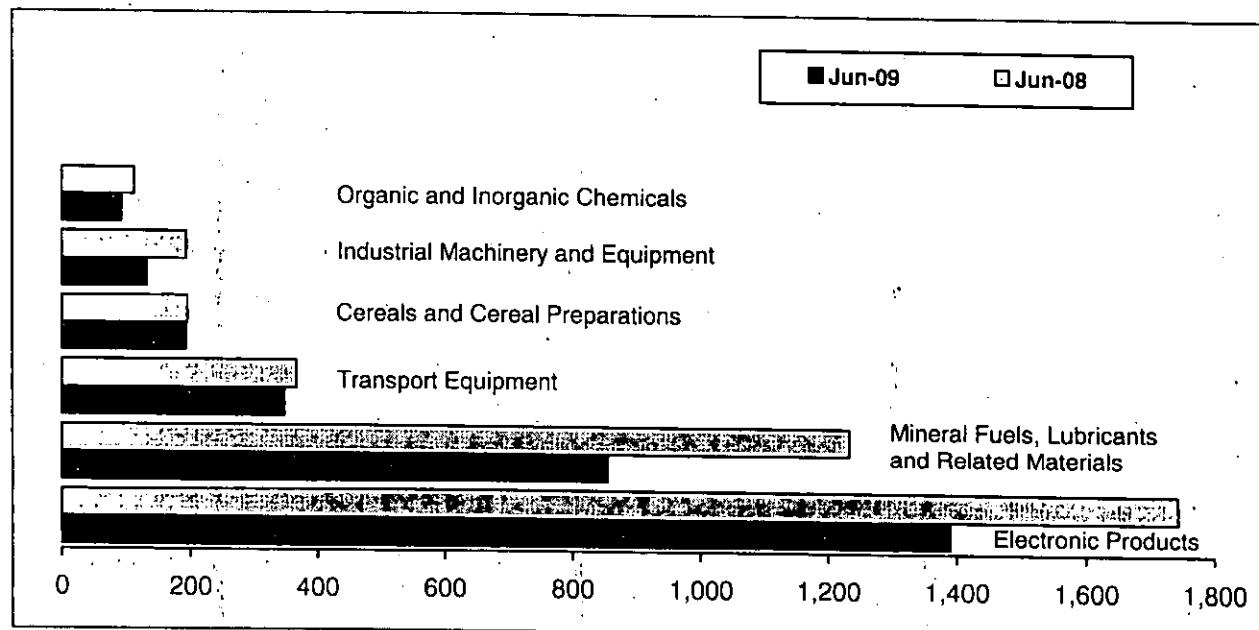
**Organic and Inorganic Chemicals** ranked sixth, representing 2.3 percent of the total imports recorded \$92.99 million worth of imports which decreased by 17.6 percent from its year ago level of \$112.90 million.

Rounding up the list of the top ten imports for June 2009 were **Iron and Steel**, accounting for \$74.44 million and showed the highest annual negative growth of 67.4 percent among the top ten imports; **Medicinal and Pharmaceutical Products** amounting to \$60.42 million and the only commodity group that showed a positive annual increase of 9.0 percent; **Plastics in Primary and Non-Primary Forms** valued at \$58.57 million fell by 46.2 percent; and **Telecommunication Equipment and Electrical Machinery** (including

telecommunications and sound recording and reproducing apparatus and equipment) worth \$54.97 million surged by 23.1 percent.

Aggregate payment for the country's top ten imports for June 2009 reached \$3.259 billion or 79.4 percent of the total import bill.

**Figure 2. Philippine Top Six Imports in June 2009 and 2008**  
(F.O.B. Value in Million US Dollars)



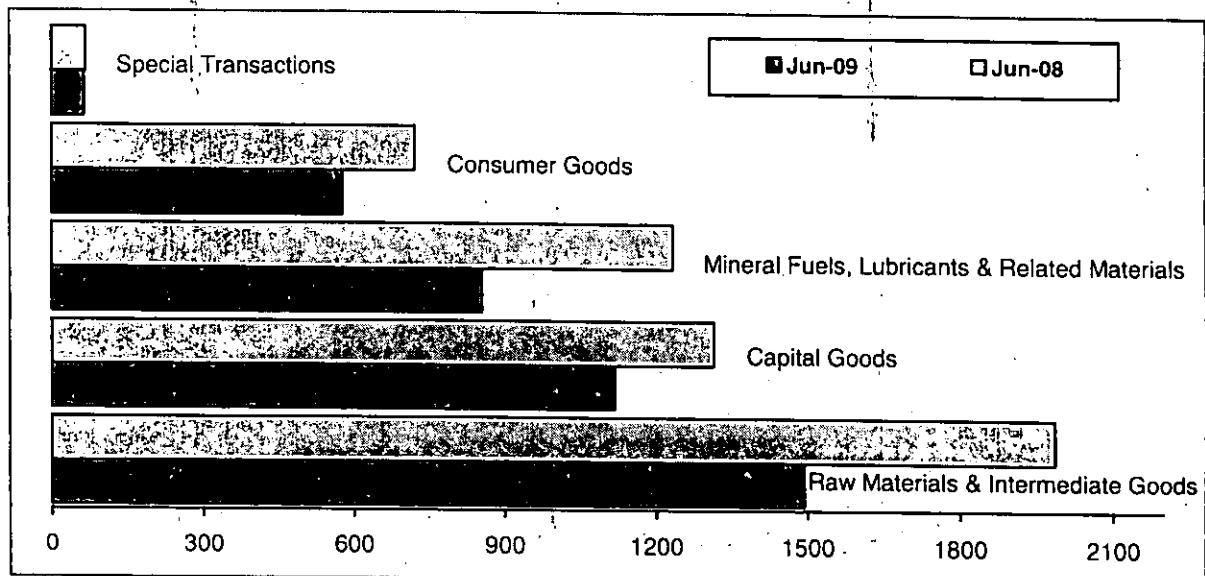
#### **RAW MATERIALS AND INTERMEDIATE GOODS ACCOUNTED FOR 36.3 PERCENT OF THE TOTAL IMPORTS**

Accounting for 36.3 percent of the total imports, payments in June 2009 for **Raw Materials and Intermediate Goods** amounted to \$1.493 billion or 24.8 percent decline over last year's figure of \$1.985 billion. Compared to the previous month's level, purchases went up by 3.8 percent from \$1.438 billion. **Semi-Processed Raw Materials** having the biggest share of 31.1 percent and valued at \$1.279 billion decreased by 30.5 percent from \$1.838 billion level a year ago.

**Capital Goods**, contributing 27.2 percent to the total imports, plummeted by 15.1 percent year-on-year to \$1.117 billion from \$1.315 billion. Similarly, **Mineral Fuels, Lubricants and Related Materials** with 20.8 percent share, declined by 30.6 percent to \$855.16 million from \$1.233 billion in June 2008.

Purchases of Consumer Goods amounted to \$578.11 million or a negative growth of 19.9 percent from \$721.90 million in June 2008, while Special Transactions dropped by 4.2 percent to \$64.48 million from \$67.32 million in June 2008.

**Figure 3. Philippine Imports by Major Type of Goods in June: 2009 and 2008**  
(F.O.B. Value in Million US Dollars)



#### JAPAN ACCOUNTED FOR 11.9 PERCENT OF IMPORT BILL

Japan (including Okinawa) was the country's biggest source of imports for June 2009 with 11.9 percent share, recorded payments worth \$486.92 million, a decline of 21.2 percent year on year from \$617.57 million. Revenue from the country's exports to Japan, on the other hand, reached \$578.64 million, generating a total trade value of \$1.066 billion and \$91.73 million trade surplus for the Philippines.

United States of America (USA) which includes Alaska and Hawaii with 11.2 percent share of the total import bill amounting to \$458.00 million followed as the second biggest source of imports for June 2009. This value is lower by 24.0 percent from \$602.58 million in June 2008. Exports to USA amounted to \$607.96 million, yielding a two-way trade value of \$1.066 billion and a trade surplus for RP of \$149.96 million.

**People's Republic of China**, came third, accounting for 7.8 percent share of the total import bill in June 2009 went down by 22.5 percent to \$319.74 million from \$412.55 million during the same month in 2008. Exports to **People's Republic of China** amounted to \$274.31 million resulting to a total trade value of \$594.06 million and a trade deficit of \$45.43 million.

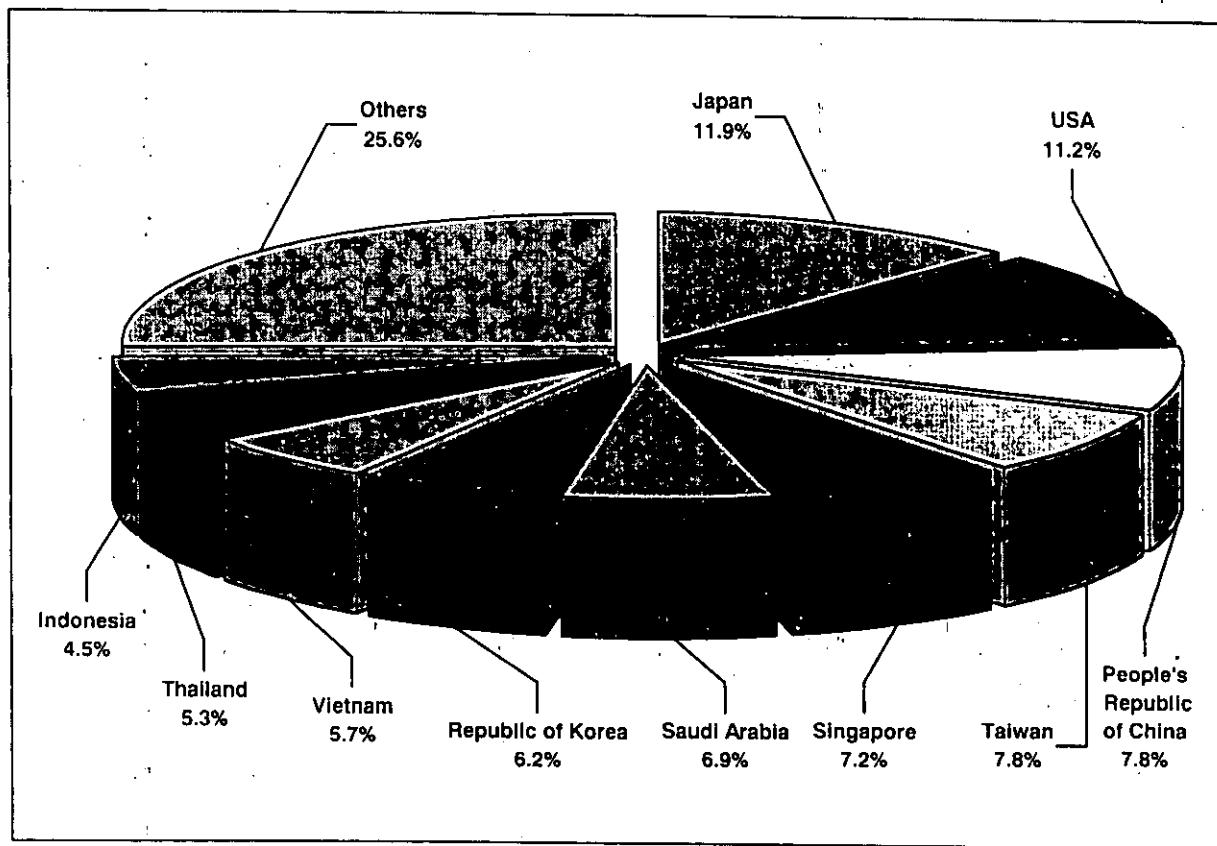
Rank fourth in June 2009 and with 7.8 percent share was **Taiwan** valued at \$319.12 million. This amount slightly grew by 0.9 percent from \$316.39 million posted in June 2008. Exports to **Taiwan** amounted to \$118.18 million resulting to a total trade value of \$437.31 million and a trade deficit of \$200.94 million.

Fifth in rank is **Singapore**, representing 7.2 percent of the total import bill in June 2009, amounting to \$294.16 million. Meanwhile, export receipts from **Singapore** in June 2009 reached \$248.74 million yielding a total trade value of \$542.90 million and a trade deficit of \$45.42 million.

Other major sources of imports for the month of June 2009 were **Saudi Arabia**, \$284.37 million; **Republic of Korea**, \$254.04 million; **Vietnam**, \$235.32 million; **Thailand**, \$218.45 million; and **Malaysia**, \$186.32 million.

Payments for imports from the top ten sources for June 2009 amounted to \$3.056 billion or 74.4 percent of the total.

Figure 4. Philippine Imports by Country in June: 2009



#### IMPORTS FROM EASTERN ASIA WORTH \$1.510 BILLION

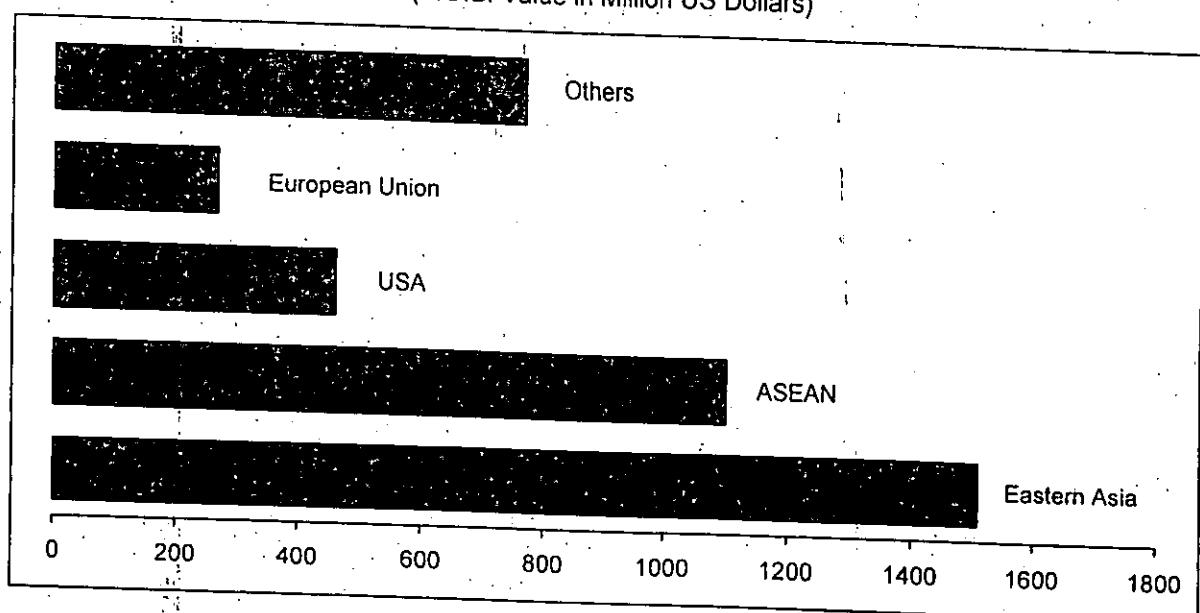
Philippines total imports in June 2009 with **Eastern Asia** which includes China, Hongkong, Macau, Japan, Taiwan, North Korea, South Korea and Mongolia grossed to \$1.509 billion or 36.8 percent. Exports to member-countries of **Eastern Asia** was valued at \$1.402 billion, resulting to a total trade of \$2.911 billion and a balance of trade in goods (BOT-G) deficit of \$108.29 million.

June 2009 Imports to **ASEAN** member-countries amounted to \$1.102 billion or 26.8 percent. Exports to **ASEAN** member-countries worth \$520.17 million, resulting to a total trade of \$1.622 billion and trade deficit of \$581.68 million.

Imports to **European Union** in June 2009 valued at \$269.35 million while exports to member-countries of European Union was worth \$645.28 million. This aggregate to total trade of \$914.63 million and a trade surplus of \$375.93 million.

**Figure 5. Philippine Imports by Selected Economic Bloc in June: 2009**

(F.O.B. Value in Million US Dollars)



**Technical Notes:**

1. Adjustments on electronic import statistics are based on the transactions that pass through the Automated Cargo Operating System (ACOS) of the Bureau of Customs (BOC).
2. Starting with the February 2007 Press Release, analysis and tables are based on the 2004 Philippine Standard Commodity Classification (PSCC) groupings. This is in compliance with NSCB Resolution No. 03, Series of 2005 entitled "Approving and Adopting the 2004 Philippine Standard Commodity Classification" by all concerned government agencies and instrumentalities.

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**Table 1 Total Trade by Month and Year: 2009 - 2007**  
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Month/Year	Total Trade	Imports	Exports	Balance of Trade	Cumulative			Balance of Trade
					Total Trade	Imports	Exports	
<b>January</b>								
2007	7,896	3,904	3,992	88	7,896	3,904	3,992	88
2008	9,226	4,996	4,231	(765)	9,226	4,996	4,231	(765)
2009	5,781	3,270	2,511	(759)	5,781	3,270	2,511	(759)
<b>February</b>								
2007	7,411	3,690	3,721	31	15,307	7,594	7,713	119
2008	8,603	4,491	4,112	(379)	17,830	9,487	8,343	(1,145)
2009	5,565	3,059	2,506	(552)	11,346	6,329	5,017	(1,311)
<b>March</b>								
2007	9,054	4,567	4,487	(79)	24,361	12,161	12,201	40
2008	9,323	5,123	4,200	(923)	27,153	14,610	12,543	(2,068)
2009	6,177	3,270	2,907	(363)	17,523	9,599	7,924	(1,674)
<b>April</b>								
2007	8,467	4,343	4,124	(219)	32,828	16,504	16,325	(179)
2008	9,184	4,857	4,327	(529)	36,337	19,467	16,870	(2,597)
2009	5,845	3,042	2,803	(239)	23,368	12,640	10,727	(1,913)
<b>May</b>								
2007	8,424	4,296	4,128	(168)	41,252	20,800	20,452	(347)
2008	9,001	4,776	4,225	(550)	45,338	24,243	21,096	(3,147)
2009	6,704	3,617	3,088	(529)	30,072	16,257	13,815	(2,442)
<b>June</b>								
2007	8,854	4,707	4,147	(559)	50,106	25,506	24,600	(906)
2008	9,849	5,322	4,527	(795)	55,188	29,565	25,623	(3,943)
2009	7,514	4,108	3,406	(701)	37,586	20,365	17,221	(3,143)
<b>July</b>								
2007	9,290	5,042	4,249	(793)	59,397	30,548	28,849	(1,699)
2008	10,320	5,882	4,437	(1,445)	65,507	35,447	30,060	(5,388)
<b>August</b>								
2007	9,108	4,987	4,121	(865)	68,505	35,534	32,970	(2,564)
2008	9,439	5,044	4,394	(650)	74,946	40,492	34,454	(6,037)
<b>September</b>								
2007	9,133	4,744	4,389	(354)	77,638	40,278	37,359	(2,919)
2008	9,337	4,891	4,446	(445)	84,283	45,383	38,900	(6,483)
<b>October</b>								
2007	9,810	5,151	4,660	(491)	87,448	45,429	42,019	(3,410)
2008	8,568	4,578	3,990	(588)	92,850	49,960	42,890	(7,070)
<b>November</b>								
2007	9,049	5,084	3,965	(1,119)	96,497	50,513	45,984	(4,529)
2008	6,998	3,485	3,513	28	99,848	53,445	46,403	(7,042)
<b>December</b>								
2007	9,483	5,001	4,482	(519)	105,979	55,514	50,466	(5,048)
2008	5,976	3,301	2,675	(626)	105,824	56,746	49,078	(7,669)

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Table 1a Total Growth Rate by Month and Year: 2009-2008

Month/Year	Total Trade	Imports	Exports	Balance of Trade	Cumulative			Balance of Trade
					Total Trade	Imports	Exports	
<b>January</b>								
2008	16.8	28.0	6.0	(972.6)	16.8	28.0	6.0	(972.6)
2009	(37.3)	(34.5)	(40.6)	(0.8)	(37.3)	(34.5)	(40.6)	(0.8)
<b>February</b>								
2008	16.1	21.7	10.5	(1,315.9)	16.5	24.9	8.2	(1,062.7)
2009	(35.3)	(31.9)	(39.0)	45.6	(36.4)	(33.3)	(39.9)	14.6
<b>March</b>								
2008	3.0	12.2	(6.4)	1,065.5	11.5	20.1	2.8	(5,306.1)
2009	(33.8)	(36.2)	(30.8)	(60.7)	(35.5)	(34.3)	(36.8)	(19.0)
<b>April</b>								
2008	8.5	11.8	4.9	142.1	10.7	18.0	3.3	1,350.6
2009	(36.4)	(37.4)	(35.2)	(54.9)	(35.7)	(35.1)	(36.4)	(26.3)
<b>May</b>								
2008	6.9	11.2	2.4	227.0	9.9	16.6	3.1	806.2
2009	(25.5)	(24.3)	(26.9)	(3.9)	(33.7)	(32.9)	(34.5)	(22.4)
<b>June</b>								
2008	11.2	13.1	9.2	42.2	10.1	15.9	4.2	335.0
2009	(23.7)	(22.8)	(24.8)	(11.8)	(31.9)	(31.1)	(32.8)	(20.3)
<b>July</b>								
2008	11.1	16.7	4.4	82.3	10.3	16.0	4.2	217.1
<b>August</b>								
2008	3.6	1.2	6.6	(24.9)	9.4	14.0	4.5	135.4
<b>September</b>								
2008	2.2	3.1	1.3	25.7	8.6	12.7	4.1	122.1
<b>October</b>								
2008	(12.7)	(11.1)	(14.4)	19.7	6.2	10.0	2.1	107.4
<b>November</b>								
2008	(22.7)	(31.5)	(11.4)	(102.5)	3.5	5.8	0.9	55.5
<b>December</b>								
2008	(37.0)	(34.0)	(40.3)	20.8	(0.1)	2.2	(2.8)	51.9

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**Table 2 Philippine Imports from all Countries**  
**June and May 2009 and June 2008**  
*(F.O.B. Value in Million U.S. Dollars)*

Commodity	2009				2008		Growth Rates (%)	
	June P	% Share	May R	% Share	June	% Share	Monthly	Annual
Total	4,107.71	100.00	3,616.59	100.00	5,322.25	100.00	13.58	(22.82)
1 Electronic Products 1/	1,389.56	33.83	1,300.69	35.96	1,743.47	32.76	6.83	(20.30)
a) Components/Devices (Semiconductors)	1,056.71	25.73	962.23	26.61	1,340.49	25.19	9.82	(21.17)
b) Electronic Data Processing	193.00	4.70	203.79	5.64	243.14	4.57	(5.30)	(20.62)
c) Office Equipment	6.51	0.16	6.90	0.19	7.45	0.14	(5.70)	(12.62)
d) Consumer Electronics	34.07	0.83	34.25	0.95	31.94	0.60	(0.52)	6.66
e) Telecommunication	69.97	1.70	67.71	1.87	90.85	1.71	3.35	(22.98)
f) Communication/Radar	16.07	0.39	10.77	0.30	11.38	0.21	49.22	41.13
g) Control and Instrumentation	7.85	0.19	7.00	0.19	11.88	0.22	12.21	(33.89)
h) Medical/Industrial Instrumentation	3.76	0.09	6.15	0.17	3.73	0.07	(38.91)	0.88
i) Automotive Electronics	1.62	0.04	1.90	0.05	2.60	0.05	(14.59)	(37.77)
2 Mineral Fuels, Lubricants and Related Materials	855.16	20.82	505.25	13.97	1,233.00	23.17	69.25	(30.64)
3 Cereals and Cereal Preparations	347.58	8.46	348.37	9.63	367.04	6.90	(0.23)	(5.30)
4 Transport Equipment	193.16	4.70	144.29	3.99	195.80	3.68	33.87	(1.35)
5 Industrial Machinery and Equipment	132.52	3.23	121.77	3.37	194.52	3.65	8.83	(31.87)
6 Organic and Inorganic Chemicals	92.99	2.26	112.09	3.10	112.90	2.12	(17.04)	(17.64)
7 Iron and Steel	74.44	1.81	72.74	2.01	228.50	4.29	2.34	(67.42)
8 Medicinal and Pharmaceutical Products	60.42	1.47	61.89	1.71	55.42	1.04	(2.38)	9.03
9 Plastics in Primary and Non-Primary Forms	58.57	1.43	64.55	1.78	108.90	2.05	(9.27)	(46.22)
10 Telecommunication Equipment and Electrical Machinery 2/	54.97	1.34	52.63	1.46	71.48	1.34	4.46	(23.10)
<b>Top 10 Imports Total</b>	<b>3,259.37</b>	<b>79.35</b>	<b>2,784.27</b>	<b>76.99</b>	<b>4,311.03</b>	<b>81.00</b>	<b>17.06</b>	<b>(24.39)</b>
11 Power Generating and Specialized Machinery	49.31	1.20	18.43	0.51	28.58	0.54	167.49	72.51
12 Chemical Materials and Products, n.e.s.	48.78	1.19	48.93	1.35	51.06	0.96	(0.31)	(4.47)
13 Textile Yarn, Fabrics, Made-Up Articles and Related Products 3/	44.33	1.08	51.06	1.41	76.86	1.44	(13.19)	(42.33)
14 Feeding Stuff For Animals (Not Including Unmilled Cereals)	44.21	1.08	55.63	1.54	50.76	0.95	(20.54)	(12.92)
15 Metal Products	39.76	0.97	38.50	1.06	37.74	0.71	3.29	5.37
16 Paper and Paper Products	39.32	0.96	39.32	1.09	51.16	0.96	(0.01)	(23.15)
17 Dairy Products	38.10	0.93	33.92	0.94	50.59	0.95	12.34	(24.68)
18 Miscellaneous Manufactured Articles	37.74	0.92	56.85	1.57	56.09	1.05	(33.63)	(32.72)
19 Fertilizers, Manufactured	36.83	0.90	26.08	0.72	101.49	1.91	41.24	(63.71)
20 Non-Ferrous Metal	36.70	0.89	32.85	0.91	47.63	0.89	11.74	(22.95)
21 Professional, Scientific and Controlling Instruments; Photographic and Optical Goods, n.e.s.; Watches and Clocks	29.47	0.72	33.11	0.92	31.97	0.60	(11.01)	(7.82)
22 Metalliferous Ores and Metal Scrap	23.72	0.58	34.88	0.96	27.55	0.52	(32.00)	(13.90)
23 Non-Metallic Mineral Manufactures	22.61	0.55	25.69	0.71	22.49	0.42	(12.02)	0.50
24 Dyeing, Tanning and Coloring Materials	19.99	0.49	18.49	0.51	22.05	0.41	8.12	(9.35)
25 Rubber Manufacture	11.38	0.28	12.59	0.35	10.27	0.19	(9.59)	10.84
26 Textiles Fiber & Their Waste	8.26	0.20	7.99	0.22	8.64	0.16	3.36	(4.44)
27 Office and EDP Machines	0.33	0.01	0.22	0.01	0.73	0.01	51.60	(53.87)
28 Others	317.51	7.73	297.77	8.23	335.56	6.30	6.63	(5.38)

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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**Tables 2a Philippine Imports from all Countries**  
**January to June 2009 and 2008**  
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Commodity	2009	2008	Growth Rate
	Jan-Jun <sup>p</sup>	Jan-Jun <sup>r</sup>	
<b>Total</b>	<b>20,364,753,774</b>	<b>29,565,124,005</b>	<b>(31.12)</b>
<b>1 Electronic Products 1/</b>			
a) Components/Devices (Semiconductors)	7,114,640,483	10,888,182,502	(34.66)
b) Electronic Data Processing	5,399,355,962	8,519,801,662	(36.63)
c) Office Equipment	941,666,837	1,457,507,500	(35.39)
d) Consumer Electronics	35,321,808	37,900,503	(6.80)
e) Telecommunication	198,100,563	192,112,651	3.12
f) Communication/Radar	373,053,463	497,444,588	(25.01)
g) Control and Instrumentation	73,034,734	80,115,646	(8.84)
h) Medical/Industrial Instrumentation	51,260,640	68,734,308	(25.42)
i) Automotive Electronics	32,706,290	20,591,744	58.83
<b>2 Mineral Fuels, Lubricants and Related Materials</b>	<b>3,285,034,299</b>	<b>6,504,095,916</b>	<b>(49.49)</b>
<b>3 Office and EDP Machines</b>	<b>1,957,085</b>	<b>3,982,578</b>	<b>(50.86)</b>
<b>4 Telecommunication Equipment and Electrical Machinery 2/</b>	<b>295,730,542</b>	<b>449,816,129</b>	<b>(34.26)</b>
<b>5 Industrial Machinery and Equipment</b>	<b>776,163,802</b>	<b>1,091,341,669</b>	<b>(28.88)</b>
<b>6 Transport Equipment</b>	<b>1,018,584,118</b>	<b>1,333,176,158</b>	<b>(23.60)</b>
<b>7 Textile Yarn, Fabrics, Made-Up Articles and Related Products 3/</b>	<b>300,272,934</b>	<b>425,627,497</b>	<b>(29.45)</b>
<b>8 Cereals and Cereal Preparations</b>	<b>1,459,223,623</b>	<b>1,304,331,268</b>	<b>11.88</b>
<b>9 Organic and Inorganic Chemical</b>	<b>558,957,493</b>	<b>634,402,138</b>	<b>(11.89)</b>
<b>10 Plastics in Primary and Non-Primary Forms</b>	<b>355,046,686</b>	<b>586,074,807</b>	<b>(39.42)</b>
<b>11 Iron and Steel</b>	<b>422,135,792</b>	<b>885,645,989</b>	<b>(52.34)</b>
<b>12 Dairy Products</b>	<b>214,771,564</b>	<b>382,349,638</b>	<b>(43.83)</b>
<b>13 Chemical Materials and Products, n.e.s.</b>	<b>271,854,240</b>	<b>287,626,468</b>	<b>(5.48)</b>
<b>14 Medicinal and Pharmaceutical Products</b>	<b>361,363,967</b>	<b>337,835,288</b>	<b>6.96</b>
<b>15 Non-Ferrous Metal</b>	<b>172,353,329</b>	<b>262,098,197</b>	<b>(34.24)</b>
<b>16 Miscellaneous Manufactured Articles</b>	<b>244,664,377</b>	<b>288,100,178</b>	<b>(15.08)</b>
<b>17 Feeding Stuff For Animals (Not Including Unmilled Cereals)</b>	<b>269,247,200</b>	<b>330,507,792</b>	<b>(18.54)</b>
<b>18 Paper and Paper Products</b>	<b>222,313,478</b>	<b>264,817,368</b>	<b>(16.05)</b>
<b>19 Professional, Scientific and Controlling Instruments; Photographic and Optical Goods, n.e.s.; Watches and Clocks</b>	<b>158,336,582</b>	<b>175,902,490</b>	<b>(9.99)</b>
<b>20 Power Generating and Specialized Machinery</b>	<b>170,773,281</b>	<b>151,311,733</b>	<b>12.86</b>
<b>21 Metal Products</b>	<b>212,952,383</b>	<b>185,680,118</b>	<b>14.69</b>
<b>22 Dyeing, Tanning and Coloring Materials</b>	<b>112,078,955</b>	<b>116,040,536</b>	<b>(3.41)</b>
<b>23 Non-Metallic Mineral Manufactures</b>	<b>128,225,975</b>	<b>125,472,772</b>	<b>2.19</b>
<b>24 Fertilizers, Manufactured</b>	<b>153,356,490</b>	<b>361,356,820</b>	<b>(57.56)</b>
<b>25 Rubber Manufacture</b>	<b>61,746,479</b>	<b>68,832,973</b>	<b>(10.30)</b>
<b>26 Textiles Fiber &amp; Their Waste</b>	<b>45,529,694</b>	<b>48,399,294</b>	<b>(5.93)</b>
<b>27 Metalliferous Ores and Metal Scrap</b>	<b>231,655,210</b>	<b>167,671,784</b>	<b>38.16</b>
<b>28 Others</b>	<b>1,745,783,713</b>	<b>1,904,443,905</b>	<b>(8.33)</b>

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 3 Philippine Imports by Major Type of Goods**  
**June and May 2009 and June 2008**  
*(FOB in Thousand U.S. Dollars)*

Commodity Group	2009				2008			Growth Rate (%)	
	June P		May		June				
	FOB Value	% Share	FOB Value	% Share	FOB Value	% Share	Monthly	Annual	
Total Imports	4,107,711	100.00	3,616,585	100.00	5,322,250	100.00	13.58	(22.82)	
Capital Goods									
Power Generating & Specialized Machines	1,117,196	27.20	1,053,421	29.13	1,314,790	24.70	6.05	(15.03)	
Office & EDP Machines	184,231	4.48	142,172	3.93	224,354	4.22	29.58	(17.88)	
Telecommunication Eqpt. & Elect. Mach.	199,808	4.86	210,863	5.83	251,241	4.72	(5.24)	(20.47)	
Land Transport Eqpt. excl. Passenger Cars & Motorized cycle	618,935	15.07	609,062	16.84	720,547	13.54	1.62	(14.10)	
Aircraft, Ships and Boats	60,469	1.47	44,450	1.23	55,793	1.05	36.04	8.38	
Prof.Sci. & Cont. Inst., Photographic Eqpt. & Optical Goods	16,312	0.40	6,832	0.19	19,102	0.36	138.76	(14.60)	
Raw Materials & Intermediate Goods	1,492,773	36.34	1,437,872	39.76	1,985,239	37.30	3.82	(24.81)	
Unprocessed Raw Materials									
Wheat	214,071	5.21	221,403	6.12	146,754	2.76	(3.31)	45.87	
Corn	122,381	2.98	115,393	3.19	49,508	0.93	6.06	147.20	
Unmilled cereals excl. rice & corn	644	0.02	18,625	0.51	1,188	0.02	(96.54)	(45.80)	
Crude materials, inedible	515	0.01	822	0.02	900	0.02	(37.36)	(42.82)	
Pulp & waste paper	68,625	1.67	70,408	1.95	72,368	1.36	(2.53)	(5.17)	
Cotton	3,620	0.09	2,878	0.08	4,071	0.08	25.76	(11.09)	
Syn. Fibers	1,606	0.04	1,401	0.04	781	0.01	14.66	105.75	
Metalliferous ores	6,003	0.15	5,966	0.16	7,134	0.13	0.64	(15.85)	
Others	23,718	0.58	34,881	0.96	27,546	0.52	(32.00)	(13.90)	
Tobacco, unmanufactured	33,678	0.82	25,283	0.70	32,837	0.62	33.20	2.56	
Semi-Processed Raw Materials	21,906	0.53	16,155	0.45	22,789	0.43	35.60	(3.87)	
Feeding stuffs for animals	1,278,702	31.13	1,216,468	33.64	1,838,485	34.54	5.12	(30.45)	
Animal & vegetable oils & fats	44,208	1.08	55,634	1.54	50,765	0.95	(20.54)	(12.92)	
Chemical	12,522	0.30	9,536	0.26	25,752	0.48	31.32	(51.37)	
Chemical compounds	358,492	8.73	371,639	10.28	484,634	9.11	(3.54)	(26.03)	
Medicinal & pharmaceutical chem.	93,219	2.27	112,144	3.10	112,921	2.12	(16.88)	(17.45)	
Urea	60,419	1.47	61,892	1.71	55,417	1.04	(2.38)	9.03	
Fertilizer excl. urea	17,323	0.42	16,093	0.44	34,587	0.65	7.64	(49.91)	
Artificial resins	19,511	0.47	19,987	0.28	66,906	1.26	95.37	(70.84)	
Others	58,635	1.43	64,563	1.79	108,940	2.05	(9.18)	(46.18)	
Manufactured goods	109,384	2.66	106,961	2.96	105,862	1.99	2.27	3.33	
Paper & paper products	268,665	6.54	270,377	7.48	470,057	8.83	(0.63)	(42.84)	
Textile yarn, fabrics & made-up articles	38,688	0.94	38,860	1.07	50,699	0.95	(0.44)	(23.69)	
Non-metallic mineral manufactures	38,192	0.93	43,510	1.20	63,055	1.18	(12.22)	(39.43)	
Iron & steel	22,606	0.55	25,703	0.71	22,493	0.42	(12.05)	0.50	
Non-ferrous metals	74,443	1.81	72,743	2.01	228,497	4.29	2.34	(67.42)	
Metal products	36,702	0.89	32,845	0.91	47,934	0.90	11.74	(23.43)	
Others	39,813	0.97	38,582	1.07	37,757	0.71	3.19	5.44	
Embroideries	18,221	0.44	18,134	0.50	19,621	0.37	0.48	(7.14)	
Mat/Acc for the mfr. of elect. eqpt.	6,751	0.16	8,370	0.23	14,092	0.26	(19.35)	(52.10)	
Iron ore, not agglomerated	588,065	14.32	493,554	13.65	790,373	14.85	19.15	(25.60)	
Mineral Fuels, Lubricant & Related Materials	855,156	20.82	505,250	13.97	1,233,002	23.17	69.25	(30.64)	
Coal, Coke	42,743	1.04	21,506	0.59	29,868	0.56	98.75	43.11	
Petroleum crude	456,951	11.12	206,718	5.72	828,404	15.56	121.05	(44.84)	
Others	355,461	8.65	277,026	7.66	374,730	7.04	28.31	(5.14)	
Consumer Goods	578,106	14.07	572,618	15.83	721,899	13.56	0.96	(19.92)	
Durable	193,982	4.72	200,945	5.56	220,191	4.14	(3.47)	(11.90)	
Passenger cars & motorized cycle	117,077	2.85	94,044	2.60	122,767	2.31	24.49	(4.63)	
Home appliances	21,854	0.53	26,046	0.72	22,568	0.42	(16.09)	(3.17)	
Misc. manufactures	55,051	1.34	80,856	2.24	74,855	1.41	(31.91)	(26.46)	
Non-Durable	384,124	9.35	371,673	10.28	501,709	9.43	3.35	(23.44)	
Food & live animals chiefly for food	374,272	9.11	361,268	9.99	488,484	9.18	3.60	(23.38)	
Dairy products	38,107	0.93	33,917	0.94	50,588	0.95	12.35	(24.67)	
Fish & fish preparation	10,150	0.25	15,416	0.43	5,067	0.10	(34.16)	100.32	
Rice	213,902	5.21	197,952	5.47	307,197	5.77	8.06	(30.37)	
Fruits & vegetables	18,344	0.45	14,764	0.41	16,618	0.31	24.25	10.39	
Others	93,769	2.28	99,219	2.74	109,014	2.05	(5.49)	(13.98)	
Beverages & tobacco mixture	2,763	0.07	4,261	0.12	3,754	0.07	(35.15)	(26.40)	
Articles of apparel, access.	7,088	0.17	6,144	0.17	9,471	0.18	15.37	(25.15)	
Special Transactions	64,481	1.57	47,425	1.31	67,319	1.26	35.97	(4.22)	
Articles temporarily imported & exported	26,410	0.64	17,911	0.50	19,010	0.36	47.45	38.93	
Others	38,071	0.93	29,514	0.82	48,309	0.91	28.99	(21.19)	

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

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**Table 3a Philippine Imports by Major Type of Goods**  
**Cumulative Value: January to June 2009 & 2008**  
**(FOB Value in U.S. Dollars)**

Commodity Description	2009 Jan-Jun <sup>p</sup>	2008 Jan-Jun <sup>r</sup>	Growth Rate
<b>Total Imports</b>	<b>20,364,753,774</b>	<b>29,565,124,005</b>	<b>(31.12)</b>
<b>Capital Goods</b>			
Power Generating & Specialized Machines	5,676,005,818	8,019,100,960	(29.22)
Office & EDP Machines	959,416,762	1,255,432,850	(23.58)
Telecommunication Eqpt. & Elect. Mach.	978,513,356	1,499,047,900	(34.72)
Land Transport Eqpt. excl. Passenger Cars & Motorized cycle	3,031,474,781	4,312,445,219	(29.70)
Aircraft, Ships and Boats	279,878,063	332,282,205	(15.77)
Prof.Sci.& Cont. Inst., Photographic Eqpt. & Optical Goods	217,398,274	376,341,589	(42.23)
<b>Raw Materials &amp; Intermediate Goods</b>			
Unprocessed Raw Materials	8,273,298,311	11,424,882,998	(27.59)
Wheat	1,138,117,181	921,251,541	23.54
Corn	472,161,069	354,626,928	33.14
Unmilled cereals excl. rice & corn	82,679,478	11,046,132	648.49
Crude materials, inedible	4,289,729	6,034,648	(28.92)
Pulp & waste paper	480,122,137	461,683,450	3.99
Cotton	20,693,822	32,381,359	(36.09)
Syn. Fibers	8,993,785	9,795,756	(8.19)
Metalliferous ores	32,171,590	34,599,470	(7.02)
Others	231,664,943	167,679,408	38.16
Tobacco, unmanufactured	186,597,997	217,227,457	(14.10)
Semi-Processed Raw Materials	7,135,181,130	10,503,631,457	(32.07)
Feeding stuffs for animals	269,250,806	330,512,029	(18.54)
Animal & vegetable oils & fats	71,306,877	109,260,732	(34.74)
Chemical	2,031,467,532	2,513,427,026	(19.18)
Chemical compounds	559,503,822	634,696,883	(11.85)
Medicinal & pharmaceutical chem.	361,508,875	337,850,394	7.00
Urea	90,406,076	114,583,428	(21.10)
Fertilizer excl. urea	62,950,414	246,773,392	(74.49)
Artificial resins	355,270,535	586,412,764	(39.42)
Others	601,827,810	593,110,165	1.47
Manufactured goods	1,505,412,069	2,194,847,723	(31.41)
Paper & paper products	219,540,409	263,182,435	(16.58)
Textile yarn, fabrics & made-up articles	248,022,877	348,387,278	(28.81)
Non-metallic mineral manufactures	128,447,502	125,987,511	1.95
Iron & steel	422,135,792	885,645,989	(52.34)
Non-ferrous metals	172,372,938	262,500,270	(34.33)
Metal products	213,257,828	185,894,315	14.72
Others	101,634,723	123,249,925	(17.54)
Embroideries	55,422,048	80,162,220	(30.86)
Mat/Acc for the mfr. of elect. eqpt.	3,189,058,024	5,235,329,200	(39.09)
Iron ore, not agglomerated	13,263,774	40,092,527	(66.92)
<b>Mineral Fuels, Lubricant &amp; Related Materials</b>			
Coal, Coke	3,285,034,299	6,504,095,916	(49.49)
Petroleum crude	196,775,803	126,103,051	56.04
Others	1,182,917,888	3,863,631,814	(69.38)
<b>Consumer Goods</b>			
Durable	1,905,340,608	2,514,361,051	(24.22)
Passenger cars & motorized cycle	2,876,384,281	3,225,495,050	(10.82)
Home appliances	1,027,934,266	1,179,523,948	(12.85)
Misc. manufactures	526,304,555	633,952,864	(16.98)
Non-Durable	142,864,877	135,927,905	5.10
Food & live animals chiefly for food	358,764,834	409,643,179	(12.42)
Dairy products	1,848,450,015	2,045,971,102	(9.65)
Fish & fish preparation	1,787,648,840	1,968,488,673	(9.19)
Rice	214,976,143	382,356,185	(43.78)
Fruits & vegetables	64,669,394	54,968,263	17.65
Others	854,974,455	857,576,280	(0.30)
Beverages & tobacco mfr.	109,906,028	103,084,935	6.62
Articles of apparel, access.	543,122,820	570,503,010	(4.80)
Special Transactions	19,578,960	29,505,436	(33.64)
Articles temporarily imported & exported	41,222,215	47,976,993	(14.08)
Others	254,031,065	391,549,081	(35.12)
	103,925,201	122,227,227	(14.97)
	150,105,864	269,321,854	(44.27)

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Table 4 Philippine Imports Performance by Country: June 2009 & 2008  
*(F.O.B. Value in Million U.S. Dollars)*

Country of Origin	2009			2008			Annual Growth Rate (%)			
	June P	% Share	Jan-Jun P	% Share	June	% Share	Jan-Jun	% Share	Current	Cumulative
Total	4,107.71	100.00	20,364.75	100.00	5,322.25	100.00	29,565.12	100.00	(22.82)	(31.12)
<b>Top 10 Countries Total</b>	<b>3,056.43</b>	<b>74.41</b>	<b>14,853.40</b>	<b>72.94</b>	<b>3,864.48</b>	<b>72.61</b>	<b>22,235.33</b>	<b>75.21</b>	<b>(20.91)</b>	<b>(33.20)</b>
1 Japan 1/	486.92	11.85	2,412.61	11.85	617.57	11.60	3,362.97	11.37	(21.16)	(28.26)
2 United States Of America 2/	458.00	11.15	2,612.57	12.83	602.58	11.32	3,810.26	12.89	(23.99)	(31.43)
3 China, People's Republic of	319.74	7.78	1,819.13	8.93	412.55	7.75	2,142.29	7.25	(22.50)	(15.08)
4 Taiwan	319.12	7.77	1,439.86	7.07	316.39	5.94	2,097.36	7.09	0.87	(31.35)
5 Singapore	294.16	7.16	1,804.04	8.86	499.27	9.38	3,367.91	11.39	(41.08)	(46.43)
6 Saudi Arabia	284.37	6.92	609.12	2.99	376.06	7.07	2,572.73	8.70	(24.38)	(76.32)
7 Korea, Republic of	254.04	6.18	1,268.99	6.23	279.21	5.25	1,524.38	5.16	(9.01)	(16.75)
8 Vietnam	235.32	5.73	1,021.46	5.02	248.81	4.67	799.60	2.70	(5.42)	27.75
9 Thailand	218.45	5.32	1,076.58	5.29	300.76	5.65	1,360.98	4.60	(27.37)	(20.90)
10 Malaysia 3/	186.32	4.54	789.03	3.87	211.28	3.97	1,196.84	4.05	(11.81)	(34.07)
11 Others	1,051.28	25.59	5,511.36	27.06	1,457.77	27.39	7,329.80	24.79	(27.88)	(24.81)

\* Based on June 2009 ranking.

1/ includes Okinawa

2/ includes Alaska and Hawaii

3/ includes Sabah and Sarawak

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

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**Table 4a Balance of Trade by Major Trading Partners: June 2009**  
*(F.O.B. Value in Million U.S. Dollars)*

Country	Total Trade	Imports	Exports	Balance of Trade
Total	7,514.01	4,107.71	3,406.30	(701.41)
1 United States Of America 1/	1,065.96	458.00	607.96	149.96
2 Japan 2/	1,065.56	486.92	578.64	91.73
3 China, People's Republic of	594.06	319.74	274.31	(45.43)
4 Singapore	542.90	294.16	248.74	(45.42)
5 Taiwan	437.31	319.12	118.18	(200.94)
6 Korea, Republic of	427.23	254.04	173.19	(80.85)
7 Hong Kong	385.84	129.15	256.69	127.54
8 Netherlands	313.31	22.68	290.63	267.94
9 Thailand	308.91	218.45	90.46	(127.99)
10 Malaysia 3/	300.44	186.32	114.12	(72.20)
11 Saudi Arabia	289.77	284.37	5.40	(278.97)
12 Germany	281.58	78.73	202.85	124.12
13 Vietnam	264.00	235.32	28.68	(206.64)
14 Indonesia	201.26	165.54	35.71	(129.83)

1/ includes Alaska and Hawaii

2/ includes Okinawa

3/ includes Sabah and Sarawak

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

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**Table 5 Philippine Imports Performance by Selected Country and Economic Bloc: June 2009 & 2008**  
*(F.O.B. Value in Million U.S. Dollars)*

Country of Origin	2009			2008			Annual Growth Rate (%)			
	Jun <sup>1</sup>	% Share	Jan-Jun <sup>2</sup>	% Share	Jun	% Share	Jan-Jun	% Share	Current	Cumulative
Total	4,107.71	100.00	20,364.75	100.00	5,322.25	100.00	29,565.12	100.00	(22.82)	(31.12)
1 Eastern Asia 1/	1,509.89	36.76	7,629.96	37.47	1,813.43	34.07	10,137.97	34.29	(16.74)	(24.74)
2 ASEAN 2/	1,101.85	26.82	5,493.02	26.97	1,413.64	26.56	7,362.95	24.90	(22.06)	(25.40)
3 United States of America 3/	458.00	11.15	2,612.57	12.83	602.58	11.32	3,810.26	12.89	(23.99)	(31.43)
4 European Union (EU) 4/	269.35	6.56	1,655.47	8.13	352.80	6.63	2,345.86	7.93	(23.65)	(29.43)
5 Others	768.63	18.71	2,973.73	14.60	1,139.79	21.42	5,908.08	19.98	(32.56)	(49.67)

1/ includes China, Hongkong, Macau, Japan, Taiwan, North Korea, South Korea and Mongolia

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

3/ includes Alaska nad 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, United Kingdom of Great Britain

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

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**Table 5a Balance of Trade by Selected Country and Economic Bloc: June 2009**  
*(F.O.B. Value in Million U.S. Dollars)*

Country	Total Trade	Imports	Exports	Balance of Trade
Total	7,514.01	4,107.71	3,406.30	(701.41)
1 Eastern Asia 1/	2,911.48	1,509.89	1,401.60	(108.29)
2 ASEAN 2/	1,622.01	1,101.85	520.17	(581.68)
3 United States of America 3/	1,065.96	458.00	607.96	149.96
4 European Union (EU) 4/	914.63	269.35	645.28	375.93
5 Others	999.93	768.63	231.30	(537.33)

1/ includes China, Hongkong, Macau, Japan, Taiwan, North Korea, South Korea and Mongolia

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

3/ includes Alaska nad 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, United Kingdom of Great Britain

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