

**Table 7. TOP FIVE IMPORTS COMMODITY FROM THREE MAJOR SOURCES OF DAVAO REGION IMPORTS
JANUARY TO DECEMBER 2008**

COUNTRY OF DESTINATION/ COMMODITY CODE	COMMODITY DESCRIPTION	GROSS WEIGHT (KG.)	F.O.B. VALUE (IN US \$)
United States Of America			
	Total Imports	163,830,654	90,355,925
	Top Five Imports	151,068,472	78,567,960
4804	Uncoated kraft paper and paperboard, in rolls or sheets, other than that of heading 48.02 (Uncoated paper and paperboard,...) or 48.03 (Toilet or facial tissue stock, towel or napkin,...)	95,927,158	52,781,228
2304	Oil-cake and othe solid residues, whether or not ground or in the form of pellets, resulting from the extraction of soya bean oil	21,678,412	8,959,359
4805	Other uncoated paper and paperboard, in rolls or sheets, not further worked or processed than as specified in Note 3 to this Chapter	14,062,605	7,293,589
1001	Wheat and meslin	17,245,201	5,962,612
3901	Polymers of ethylene, in primary forms.	2,155,096	3,571,172
Viet Nam			
	Total Imports	101,878,214	69,952,824
	Top Five Imports	101,432,171	69,401,583
1006 7308	Rice	97,433,244	64,840,971
	Structures (excluding prefabricated buildings of heading 94.04) and parts of structures (for example, bridges and bridge-sections, lock-gates, towers, lattice masts, roofs, roofing frame-works, doora and windows and their frames and tresholds for doors, shutters, balustrades, pillar and columns), of iron or steel; plates, rods, angles, shapes, sections, tubes and the like, prepared for use in structures, of iron or steel.	1,961,932	3,069,365
3102	Mineral or chemical fertilizers, nitrogenous	1,861,267	793,407
8504	Electrical transformers, static converters (for example, rectifiers) and inductors	87,864	348,920
8536	Electrical apparatus for switching or protecting electrical circuits, or for making connections to or in electrical circuits (for example, switches, relays, fuses, surge suppressors, plugs, sockets, lamp holders, junction boxes), for a voltage not exceeding 1,000 volts	87,864	348,920
People's Republic Of China			
	Total Imports	165,890,039	59,790,300
	Top Five Imports	110,557,470	39,157,449
3102	Minerals or chemical fertilizers, nitrogenous	76,097,957	28,429,860
3105	Mineral or chemical fertilisers containing two or three of the fertilising elements nitrogen, phosphorus and potassium; other fertilisers; goods of this chapter in tablets or similar forms or in packages of a gross weight not exceeding 10 kg.	8,453,137	4,460,062
6908	Glazed ceramic flags and paving, hearth or wall tiles; glazed ceramic mosaic cubes and the like, whether or not on a backing	21,803,653	2,851,625

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3104	Mineral or chemical fertilisers, potassic	3,763,352	1,959,070
3808	Insecticides, rodenticides, fungicides, herbedices, anti-sprouting products and plant-growth regulators, disinfectants and similar products, put up in forms or packings for retail sale or as preparations or articles (for example, sulphur-treated bands, wicks and candles, and fly-papers)	439,371	1,456,832

Source : National Statistics Office