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What is a Guam export? It is something intended for sale or trade originating on Guam that is shipped from Guam to the United States or a foreign country. Agents from the Guam Customs and Quarantine Agency (GCQA) process exports at its service centers located at the Port Authority of Guam and Guam International Airport. The commodities reported herein are for re-sale, thus excludes the military, government, promotional and personal items.

The U.S. government adopted the Harmonized System on January 1, 1989, as the direct basis for its new export and import classification systems. Guam, as well as most of the nations of the world, adopted this system on January 1, 1988. Commodities exported from Guam are identified by its commodity classification code on the shipper's export declaration form. Other information, such as the commodities trade name, U.S. dollar value and its volume based on an international standard of measurement are required prior to export.

The promulgated administrative rules and regulations as authorized by Title VLIV, Chapter 1, §47064 GCA now rests with the Bureau of Statistics and Plans. The Bureau, as mandated by Public Laws No. 20-147 and 26-76, shall conduct, or cause to be conducted, investigations, studies, surveys, research and analysis relating to physical, human, social, and economic development of Guam and to publish the results. These rules and regulations concern the collecting of socio-economic information from businesses and individuals.

The Bureau of Statistics and Plans is using the established simplified Harmonized System as adopted by the former Department of Commerce. All documents submitted to the Guam Customs and Quarantine Agency for release of cargo must contain information as outlined in §3005.1, 3005.2 and 3005.3 of the former Department of Commerce Administrative Rules and Regulations. Section 3005.1 defines imports and exports of goods and sets up guidelines to insure certain information is included on each official import and export document.

This report, with abbreviated Harmonized Classification Codes and better defined commodity descriptions, contains the value of exports for the first 3-months of the calendar year, the top 20 export commodities, export value by country of destination as well as the percent distributions by commodity group. Over the past 3-years exports codified have ranged from \$53 to 105 Million.

Please see http://www.pifsc.noaa.gov/wpacfin/guam/doc/pages/gdoc_data_menu.php for Guam's fishery transshipment statistics information.

Table 3

April to June By Country of Destination	2009 (Dollars)	Percent of Total
Japan	4,066,494	35.44%
Hong Kong	1,862,939	16.24%
Philippines	1,543,190	13.45%
Federated States of Micronesia	1,389,019	12.11%
Singapore	817,734	7.13%
Palau	517,373	4.51%
China	385,587	3.36%
Taiwan	265,640	2.32%
Switzerland	216,076	1.88%
Korea	117,906	1.03%
Canada	64,233	0.56%
France	55,046	0.48%
Russia	51,225	0.45%
Italy	37,026	0.32%
New Caledonia	30,500	0.27%
Thailand	23,923	0.21%
Spain	16,000	0.14%
Malaysia	8,012	0.07%
United States of America	5,837	0.05%

Table 2

CODE	Top 20 Commodities April thru June	2009 (Dollars)	Percent of Total
0302	Fish, Chilled, Fresh, Frozen, Dried & Salted	3,557,621	31.01%
8703	Motor Cars Designed for Transport of Persons	2,633,572	22.95%
7113	Jewelry Articles of Precious Metal	1,323,787	11.54%
9101	Wrist Watches & Parts	604,000	5.26%
3304	Perfumes & Toilet Waters	463,616	4.04%
2402	Tobacco, Cigars, Cigarettes & Cigarillos	410,936	3.58%
7602	Aluminum Waste, Scraps, Tubes or Fittings	374,709	3.27%
4202	Trunks, Suitcases and other Similar Bags	262,975	2.29%
7200	Iron and Steel	239,881	2.09%
4203	Articles of Apparel, Clothing Accessories, or Leather	198,461	1.73%
2203	Beer Made From Malt	194,572	1.70%
2710	Petroleum Oils and Gases	131,937	1.15%
2208	Ethyl Alcohol, Undenatured, Liqueurs & Other	87,578	0.76%
4900	Printed Books, Brochures & Other	81,846	0.71%
0207	Meat and Edible Offal of Poultry	79,268	0.69%
9004	Sunglasses, Spectacles, Corrective or Protective	75,208	0.66%
6403	Footwear of Leather	73,304	0.64%
8708	Motor Vehicle Parts	52,680	0.46%
2202	Water, Containing Sugar	51,259	0.45%
8418	Refrigerators, Freezers, & Similar Equipment	50,551	0.44%
	All Others	525,999	4.58%

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CODES	COMMODITY GROUP	APRIL - JUNE 2009	Percent of Total/Subtotal
	FOOD & NON-ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES	\$3,781,037	32.95%
0207	Meat and Edible Offal of Poultry	79,268	2.10%
0302	Fish, Chilled, Fresh, Frozen, Dried & Salted	3,557,621	94.09%
0306	Crustacean, in shell or not	20,295	0.54%
0401	Milk & Cream, not Containing Sugar	10,891	0.29%
0402	Milk and Cream, Containing Sugar	24,413	0.65%
0407	Bird's Eggs, not in shell, Egg Yolk	3,177	0.08%
1601	Sausages	8,641	0.23%
1602	Prepared or Preserved Meat or Blood	4,434	0.12%
1806	Chocolate & Other Food Preparations Containing Cocoa	3,699	0.10%
1905	Bread, Pastry, Cakes & Other Bakery Products	2,700	0.07%
2009	Fruit & Vegetables Juices, not Containing Added Spirit	2,682	0.07%
2106	Other Food Preparations	3,650	0.10%
2202	Water, Containing Sugar	51,259	1.36%
2501	Salt	8,307	0.22%
	ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES	\$298,286	2.60%
2203	Beer Made From Malt	194,572	65.23%
2204	Wine	16,136	5.41%
2208	Ethyl Alcohol, Undenatured, Liqueurs & Other	87,578	29.36%
	TRANSPORTATION AND PARTS	\$2,695,229	23.49%
4011	New Pneumatic Tires or Rubber	8,977	0.33%
8703	Motor Cars Designed for Transport of Persons	2,633,572	97.71%
8708	Motor Vehicle Parts	52,680	1.95%

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CODES	COMMODITY GROUP	APRIL - JUNE 2009	Percent of Total/Subtotal
	HOME APPLIANCES, EQUIPMENT & OTHERS	\$751,467	6.55%
8415	Air Conditioning Machines	15,179	2.02%
8418	Refrigerators, Freezers, & Similar Equipment	50,551	6.73%
8516	Stoves, Ranges & Other Electric Appliances	3,210	0.43%
8517	Line Telephony	4,900	0.65%
8521	Video Recording Apparatus	15,637	2.08%
8525	Radios	3,675	0.49%
9006	Photographic Cameras	4,361	0.58%
9101	Wrist Watches & Parts	604,000	80.38%
9506	Gymnastics, Sports Equipment	49,954	6.65%
	PLASTICS LEATHERS & PAPERS	\$603,584	5.26%
3926	Other Articles of Plastic	24,867	4.12%
4202	Trunks, Suitcases and other Similar Bags	262,975	43.57%
4203	Articles of Apparel, Clothing Accessories, or Leather	198,461	32.88%
4818	Paper Towels, Toilet Paper or Napkins	16,170	2.68%
6402	Footwear of Rubber or Plastics	27,807	4.61%
6403	Footwear of Leather	73,304	12.14%
	MEN AND WOMEN APPAREL	\$2,642	0.02%
6215	Shawls, Scarves, Mufflers, Ties, Bowties & Cravats	2,642	100.00%

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CODES	COMMODITY GROUP	APRIL - JUNE 2009	Percent of Total/Subtotal
	CONSTRUCTION MATERIALS	\$941,738	8.21%
5700	Carpets and other Textiles	2,574	0.27%
3917	Tubes, Pipes, Hoses & Fittings of Plastics	5,478	0.58%
8000	Tin, Plates, Sheet and Strip	6,000	0.64%
7610	Aluminum Structures, Doors, Windows & Frames	6,250	0.66%
8200	Machine Tools	8,900	0.95%
2523	Cement	11,741	1.25%
7802	Lead, Waste & Scrap	16,000	1.70%
2800	Chemicals Organic or Inorganic Compound	21,633	2.30%
4412	Plywood, Wood Sawn, Sliced	25,238	2.68%
7314	Cloth Grill of Iron or Steel	29,781	3.16%
8485	Nuclear Reactor, Boilers, Machinery and Mechanical	30,500	3.24%
7308	Structures of Iron or Steel	31,116	3.30%
2710	Petroleum Oils and Gases	131,937	14.01%
7200	Iron and Steel	239,881	25.47%
7602	Aluminum Waste, Scraps, Tubes or Fittings	374,709	39.79%
	OTHER EXPORTS	\$2,399,777	20.92%
9200	Musical Instruments, Parts & Accessories	5,800	0.24%
3401	Soap & Organic Surface Active Products	6,358	0.26%
3004	Medicaments	15,426	0.64%
8471	Automatic Data Processing Machines	16,800	0.70%
9004	Sunglasses, Spectacles, Corrective or Protective	75,208	3.13%
4900	Printed Books, Brochures & Other	81,846	3.41%
2402	Tobacco, Cigars, Cigarettes & Cigarillos	410,936	17.12%
3304	Perfumes & Toilet Waters	463,616	19.32%
7113	Jewelry Articles of Precious Metal	1,323,787	55.16%
	Grand Total	\$ 11,473,760	