

GUAM IMPORT DATA

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What is a Guam import? It is something brought in from the United States or a foreign country, intended for sale or trade in Guam. Agents from the Guam Customs and Quarantine Agency (GCQA) process imports at its service centers located at the Port Authority of Guam and Guam Airport Cargo area. Imports are manually codified by its commodity classification code based on information reported 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. The Bureau of Statistics and Plans is using the established simplified Harmonized Systems as adopted by the former Department of Commerce. All documents submitted to the GCQA 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.

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, asocial, and economic development of Guam and to publish the results. The rules and regulations concern the collecting of socio-economic information from businesses and individuals.

For 2014, the External Trade Section captured imports for the months of March, June, September and December, and in 2015 January, April, July and October. For 2016 and beyond months captured will be determined on an adhoc basis.

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CODE	COMMODITY	Jan 2019	Percent of Total/Subtotal
FOOD & NON-ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES		\$13,215,624	38.72%
0201	Meat & Edible Offal of Beef	889,513	6.73%
0203	Meat and Edible Offal of Pork	632,819	4.79%
0207	Meat and Edible Offal of Poultry	529,739	4.01%
0302	Fish, Fresh, Chilled or Frozen	649,976	4.92%
0305	Fish, Dried, Salted or in Brine and Smoked	283	0.00%
0306	Crustacean, in shell or not	244,177	1.85%
0307	Mollusks, Live, Fresh, Chilled, Frozen, Dried & Salted	161,501	1.22%
0401	Milk & Cream, not Containing Sugar	379,418	2.87%
0405	Butter	91,261	0.69%
0406	Cheese	126,421	0.96%
0407	Bird's Eggs, not in shell, Egg Yolk	120,177	0.91%
0709	Vegetables	260,331	1.97%
0810	Fruits	232,341	1.76%
1006	Rice	706,446	5.35%
1101	Flour	26,385	0.20%
1515	Oils	115,234	0.87%
1601	Sausages	1,932	0.01%
1602	Prepared or Preserved Meat or Blood	1,022,509	7.74%
1604	Prepared or Preserved Fish, Caviar & Caviar Substitutes	254,504	1.93%
1605	Crustaceans, Mollusks & Aquatic Invertebrates	60,529	0.46%
1701	Sugar	177,150	1.34%
1704	Sugar Confectionary	631	0.00%
1806	Chocolate & Other Food Preparations Containing Cocoa	950,385	7.19%
1901	Malt Extracts, Flour (Cake Mixes)	42,400	0.32%
1902	Pasta whether or not Cooked	256,314	1.94%
1903	Tapioca, Prepared from Starch	4,383	0.03%
1904	Cereals	153,004	1.16%
1905	Bread, Pastry, Cakes & Other Bakery Products	1,136,116	8.60%

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2005	Vegetables, Prepared	197,710	1.50%
2008	Fruits, Nuts, & Other Edible Parts of Plants	376,870	2.85%
2009	Fruit & Vegetables Juices, not Containing Added Spirit	168,879	1.28%
2101	Extracts, Essences, Concentrate of Coffee, Tea or Mate	201,225	1.52%
2103	Sauces, Mixed Condiments, Seasoning	277,897	2.10%
2104	Soups and Broths	13,258	0.10%
2105	Ice Cream & Other Edible Ice	271,699	2.06%
2106	Other Food Preparations	164,665	1.25%
2201	Water, not Containing Sugar	302,308	2.29%
2202	Water, Containing Sugar	2,014,484	15.24%
2209	Vinegar	750	0.01%
ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES		\$ 1,487,865	4.36%
2203	Beer Made From Malt	1,065,260	71.60%
2208	Liquor	422,605	28.40%
MEN & WOMEN APPAREL		\$1,671,579	4.90%
6203	Suits, Ensembles, Jackets for Boys	630,914	37.74%
6204	Women's or Girl's Apparel	407,780	24.39%
6217	Apparei and Clothing Accessories	632,885	37.86%
PLASTICS, LEATHER AND PAPER		\$3,542,869	10.38%
3926	Other Articles of Plastic	76,869	2.17%
4206	Other Articles of Leather	2,685,104	75.79%
4818	Paper Towels, Toilet Paper or Napkins	452,322	12.77%
6402	Footwear of Rubber or Plastics	328,130	9.26%
6406	Footwear; Gaiters	445	0.01%

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CODE	COMMODITY	Jan 2019	Percent of Total/Subtotal
TRANSPORTATION & PARTS		\$3,332,008	9.76%
4011	New Pneumatic Tires	378,976	11.37%
8703	Motor Vehicles for Transport of Persons	2,672,296	80.20%
8708	Motor Vehicle Parts	280,736	8.43%
HOME APPLIANCES, EQUIPMENT & OTHERS		\$3,583,482	10.50%
8516	Stoves, Ranges & Other Electric Appliances	1,122,678	31.33%
8548	Electrical Machinery, Equipment & Parts	712,687	19.89%
9006	Cameras, Photographic & etc.	5,815	0.16%
9101	Wrist-Watches, Pocket Watches or Other	1,541,636	43.02%
9200	Musical Instruments, Parts & Accessories	1,893	0.05%
9403	Furniture and Parts	198,287	5.53%
9405	Lamps and Light Fittings	487	0.01%
CONSTRUCTION MATERIALS		\$1,742,376	5.10%
2523	Cement	375,148	21.53%
2710	Petroleum Oils and Gases	191,261	10.98%
3208	Paints & Varnishes	80,307	4.61%
3917	Tubes, Pipes, Hoses & Fittings of Plastics	28,333	1.63%
4412	Plywood, Veneered Panels & Laminated Wood	14,166	0.81%
4421	Other Wooden Articles	287,541	16.50%
6800	Stone, Plaster or Asbestos	2,974	0.17%
6912	Ceramic Tablewares and Products	151,413	8.69%
7000	Glassware, Paving Blocks & Fibers	7,132	0.41%
7200	Iron and Steel	430,679	24.72%
7404	Cooper, waste and Scrap	456	0.03%
7411	Copper Tubes and Pipes	613	0.04%
7616	Aluminum, Articles	165,432	9.49%
8300	Miscellaneous Products of Base Metals	6,921	0.40%

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CODE	COMMODITY	Jan 2019	Percent of Total/Subtotal
OTHER IMPORTS		\$5,557,032	16.28%
0603	Cut Flowers	80,066	1.44%
2300	Food Industries, Residues and Wastes Thereof	308,956	5.56%
2402	Tobacco, Cigars, Cigarettes & Cigarillos	41,641	0.75%
3004	Medicaments	210,256	3.78%
3006	Pharmaceutical Products	872,851	15.71%
3215	Tanning or Dyeing Extracts	322	0.01%
3304	Cosmetics	2,442,144	43.95%
3401	Soap & Organic Surface Active Products	331,181	5.96%
3500	Modified Starches, Glues, Enzymes	1,345	0.02%
3800	Chemical Products, N.E.S.	3,931	0.07%
5700	Carpets & Other Textiles	8,411	0.15%
6302	Bed, Table, Toilet and Kitchen Linen	69,684	1.25%
6500	Headgear and Parts Thereof	20,071	0.36%
6600	Umbrellas and Walking Sticks	6,991	0.13%
7113	Jewelry Articles of Precious Metal	827,409	14.89%
8471	Automatic Data Processing Machines	36,299	0.65%
8473	Automatic Data Processing Parts	28,567	0.51%
8506	Cells and Batteries	77,025	1.39%
9004	Sunglasses, Spectacles, Corrective or Protective	119,603	2.15%
9406	Bedding and Mattresses	48,360	0.87%
9503	Toys	3,964	0.07%
9508	Games and Sports Requisites & Acessories	508	0.01%
9608	Pens, Ballpoints, Fountain Pens	14,019	0.25%
9613	Cigarette Lighters	3,430	0.06%
	GRAND TOTAL	\$34,132,835	

Table 2

January Imports	2019 Dollars (\$)	Percent of Total
Imports by Air	11,681,757	34.2%
Imports by Ship	22,451,078	65.8%

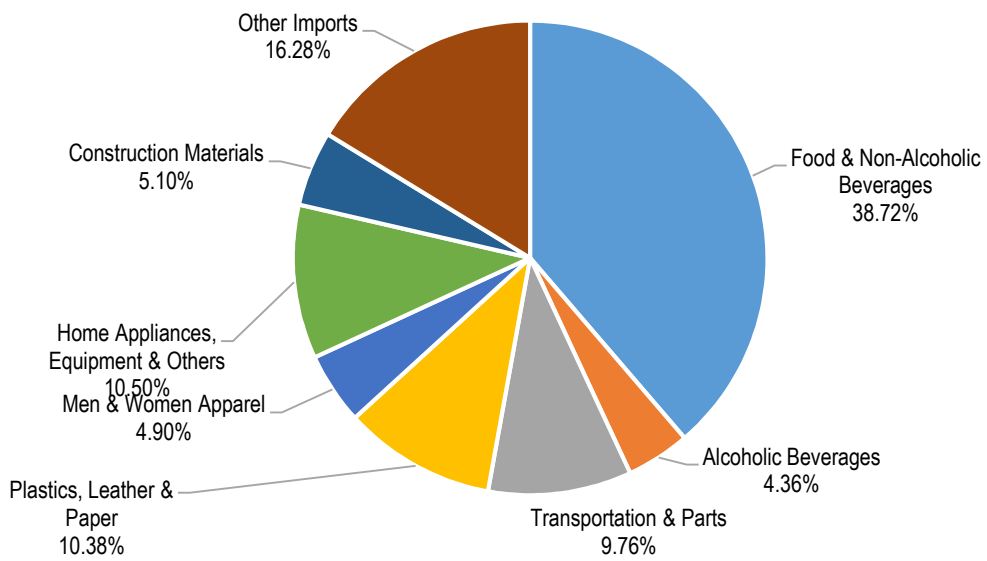
Table 3

Top 20 January Imports by Country of Origin	2019 Dollars (\$)	Percent of Total
United States of America	18,173,787	53.24%
Italy	2,052,359	6.01%
China - Peoples Republic of	2,024,886	5.93%
Taiwan	1,494,973	4.38%
France	1,480,222	4.34%
Switzerland	1,416,441	4.15%
Republic of Korea	1,115,001	3.27%
Thailand	892,538	2.61%
Japan	807,772	2.37%
New Zealand	804,593	2.36%
Singapore	628,216	1.84%
Philippines	504,658	1.48%
Viet Nam	407,624	1.19%
Hong Kong	388,086	1.14%
Spain	364,526	1.07%
Great Britain	354,693	1.04%
Canada	263,958	0.77%
Nauru	149,424	0.44%
Australia	123,859	0.36%
Marshall Islands	113,661	0.33%
All Others	571,557	1.67%

Table 4

Code	January Top 25 Commodities Imported	2019										All Others
		Dollars(\$)	United States	Italy	France	China	Korea	Switzerland				
4206	Other Articles of Leather	2,685,104	199,832	1,157,072	122,143		693,006	586				512,464
8703	Motor Cars and other Motor Vehicles	2,672,296	2,672,296									0
3304	Perfumes & Toilet Waters	2,442,144	949,220	55,934	7,462		335,772	125,219				968,537
2202	Water, containing Sugar	2,014,484	928,482			772,002						314,000
9101	Wrist-Watch, Pocket-watches or Others	1,541,636	64,879	5,981	125,024		249	1,229,797				115,706
8516	Home Appliances, Equipment & Others	1,122,678	376,537		420,465							325,676
2203	Beer made from Malt	1,065,260	908,142		106,200							50,918
3006	Pharmaceutical Products	872,851	837,255		729							34,867
7113	Jewelry Article	827,409	348,038	191,746	40,619		67,732	48,749				130,524
8548	Electrical Machinery, Equipment & Parts	712,687	423,093		211,937							77,657
6217	Apparel and Clothing Accessories	632,885	129,754	246,313	34,522		152,991	3,734				65,572
6203	Men's or Boy's Apparel	630,914	531,530	37,412	8,372		613					52,986
4818	Paper Towels, Toilet Paper or Napkins	452,322	332,986		85,688							33,597
7200	Iron and Steel	430,679	51,622		1,065							377,992
2208	Liquor	422,605	171,715	4,614	13,922	11,489						234,787
6204	Women's or Girl's Apparel	407,780	284,438	18,881			22,213					68,325
2523	Cement	375,148	16,037			330,820						28,291
3401	Soaps	331,181	313,646		719							16,503
6402	Footwear of Rubbers or Plastic	328,130	82,094	173,376	37,025		1,935					33,699
4011	Tyres of Rubber	378,976			223,432	37,873						117,671
2300	Food Industries, Residues and Wastes Thereof	308,956	303,884		3,814							1,258
4421	Other Wooden Articles	287,541	222,926		7,771							56,844
8708	Motor Vehicle Parts	280,736	172,249									108,487
3004	Medicaments	210,256	210,256									0
9403	Furniture and Parts	198,287	10,857									187,430

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