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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 on a quarterly basis 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.bsp.guam.gov/> for External Trade Historical Data, and http://www.pifsc.noaa.gov/wpacfin/guam/doc/pages/gdoc_data_menu.php for Guam's fishery transshipment statistics information.

GUAM EXPORT DATA

Table 1

CODES	COMMODITY GROUP	JULY - SEPT 2013	Percent of Total/Subtotal
	FOOD & NON-ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES	\$2,664,166	23.46%
0207	Meat and Edible Offal of Poultry	77,224	2.90%
0302	Fish, Chilled, Fresh, Frozen, Dried & Salted	1,931,711	72.51%
0306	Crustacean, in shell or not	23,192	0.87%
0402	Milk and Cream, Containing Sugar	7,801	0.29%
0407	Bird's Eggs, not in shell, Egg Yolk	22,662	0.85%
0709	Vegetables and Certain Roots and Tubers; Edible	28,841	1.08%
1601	Sausages	8,369	0.31%
1806	Chocolate & Other Food Preparations Containing Cocoa	47,970	1.80%
1905	Bread, Pastry, Cakes & Other Bakery Products	27,868	1.05%
2202	Water, Containing Sugar	488,528	18.34%
	ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES	\$744,420	6.56%
2203	Beer Made From Malt	675,977	90.81%
2208	Ethyl Alcohol, Undenatured, Liqueurs & Other	68,443	9.19%
	TRANSPORTATION AND PARTS	\$2,381,200	20.97%
8703	Motor Cars Designed for Transport of Persons	2,249,696	94.48%
8708	Motor Vehicle Parts	131,504	5.52%
	PLASTICS LEATHERS & PAPERS	\$1,029,438	9.06%
4202	Trunks, Suitcases and other Similar Bags	419,950	40.79%
4203	Articles of Apparel, Clothing Accessories, or Leather	118,267	11.49%
4700	Pulp of Wood or other Fibrous Cellulosic Materials	44,030	4.28%
4819	Carton Boxes of Paper	293,696	28.53%
6402	Footwear of Rubber or Plastics	49,897	4.85%
6403	Footwear of Leather	103,598	10.06%
	MEN AND WOMEN APPAREL	\$3,030	0.03%
6214	Shawls, Scarves, Mufflers	3,030	100.00%

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CODES	COMMODITY GROUP	JULY - SEPT 2013	Percent of Total/Subtotal
	HOME APPLIANCES, EQUIPMENT & OTHERS	\$1,758,113	15.48%
8415	Air Conditioning Machines	16,083	0.91%
8418	Refrigerators, Freezers, & Similar Equipment	19,270	1.10%
9101	Wrist-Watches, Pocket Watches or Other	1,713,132	97.44%
9405	Cameras, Flashlights, Lamps & Projectors	9,628	0.55%
	CONSTRUCTION MATERIALS	\$569,973	5.02%
2523	Cement	53,151	9.33%
2710	Petroleum Oils and Gases	200,088	35.10%
2800	Chemicals Organic or Inorganic Compound	2,834	0.50%
3208	Paints & Varnishes	5,188	0.91%
3917	Tubes, Pipes, Hoses & Fittings of Plastics	9,643	1.69%
4412	Plywood, Wood Sawn, Sliced	9,229	1.62%
4823	Paper and Paperboard Articles	20,467	3.59%
7000	Glassware, Paving Blocks & Fibers	9,389	1.65%
7200	Iron and Steel	88,720	15.57%
7404	Copper, Stranded Wire, Waste & Scrap	14,132	2.48%
7602	Aluminum Waste, Scraps, Tubes or Fittings	88,075	15.45%
7802	Lead, Waste & Scrap	57,911	10.16%
8300	Miscellaneous Base Metals	4,506	0.79%
8506	Cells and Batteries	6,640	1.16%
	OTHER EXPORTS	\$2,206,055	19.43%
2402	Tobacco, Cigars, Cigarettes & Cigarillos	1,776,047	80.51%
2403	Manufactured Tobacco & Tobacco Substitute	15,458	0.70%
3402	Organic Surface Active Products	6,660	0.30%
7113	Jewelry Articles of Precious Metal	398,569	18.07%
7117	Imitation Jewelry	9,321	0.42%
	Grand Total	\$11,356,395	

Table 2

CODE	July - September Top 20 Commodities Exported	2013 (Dollars)	Country of Destination				All Others
			FSM	Japan	HongKong	Palau	Philippines
8703	Motor Cars Designed for Transport of Persons	2,249,696	575,782	182,369		273,394	618,929
0302	Fish, Chilled, Fresh, Frozen, Dried & Salted	1,931,711		1,896,972			34,739
2402	Tobacco, Cigars, Cigarettes & Cigarillos	1,776,047	1,084,714			686,533	4,800
9101	Wrist-Watches, Pocket Watches or Other	1,713,132			1,308,236		404,896
2203	Beer Made From Malt	675,977	607,414			40,675	27,888
2202	Water, Containing Sugar	488,528	488,528				0
4202	Trunks, Suitcases and other Similar Bags	419,950	31,683	171,615	153,751		62,901
7113	Jewelry Articles of Precious Metal	398,569			239,503		159,066
4819	Carton Boxes of Paper	293,696					293,696
2710	Petroleum Oils and Gases	200,088	69,332			130,756	0
8708	Motor Vehicle Parts	131,504		33,342	89,662		8,500
4203	Apparel, Clothing Accessories, or Leather	118,267					118,267
6403	Footwear of Leather	103,598					103,598
7200	Iron and Steel	88,720					88,720
7602	Aluminum Waste, Scraps, Tubes or Fittings	88,075					88,075
0207	Meat and Edible Offal of Poultry	77,224	77,224				0
2208	Ethyl Alcohol, Undenatured, Liqueurs & Other	68,443	59,227				9,216
7802	Lead, Waste & Scrap	57,911					57,911
2523	Cement	53,151	53,151				0
6402	Footwear of Rubber or Plastics	49,897					49,897

Table 3		
July to September By Country of Destination	2013 (Dollars)	Percent of Total
Federated States of Micronesia	3,187,284	28.07%
Japan	2,366,254	20.84%
Hong Kong	1,800,473	15.85%
Palau	1,191,252	10.49%
Philippines	618,929	5.45%
Republic of Korea	481,086	4.24%
China	422,631	3.72%
Switzerland	404,896	3.57%
Singapore	373,077	3.29%
Taiwan	177,688	1.56%
Germany	173,626	1.53%
Marshall Islands	55,341	0.49%
Italy	33,630	0.30%
Northern Mariana Islands	32,688	0.29%
United Arab Emirates	20,159	0.18%
France	17,381	0.15%

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