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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 \$41 to \$47 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.

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Table 1

CODES	COMMODITY GROUP	JAN - MAR 2016	Percent of Total/Subtotal
	FOOD & NON-ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES	\$1,505,293	18.63%
0207	Meat and Edible Offal of Poultry	17,173	1.14%
0302	Fish, Live, Chilled or Frozen	1,369,027	90.95%
0407	Bird's Eggs, not in shell, Egg Yolk	7,600	0.50%
1006	Rice	9,000	0.60%
2201	Water, not Containing Sugar	9,042	0.60%
2202	Water, Containing Sugar	93,451	6.21%
	ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES	\$1,262,435	15.62%
2203	Beer Made From Malt	1,232,111	97.60%
2208	Ethyl Alcohol, Undenatured, Liqueurs & Other	30,324	2.40%
	TRANSPORTATION AND PARTS	\$1,759,847	21.78%
8703	Motor Cars Designed for Transport of Persons	1,392,705	79.14%
8704	Vehicles for Transport of Goods	181,009	10.29%
8708	Motor Vehicle Parts	161,379	9.17%
8900	Yachts, Boats & other Vessels and Parts	24,754	1.41%
	HOME APPLIANCES, EQUIPMENT & OTHERS	\$803,137	9.94%
8415	Air Conditioning Machines	5,710	0.71%
8418	Refrigerators, Freezers, & Similar Equipment	37,953	4.73%
8548	Electrical Machinery, Equipment & Parts	170,240	21.20%
9101	Wrist-Watches, Pocket Watches or Other	589,234	73.37%

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	PLASTICS, LEATHERS & PAPERS	\$257,553	3.19%
4819	Carton Boxes of Paper	257,553	100.00%
	CONSTRUCTION MATERIALS	\$375,313	4.64%
2523	Cement	10,690	2.85%
2710	Petroleum Oils and Gases	175,317	46.71%
6912	Ceramic Tablewares and Products	3,836	1.02%
7200	Iron and Steel	61,790	16.46%
7404	Copper, Stranded Wire, Waste & Scrap	51,838	13.81%
7602	Aluminum Waste, Scraps, Tubes or Fittings	30,537	8.14%
7802	Lead, Waste & Scrap	33,110	8.82%
8485	Boilers, Machinery and Mechanical	8,195	2.18%
	OTHER EXPORTS	\$2,116,509	26.19%
2402	Tobacco, Cigars, Cigarettes & Cigarillos	1,858,994	87.83%
7117	Imitation Jewelry	50,018	2.36%
8473	Automatic Data Processing Parts	207,497	9.80%
	Grand Total	\$8,080,087	

Table 3		
January to March By Country of Destination	2016 (Dollars)	Percent of Total
Federated States of Micronesia	4,297,841	53.19%
Japan	1,337,068	16.55%
Marshall Islands	521,829	6.46%
China	441,290	5.46%
Hong Kong	431,204	5.34%
Palau	288,700	3.57%
Switzerland	211,948	2.62%
United Arab Emirates	167,398	2.07%
Canada	162,798	2.01%
Republic of Korea	142,038	1.76%
Taiwan	32,993	0.41%
Philippines	27,690	0.34%
Guinea	13,000	0.16%
Singapore	4,290	0.05%

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