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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 on invoices, bills of lading and on airway bills. 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. 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 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, 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.

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.

Historically, the annual estimate for imports codified within range from \$583 to 687 Million. Formal estimates, if noted within the following tables, are provided for discussion purposes.

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Table 1

Code	Commodity	February 2017	Percent of Total/Subtotal
FOOD & NON-ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES		\$16,131,658	31.33%
0201	Meat & Edible Offal of Beef	1,451,683	9.00%
0203	Meat and Edible Offal of Pork	797,250	4.94%
0207	Meat and Edible Offal of Poultry	1,325,029	8.21%
0302	Fish, Fresh, Chilled or Frozen	991,203	6.14%
0305	Fish, Dried, Salted or in Brine and Smoked	13,333	0.08%
0306	Crustacean, in shell or not	454,359	2.82%
0307	Mollusks, Live, Fresh, Chilled, Frozen, Dried & Salted	47,209	0.29%
0401	Milk & Cream, not Containing Sugar	550,617	3.41%
0403	Buttermilk	559	0.00%
0405	Butter	48,890	0.30%
0406	Cheese	86,703	0.54%
0407	Bird's Eggs, not in shell, Egg Yolk	21,280	0.13%
0709	Vegetables	414,359	2.57%
0810	Fruits	263,764	1.64%
1006	Rice	593,303	3.68%
1101	Flour	73,498	0.46%
1515	Oils	208,095	1.29%
1601	Sausages	63	0.00%
1602	Prepared or Preserved Meat or Blood	847,917	5.26%
1604	Prepared or Preserved Fish, Caviar & Caviar Substitutes	320,983	1.99%
1605	Crustaceans, Mollusks & Aquatic Invertebrates	66,288	0.41%
1701	Sugar	294,226	1.82%
1704	Sugar Confectionary	1,610	0.01%
1806	Chocolate & Other Food Preparations Containing Cocoa	361,598	2.24%
1901	Malt Extracts, Flour (Cake Mixes)	258,068	1.60%
1902	Pasta whether or not Cooked	310,090	1.92%
1903	Tapioca, Prepared from Starch	26,641	0.17%
1904	Cereals	133,347	0.83%
1905	Bread, Pastry, Cakes & Other Bakery Products	1,001,143	6.21%
2005	Vegetables, Prepared	516,082	3.20%
2008	Fruits, Nuts, & Other Edible Parts of Plants	563,250	3.49%
2009	Fruit & Vegetables Juices, not Containing Added Spirit	244,027	1.51%

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2101	Extracts, Essences, Concentrate of Coffee, Tea or Mate	252,401	1.56%
2102	Yeasts (active or inactive)	95	0.00%
2103	Sauces, Mixed Condiments, Seasoning	528,484	3.28%
2104	Soups and Broths	58,087	0.36%
2105	Ice Cream & Other Edible Ice	303,627	1.88%
2106	Other Food Preparations	372,684	2.31%
2201	Water, not Containing Sugar	463,574	2.87%
2202	Water, Containing Sugar	1,866,238	11.57%
ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES		\$1,141,784	2.22%
2203	Beer Made From Malt	715,475	62.66%
2208	Ethyl Alcohol, Undenatured, Liqueurs & Other	426,309	37.34%
MEN AND WOMEN APPAREL		\$1,914,128	3.72%
6203	Suits, Ensembles, Jackets for Boys	884,934	46.23%
6204	Suits, Ensembles, Blouses, Jackets & Dresses	603,544	31.53%
6217	Apparel and Clothing Accessories	425,650	22.24%
TRANSPORTATION & PARTS		\$16,433,645	31.92%
4011	New Pneumatic Tires	412,100	2.51%
8703	Motor Vehicles for Transport of Persons	15,453,216	94.03%
8708	Motor Vehicle Parts	568,329	3.46%
PLASTICS, LEATHER AND PAPER		\$6,593,144	12.81%
3926	Other Articles of Plastic	296,704	4.50%
4206	Other Articles of Leather	4,989,981	75.68%
4818	Paper Towels, Toilet Paper or Napkins	469,055	7.11%
6402	Footwear of Rubber or Plastics	837,402	12.70%

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Code	Commodity	February 2017	Percent of Total/Subtotal
HOME APPLIANCES, EQUIPMENT & OTHERS		\$2,300,509	4.47%
8516	Stoves, Ranges & Other Electric Appliances	1,013,097	44.04%
8548	Electrical Machinery, Equipment & Parts	120,896	5.26%
9006	Photographic Cameras	14,668	0.64%
9101	Wrist-Watches, Pocket Watches or Other	1,151,848	50.07%
CONSTRUCTION MATERIALS		\$1,298,906	2.52%
2523	Cement	121,624	9.36%
3208	Paints & Varnishes	239,299	18.42%
3917	Tubes, Pipes, Hoses & Fittings of Plastics	6,500	0.50%
4421	Other Wooden Articles	332,154	25.57%
6912	Ceramic Tablewares and Products	51,938	4.00%
7000	Glassware, Paving Blocks & Fibers	2,279	0.18%
7200	Iron and Steel	315,370	24.28%
7411	Copper Tubes and Pipes	34,251	2.64%
7616	Aluminum, Articles	118,280	9.11%
8300	Miscellaneous Products of Base Metals	77,211	5.94%

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Code	Commodity	February 2017	Percent of Total/Subtotal
OTHER IMPORTS		\$5,672,503	11.02%
0603	Cut Flowers	212,755	3.75%
2300	Food Industries, Residues and Wastes Thereof	201,420	3.55%
2402	Tobacco, Cigars, Cigarettes & Cigarillos	158,984	2.80%
2710	Petroleum Oils and Gases	109,201	1.93%
3004	Medicaments	2,078	0.04%
3006	Pharmaceutical Products	969,479	17.09%
3304	Perfumes & Toilet Waters	2,060,364	36.32%
3401	Soap & Organic Surface Active Products	397,724	7.01%
3500	Modified Starches, Glues, Enzymes	12,513	0.22%
3800	Chemical Products, N.E.S.	52,015	0.92%
4900	Printed Books, Brochures & Other	12,786	0.23%
5700	Carpets & Other Textiles	39,155	0.69%
6000	Special Woven Fabrics	2,273	0.04%
6302	Bed, Table, Toilet and Kitchen Linen	24,505	0.43%
6500	Headgear and Parts Thereof	13,329	0.23%
6600	Umbrellas and Walking Sticks	2,718	0.05%
7113	Jewelry Articles of Precious Metal	615,464	10.85%
8471	Automatic Data Processing Machines	20,389	0.36%
8473	Automatic Data Processing Parts	109,078	1.92%
8506	Cells and Batteries	205,663	3.63%
9004	Sunglasses, Spectacles, Corrective or Protective	172,631	3.04%
9200	Musical Instruments, Parts & Accessories	9,753	0.17%
9403	Furniture and Parts	141,183	2.49%
9405	Lamps and Light Fittings	3,149	0.06%
9406	Bedding and Mattresses	26,946	0.48%
9503	Toys	36,672	0.65%
9508	Games and Sports Requisites & Acessories	37,918	0.67%
9608	Pens, Ballpoints, Fountain Pens	18,669	0.33%
9613	Cigarette Lighters	3,690	0.07%

GRAND TOTAL

\$51,486,277

Table 2

February Imports	2017 Dollars (\$)	Percent of Total
Imports by Air	13,305,628	25.8%
Imports by Ship	38,180,649	74.2%

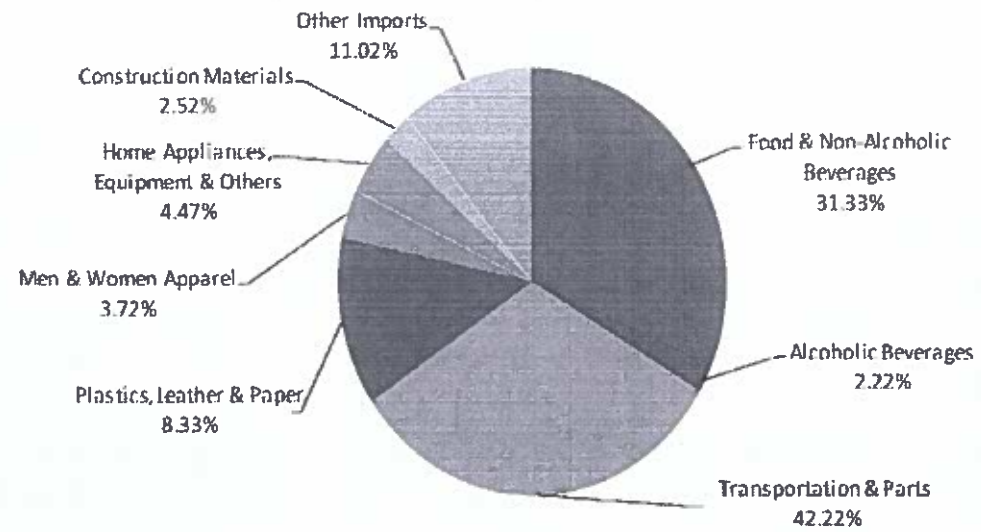
Table 3

Top 20 February Imports by Country of Origin	2017 Dollars (\$)	Percent of Total
United States of America	27,050,339	52.54%
Japan	6,725,414	13.06%
Italy	3,785,451	7.35%
Korea	2,622,558	5.09%
France	1,787,051	3.47%
China	1,506,894	2.93%
Taiwan	1,054,694	2.05%
Philippines	1,038,595	2.02%
Switzerland	1,020,078	1.98%
Thailand	787,462	1.53%
Singapore	580,152	1.13%
Viet Nam	443,205	0.86%
Great Britain	441,141	0.86%
Spain	425,681	0.83%
Hong Kong	361,416	0.70%
Canada	342,328	0.66%
Australia	289,354	0.56%
Malaysia	172,625	0.34%
Norway	113,183	0.22%
New Zealand	109,747	0.21%
All Others	828,910	1.61%

Table 4

February Code	Top 25 Commodities Imported	2017 Dollars(\$)	Country of Origin					All Others
			United States	Japan	Italy	France	China	
8703	Motor Vehicles for Transport of Persons	15,453,216	9,013,563	5,193,211		1,112,384		134,058
4206	Other Articles of Leather	4,989,981	243,108	157,229	2,798,429	31,164	833,288	744,924
3304	Perfumes & Toilet Waters	2,060,364	482,535	87,710	75,698	48,672	453,137	912,612
2202	Water, Containing Sugar	1,866,238	1,282,318	110,302		25,067		448,551
0201	Meat & Edible Offal of Beef	1,451,683	1,451,121					562
0207	Meat and Edible Offal of Poultry	1,325,029	1,325,029					0
9101	Wrist-Watches, Pocket Watches or Other	1,151,848	102,344	78,250			45,019	926,235
8516	Stoves, Ranges & Other Electric Appliances	1,013,097	789,377			29,897	180,903	12,920
1905	Bread, Pastry, Cakes & Other Bakery Products	1,001,143	424,926	260,259		92,288		223,670
0302	Fish, Fresh, Chilled or Frozen	991,203	162,238			39,910		789,055
3006	Pharmaceutical Products	969,479	908,074					61,405
6203	Suits, Ensembles, Jackets for Boys	884,934	559,067	51,947	65,696		39,162	169,062
1602	Prepared or Preserved Meat or Blood	847,917	844,282					3,635
6402	Footwear of Rubber or Plastics	837,402	211,540		327,213		237,730	60,919
0203	Meat and Edible Offal of Pork	797,250	797,250					0
2203	Beer Made From Malt	715,475	462,870	176,107			61,148	15,350
7113	Jewelry Articles of Precious Metal	615,464	149,054		123,630		29,849	224,422
6204	Suits, Ensembles, Blouses, Jackets & Dresses	603,544	531,291		41,046			31,207
1006	Rice	593,303	367,245					226,058
8708	Motor Vehicle Parts	568,329	312,267	85,922		75,471		94,669
2008	Fruits, Nuts, & Other Edible Parts of Plants	563,250	297,920				17,475	247,855
0401	Milk & Cream, not Containing Sugar	550,617	372,354					178,263
2103	Sauces, Mixed Condiments, Seasoning	528,484	247,720	112,432		32,151		136,181
2005	Vegetables, Prepared	516,082	324,583	35,845		24,804	80,395	50,455
4818	Paper Towels, Toilet Paper or Napkins	469,055	245,761			16,978		206,316

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