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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	APRIL - JUNE 2012	Percent of Total/Subtotal
	FOOD & NON-ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES	\$2,298,815	20.05%
0203	Meat and Edible Offal of Pork	5,971	0.26%
0207	Meat and Edible Offal of Poultry	52,649	2.29%
0302	Fish, Chilled, Fresh, Frozen, Dried & Salted	2,140,948	93.13%
0306	Crustacean, in shell or not	15,410	0.67%
0407	Bird's Eggs, not in shell, Egg Yolk	45,943	2.00%
1601	Sausages	25,449	1.11%
2202	Water, Containing Sugar	12,445	0.54%
	ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES	\$435,133	3.80%
2203	Beer Made From Malt	401,336	92.23%
2204	Wine	4,500	1.03%
2208	Ethyl Alcohol, Undenatured, Liqueurs & Other	29,297	6.73%
	TRANSPORTATION AND PARTS	\$3,350,017	29.22%
4011	New Pneumatic Tires or Rubber	29,632	0.88%
8703	Motor Cars Designed for Transport of Persons	3,111,814	92.89%
8708	Motor Vehicle Parts	196,348	5.86%
8900	Yachts, Boats & other Vessels and Parts	12,223	0.36%
	HOME APPLIANCES, EQUIPMENT & OTHERS	\$1,949,704	17.01%
8415	Air Conditioning Machines	3,600	0.18%
8509	Pumps for Liquids & Vacuums	7,750	0.40%
8521	Video Recording Apparatus	8,648	0.44%
9101	Wrist-Watches, Pocket Watches or Other	1,923,171	98.64%
9114	Clocks or Watches	6,535	0.34%

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CODES	COMMODITY GROUP	APRIL - JUNE 2012	Percent of Total/Subtotal
	PLASTICS LEATHERS & PAPERS	\$1,210,853	10.56%
4202	Trunks, Suitcases and other Similar Bags	592,372	48.92%
4203	Articles of Apparel, Clothing Accessories, or Leather	292,074	24.12%
4700	Pulp of Wood or other Fibrous Cellulosic Materials	19,227	1.59%
4819	Carton Boxes of Paper	148,959	12.30%
6402	Footwear of Rubber or Plastics	158,221	13.07%
	MEN AND WOMEN APPAREL	\$3,106	0.03%
6215	Shawls, Scarves, Mufflers, Ties, Bowties & Cravats	3,106	100.00%
	CONSTRUCTION MATERIALS	\$1,016,019	8.86%
2710	Petroleum Oils and Gases	126,917	12.49%
3208	Paints & Varnishes	27,890	2.75%
7200	Iron and Steel	171,430	16.87%
7404	Copper, Stranded Wire, Waste & Scrap	64,800	6.38%
7602	Aluminum Waste, Scraps, Tubes or Fittings	537,826	52.93%
7802	Lead, Waste & Scrap	72,356	7.12%
8200	Machine Tools	14,800	1.46%
	OTHER EXPORTS	\$1,201,092	10.48%
2402	Tobacco, Cigars, Cigarettes & Cigarillos	370,911	30.88%
7113	Jewelry Articles of Precious Metal	814,867	67.84%
7117	Imitation Jewelry	11,314	0.94%
8301	Locks and Key	4,000	0.33%
	Grand Total	\$11,464,739	

Table 2							
CODE	April - June Top 20 Commodities Exported	2012 (Dollars)	Country of Destination				All Others
			Japan	HongKong	FSM	Korea	
8703	Motor Cars Designed for Transport of Persons	3,111,814	539,526		335,098	553,227	1,683,963
0302	Fish, Chilled, Fresh, Frozen, Dried & Salted	2,140,948	2,126,966				13,982
9101	Wrist-Watches, Pocket Watches or Other	1,923,171	794,399	893,183			235,589
7113	Jewelry Articles of Precious Metal	814,867		716,820			98,047
4202	Trunks, Suitcases and other Similar Bags	592,372		198,441			393,931
7602	Aluminum Waste, Scraps, Tubes or Fittings	537,826				461,501	76,325
2203	Beer Made From Malt	401,336			359,223		42,113
2402	Tobacco, Cigars, Cigarettes & Cigarillos	370,911			282,525		88,386
4203	Articles of Apparel, Clothing Accessories, or Leather	292,074	65,546				226,528
8708	Motor Vehicle Parts	196,348					196,348
7200	Iron and Steel	171,430				71,030	100,400
6402	Footwear of Rubber or Plastics	158,221					158,221
4819	Carton Boxes of Paper	148,959					148,959
2710	Petroleum Oils and Gases	126,917					126,917
7802	Lead, Waste & Scrap	72,356					72,356
7404	Copper, Stranded Wire, Waste & Scrap	64,800					64,800
0207	Meat and Edible Offal of Poultry	52,649			52,649		0
0407	Bird's Eggs, not in shell, Egg Yolk	45,943			45,943		0
4011	New Pneumatic Tires or Rubber	29,632					29,632
2208	Ethyl Alcohol, Undenatured, Liqueurs & Other	29,297					29,297

Table 3		
April to June By Country of Destination	2012 (Dollars)	Percent of Total
Japan	3,475,630	30.32%
Hong Kong	1,912,304	16.68%
Federated States of Micronesia	1,236,648	10.79%
Republic of Korea	1,170,337	10.21%
Philippines	862,589	7.52%
Singapore	809,759	7.06%
Germany	774,701	6.76%
China	322,311	2.81%
Palau	310,209	2.71%
Italy	165,590	1.44%
Marshall Islands	128,808	1.12%
Switzerland	117,021	1.02%
Taiwan	100,782	0.88%
Australia	66,914	0.58%
Morocco	11,136	0.10%

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