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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 2013	Percent of Total/Subtotal
	FOOD & NON-ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES	\$2,170,780	20.03%
0203	Meat and Edible Offal of Pork	4,688	0.22%
0207	Meat and Edible Offal of Poultry	173,661	8.00%
0302	Fish, Chilled, Fresh, Frozen, Dried & Salted	1,806,673	83.23%
0306	Crustacean, in shell or not	29,284	1.35%
0402	Milk and Cream, Containing Sugar	7,910	0.36%
0407	Bird's Eggs, not in shell, Egg Yolk	9,600	0.44%
1601	Sausages	33,426	1.54%
1905	Bread, Pastry, Cakes & Other Bakery Products	44,590	2.05%
2201	Water, not Containing Sugar	4,485	0.21%
2202	Water, Containing Sugar	56,463	2.60%
	ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES	\$625,988	5.78%
2203	Beer Made From Malt	565,191	90.29%
2208	Ethyl Alcohol, Undenatured, Liqueurs & Other	60,797	9.71%
	TRANSPORTATION AND PARTS	\$2,823,605	26.05%
4011	New Pneumatic Tires or Rubber	55,837	1.98%
8703	Motor Cars Designed for Transport of Persons	2,767,768	98.02%
	HOME APPLIANCES, EQUIPMENT & OTHERS	\$2,034,304	18.77%
8415	Air Conditioning Machines	39,616	1.95%
8418	Refrigerators, Freezers, & Similar Equipment	15,485	0.76%
9004	Spectacles, Goggles, Frames & Mountings	11,731	0.58%
9101	Wrist-Watches, Pocket Watches or Other	1,858,591	91.36%
9114	Clocks or Watches	108,881	5.35%

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	PLASTICS LEATHERS & PAPERS	\$1,295,691	11.95%
3926	Other Articles of Plastic	4,000	0.31%
4100	Raw Hides and Skins	15,850	1.22%
4202	Trunks, Suitcases and other Similar Bags	399,287	30.82%
4203	Articles of Apparel, Clothing Accessories, or Leather	417,604	32.23%
4700	Pulp of Wood or other Fibrous Cellulosic Materials	7,200	0.56%
4819	Carton Boxes of Paper	203,205	15.68%
6402	Footwear of Rubber or Plastics	199,747	15.42%
6403	Footwear of Leather	48,798	3.77%
	CONSTRUCTION MATERIALS	\$577,922	5.33%
2710	Petroleum Oils and Gases	144,942	25.08%
2800	Chemicals Organic or Inorganic Compound	8,688	1.50%
3208	Paints & Varnishes	29,500	5.10%
4823	Paper and Paperboard Articles	3,005	0.52%
5700	Carpets and other Textiles	6,585	1.14%
7200	Iron and Steel	120,286	20.81%
7404	Copper, Stranded Wire, Waste & Scrap	18,091	3.13%
7602	Aluminum Waste, Scraps, Tubes or Fittings	155,984	26.99%
7610	Aluminum Structures, Doors, Windows & Frames	2,560	0.44%
8300	Miscellaneous Base Metals	3,281	0.57%
8485	Nuclear Reactor, Boilers, Machinery and Mechanical	85,000	14.71%
	OTHER EXPORTS	\$1,310,617	12.09%
2402	Tobacco, Cigars, Cigarettes & Cigarillos	592,387	45.20%
3304	Perfumes & Toilet Waters	11,681	0.89%
3402	Organic Surface Active Products	150,521	11.48%
7113	Jewelry Articles of Precious Metal	243,018	18.54%
7117	Imitation Jewelry	313,010	23.88%
	Grand Total	\$10,838,907	

Table 2												
CODE	April - June	2013										All Others
	Top 20 Commodities Exported	(Dollars)										
		Hong Kong	Japan	FSM	Singapore	Germany						
8703	Motor Cars Designed for Transport of Persons		80,000	278,207		1,034,744						1,374,817
9101	Wrist-Watches, Pocket Watches or Other	1,614,014			185,955							58,622
0302	Fish, Chilled, Fresh, Frozen, Dried & Salted		1,788,867									17,806
2402	Tobacco, Cigars, Cigarettes & Cigarillos			520,934								71,453
2203	Beer Made From Malt			515,412								49,779
4203	Articles of Apparel, Clothing Accessories, or Leather				414,127							3,477
4202	Trunks, Suitcases and other Similar Bags		49,196		284,455							65,636
7117	Imitation Jewelry	277,870										35,140
7113	Jewelry Articles of Precious Metal	235,265										7,753
4819	Carton Boxes of Paper											203,205
6402	Footwear of Rubber or Plastics											7,957
0207	Meat and Edible Offal of Poultry			173,661								0
7602	Aluminum Waste, Scraps, Tubes or Fittings				150,521							155,984
3402	Organic Surface Active Products				144,942							0
2710	Petroleum Oils and Gases			43,398								101,544
7200	Iron and Steel											120,286
9114	Clocks or Watches		77,940									30,941
8485	Nuclear Reactor, Boilers, Machinery and Mechanical											85,000
2208	Ethyl Alcohol, Undenatured, Liqueurs & Other			49,204								11,593
2202	Water, Containing Sugar			56,463								0

Table 3		
April to June By Country of Destination	2013 (Dollars)	Percent of Total
Hong Kong	2,127,149	19.63%
Japan	2,048,550	18.90%
Federated States of Micronesia	1,787,021	16.49%
Singapore	1,345,751	12.42%
Germany	1,034,744	9.55%
Philippines	809,382	7.47%
Republic of Korea	533,088	4.92%
Palau	484,217	4.47%
China	326,318	3.01%
Taiwan	145,117	1.34%
Switzerland	94,240	0.87%
Australia	47,577	0.44%
Republic of Marshall Islands	26,844	0.25%
Italy	25,432	0.23%
France	3,477	0.03%

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