

TABLE 16B Percent Distribution of Unemployed Persons Looking for Work by Job Search Method, by Sex and Region: January 2013

Sex and Region	Total	Job Search Method					
		Registered in Employment Agency		Approached Employer Directly	Approached Relatives or Friends	Placed or Answered Advertisements	Others
		Private	Public				
Philippines							
Both Sexes	1,241	178	78	460	430	77	19
Number (in thousands)							
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Male	58.2	52.7	56.6	58.8	61.3	50.5	60.7
Female	41.8	47.3	43.4	41.2	38.7	49.5	39.3
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
National Capital Region	21.4	33.9	26.7	15.6	20.2	31.4	12.2
Cordillera Administrative Region	1.4	1.0	2.8	0.8	1.2	5.7	-
I - Ilocos Region	3.5	2.1	2.0	2.8	5.4	3.0	-
II - Cagayan Valley	1.5	1.7	1.3	0.8	1.9	3.2	2.2
III - Central Luzon	14.0	8.8	26.0	17.1	11.3	10.1	14.0
IVA - CALABARZON	19.1	21.9	12.7	22.8	15.8	11.3	30.4
IVB - MIMAROPA	2.1	1.0	2.6	1.5	3.2	1.4	-
V - Bicol Region	3.9	1.8	5.1	3.8	4.2	5.2	10.8
VI - Western Visayas	6.3	5.2	4.4	7.5	6.1	3.6	8.7
VII - Central Visayas	7.9	9.7	3.1	8.4	7.5	6.6	9.7
VIII - Eastern Visayas	3.1	0.5	1.9	3.2	3.8	6.7	2.5
IX - Zamboanga Peninsula	2.0	0.6	1.8	2.5	2.3	1.3	-
X - Northern Mindanao	3.2	3.2	1.3	2.9	3.9	2.4	5.8
XI - Davao Region	4.2	4.9	0.7	4.4	4.7	2.3	-
XII - SOCCSKSARGEN	2.5	2.0	3.8	1.8	3.5	1.7	-
Caraga	2.5	1.3	2.3	2.8	2.7	3.7	-
Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao	1.5	0.5	1.7	1.2	2.2	0.5	3.6

Source: National Statistics Office, January 2013 Labor Force Survey