

TABLE 16B Percent Distribution of Unemployed Persons Looking for Work by Job Search Method, by Sex and Region: October 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	1,307	90	241	546	348	57	26
Number (in thousands)							
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Male	59.3	51.9	58.3	56.9	66.7	56.6	51.4
Female	40.7	48.1	41.7	43.1	33.3	43.4	48.6
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
National Capital Region	22.9	23.6	23.6	19.6	25.8	35.7	17.0
Cordillera Administrative Region	1.0	0.7	0.6	0.5	1.3	6.3	2.5
I - Ilocos Region	4.6	4.7	2.4	6.4	3.8	0.9	3.9
II - Cagayan Valley	1.5	1.4	0.8	1.7	1.9	1.6	-
III - Central Luzon	12.7	25.9	10.7	10.7	13.7	5.6	28.9
IV-A - CALABARZON	21.9	17.2	34.9	19.7	19.3	8.5	25.8
IV-B - MIMAROPA	2.1	0.5	0.4	2.8	2.8	1.2	1.5
V - Bicol Region	5.9	4.9	3.1	6.5	6.7	10.6	-
VI - Western Visayas	6.9	6.2	6.8	7.8	5.3	13.1	2.1
VII - Central Visayas	5.5	1.6	5.8	6.0	4.6	7.6	11.7
VIII - Eastern Visayas	2.3	1.1	1.2	3.0	2.4	-	3.2
IX - Zamboanga Peninsula	1.2	3.6	0.6	1.5	0.3	1.9	-
X - Northern Mindanao	3.8	2.3	2.6	6.1	2.0	1.8	-
XI - Davao Region	4.1	2.0	2.8	4.8	4.8	2.6	3.4
XII - SOCCSKSARGEN	1.4	1.4	1.8	1.2	1.6	-	-
Caraga	1.5	1.8	1.6	1.3	1.7	2.7	-
Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao	0.8	1.1	0.3	0.3	2.1	-	-

Details may not add up to totals due to rounding.

Source: Philippine Statistics Authority, *October 2013 Labor Force Survey*