

TABLE 2 Number and Percentage Distribution of Population 15 Years Old and Over by Employment Status by Region and Sex: 2015

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Region and Sex	Population 15 Years Old and Over	In the Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Not In the Labor Force
Philippines Number (in thousand)	64,936	41,342	38,741	2,602	23,594
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Male	49.9	60.6	60.4	63.7	31.2
Female	50.1	39.4	39.6	36.3	68.8
National Capital Region Number (in thousand)	8,251	5,193	4,752	441	3,057
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Male	47.9	56.5	55.8	64.1	33.3
Female	52.1	43.5	44.2	35.9	66.7
Cordillera Administrative Region Number (in thousand)	1,188	797	759	38	391
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Male	51.3	59.3	59.4	56.5	35.0
Female	48.7	40.7	40.6	43.5	65.0
I - Ilocos Region Number (in thousand)	3,587	2,199	2,014	185	1,388
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Male	50.4	62.6	62.3	66.7	31.1
Female	49.6	37.4	37.7	33.3	68.9
II - Cagayan Valley Number (in thousand)	2,332	1,562	1,512	50	769
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Male	52.2	63.5	63.6	59.2	29.3
Female	47.8	36.5	36.4	40.8	70.7
III - Central Luzon Number (in thousand)	7,282	4,476	4,126	350	2,806
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Male	49.4	62.1	61.9	64.4	29.3
Female	50.6	37.9	38.1	35.6	70.7
IVA - CALABARZON Number (in thousand)	8,576	5,528	5,085	444	3,047
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Male	48.9	58.0	57.2	66.8	32.3
Female	51.1	42.0	42.8	33.2	67.7
IVB - MIMAROPA Number (in thousand)	2,044	1,340	1,296	44	705
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Male	51.2	61.0	60.9	64.0	32.6
Female	48.8	39.0	39.1	36.0	67.4

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V - Bicol Region	3,972	2,515	2,373	142	1,457
Number (in thousand)					
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Male	51.0	62.2	62.4	60.4	31.5
Female	49.0	37.8	37.6	39.6	68.5
VI - Western Visayas	5,359	3,379	3,195	184	1,980
Number (in thousand)					
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Male	50.2	60.5	60.3	64.5	32.6
Female	49.8	39.5	39.7	35.5	67.4
VII - Central Visayas	5,074	3,418	3,215	203	1,656
Number (in thousand)					
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Male	49.4	57.0	56.5	65.5	33.6
Female	50.6	43.0	43.5	34.5	66.4
VIII - Eastern Visayas	1,701	1,069	1,011	58	632
Number (in thousand)					
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Male	51.1	62.9	63.0	61.6	31.0
Female	48.9	37.1	37.0	38.4	69.0
IX - Zamboanga Peninsula	2,294	1,434	1,384	50	860
Number (in thousand)					
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Male	50.8	63.7	63.8	62.4	29.3
Female	49.2	36.3	36.2	37.6	70.7
X - Northern Mindanao	3,109	2,107	1,989	118	1,002
Number (in thousand)					
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Male	50.3	59.2	59.3	57.2	31.6
Female	49.7	40.8	40.7	42.8	68.4
XI - Davao Region	3,182	2,043	1,925	118	1,139
Number (in thousand)					
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Male	51.2	63.5	63.5	63.3	29.1
Female	48.8	36.5	36.5	36.7	70.9
XII - SOCCSKSARGEN	2,798	1,820	1,756	64	978
Number (in thousand)					
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Male	51.5	63.2	63.2	62.2	29.9
Female	48.5	36.8	36.8	37.8	70.1

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Caraga Number (in thousand)	1,791	1,159	1,092	66	633
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Male	51.0	62.3	62.4	61.0	30.1
Female	49.0	37.7	37.6	39.0	69.9
Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao Number (in thousand)	2,398	1,304	1,259	46	1,094
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Male	49.6	70.7	71.5	48.8	24.4
Female	50.4	29.3	28.5	51.2	75.6

Notes: The methodology for the computation of annual estimates of labor and employment indicators is based on NSCB Resolution No. 9, *Approving and Adopting the Official Methodology for Generating Annual Labor and Employment Estimates*, using the average estimates of the four LFS rounds.

0.0 - Less than 0.05 percent.

For 2015, the annual estimates do not include estimates from Leyte of Region VIII or Eastern Visayas.

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Source: Philippine Statistics Authority, Annual Labor and Employment Estimates for 2015.

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