

**Table1. Total Population Distribution of Top 10 Regions by Sex: Philippines, 2000**

Region	Total Population	Percent	Male	Female
<b>Philippines</b>	<b>76,504,077</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>38,524,267</b>	<b>37,979,810</b>
IV – Southern Tagalog	11,793,655	15.42	5,933,436	5,860,219
National Capital Region	9,932,560	12.98	4,877,842	5,054,718
III – Central Luzon	8,030,945	10.50	4,045,882	3,985,063
VI – Western Visayas	6,211,038	8.12	3,128,863	3,082,175
VII – Central Visayas	5,706,953	7.46	2,859,723	2,847,230
XI – Southern Mindanao	5,189,335	6.78	2,648,187	2,541,148
V – Bicol	4,686,669	6.13	2,392,601	2,294,068
I – Ilocos	4,200,478	5.49	2,108,238	2,092,240
VIII – Eastern Visayas	3,610,355	4.72	1,844,572	1,765,783
IX – Western Mindanao	3,091,208	4.04	1,566,743	1,524,465

Source: NSO, 2000 Census of Population and Housing

**Table 2. Total Population by Age Group, Sex and Sex Ratio: Philippines, 2000**

Age Group	Total Population	Male	Female	Sex Ratio
<b>Philippines</b>	<b>76,504,077</b>	<b>38,524,267</b>	<b>37,979,810</b>	<b>101.43</b>
Under 1	1,917,431	986,506	930,925	105.97
1 to 4	7,752,071	3,965,426	3,786,645	104.72
5 to 9	9,694,781	4,962,013	4,732,768	104.84
10 to 14	8,949,614	4,541,197	4,408,417	103.01
15 to 19	8,017,298	4,017,830	3,999,468	100.46
20 to 24	7,069,403	3,522,518	3,546,885	99.31
25 to 29	6,071,089	3,053,616	3,017,473	101.20
30 to 34	5,546,294	2,804,522	2,741,772	102.29
35 to 39	4,901,023	2,496,821	2,404,202	103.85
40 to 44	4,163,494	2,120,314	2,043,180	103.78
45 to 49	3,330,054	1,696,712	1,633,342	103.88
50 to 54	2,622,316	1,318,632	1,303,684	101.15
55 to 59	1,903,649	943,133	960,516	98.19

60 to 64	1,633,150	786,137	847,013	92.81
65 to 69	1,138,843	533,469	605,374	88.12
70 to 74	797,970	361,614	436,356	82.87
75 to 79	505,356	218,622	286,734	76.25
80 and over	490,241	195,185	295,056	66.15

Source: NSO, 2000 Census of Population and Housing

**Table 3. Household Population 5 Years Old and Over by Highest Educational Attainment and Sex:  
Philippines, 2000**

Highest Educational Attainment	Household Population 5 Years Old and Over	Sex	
		Male	Female
<b>Philippines</b>	<b>66,666,156</b>	<b>33,466,674</b>	<b>33,199,482</b>
No grade completed	3,962,330	2,020,113	1,942,217
Preschool	1,542,884	785,154	757,730
Elementary	27,924,770	14,417,828	13,506,942
High School	18,903,125	9,356,856	9,546,269
Postsecondary	2,561,983	1,327,956	1,234,027
College undergraduate	6,685,949	3,264,681	3,421,268
Academic degree holder	2,876,616	1,211,446	1,665,170
Postbaccalaureate	267,713	111,709	156,004
Not stated	1,940,786	970,931	969,855

Source: NSO, 2000 Census of Population and Housing

**Table 4. Total Population 10 Years Old and Over by Age Group and Marital Status:  
Philippines, 2000**

Age Group	Total Population 10 Years Old and Over	Marital Status					
		Single	Married	Widowed	Divorced/ Separated	Others	Unknown
<b>Philippines</b>	<b>57,139,794</b>	<b>25,079,211</b>	<b>26,088,223</b>	<b>2,353,171</b>	<b>558,023</b>	<b>2,438,867</b>	<b>622,299</b>
Below 20	16,966,912	15,909,701	484,547	19,250	15,424	209,771	328,219
20 – 24	7,069,403	4,589,949	1,876,486	17,764	38,083	446,392	100,729
25 – 29	6,071,089	2,095,419	3,398,550	30,593	59,548	429,314	57,665
30 – 34	5,546,294	989,433	4,036,413	54,243	75,634	355,890	34,681
35 – 39	4,901,023	523,049	3,897,696	84,593	82,568	289,985	23,132
40 – 44	4,163,494	304,234	3,401,912	132,179	81,041	226,961	17,167
45 – 49	3,330,054	197,515	2,714,255	173,151	67,414	165,134	12,585

50 – 54	2,622,316	144,215	2,073,258	226,737	51,950	115,535	10,621
55 – 59	1,903,649	92,311	1,451,198	245,548	32,976	74,142	7,474
60 – 64	1,633,150	78,113	1,155,561	313,264	23,931	54,563	7,718
65 – 69	1,138,843	54,301	739,234	293,048	13,806	32,226	6,228
70 – 74	797,970	41,473	448,940	273,898	7,974	19,829	5,856
75 – 79	505,356	27,990	241,311	217,769	4,154	10,086	4,046
80 and over	490,241	31,508	168,862	271,134	3,520	9,039	6,178

Source: NSO, 2000 Census of Population and Housing

**Table 5. Household Population by Ethnicity and Sex: Philippines, 2000**

Ethnicity	Both Sexes	Male	Female
<b>Philippines</b>	<b>76,332,470</b>	<b>38,416,930</b>	<b>37,915,540</b>
Tagalog	21,485,927	10,732,408	10,753,519
Cebuano	10,030,667	5,066,690	4,963,977
Ilocano	6,920,760	3,507,553	3,413,207
Bisaya/Binisaya	5,778,435	2,897,121	2,881,314
Hiligaynon/Ilongo	5,773,135	2,905,519	2,867,616
Bikol/Bicol	4,583,034	2,333,788	2,249,246
Waray	2,567,558	1,301,040	1,266,518
Other foreign language/dialect	19,964	12,191	7,773
Other local language/dialect	18,546,497	9,351,862	9,194,635
Not reported	646,457	320,949	325,508

Source: NSO, 2000 Census of Population and Housing

**Table 6. Total Occupied Housing Units by Construction Materials of the Outer Walls and Roof: Philippines, 2000**

Construction Materials of the Outer Walls	Total Occupied Housing Units	Construction Materials of the Roof							
		Galvanized Iron/Aluminum	Tile/Concrete/Clay Tile	Half Galvanized, Iron/Half-Concrete	Wood	Cogon/Nipa/Anahaw	Make-shift/Salvaged/Improvised Materials	Asbestos/Others	Not Reported
<b>Philippines</b>	<b>14,891,127</b>	<b>10,066,730</b>	<b>138,050</b>	<b>689,226</b>	<b>306,121</b>	<b>3,315,374</b>	<b>107,786</b>	<b>57,300</b>	<b>210,540</b>
Concrete/brick/stone	4,587,978	4,323,530	100,987	67,627	10,657	73,176	2,934	9,067	-
Wood	3,381,339	2,263,524	10,670	70,193	227,549	786,637	12,031	10,735	-
Half concrete/brick/stone and half	2,816,272	2,146,675	17,607	483,460	23,369	137,000	3,995	4,166	-

wood									
Galvanized iron/ aluminum	144,234	118,741	1,307	13,389	3,827	6,159	539	272	-
Bamboo/sawali/ cogon/nipa	3,399,180	1,044,744	5	43,592	35,625	2,238,453	15,775	20,852	134
Asbestos	8,823	5,623	1,321	493	262	-	-	1,121	3
Glass	4,895	3,594	669	260	121	-	-	249	2
Makeshift/salvaged/ improvised materials	181,769	66,216	15	3,030	1,212	38,497	70,817	1,884	98
Others/not reported	352,293	85,186	4,536	6,466	2,948	33,167	1,129	8,634	210,227
No walls	14,344	8,897	933	716	551	2,285	566	320	76

Source: NSO, 2000 Census of Population and Housing

### TECHNICAL NOTES

**Average Household Size** – average number of people who live in the household

**Growth Rate** – the rate at which the population is increasing (or decreasing) in a given year due to natural increase and net migration, expressed as a percentage of the base population

**Median Age** – the age at which exactly half of the population is young and half is old

**Sex Ratio** – the ratio of males to females in a given population expressed as the number of males per 100 females

**Age-Dependency Ratio** – the ratio of persons in the "dependent" ages (under 15 years and over 64 years) to those in the "economically productive" ages (15 to 64 years old) in the population

**Household** – a social unit consisting of a person or a group of persons who sleep in the same housing unit and have common arrangements in the preparation and consumption of food

The 2000 Census of Population and Housing (Census 2000) was undertaken by the National Statistics Office (NSO) in May 2000, as mandated by Commonwealth Act No. 591, Batas Pambansa Blg. 72 and Executive Order No. 121. It was the 11<sup>th</sup> census of population and 5<sup>th</sup> census of housing undertaken in this country since the first census in 1903. It was designed to take an inventory of the total population and housing units all over the Philippines and to collect information about their characteristics. Census day for the Census 2000 was May 1, 2000 (12:01 a.m.). Enumeration started on May 1, 2000 and lasted for about 30 days.

In 2000, while boundary dispute has not been resolved, the policy of NSO is to exclude the household and population counts of the disputed areas, whether portion of the barangay, or entire barangay from the disputing barangays, municipalities, provinces or regions. These counts were included at the next higher level. In the case of Rizal, 18,989 disputed population were included in the national population count as these persons were allegedly enumerated in Barangay San Isidro of Cainta, Rizal, and Barangays Manggahan and Dela Paz, City of Pasig.