

**TABLE 2.2 Distribution of Overseas Contract Workers
by Age Group, Sex and Area: 2015**

Area Age Group	Both Sexes	Male	Female
Philippines	2,377	1,168	1,209
Number (In thousands)			
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0
15 - 24	6.6	6.3	7.0
25 - 29	25.8	22.1	29.4
30 - 34	23.4	22.2	24.5
35 - 39	15.9	16.5	15.4
40 - 44	13.0	14.1	11.8
45 and over	15.3	18.8	11.9
National Capital Region	260	153	107
Number (In thousands)			
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0
15 - 24	3.4	3.8	2.9
25 - 29	19.5	16.5	23.8
30 - 34	19.7	19.7	19.5
35 - 39	18.5	16.3	21.6
40 - 44	16.3	16.5	16.0
45 and over	22.7	27.2	16.1
Luzon ^{1/}	1,334	658	676
Number (In thousands)			
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0
15 - 24	6.5	6.2	6.8
25 - 29	25.2	22.6	27.7
30 - 34	23.5	21.9	25.0
35 - 39	15.8	16.9	14.8
40 - 44	13.1	14.0	12.2
45 and over	15.9	18.4	13.5
Visayas	419	225	194
Number (In thousands)			
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0
15 - 24	5.7	6.2	5.1
25 - 29	24.7	21.0	28.9
30 - 34	24.9	22.9	27.3
35 - 39	16.6	16.6	16.6
40 - 44	14.9	17.3	12.2
45 and over	13.2	16.1	9.8
Mindanao	364	131	233
Number (In thousands)			
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0
15 - 24	10.5	9.7	11.0
25 - 29	34.1	28.1	37.5
30 - 34	23.8	25.6	22.9
35 - 39	13.6	14.3	13.3
40 - 44	7.9	6.7	8.5
45 and over	10.0	15.7	6.8

Notes: Details may not add up to totals due to rounding.

1/ Excluding NCR

The estimates cover overseas Filipinos whose departure occurred within the last five years and who are working or had worked abroad during the past six months (April to September) of the survey period.

Source: Philippine Statistics Authority, 2015 Survey on Overseas Filipinos