

Table 4. Number of Overseas Filipino Workers by Place of Work and by Sex:
 April to September, 1999 and 2000
 (In Thousands)

Place of Work	2000				1999		
	Both Sexes	Male	Female		Both Sexes	Male	Female
PHILIPPINES	978	527	451		1,016	541	475
AFRICA	8	6	2		15	13	2
Libya	5	4	1		7	6	1
Other countries in Africa	3	2	1		8	7	1
ASIA	756	375	382		788	378	410
East Asia	320	111	209		325	116	209
Hongkong	120	8	112		111	9	102
Japan	86	51	36		82	49	32
Taiwan	87	34	53		105	43	62
South Korea	21	14	6		15	7	8
China	4	3	2		7	3	4
Other countries in East Asia	2	2	*		5	4	1
Southeast and South Central Asia	85	33	53		97	32	65
Singapore	58	15	42		59	13	46
Malaysia	14	9	4		24	9	15
Brunei	11	6	5		9	7	2
Other countries in SE/SC Asia	3	3	1		5	4	1
Western Asia	351	231	120		367	230	137
Saudi Arabia	256	196	60		280	206	74
Kuwait	25	5	21		30	5	25
United Arab	32	17	15		21	10	11
Qatar	9	6	3		8	6	2
Bahrain	8	3	5		6	1	5
Oman	5	1	5		3	2	1
Jordan	*	-	*		6	-	6
Lebanon	4	*	4		3	-	3
Other countries in Western Asia	10	3	7		11	1	10

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AUSTRALIA	24	15	8	31	18	13
Saipan	10	5	5	16	8	9
Guam	2	2	*	3	2	*
Australia	6	4	2	9	6	3
Other countries in Australia	5	4	1	3	2	1
EUROPE	91	64	27	89	66	22
Greece	29	24	5	33	27	6
Italy	19	9	10	17	7	10
Norway	6	6	-	6	5	1
United Kingdom	8	5	4	10	9	1
Germany	7	6	1	9	9	-
France	6	4	2	1	1	1
Netherlands	2	2	*	4	4	-
Other countries in Europe	13	8	5	9	6	3
NORTH AND SOUTH AMERICA	80	52	28	88	61	27
USA	55	36	19	63	44	19
Canada	12	3	9	17	10	7
Other countries in N/S America	13	13	*	8	7	1
OTHER COUNTRIES	16	12	4	-	-	-
COUNTRY NOT REPORTED	3	2	1	6	5	1

Note: (1) Estimates are based on the 1995 Census Population Projection.
 (2) Details may not add up to total due to rounding.
 (3) * Less than 500

Source: Survey on Overseas Filipinos
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