

TABLE 7. EMPLOYED PERSONS BY NUMBER OF HOURS WORKED DURING THE PAST WEEK, URBAN AND RURAL: APRIL 1997 TO APRIL 1998  
(Details may not add up to totals due to rounding)

NUMBER OF HOURS WORKED	Apr 1997		Jul 1997		Oct 1997		Jan 1998		Apr 1998	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
PHILIPPINES										
Total Employed (In thousands)	28,105	100.0	27,531	100.0	27,888	100.0	27,691	100.0	27,835	100.0
At Work	27,472	97.7	27,276	99.1	27,615	99.0	27,269	98.5	26,999	97.0
Worked less than 40 hours	9,497	33.8	8,377	30.4	9,522	34.1	9,689	35.0	9,655	34.7
Less than 20 hours	2,718	9.7	2,441	8.9	3,066	11.0	2,963	10.7	3,095	11.1
20 - 29 hours	3,156	11.2	2,676	9.7	2,991	10.7	3,158	11.4	3,260	11.7
30 - 39 hours	3,623	12.9	3,260	11.8	3,465	12.4	3,568	12.9	3,300	11.9
Worked 40 hours and over	17,975	64.0	18,899	68.6	18,093	64.9	17,580	63.5	17,344	62.3
With a job, not at work	632	2.2	255	0.9	272	1.0	422	1.5	836	3.0
URBAN										
Total Employed	12,748	100.0	12,523	100.0	12,688	100.0	12,659	100.0	12,791	100.0
At Work	12,458	97.7	12,421	99.2	12,570	99.1	12,479	98.6	12,423	97.1
Worked less than 40 hours	2,679	21.0	2,415	19.3	2,723	21.5	2,809	22.2	2,710	21.2
Less than 20 hours	758	5.9	697	5.6	868	6.8	849	6.7	836	6.5
20 - 29 hours	922	7.2	798	6.4	856	6.7	918	7.3	900	7.0
30 - 39 hours	999	7.8	920	7.3	999	7.9	1,042	8.2	974	7.6
Worked 40 hours and over	9,779	76.7	10,006	79.9	9,847	77.6	9,670	76.4	9,713	75.9
With a job, not at work	290	2.3	102	0.8	117	0.9	181	1.4	368	2.9
RURAL										
Total Employed	15,357	100.0	15,008	100.0	15,200	100.0	15,032	100.0	15,045	100.0
At Work	15,016	97.8	14,855	99.0	15,045	99.0	14,792	98.4	14,577	96.9
Worked less than 40 hours	6,819	44.4	5,962	39.7	6,799	44.7	6,882	45.8	6,946	46.2
Less than 20 hours	1,960	12.8	1,744	11.6	2,198	14.5	2,115	14.1	2,259	15.0
20 - 29 hours	2,234	14.5	1,878	12.5	2,135	14.0	2,241	14.9	2,360	15.7
30 - 39 hours	2,625	17.1	2,340	15.6	2,466	16.2	2,526	16.8	2,327	15.5
Worked 40 hours and over	8,197	53.4	8,893	59.3	8,246	54.2	7,910	52.6	7,631	50.7
With a job, not at work	342	2.2	153	1.0	155	1.0	241	1.6	468	3.1

Source: Labor Force Survey  
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