TABLE 3 Number and Percentage Distrubution of Overseas Filipino Workers by Age Group and by Sex: 2005 and 2006

		2006			2005	
Age Group	Both	Male	Female	Both	Male	Female
	Sexes		 	Sexes		
Philippines						
Number (In thousands)	1,515	751	764	1,326	668	657
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
15 - 24	10.7	6.6	14.7	11.8	7.6	16.1
25 - 29	24.6	20.3	28.8	23.2	18.3	28.1
30 - 34	19.8	19.7	20.0	19.1	19.0	19.2
35 - 39	15.0	16.5	13.5	15.8	16.6	15.0
40 - 44	12.8	14.7	11.0	13.1	16.5	9.7
45 and over	17.1	22.3	12.0	17.0	22.1	11.8

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

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: National Statistics Office, 2005 and 2006 Survey on Overseas Filipinos