

TABLE 3. EMPLOYED PERSONS BY MAJOR INDUSTRY GROUP: JANUARY 1997 TO JANUARY 1998

(Details may not add up to totals due to rounding)

MAJOR INDUSTRY GROUP	January 1997		April 1997		July 1997		October 1997		January 1998	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
PHILIPPINES										
Total Employed (In thousands)	27,335	100.0	28,105	100.0	27,531	100.0	27,888	100.0	27,693	100.0
Agriculture, Fishery and Fore	11,407	41.7	11,601	41.3	10,987	39.9	11,260	40.4	11,035	39.8
Mining and Quarrying	128	0.5	134	0.5	133	0.5	124	0.4	115	0.4
Manufacturing	2,683	9.8	2,791	9.9	2,697	9.8	2,755	9.9	2,704	9.8
Electricity, Gas and Water	125	0.5	139	0.5	125	0.5	139	0.5	135	0.5
Construction	1,530	5.6	1,677	6.0	1,701	6.2	1,641	5.9	1,612	5.8
Wholesale and Retail Trade	4,050	14.8	4,154	14.8	4,129	15.0	4,219	15.1	4,235	15.3
Transportation, Storage and Communication	1,681	6.1	1,768	6.3	1,750	6.4	1,769	6.3	1,821	6.6
Financing, Insurance, Real Estate and Business Services	697	2.5	700	2.5	676	2.5	680	2.4	665	2.4
Community, Social and Personal Services	5,027	18.4	5,134	18.3	5,328	19.4	5,296	19.0	5,367	19.4
Industry Not Adequately Defined	6	0.0	7	0.0	6	0.0	5	0.0	4	0.0

Source: Labor Force Survey  
Income and Employment Statistics Division  
Household Statistics Department  
National Statistics Office  
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