

TABLE 4 Total Population 15 Years Old and Over and Rates of Labor Force Participation, Employment Unemployment and Underemployment, by Region: October 2012

(In Percent)

Region	Total Population 15 Years Old and Over ('000)	Labor Force Participation Rate	Employment Rate	Unemployment Rate	Underemployment Rate
Philippines	63,253	63.9	93.2	6.8	19.0
National Capital Region	7,991	63.8	89.0	11.0	12.5
Cordillera Administrative Region	1,133	66.9	94.1	5.9	16.5
I - Ilocos Region	3,416	60.5	92.6	7.4	20.6
II - Cagayan Valley	2,242	66.6	97.6	2.4	12.1
III - Central Luzon	6,962	61.0	90.7	9.3	9.9
IVA - CALABARZON	8,144	64.5	90.8	9.2	17.5
IVB - MIMAROPA	1,906	66.3	95.7	4.3	24.0
V - Bicol Region	3,774	65.5	95.1	4.9	34.6
VI - Western Visayas	5,092	63.0	93.5	6.5	18.8
VII - Central Visayas	4,816	64.4	93.5	6.5	18.4
VIII - Eastern Visayas	2,951	63.0	94.9	5.1	25.1
IX - Zamboanga Peninsula	2,180	65.9	96.6	3.4	27.6
X - Northern Mindanao	2,960	68.5	94.9	5.1	31.2
XI - Davao Region	3,057	63.8	95.2	4.8	16.1
XII - SOCCSKSARGEN	2,648	67.2	96.0	4.0	22.1
Caraga	1,713	64.6	95.7	4.3	21.0
Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao	2,268	57.9	96.5	3.5	12.4

Note: Estimates for October 2012 are preliminary and may change.

Source: National Statistics Office, *October 2012 Labor Force Survey*