

**TABLE 5 Percent Distribution of Employed Persons by Major Occupation Group
January 2012 and January 2013**

Major Occupation Group	January 2013	January 2012
Philippines Number (in thousands)	37,940	37,334
Total	100.0	100.0
Officials of government and special interest organizations, corporate executives, managers, managing proprietors and supervisors	16.1	14.5
Professionals	4.9	4.9
Technicians and associate professionals	2.8	2.7
Clerks	5.7	5.7
Service workers and shop and market sales workers	12.6	12.3
Farmers, forestry workers and fishermen	12.7	15.2
Trades and related workers	6.8	6.4
Plant and machine operators and assemblers	5.3	5.2
Laborers and unskilled workers	32.9	32.7
Special occupations	0.2	0.3

Source: National Statistics Office, *January 2012 and January 2013 Labor Force Survey*