

TABLE 5 Total and Percentage Distribution of Remittances of Overseas Filipino Workers (OFWs) by Selected Characteristics of OFWs, Philippines: 2012 and 2013

Selected Characteristics	2013	2012
Total Remittance (In million pesos)	163,169	165,628
Cash sent	72.8	72.5
Cash brought home	21.6	22.0
In kind	5.6	5.4
Total Cash Remittance (In million pesos)	118,745	120,148
<i>Mode of Remittance</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>
Banks	67.4	70.8
Agency/Local office	3.1	2.5
Friends/Co-workers	0.5	0.4
Door-to-door	2.3	3.7
Others	26.8	22.6
<i>Place of Work</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>
Africa	2.5	3.1
Asia	73.8	70.3
East Asia	15.2	14.0
Southeast and South Central Asia	10.1	10.6
Western Asia	48.5	45.7
Australia	3.9	3.2
Europe	9.9	12.8
North and South America	9.9	10.6
<i>Major Occupation</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>
Officials of government and special-interest organizations, corporate executives, managers, managing proprietors and supervisors	5.1	6.2
Professionals	15.9	20.6
Technicians and associate professionals	10.5	8.3
Clerks	5.2	5.5
Service workers and shop and market sales workers	13.8	14.1
Farmers, forestry workers and fishermen	-	*
Trade and related workers	16.9	13.0
Plant and machine operators and assemblers	13.3	15.8
Laborers and unskilled workers	19.2	16.3

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

* Less than 0.1

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 year.

Source: National Statistics Office, 2012 and 2013 Survey on Overseas Filipinos