

TABLE 1 Labor Force Participation, Employment, Unemployment and Underemployment Rates, by Region: January 2011**(In Percent)**

Region	Total Population 15 Years Old and Over (in thousands)	Labor Force Participation Rate	Employment Rate	Unemployment Rate	Underemployment Rate
Philippines	61,531	63.7	92.6	7.4	19.4
National Capital Region	7,972	62.9	87.9	12.1	14.4
Cordillera Administrative Region	1,122	66.6	94.4	5.6	14.9
I - Ilocos Region	3,431	61.7	90.0	10.0	18.1
II - Cagayan Valley	2,217	66.0	96.9	3.1	17.5
III - Central Luzon	6,792	60.0	92.1	7.9	9.7
IV-A - CALABARZON	7,820	64.6	90.6	9.4	19.3
IV-B - MIMAROPA	1,846	70.0	95.7	4.3	24.5
V - Bicol Region	3,488	63.3	92.9	7.1	35.5
VI - Western Visayas	5,112	64.1	93.5	6.5	22.4
VII - Central Visayas	4,623	63.8	91.7	8.3	15.8
VIII - Eastern Visayas	2,803	64.0	93.6	6.4	24.4
IX - Zamboanga Peninsula	2,267	64.8	96.9	3.1	20.7
X - Northern Mindanao	2,841	68.4	95.1	4.9	28.3
XI - Davao Region	2,886	65.9	94.2	5.8	15.8
XII - SOCCSKSARGEN	2,646	64.3	96.8	3.2	22.1
Caraga	1,615	65.7	92.4	7.6	25.2
Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao	2,049	55.7	96.1	3.9	18.4

Source: National Statistics Office, January 2011 Labor Force Survey