

Table B. Results of the January 2003 Labor Force Survey in the Philippines

Selected Variables	Jan-02	Oct-02	Jan-03
Labor Force Participation Rate	66.4	66.2	65.7
Employment Rate	89.7	89.8	89.4
Hours Worked			
Working:			
Less than 40 hours	38.1	37.0	38.7
40 hours and over	60.2	61.6	59.8
Did not work	1.7	1.5	1.5
Class of Worker			
Wage and salary	48.5	48.3	48.2
Own-account	37.9	38.5	38.5
Unpaid family worker	13.6	13.2	13.3
Occupation			
Officials of government and special interest organizations, corporate executives, managers, managing proprietors and supervisors	10.3	11.1	11.2
Professionals	4.7	4.6	4.6
Technicians and associate professionals	2.6	2.6	2.8
Clerks	4.4	4.3	4.4
Service workers and shop and market sales workers	9.1	8.7	8.5
Farmers, forestry workers and fishermen	21.1	20.8	20.7
Trades and related workers	10.0	9.8	9.5
Plant and machine operators and assemblers	7.4	7.2	7.6
Laborers and unskilled workers	29.9	30.5	30.2
Special occupations	0.4	0.4	0.4
Industry sector			
Agriculture	37.1	37.4	37.0
Agriculture, hunting and forestry	33.2	33.6	33.2
Fishing	3.8	3.7	3.8
Industry	15.5	15.4	15.1
Mining and quarrying	0.4	0.3	0.3
Manufacturing	9.5	9.4	9.2
Electricity, gas and water	0.4	0.4	0.4
Construction	5.2	5.2	5.2
Services	47.5	47.2	47.9
Wholesale and retail trade, repair of motor vehicles,			

motorcycles and personal and household goods	18.6	18.6	18.6
Hotels and restaurants	2.3	2.4	2.4
Transport, storage and communication	7.3	7.2	7.5
Financial intermediation	1.0	1.1	0.9
Real estate, renting and business activities	1.8	1.9	1.9
Public administration and defense, compulsory social security	4.8	4.8	4.9
Education	3.1	3.1	3.2
Health and social work	1.2	1.1	1.2
Other community, social and personal service activities	3.0	2.8	2.9
Private households with employed persons	4.4	4.3	4.4
Extraterritorial organizations and bodies	0.0	0.0	0.0
Unemployment Rate	10.3	10.2	10.6
Underemployment Rate	15.9	15.3	16.1
Visible Underemployment Rate	10.8	10.0	10.8

Source: **Labor Force Survey**
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