

TABLE 2 Underemployed Persons by Hours Worked and Industry, and Unemployed Persons by Age Group, Sex and Highest Grade Completed, Philippines : October 2006 and October 2007

Selected Indicators	October 2007	October 2006
UNDEREMPLOYED PERSONS		
Number (in thousands)	6,104	6,762
HOURS WORKED		
Total	100.0	100.0
Worked less than 40 hours	58.5	61.6
Worked 40 hours and over	40.1	35.8
Did not work	1.5	2.5
INDUSTRY SECTOR		
Total	100.0	100.0
Agriculture	48.6	48.2
Industry	14.4	15.2
Services	37.0	36.6
UNEMPLOYED PERSONS		
Number (in thousands)	2,248	2,620
AGE GROUP		
Total	100.0	100.0
15 - 24	51.0	49.5
25 - 34	29.0	29.5
35 - 44	9.7	10.6
45 - 54	6.3	6.6
55 - 64	3.3	3.1
65 and Over	0.6	0.6
MALE	63.5	64.3
FEMALE	36.5	35.7
HIGHEST GRADE COMPLETED		
Total	100.0	100.0
No Grade Completed	0.7	0.5
Elementary	13.7	14.0
Undergraduate	6.1	5.9
Graduate	7.6	8.1
High School	46.2	45.5
Undergraduate	13.0	12.1
Graduate	33.2	33.4
College	39.5	40.0
Undergraduate	21.6	21.0
Graduate	17.8	19.0

Notes: Estimates for October 2007 are preliminary and subject to change.
 Figures were estimated using the 2000 Census-based Population Projections.

Source: National Statistics Office, October 2006 and October 2007 Labor Force Survey

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