TABLE 3 Rates of Labor Force, Employment, Unemployment and Underemployment, by Region: April 2010

(In percent)

Region	Labor Force Participation Rate	Employment Rate	Unemploymen t Rate	Underemployme nt Rate
Philippines	63.6	92.0	8.0	17.8
Number (in thousands)				
National Capital Region	61.1	88.2	11.8	9.7
Cordillera Administrative Region	67.9	94.0	6.0	18.9
I - Ilocos Region	61.2	90.7	9.3	15.8
II - Cagayan Valley	64.7	94.9	5.1	11.9
III - Central Luzon	59.9	90.1	9.9	8.3
IVA - CALABARZON	63.0	89.7	10.3	15.6
IVB - MIMAROPA	68.6	96.0	4.0	23.2
V - Bicol Region	64.6	93.4	6.6	37.8
VI - Western Visayas	64.4	90.3	9.7	28.0
VII - Central Visayas	66.7	91.4	8.6	14.9
VIII - Eastern Visayas	63.3	95.9	4.1	12.5
IX - Zamboanga Peninsula	64.7	96.9	3.1	21.5
X - Northern Mindanao	71.1	93.6	6.4	31.0
XI - Davao Region	63.9	93.7		16.5
XII - SOCCSKSARGEN	65.7	95.6	4.4	19.5
Caraga	66.1	92.4	7.6	21.1
Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao	56.9	95.9	4.1	13.0

Notes: Estimates for April 2010 are preliminary and may change.

Figures were estimated using the 2000 Census-based Population Projections.

Source: National Statistics Office, April 2010 Labor Force Sur Survey