

Table 3 Rates of Labor Force, Employment, Unemployment and Underemployment, by Sex and Region: July 2007
(In Percent)

Selected Indicators	Labor Force Participation Rate	Employment Rate	Unemployment Rate	Underemployment Rate
Philippines	63.6	92.2	7.8	22.0
N C R - National Capital Region	61.3	87.0	13.1	16.8
C A R - Cordillera Administrative	67.0	94.9	5.1	18.3
I - Ilocos Region	60.4	92.1	7.9	19.6
II - Cagayan Valley	67.7	96.2	3.7	16.5
III - Central Luzon	60.2	88.5	11.5	14.1
IV-A - CALABARZON	62.8	90.8	9.2	15.0
IV-B - MIMAROPA	69.6	95.6	4.4	28.4
V - Bicol Region	63.8	94.4	5.6	38.4
VI - Western Visayas	63.9	93.2	6.8	27.0
VII - Central Visayas	63.8	93.0	7.0	21.9
VIII - Eastern Visayas	65.3	95.3	4.7	29.2
IX - Zamboanga Peninsular/ X - Northern Mindanao	69.5	96.1	3.9	28.3
XI - Davao Region	68.8	93.1	6.9	30.3
XII - SOCCSKSARGEN	65.7	93.3	6.7	21.7
XIII - Caraga	65.4	95.9	4.0	26.2
XIV - ARMM - Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindan	66.0	91.6	8.4	29.3
	56.6	95.7	4.3	14.9

Notes: Estimates for July 2007 are preliminary and subject to change.

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

1/ Starting July 2003, Isabela City (Basilan) is part of Region IX.

2/ Starting July 2003, Basilan province, which was formerly part of Region IX, is now under ARMM by EO 36.

Source: National Statistics Office, July 2007 Labor Force Survey

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