

TABLE 1. COMPARATIVE LABOR FORCE PARTICIPATION RATES (LFPR), EMPLOYMENT AND UNEMPLOYMENT RATES BY REGION: JULY 2000 TO JULY 2001  
(In Percent)

R E G I O N	Past Week in July 2000				Past Week in October 2000				Past Week in January 2001				Past Week in April 2001				Past Week in July 2001			
	Total 15 Yrs. Old and Over ( '000)	LFPR	Employ- ment Rate	Unem- ployment Rate	Total 15 Yrs. Old and Over ( '000)	LFPR	Employ- ment Rate	Unem- ployment Rate	Total 15 Yrs. Old and Over ( '000)	LFPR	Employ- ment Rate	Unem- ployment Rate	Total 15 Yrs. Old and Over ( '000)	LFPR	Employ- ment Rate	Unem- ployment Rate	Total 15 Yrs. Old and Over ( '000)	LFPR	Employ- ment Rate	Unem- ployment Rate
PHILIPPINES	47,800	63.8	88.8	11.2	48,076	64.3	89.9	10.1	48,405	65.5	88.6	11.4	48,742	69.0	86.7	13.3	49,137	66.3	89.9	10.1
N C R - National Capital Region	6,977	62.5	82.8	17.2	7,006	61.5	82.2	17.8	7,024	63.8	82.0	18.0	7,084	64.3	82.3	17.7	7,135	63.7	84.3	15.7
C A R - Cordillera Adm. Reg.	864	64.4	91.5	8.5	868	64.2	92.8	7.2	871	65.0	92.8	7.2	883	69.4	89.1	10.9	891	64.7	93.0	7.0
Region I - Ilocos	2,624	65.3	89.4	10.6	2,640	63.2	91.2	8.8	2,652	64.8	89.2	10.8	2,662	66.5	87.0	13.0	2,680	64.8	90.0	10.0
Region II - Cagayan Valley	1,723	68.6	93.5	6.5	1,732	67.2	94.6	5.4	1,744	69.6	95.7	4.3	1,751	75.9	89.7	10.3	1,764	70.8	95.6	4.4
Region III - Central Luzon	4,908	60.5	86.8	13.2	4,945	61.3	90.1	9.9	4,968	62.4	87.8	12.2	5,004	64.8	87.9	12.1	5,049	63.4	89.9	10.1
Region IV - Southern Tagalog	7,108	64.0	87.9	12.1	7,167	64.3	88.7	11.3	7,231	65.5	87.4	12.6	7,285	67.8	86.7	13.3	7,363	66.4	88.7	11.3
Region V - Bicol	2,812	64.9	90.0	10.0	2,820	67.2	91.6	8.4	2,841	68.3	91.6	8.5	2,856	71.9	88.3	11.7	2,878	68.1	91.0	9.0
Region VI - Western Visayas	3,971	63.2	89.5	10.5	3,982	64.0	91.0	9.0	4,015	64.0	89.4	10.6	4,041	68.8	84.5	15.5	4,071	66.3	89.9	10.1
Region VII - Central Visayas	3,488	63.4	89.8	10.2	3,498	65.3	89.6	10.4	3,527	65.6	87.6	12.4	3,555	67.9	84.5	15.5	3,579	65.0	89.5	10.5
Region VIII - Eastern Visayas	2,228	66.6	91.0	9.0	2,240	66.8	92.2	7.8	2,258	68.4	89.8	10.3	2,274	76.8	86.2	13.8	2,293	69.0	91.4	8.6
Region IX - Western Mindanao	1,890	61.3	92.0	8.0	1,912	60.0	93.0	7.0	1,923	61.5	92.7	7.3	1,939	66.4	87.9	12.1	1,958	61.9	92.8	7.2
Region X - Northern Mindanao	1,702	70.5	92.0	8.0	1,711	75.9	93.8	6.2	1,726	76.1	92.7	7.3	1,738	79.2	91.7	8.3	1,749	77.8	94.7	5.3
Region XI - Southern Mindanao	3,214	66.9	90.0	10.0	3,238	67.4	91.2	8.8	3,268	69.3	89.8	10.2	3,288	74.8	87.5	12.5	3,315	70.8	89.7	10.3
Region XII - Central Mindanao	1,608	63.8	89.4	10.6	1,615	64.9	91.4	8.6	1,633	65.3	89.7	10.3	1,639	72.6	88.9	11.1	1,651	67.7	92.8	7.2
A R M M - Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao	1,354	54.9	95.8	4.2	1,365	55.2	95.9	4.1	1,374	55.1	94.2	5.8	1,380	61.4	93.1	6.9	1,388	57.1	95.2	4.8
Caraga	1,328	66.0	91.3	8.7	1,337	68.6	91.3	8.7	1,349	68.1	90.3	9.7	1,362	74.0	88.1	11.9	1,371	70.6	92.1	7.9

Note: Estimates for all quarters used the 1995 Census-based Population Projection.

Source: Labor Force Survey  
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