Demystifying the Household Final Consumption Expenditure (HFCE) in the Philippine System of National Accounts (PSNA)

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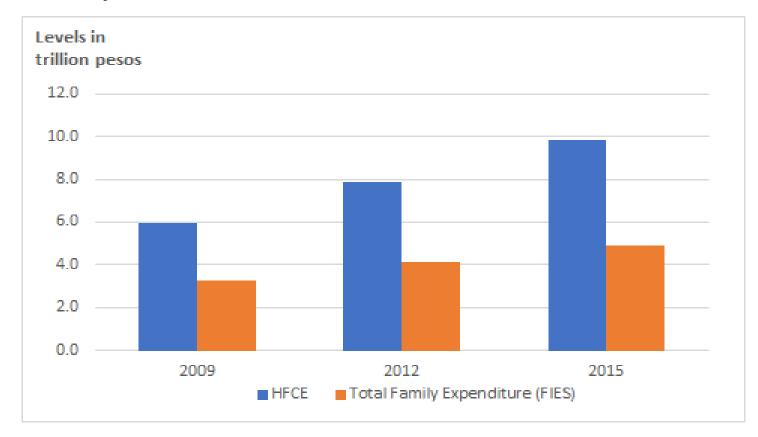
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Introduction

Comparison of total expenditures of HFCE and FIES for the years 2009, 2012 and 2015





Objectives

- To present the differences between HFCE and FIES
- To present the improvements of the coverage and methodologies of HFCE





Background

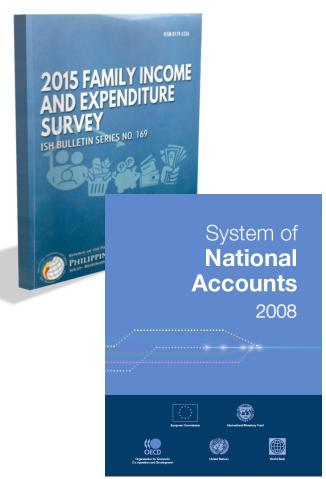
Why Household Final Consumption Expenditure?

Percentage Share to GDP	Brunei Darussalam	Cambodia	Indonesia	Lao PDR	Malaysia	Myanmar	Philippines	Singapore	Thailand	Vietnam
Households and NPISHs FCE	20.5	73.4	57.3	65.2	55.3	57.4	73.5	35.6	48.7	68.0
General government FCE	26.5	5.1	9.1	12.9	12.2	14.2	11.2	10.4	16.4	6.5
Gross Capital Formation	34.8	22.9	33.7	29.0	25.6	31.4	25.1	28.2	22.8	26.6
Exports of goods and services	49.6	60.7	20.2	34.3	71.4	19.4	31	171.4	68.2	101.6
Imports of goods and services	35.6	64.1	19.2	41.5	64.4	23.7	40.9	146.4	54.3	98.8



In 2017, the biggest GDP component of 7 out of 10 ASEAN countries is HFCE.

Background



Family Income and Expenditure Survey (FIES)

- Triennial survey
- Family expenditure and income in cash and in kind
- Source of information:
 - Consumer Price Index (CPI)
 - Poverty Statistics
 - Household Final Consumption Expenditure

Household Final Consumption Expenditure (HFCE)

- Quarterly and annual release
- Expenditure side of National Accounts
- 2008 System of National Accounts (SNA)
- Expenditure incurred by resident households on final consumption



Difference between FIES and HFCE

Family Income and Expenditure Survey	Household Final Consumption Expenditure				
Private households	Individual households				
(Family)	Institutional households				
	Non-profit institutions serving households				
	(Household)				
Family expenditure:	HFCE:				
Food consumed and non-food items paid for	Final consumption expenditure of goods/services				
- Imputed value of fringe benefits from employer	Value of:				
- Value consumed from net share of crops, etc.,	- barter transactions;				
family sustenance activities (own account	- income in kind; and				
production) and from entrepreneurial activities	- own account production and consumption (i.e.,				
- Imputed rentals for housing	imputed rent, paid domestic staff)				
Value of gifts, support, or relief					
Other expenditures (tax, losses), Other	Payments of licenses and fees				
disbursements (purchase of real property, major					
repairs and construction)					



Classification



Food and Non-Alcoholic Beverages



Alcoholic Beverages, Tobacco



Clothing and Footwear



Housing, water, electricity, gas and other fuels



Furnishings, household equipment and routine household maintenance



Health



Transport



Communication



Recreation and Culture



Education



Restaurants and hotels

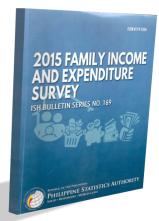


Miscellaneous goods and services

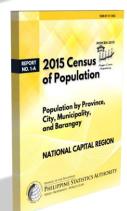


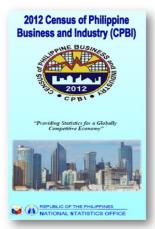
Available information on HFCE

Survey-based data from PSA









Administrative records











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Methodology





Retail



Expenditures of nonresidents in the domestic territory



Expenditures of residents abroad



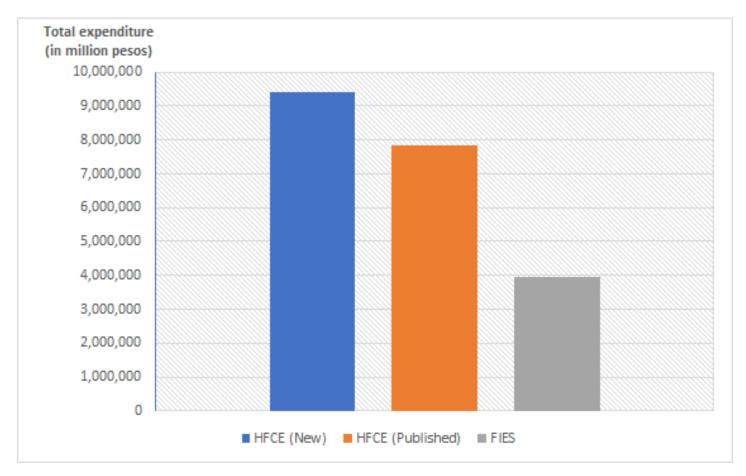
Services



Preliminary Results

The new 2012 HFCE levels is higher by Php 1.56 trillion than the published levels, attributed to the improvements of coverage and methodologies done.

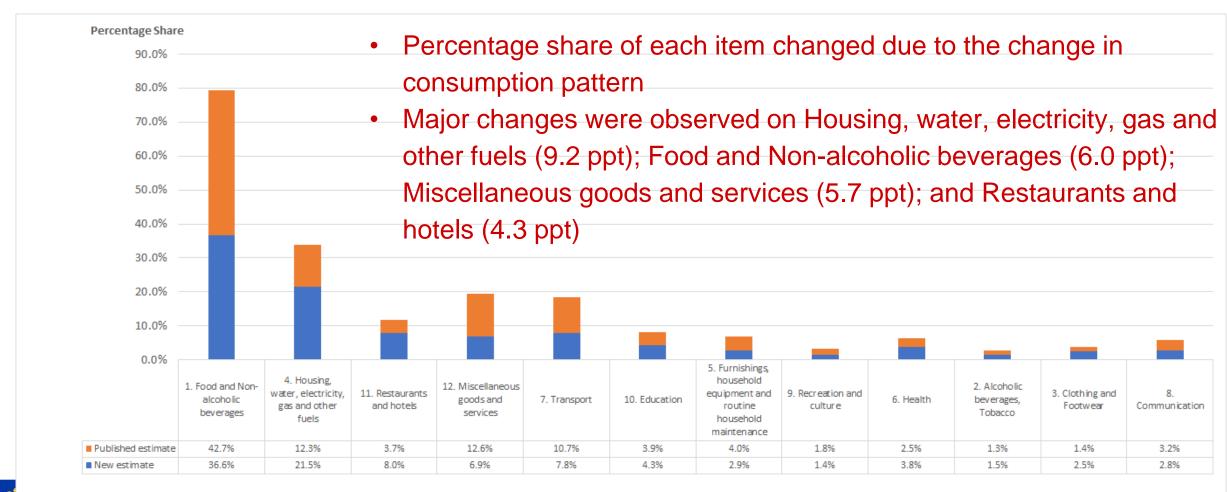
2012 Comparison of total expenditures of HFCE and FIES





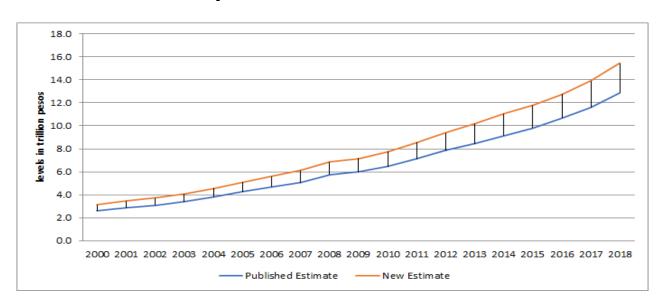
Preliminary Results

2012 Comparison of published and new estimates of HFCE, in percent share



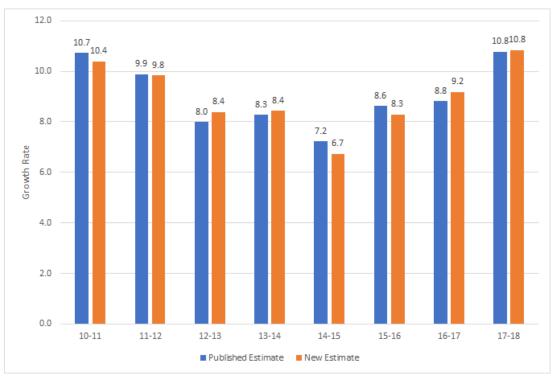
Preliminary Results

HFCE at current prices, 2000 to 2018



The trend of the new and published estimates are the same since extrapolation method is used to generate the series.

HFCE growth rates at current prices, 2010 to 2018



Revisions in the growth rates of HFCE are also minimal with an average change of 0.38 percentage points.

Conclusion and Way Forward

Since HFCE comprises bulk of GDP, a good measure of this expenditure item is imperative. Quality of estimates may be improved through the Supply and Use Table. Moreover, the following are the ways forward:

- Replicating the said methodology for 2018;
- Exploring possible indicators for non-benchmark estimation;
- Studying the framework of financial social accounting matrix (FSAM); and
- Harmonization of existing surveys and administrative-based data to fit the requirements of national accounts compilation



Thank you.



