

2024 Fact Sheet



on Women and Men in the Philippines

WORK AND ECONOMIC PARTICIPATION



Indicator	Women	Men	Ref. period	Source
*Labor Force Participation Rate (%)	51.2	75.4		
*Employment Rate (%)	91.8	92.5		
*Average number of Employed persons, by (in thousands)				
Elementary occupations	4,432	8,326	2021	LFS, PSA a/
Service and sales workers	5,567	3,472		
Managers	1,748	1,549		
*Unemployment Rate (%)	8.2	7.5		
*Underemployment Rate (%)	13.2	17.7		
Proportion of Unpaid Family Workers (%)	11.3	4.7		
Most Common Occupation	Service & Sales Worker	Elementary Occupations		
Major Industry Division Where Most are Employed	Wholesale & Retail; Repair of Motor Vehicles & Motorcycles & Personal & HH Goods	Agriculture, hunting and forestry		







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Number of Overseas Filipino Workers (in thousands)	1,135	828	2022	SOF, PSA b/c/
Age Group with the Largest Proportion of OFWs (in years)	30 to 34	45 and over		
Most Common Destination of OFWs	Saudi Arabia	Saudi Arabia		
Most Common Occupation of OFWs	Elementary Occupations	Plant and machine operators and assemblers		
Total Remittance In Cash and In Kind (in million pesos) c/	74,546	122,924		
Average remittance In Cash and In Kind per OFW (in thousand pesos) c/	71	166		

Notes:

- * indicator(s) is/are part of the updated Philippine Core GAD Indicators. More information on the Updated Philippine Core GAD is accessible through this link https://psa.gov.ph/psa-board-4
- a/These estimates were based on the average monthly estimates from January to December 2021 Labor Force Survey.
- b/ The 2022 estimates were based on the 2015-based Population Projections.
- c/The estimates cover remittances during six months prior to survey of overseas Filipinos whose departure occurred within the last five years and who are working or had worked abroad during the past six months

(April to September) of the survey period.

Data Source:

LFS - Labor Force Survey SOF - Survey on Overseas Filipinos

Data Agency:

PSA - Philippine Statistics Authority





