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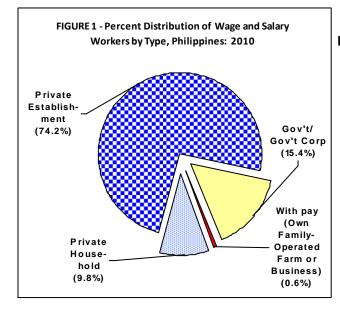
Wage and Salary Workers Employed in Government/Government Corporations

(Last of a five-part series)

Class of worker or status in employment categorizes the total employed as a) wage and salary worker, b) employer in own family-operated farm or business, c) self-employed without any paid employee and d) unpaid family worker in own family-operated farm or business. The generally prevalent wage and salary workers comprise those employees working in private household for pay, private establishment, government/government corporation and those working in own family-operated farm or business and receives remuneration in any kind in the performance of their specific tasks.

This issue of LABSTAT Updates provides a summary of the demographic and economic characteristics of the wage and salary workers working for government/government corporations in 2010. Specific examples of these workers are employees of national government agencies and local government units, employees of government owned/controlled corporations and financial institutions, e.g., Government Service Insurance System, Social Security System, National Power Corporation, Bangko Sentral ng Pilipinas and civilian and military personnel and the Armed Forces of the Philippines (including chaplains, doctors, nurses and dentists). The data presented refer to the averages of the four survey rounds (January, April, July, October) of the Labor Force Survey (LFS) conducted by the National Statistics Office (NSO).

In 2010, persons working for government/government corporations numbered 3.025 million or 8.4% of the 36.035 million total employed in the Philippines.



Demographic Characteristics (Table 1)

- Out of the 19.626 million wage and salary workers in 2010, around 15.4% or 3.025 million were employed in government/ government corporations nationwide.
- Relatively more women worked in government (51.2% or 1.550 million) than their men counterparts (48.8% or 1.475 million).

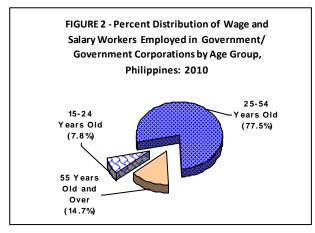
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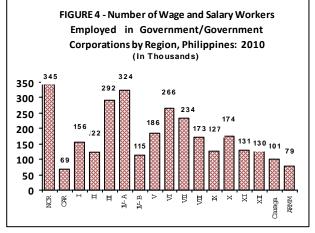
- Workers in their prime age (25-54 years old) comprised 77.5% of the total employed. (Figure 2)
- Seven out of every 10 government workers (2.194 million or 72.5%) were married.
- Three (3) out of every 5 government employees (61.4%) were not heads of their respective households.
- Almost three-fourths (73.4% or 2.219 million attained tertiary education while 19.5% (591,000) obtained secondary education. (Figure 3)

Economic Characteristics (Table 2)

- Relatively large numbers of workers employed in government/government corporations were found in the National Capital Region (345,000 or 11.4%), Region IV-A (324,000 or 10.7%) and Region III (292,000 or 9.7%). (Figure 4)
- A total of 2.638 million (87.2%) workers were holding permanent jobs.
- Workforce in government/government corporations (2.941 million or 97.2%) were prevalently employed in the services sector. (Figure 5)
- Three (3) in every 10 government workers (30.3% or 916,000) were professionals.
- Their average daily basic pay was placed at # 502.74.
- Majority (81.9% or 2.477 million) did full time work of 40 hours and more in a week; their weekly mean hours of work stood at 39.2.







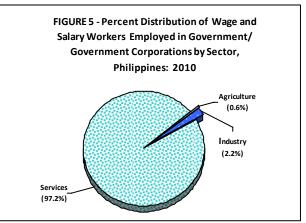


TABLE 1 - Demographic Characteristics of Wage and Salary Workers Employed in Government/Government Corporations, Philippines: 2010

(In Thousands Except Percent)

INDICATOR	Number	Percent Share
TOTAL	3,025	100.0
Sex		
Men	1,475	48.8
Women	1,550	51.2
Age		
15 – 24 Years Old	235	7.8
25 – 54 Years Old	2,344	77.5
55 Years Old and Over	445	14.7
Marital Status		
Single	651	21.5
Married	2,194	72.5
Others	180	6.0
Relationship to Household Head		
Head of Household	1,168	38.6
Non-head	1,857	61.4
Educational Attainment		
No Formal Education	3	0.1
Primary	211	7.0
Secondary	591	19.5
Tertiary	2,219	73.4
Undergraduate	523	17.3
Graduate	1,696	56.1

Note: Details may not add up to totals due to rounding.

Source of basic data: National Statistics Office, Labor Force Survey, Public Use Files.

TABLE 2 - Economic Characteristics of Wage and Salary Workers Employed in Government/Government Corporations, Philippines: 2010

(In Thousands Except Percent)

INDICATOR	Number	Percent Share
TOTAL	3,025	100.0
Nature of Employment		
Permanent Job Short Term	2,638 384	87.2 12.7
Different Employer	384 2	0.1
Full/Part-Time Employment	485	16.0
Worked Less Than 40 Hours	2,477	81.9
Worked 40 Hours and Over	62	2.0
With a Job, Not at Work		
Sector		
Agriculture	17	0.6
Industry	66	2.2
Services	2,941	97.2
Major Occupation (Top 5)		
Professionals	916	30.3
Clerks	486	16.1
Service Workers and Shop and		
Market Sales Workers	472	15.6
Officials of the Government and Special Interest Organizations, Corporate		
Executives, Managers, Managing		
Proprietors and Supervisors	360	11.9
Laborers and Unskilled Workers	293	9.7
Others	498	16.5
Basic Pay (in pesos)	502.74	-
Mean Hours of Work	39.2	-

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