

## QUICKSTAT - October 2005

A Monthly Update of NSO's Most Requested Statistics

INDICATOR	REFERENCE PERIOD and DATA				
<b>PRICE INDICES</b> (Source: NSO)	(2000=100)				
<b>Consumer Price Index</b> (1994=100)			Sep 2005	Aug 2005	Sep 2004
<b>Philippines</b>			131.6	131.1	123.0
National Capital Region (NCR)			133.4	133.1	122.6
Areas Outside NCR			130.8	130.2	123.2
<b>Inflation rate</b>					
Headline			7.0	7.2	7.2
Core			6.5	6.6	6.6
<b>Purchasing power of the peso</b>			0.76	0.76	0.81
			Aug 2005	Jul 2005	Aug 2004
<b>Wholesale Price Index for Construction Materials in NCR</b> (1985=100)			350.6	345.6	309.8 <sup>r</sup>
			Jul 2005	Jun 2005	Jul 2004
<b>Retail Price Index for Construction Materials in NCR</b> (1978=100)			1,081.5	1,074.1	994.0
<b>General Retail Price Index in NCR</b> (1978=100)			1,165.8	1,158.5	1,080.8
			May 2005	Apr 2005	May 2004
<b>General Wholesale Price Index in the Philippines</b> (1998=100)			158.5	157.3	142.8
			Jul 2005	Jun 2005	Jul 2004
<b>Producer's Price Index for Manufacturing in NCR</b> (1994=100)			225.5	224.0	197.1
<b>FOREIGN TRADE</b> (FOB value in million US\$) Source: NSO		Total 200 4	Jul 2005	Jun 2005	Jul 2004
<b>Total trade</b>		79,898	7,107	7,364	6,870
<b>Exports</b>		39,598	6,462	3,359	3,109
<b>Imports</b>		40,300	3,644	4,006	3,761
<b>Balance of trade</b>		(702)	(182)	(647)	(652)
<b>Top traders:</b>					
1. USA			1,300	1,248	1,307
2. Japan			1,188	1,171	1,229
3. China, People's Republic of			826	637	431
<b>Top exports:</b>					
1. Electronic products			2,293	2,175	2,008
2. Articles of apparel and clothing accessories			229	188	213
3. Ignition wiring set and other wiring sets used in vehicles aircrafts and ships			67	52	65
<b>Top imports:</b>					
1. Electronic products			1,700	1,737	1,914
2. Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials			412	650	356
3. Industrial machinery and equipment			154	145	153
<b>NSO MONTHLY INTEGRATED SURVEY</b>			Jul 2005 <sup>p</sup>	Jun	Jul 2004

ON SELECTED INDUSTRIES (1994=100)				2005 <sup>r</sup>	
<b>Value of production index</b>			<b>254.8</b>	<b>246.3</b>	<b>225.2</b>
<b><i>Gainers over last year</i></b>					
Petroleum products			<b>31.7%</b>	33.9%	15.9%
Chemical products			<b>27.1%</b>	11.7%	15.4%
Electrical Machinery			<b>13.7%</b>	(7.8%)	(3.9%)
<b><i>Losers over last year</i></b>					
Nonmetallic mineral products			<b>(13.9%)</b>	6.3%	17.0%
Wood and wood products			<b>(42.2%)</b>	(39.0%)	(30.0%)
Footwear and wearing apparel			<b>(8.0%)</b>	10.1%	(6.2%)
<b>Volume of production index</b>			<b>113.0</b>	<b>110.0</b>	<b>114.3</b>
<b><i>Gainers over last year</i></b>					
Chemical products			<b>13.7%</b>	(2.9%)	(4.0%)
Food manufacturing			<b>3.8%</b>	9.9%	(1.6%)
Textile			<b>16.4%</b>	16.1%	(3.3%)
<b><i>Losers over last year</i></b>					
Electrical machinery			<b>(20.5%)</b>	(33.8%)	0.0%
Basic Metals			<b>(12.1%)</b>	(10.0%)	(26.5%)
Nonmetallic mineral products			<b>(17.9%)</b>	0.1%	25.2%
<b>Value of net sales</b>					
<b><i>Gainers over last year</i></b>					
Petroleum products			<b>28.6%</b>	42.2%	2.6%
Basic metals			<b>12.7%</b>	15.6%	30.6%
Electrical machinery			<b>6.0%</b>	2.4%	18.3%
<b><i>Losers over last year</i></b>					
Textile			<b>(16.1%)</b>	(1.1%)	14.1%
Wood and wood products			<b>(44.7%)</b>	(50.0%)	(15.8%)
Machinery excluding electrical			<b>(15.0%)</b>	(44.5%)	(13.2%)
<b>Volume of net sales</b>					
<b><i>Gainers over last year</i></b>					
Footwear and wearing apparel			<b>11.9%</b>	22.8%	(40.7%)
Nonmetallic mineral products			<b>8.7%</b>	15.9%	1.0%
Furniture and fixtures apparel			<b>22.5%</b>	18.1%	15.1%
<b><i>Losers over last year</i></b>					
Electrical machinery			<b>(25.9%)</b>	(26.4%)	23.2%
Chemical products			<b>(6.5%)</b>	(20.1%)	(0.4%)
Wood and wood products			<b>(47.6%)</b>	(52.5%)	(10.4%)
<b>Capacity utilization</b>			<b>80.1%</b>	80.1%	79.8%
<b>DOMESTIC TRADE</b> (Quantity in tons; value in thousand pesos)			<b>1st Qtr 2005</b>	<b>4th Qtr 2004</b>	<b>1st Qtr 2004</b>
<b>Coastwise trade</b>	<b>Total 2004<sup>p</sup></b>				
Quantity	<b>24,519,333</b>		<b>4,339,543</b>	4,514,577	5,301,680
Value	<b>402,343,135</b>		<b>81,679,068</b>	77,010,842	78,753,514

<b>Rail trade</b>					
Quantity	1,751		*	244	499
Value	54,436		*	7,645	14,002
<b>Air trade</b>					
Quantity	43,224		8,388	11,355	7,555
Value	1,969,200		444,661	706,565	308,724
<b>OFW REMITTANCES in thousand US dollars</b> (Source:Bangko Sentral ng Pilipinas)			<b>Jun 2005</b>	<b>May 2005</b>	<b>Jun 2004</b>
Total			935,277	878,869	706,193
Land Based			797,236	744,606	588,750
Sea Based			138,041	134,263	117,443
<b>OFW DEPLOYMENT</b> (Source:Philippine Overseas Employment Administration)			<b>Jun 2005</b>	<b>May 2005</b>	<b>Jun 2004</b>
Total			83,118	91,337	78,381
Land Based			62,195	75,166	60,681
Sea Based			20,923	16,171	17,700
<b>ACTUAL STRIKES/LOCKOUTS</b> (Source:National Conciliation and Mediation Board)			<b>Apr 2005</b>	<b>Mar 2005</b>	<b>Apr 2004</b>
Notice of strikes/lockouts files			20	44	44
Actual strikes/lockouts declared			1	-	1
<b>GOVERNMENT CASH OPERATIONS in billion pesos</b> (Source:Bureau of Treasury)			<b>Jul 2005</b>	<b>Jun 2005</b>	<b>Jul 2004</b>
Revenues			65,951	62,036	59,344
Expenditures			81,012	61,790	78,636
Cash surplus (deficit)			(15,061)	246	(19,292)
<b>MONEY AND BANKING</b> (Source: Bangko Sentral ng Pilipinas)			<b>Jun 2005</b>	<b>May 2005</b>	<b>Jun 2004</b>
Money supply (in billion pesos)			555.6	556.5	498.8
Peso savings deposit interest rate(% per annum)			3.592	3.713	4.224
Bank lending rates(WAIR in percent per annum)			10.126	10.342	9.497
			<b>Jul 2005</b>	<b>Jun 2005</b>	<b>Jul 2004</b>
Peso time deposit interest (all maturities)			5.102	4.809	8.671
Dollar savings deposit interest rate			0.927	0.924	0.811
Dollar time deposit interest rate(>180 days)			2.625	2.575	2.185
			<b>Aug 2005<sup>p</sup></b>	<b>Jul 2005</b>	<b>Aug 2004</b>
Exchange rates Dollar to Peso			55.954	56.006	55.834
<b>INVESTMENTS</b> (Source:Securities and Exchange Commission)			<b>Jul 2005</b>	<b>Jun 2005</b>	<b>Jul 2004</b>
Composite index (close)			2,000.3	1,924.2	1,584.7
Volume traded (in million share)			10,023.5	15,477.5	38,269.0
Value of shares traded (in million pesos)			28,261.8	26,717.1	11,356.3
<b>REGISTERED MOTOR VEHICLES</b> (Source:Securities and Exchange Commission)			<b>Jul 2005</b>	<b>Jun 2005</b>	<b>Jul 2004</b>
<b>Total</b>			<b>493,343</b>	<b>492,381</b>	<b>466,229</b>
Cars			79,330	75,813	81,037
Utility vehicle			159,787	158,878	163,03

Sports utility vehicle			15,385	14,577	13,420
Trucks			26,242	25,707	24,452
Buses			3,332	3,130	2,997
Motorcycle/Tricycle			206,999	212,002	178,991
Trailers			2,268	2,274	2,302
<b>TRANSPORTATION</b>			<b>May 2005</b>	<b>Apr 2005</b>	<b>May 2004</b>
<b>Light Rail Transit (LRT) Statistics</b> (Source:LRTA)					
Passenger Traffic (in Million Passengers)			8.16	8.00	7.38
Gross Revenue Collection (in Million Pesos)			117.62	115.08	106.61
<b>Metrorail Transit (MRT) Statistics</b> ; (Source: Metrostar Express)			<b>Mar 2005</b>	<b>Feb 2005</b>	<b>Mar 2004</b>
Passenger Traffic (in Million Passengers)			10.10	9.94	10.68
Gross Revenue Collection (in Million Pesos)			124.25	120.59	129.56
<b>LABOR AND EMPLOYMENT</b> (Source: LFS)			<b>Jul 2005<sup>p</sup></b>	<b>Apr 2005</b>	<b>Jul 2004</b>
<b>Total labor force</b> (million)			35.2	35.1	35.8
Labor force participation rate			64.6%	64.8%	67.1%
Employment rate			92.3%	91.7%	88.3%
Unemployment rate			7.7%	8.3%	11.7%
Underemployment rate			20.5%	26.1%	17.6%
<b>NATIONAL ACCOUNTS in million pesos</b> (Source: NSCB)		<b>Growth Rates</b>	<b>2nd Qtr 2005<sup>p</sup></b>	<b>1st Qtr 2005<sup>r</sup></b>	<b>2nd Qtr 2004<sup>r</sup></b>
		<b>2nd Qtr 2004-2005</b>			
<b>At Current Prices</b>					
Gross National Product		11.4	1,399,077	1,305,928	1,255,545
Gross Domestic Product		11.5	1,291,399	1,217,944	1,158,608
<b>At Constant Prices</b>					
Gross National Product		4.7	320,452	303,278	306,039
Gross Domestic Product		4.8	294,113	281,194	280,580
<b>PRIVATE BUILDING CONSTRUCTION</b> (Floor area in square meters; value in P1,000)			<b>1st Qtr 2005</b>	<b>4th Qtr 2004</b>	<b>1st Qtr 2004</b>
<b>Philippines</b> (number)			25,252	25,906	25,447
Total floor area			3,009,046	3,550,580	3,642,395
Value			18,416,025	23,319,086	24,832,635
<b>Residential</b> (number)			18,419	18,226	17,820
Total floor area			1,976,930	2,030,208	2,261,797
Value			11,193,158	11,929,797	13,440,983
<b>Nonresidential</b> (number)			2,513	2,855	2,633
Total floor area			935,301	1,379,925	1,238,617
Value			5,496,666	9,175,230	8,644,922
<b>Additions</b> (number)			1,092	1,141	1,163
Total floor area			96,815	140,447	141,981
Value			528,139	748,200	894,476

<b>Alterations/repairs (number)</b>			<b>3,228</b>	3,684	3,831
Value			<b>1,198,062</b>	1,465,859	1,852,254
<b>BUSINESS AND INDUSTRY</b> (Sources: ASE/LE)	<b>Based on LE</b>		<b>Based on CPBI</b>	<b>Based on ASE (with ATE ten or more)</b>	
<b>Number of establishments</b>	<b>2003</b>	<b>2002</b>	<b>1999</b>	<b>1998</b>	<b>1997</b>
Agriculture and forestry	<b>2,920</b>	3,120	<b>915</b>	1,257	1,196
Fishery	<b>1,130</b>	1,145	<b>224</b>	502	501
Mining and quarrying	<b>300</b>	327	<b>74</b>	180	193
Manufacturing	<b>121,476</b>	122,977	<b>7,450</b>	15,674	14,734
Electricity, gas, and water	<b>1,027</b>	1,216	<b>376</b>	603	588
Construction	<b>2,567</b>	2,649	<b>838</b>	1,475	1,457
Wholesale and retail trade	<b>365,161</b>	434,475	<b>6,842</b>	17,903	15,237
Hotels and restaurants	<b>87,770</b>	88,608	<b>2,837</b>	7,092	6,686
Transportation, storage and communication	<b>9,328</b>	14,263	<b>1,451</b>	3,011	2,734
Financial intermediation	<b>16,439</b>	24,060	<b>1,565</b>	5,744	5,452
Real estate, renting and business activities	<b>35,270</b>	38,862	<b>2,183</b>	4,165	3,804
Education	<b>8,911</b>	9,282	<b>2,200</b>	3,929	3,718
Health and social work	<b>27,660</b>	28,183	<b>567</b>	1,181	1,135
Other community, social, and personal services	<b>39,461</b>	40,293	<b>723</b>	2,065	1,935
<b>FAMILY INCOME AND EXPENDITURE</b> (at current prices) Source: FIES			<b>2003</b>	<b>2000</b>	<b>1997</b>
<b>Annual average family income</b>			<b>P148,616</b>	P145,121	P123,168
<b>Annual average family expenditure</b>			<b>124,377</b>	118,839	99,537
<b>Annual average family saving</b>			<b>P24,239</b>	P26,282	P23,631
<b>DEMOGRAPHY</b> (Source: NSO)			<b>2000</b>	<b>1995</b>	<b>1990</b>
<b>Total</b>			<b>76,504,077</b>	68,616,536	60,703,206
Male			<b>38,524,266</b>	34,584,170	30,538,285
Female			<b>37,979,811</b>	34,032,366	30,164,921
0-14 years			<b>37.0%</b>	38.4%	39.6%
15-64 years			<b>59.2%</b>	58.1%	57.0%
65 years and over			<b>3.8%</b>	3.5%	3.4%
Sex ratio			<b>101.4</b>	101.6	101.2
<b>Density</b> (persons per square kilometer)			<b>255</b>	229	202
<b>Growth rate</b>			<b>2.36%</b>	2.32%	2.35%
<b>Average household size</b>			<b>5.0</b>	5.1	5.3
			<b>2005</b>	<b>2010</b>	<b>2015</b>
<b>Population projection</b> (medium assumption) <sup>3f</sup>			<b>85,236,913</b>	93,938,917	102,822,358
<b>HEALTH AND VITAL STATISTICS</b> (Source: NSO)			<b>2002</b>	<b>2001</b>	<b>2000</b>
<b>Births</b> (Based on civil registration. Not adjusted for underregistration)			<b>1,666,773</b>	1,714,093	1,766,440
Male			<b>866,521</b>	891,312	918,243
Female			<b>800,252</b>	822,781	848,197
<b>Marriages</b> (Based on civil registration. Not adjusted for underregistration)			<b>583,167</b>	559,162	577,387

<b>Deaths</b> (Based on civil registration. Not adjusted for underregistration)			<b>396,297</b>	381,834	366,931
Male			<b>232,530</b>	225,879	217,404
Female			<b>163,767</b>	155,955	149,527
			<b>2005</b>	<b>2004</b>	<b>2003</b>
<b>Crude birth rate</b> <sup>1/</sup> (per thousand population)			<b>24.09</b>	24.63	25.16
<b>Crude death rate</b> <sup>1/</sup> (per thousand population)			<b>5.60</b>	5.66	5.72
<b>Crude rate of natural increase</b> <sup>1/</sup> (per thousand population)			<b>18.49</b>	18.97	19.45
			<b>2015</b>	<b>2010</b>	<b>2005</b>
<b>Total fertility rate</b> <sup>2/</sup> (number of children per woman)			<b>2.96</b>	3.18	3.41
<b>Life expectancy at birth</b> <sup>3/</sup> (in years; medium assumption)					
Male			<b>67.60</b>	66.10	64.10
Female			<b>73.10</b>	71.60	70.10
<b>FAMILY PLANNING</b> (Source: FPS)			<b>2004</b>	<b>2002</b>	<b>2001</b>
<b>Contraceptive prevalence rate</b> <sup>4/</sup>			<b>49.3%</b>	48.8%	49.5%
Modern method			<b>35.1%</b>	35.0%	31.1%
Traditional method			<b>14.2%</b>	13.8%	16.4%
<b>EDUCATION</b> (Source: FLEMMS/CPH)			<b>2003</b>	<b>2000</b>	<b>1994</b>
<b>Simple literacy rate</b> (10 years old and over. basic reading and writing skills)			-	92.3%	93.9%
<b>Functional literacy rate</b> (10 to 64 years old, basic reading, writing, and computational skills)			<b>84.1%</b>	-	83.8%
<b>ENROLMENT</b> (Source: Department of Education, Culture and Sports)			<b>SY 2003-2004<sup>a</sup></b>	<b>SY 2002-2003<sup>a</sup></b>	<b>SY 2001-2002</b>
<b>Total</b>			<b>16,422,406</b>	18,901,147	21,106,153
Government			<b>16,422,406</b>	16,839,789	17,574,217
Private			-	2,061,358	3,531,936 <sup>a/</sup>
<b>TOURISM</b> (Source: Department of Tourism)			<b>July 2005</b>	<b>June 2005</b>	<b>July 2004</b>
<b>Visitors arrivals by country of residence</b>			<b>236,223</b>	217,250	200,087
ASEAN			<b>13,305</b>	15,445	12,180
East Asia			<b>114,003</b>	99,655	93,790
South Asia			<b>2,365</b>	2,769	2,078
Middle East			<b>3,501</b>	2,657	2,785
North America			<b>51,098</b>	53,842	45,049
South America			<b>182</b>	183	200
Western Europe			<b>12,740</b>	6,707	11,301
Northern Europe			<b>8,977</b>	7,472	7,945
Southern Europe			<b>2,085</b>	1,758	1,843
Eastern Europe			<b>866</b>	830	403
Australiasia/Pacific			<b>11,512</b>	12,386	10,837
Africa			<b>143</b>	219	131
Others not specified residences			<b>2,375</b>	2,460	1,983
Overseas Filipinos			<b>13,081</b>	10,867	9,562

- <sup>1/</sup> - Source: 1995 Census-Based National, Regional, and Provincial Population Projections.
- <sup>2/</sup> - Based on civil registration. Not adjusted for under registration.
- <sup>3/</sup> - Source: 2000 Census-Based Population Projection
- <sup>4/</sup> - Based on currently married women aged 15-49 years)
- <sup>a/</sup> - Exclude data on Tertiary level years.
- \* - Figures are adjusted based on the information generated from the Survey of Imported Raw Materials and the new coverage of exports of electronic products.
- <sup>r</sup> - Revised
- <sup>P</sup> - Preliminary
- LE** - List of Establishments