



INDICATOR	REFERENCE PERIOD and DATA			
<b>PRICE INDICES</b> (Source: NSO)				
<b>Consumer Price Index</b> (2000=100)	<b>Annual 2006</b>	<b>August 2007</b>	<b>July 2007</b>	<b>August 2006</b>
Philippines	129.8	142.6	142.4	139.3
National Capital Region (NCR)	131.5	146.0	146.0	142.3
Areas Outside NCR	129.1	141.1	140.8	138.0
<b>Inflation rate</b>				
Headline	6.2	2.4	2.6	6.3
Core	5.5	2.9	3.0	5.3
<b>Purchasing power of the peso</b>	0.77	0.70	0.70	0.72
		<b>August 2007</b>	<b>July 2007</b>	<b>August 2006</b>
Retail Price Index for Construction Materials in NCR (1978=100)		1,173.9	1,175.1	1,134.3
Wholesale Price Index for Construction Materials in NCR (1985=100)		383.9	384.1	371.5
		<b>July 2007</b>	<b>June 2007</b>	<b>July 2006</b>
General Retail Price Index in NCR (1978=100)		1,287.4	1,282.4	1,267.0
		<b>June 2007</b>	<b>May 2007</b>	<b>June 2006</b>
General Wholesale Price Index in the Philippines (1998=100)		177.2	176.7	175.5
		<b>July 2007</b>	<b>July 2007</b>	<b>July 2006</b>
Producer's Price Index for Manufacturing in NCR (1994=100)		255.3	254.6	253.4
<b>FOREIGN TRADE</b> (FOB value in million US dollars)* Source: NSO				
	<b>Total 2006</b>	<b>July 2007<sup>P</sup></b>	<b>June 2007</b>	<b>July 2006</b>
<b>Total trade</b>	99,184	9,230	8,822	8,429
Exports	47,410	4,188	4,117	4,016
Imports	51,774	5,042	4,705	4,412
<b>Balance of trade</b>	(4,547)	(854)	(588)	(396)
<b>Top traders:</b>				
1. USA		1,399	1,385	1,340
2. Japan		1,204	1,122	1,168
3. China, People's Republic of		876	919	633
<b>Top exports:</b>				
1. Electronic products		2,484	2,465	2,364
2. Articles of apparel and clothing accessories		241	186	278
3. Petroleum products		113	139	113
<b>Top imports:</b>				
1. Electronic products		2,152	2,189	1,907
2. Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials		1,030	697	714
3. Industrial machinery and equipment		190	186	190
<b>MONTHLY INTEGRATED SURVEY ON SELECTED INDUSTRIES</b> (Source: NSO)				
		<b>July 2007<sup>P</sup></b>	<b>June 2007<sup>T</sup></b>	<b>July 2006</b>
<b>Value of production index</b> (1994=100)		262.6	256.6	259.0
<b>Gainers over last year</b>				
Food manufacturing		12.6%	7.3%	11.6%
Beverages		29.2%	22.2%	-7.3%
Petroleum products		10.5%	-11.7%	-5.3%
<b>Losers over last year</b>				
Basic metals		-19.8%	-35.2%	70.6%
Electrical machinery		-9.6%	5.5%	9.1%
Tobacco		-26.9%	-21.8%	-20.3%
<b>Volume of production index</b> (1994=100)		141.4	158.4	111.8
<b>Gainers over last year</b>				
Petroleum products		22.1%	-7.0%	-23.2%
Beverages		26.4%	18.5%	-10.4%
Food manufacturing		7.0%	-0.2%	5.3%
<b>Losers over last year</b>				
Basic metals		-29.5%	-40.4%	68.5%
Chemical products		-10.6%	8.3%	-3.6%
Footwear and wearing apparel		-20.0%	-20.3%	-3.9%
<b>Value of net sales</b>				
<b>Gainers over last year</b>				
Beverages		35.3%	19.8%	-0.3%
Transport equipment		24.7%	19.7%	-2.5%
Nonmetallic mineral products		40.3%	1.6%	-13.2%
<b>Losers over last year</b>				
Electrical machinery		-12.1%	-14.6%	1.8%
Basic metals		-17.8%	-31.4%	57.9%
Textiles		-18.8%	-30.0%	-4.9%
<b>Volume of net sales</b>				
<b>Gainers over last year</b>				
Beverages		32.4%	16.2%	-3.7%
Transport equipment		22.5%	16.7%	-9.7%
Petroleum products		9.8%	9.5%	-4.2%
<b>Losers over last year</b>				
Basic metals		-27.4%	-36.9%	56.0%
Electrical machinery		-7.6%	-12.7%	-44.7%
Textiles		-20.0%	-30.8%	-7.3%
<b>Capacity utilization</b>		80.3%	80.2%	80.2%



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<b>DOMESTIC TRADE</b> (Quantity in tons; value in thousand pesos) <i>Source: NSO</i>			<b>4th Qtr. 2006<sup>P</sup></b>	<b>3rd Qtr. 2006</b>	<b>4th Qtr. 2005</b>
<b>Coastwise trade</b>	<b>Total 2005<sup>P</sup></b>				
Quantity	19,435,591		4,395,156	3,661,398	4,183,617
Value	354,716,746		97,884,993	79,737,823	92,546,802
<b>Air trade</b>					
Quantity	35,278		8,367	6,524	8,150
Value	1,696,744		381,402	202,659	357,290
<b>Rail trade</b>					
Quantity	622		*	235	270
Value	21,067		*	8,631	9,824
<b>OFW REMITTANCES</b> <i>Source: Bangko Sentral ng Pilipinas</i>		<b>Total 2006</b>	<b>June 2007</b>	<b>May 2007</b>	<b>June 2006</b>
<b>Total</b> (In thousand US dollars)		12,761,308	1,115,753	1,237,140	1,104,376
Land based		10,812,018	942,379	1,028,717	939,277
Sea based		1,949,290	173,374	208,423	165,099
<b>OFW DEPLOYMENT</b> ( <i>Source: Philippine Overseas Employment Administration</i> )		<b>Total 2006</b>	<b>March 2007</b>	<b>February 2007</b>	<b>March 2006</b>
<b>Total</b>		1,062,567	82,055	75,421	87,214
Land based		788,070	57,957	56,732	61,492
Sea based		274,497	24,098	18,689	25,722
<b>NUMBER OF OVERSEAS FILIPINO WORKERS</b> ( <i>Source: NSO, Survey on Overseas Filipinos</i> )		<b>2006</b>	<b>2005</b>	<b>2004</b>	
<b>Both sexes</b> (In thousands)		1,515	1,326	1,180	
Male		751	668	604	
Female		764	658	577	
<b>ACTUAL STRIKES/LOCKOUTS</b> ( <i>Source: National Conciliation and Mediation Board</i> )		<b>March 2007</b>	<b>February 2007</b>	<b>March 2006</b>	
Notice of strikes/lockouts filed		24	35	34	
Actual strikes/lockouts declared		-	-	-	
<b>GOVERNMENT CASH OPERATIONS</b> (In million pesos) <i>Source: Bureau of the Treasury</i>		<b>July 2007</b>	<b>June 2007</b>	<b>July 2006</b>	
Revenues		103,973	77,688	73,667	
Expenditures		102,378	76,906	90,677	
Surplus/(deficit)		1,595	782	(17,010)	
<b>MONEY AND BANKING</b> ( <i>Source: Bangko Sentral ng Pilipinas</i> )		<b>May 2007</b>	<b>April 2007</b>	<b>May 2006</b>	
Money supply (In billion pesos)		811.8	833.1	622.4	
		<b>July 2007</b>	<b>June 2007</b>	<b>July 2006</b>	
Bank lending rates (WAIR in percent per annum)		8.994	8.259	10.179	
Peso savings deposit rate (WAIR in % per annum)		2.048	1.970	3.541	
Peso time deposit interest rate (all maturities)		3.249	3.311	5.142	
Dollar savings deposit interest rate		1.074	1.097	1.107	
Dollar time deposit interest rate (>180 days)		3.547	3.472	3.437	
Exchange rate: Dollar to Peso		46.765	45.625	51.362	
<b>INVESTMENTS</b> ( <i>Source: Philippine Stock Exchange</i> )		<b>June 2007</b>	<b>May 2007</b>	<b>June 2006</b>	
Philippine Stock Exchange index (PSEI)		3,665.2	3,474.7	2,178.8	
Volume traded (In million shares)		128,160.3	102,221.5	26,578.3	
Value of shares traded (In million pesos)		155,559.0	114,480.9	43,768.0	
<b>TRANSPORTATION</b>		<b>May 2007</b>	<b>April 2007</b>	<b>May 2006</b>	
<b>Registered motor vehicles</b> ( <i>Source: Land Transportation Office</i> )					
<b>By classification</b>		543,558	486,750	523,881	
Private		446,829	402,894	430,271	
Government		7,533	6,276	6,753	
Diplomatic		209	138	279	
For hire		87,708	76,476	86,382	
Exempt		1,279	966	196	
<b>By type</b>		543,558	486,750	523,881	
Cars		74,557	67,623	77,460	
Utility vehicles		160,551	152,135	160,746	
Sports utility vehicles		18,508	14,804	15,819	
Trucks		27,841	25,872	26,873	
Buses		2,612	3,480	2,288	
Motorcycles/tricycles		256,976	220,557	238,641	
Trailers		2,513	2,279	2,054	
<b>METRO TRAIN</b>					
<b>Light Rail Transit (LRT) statistics</b> ( <i>Source: Light Rail Transit Authority</i> )					
<b>Yellow Lane</b>		<b>July 2007</b>	<b>June 2007</b>	<b>July 2006</b>	
Passenger traffic (In million passengers)		10.76	9.86	9.44	
Gross revenue collection (In million pesos)		154.14	142.2	135.35	
<b>Purple Lane</b>		<b>July 2007</b>	<b>June 2007</b>	<b>July 2006</b>	
Passenger traffic (In million passengers)		5.00	4.25	4.11	
Gross revenue collection (In million pesos)		71.57	63.03	57.83	
<b>Metrorail Transit (MRT) statistics</b> ( <i>Source: Metrostar Express</i> )		<b>January 2007</b>	<b>December 2006</b>	<b>January 2006</b>	
Passenger traffic (In million passengers)		11.98	11.50	11.54	
Gross revenue collection (In million pesos)		144.39	139.16	143.36	

\*\*No rail transactions



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	July 2007 <sup>P</sup>	April 2007	July 2006
<b>LABOR AND EMPLOYMENT</b> (Source: NSO Labor Force Survey)			
<b>Total labor force</b> (million)			
Labor force participation rate	63.6%	64.5%	64.6%
Employment rate	92.2%	92.6%	91.9%
Unemployment rate	7.8%	7.4%	8.1%
Underemployment rate	22.0%	18.9%	23.4%
	<b>October 2006<sup>P</sup></b>	<b>July 2006</b>	<b>October 2005</b>
<b>Total employed persons</b> (thousands)	33,185	33,257	32,875
Male	20,419	20,136	20,203
Female	12,766	13,122	12,673
Wage and salary workers	16,759	17,523	16,553
Own-account	12,094	11,916	12,158
Unpaid family worker	4,332	3,818	4,165
Agriculture	12,164	11,841	12,171
Industry	4,895	5,009	4,883
Services	16,126	16,407	15,821
	<b>1st Qtr. 2007<sup>P</sup></b>	<b>4th Qtr. 2006<sup>F</sup></b>	<b>1st Qtr. 2006<sup>F</sup></b>
<b>NATIONAL ACCOUNTS</b> (In million pesos) Source: NSCB			
	<b>Growth Rates</b>		
<b>At current prices</b>	<b>1st Qtr. 06 - 07</b>		
Gross National Product	9.6	1,652,039	1,865,110
Gross Domestic Product	9.9	1,521,526	1,715,325
<b>At constant 1985 prices</b>			
Gross National Product	6.6	350,413	389,702
Gross Domestic Product	6.9	320,698	355,744
	<b>2005</b>	<b>1st Qtr. 2007</b>	<b>4th Qtr. 2006</b>
<b>PRIVATE BUILDING CONSTRUCTION</b> (Source: NSO)			
<b>Philippines</b> (number)	129,670	23,499	24,330
Total floor area (In square meters)	17,466,565	5,247,153	3,432,991
Value (In thousand pesos)	113,197,498	47,720,500	26,172,830
<b>Residential</b> (number)	91,207	15,899	16,096
Total floor area	10,599,084	2,141,565	1,845,903
Value	63,498,455	14,635,191	12,620,929
<b>Nonresidential</b> (number)	14,143	3,543	4,380
Total floor area	6,228,974	2,748,146	1,420,104
Value	39,315,987	29,295,019	11,508,868
<b>Additions</b> (number)	5,648	1,364	1,343
Total floor area	638,507	357,442	166,984
Value	3,552,220	2,450,792	978,906
<b>Alterations/repairs</b> (number)	18,672	2,693	2,511
Value	6,830,836	1,339,498	1,064,127
	<b>1999</b>	<b>2005</b>	<b>2003</b>
<b>BUSINESS AND INDUSTRY</b>			
	<b>Based on CPBI</b>	<b>Based on ASPBI</b>	
	(with ATE 20 or more)	(All establishments)	
<b>Number of establishments</b>			
Agriculture and forestry	915	3,295	2,951
Fishing	224	1,052	1,092
Mining and quarrying	74	242	202
Manufacturing	7,450	n.a.	121,183
Electricity, gas, and water	376	972	889
Construction	838	2,480	2,532
Wholesale and retail trade	6,842	366,185	365,083
Hotels and restaurants	2,837	95,812	87,760
Transport, storage, and communication	1,451	9,539	9,279
Financial intermediation	1,565	n.a.	15,824
Real estate and other business activities	2,183	n.a.	35,206
Private education	2,200	n.a.	8,900
Health and social work	567	30,312	27,646
Other community and personal service activities	723	45,817	39,425
	<b>2003</b>	<b>2000</b>	<b>1997</b>
<b>FAMILY INCOME AND EXPENDITURE</b> (At current prices) Source: NSO FIES			
Annual average family income	P147,888	P145,121	P123,168
Annual average family expenditure	P123,690	P118,839	P 99,537
Annual average family saving	P 24,198	P 26,282	P 23,631
	<b>2000</b>	<b>1995</b>	<b>1990</b>
<b>DEMOGRAPHY</b> (Source: NSO)			
<b>Total</b>	76,504,077	68,616,536	60,703,206
Male	38,524,266	34,584,170	30,538,285
Female	37,979,811	34,032,366	30,164,921
0-14 years	37.0%	38.4%	39.6%
15-64 years	59.2%	58.1%	57.0%
65 years and over	3.8%	3.5%	3.4%
Sex ratio	101.4	101.6	101.2
Density (persons per square kilometer)	255	229	202
Growth rate	2.36%	2.32%	2.35%
Average household size	5.0	5.1	5.3
	<b>2009</b>	<b>2008</b>	<b>2007</b>
<b>Population projection</b> (medium assumption) <sup>1)</sup> (in thousands)	92,227	88,706	86,973

Note: Data on ASPBI 2003 is preliminary

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As of October 2007

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	2006 <sup>p</sup>	2005	2004	
<b>HEALTH AND VITAL STATISTICS</b> (Source: NSO)				
<b>Births</b> (Based on civil registration; not adjusted for underregistration)	1,401,029	1,601,481	1,595,323	
Male	728,563	832,802	829,600	
Female	672,466	768,679	765,723	
<b>Marriages</b> (Based on civil registration; not adjusted for underregistration)	449,215	504,763	566,838	
<b>Deaths</b> (Based on civil registration; not adjusted for underregistration)	389,081	415,271	393,638	
Male	229,613	245,069	232,302	
Female	159,468	170,202	161,335	
<b>Fetal deaths</b>	6,663	7,651	8,584	
	<b>2015-2020</b>	<b>2010-2015</b>	<b>2005-2010</b>	
<b>Crude birth rate</b> <sup>1</sup> (per thousand population)	18.15	20.40	22.80	
<b>Crude death rate</b> <sup>1</sup> (per thousand population)	5.45	5.43	5.48	
<b>Crude rate of natural increase</b> <sup>1</sup> (per thousand population)	12.70	14.97	17.32	
	<b>2015-2020</b>	<b>2010-2015</b>	<b>2005-2010</b>	
<b>Total fertility rate</b> <sup>2</sup> (number of children per woman)	2.76	2.96	3.18	
<b>Life expectancy at birth</b> <sup>2</sup> (in years; medium assumption)				
Male	68.81	67.61	66.11	
Female	74.34	73.14	71.64	
<b>FAMILY PLANNING</b> (Source: NSO, Family Planning Survey)				
	<b>2006</b>	<b>2005</b>	<b>2004</b>	
<b>Contraceptive prevalence rate</b> (Based on currently married women aged 15-49 years)	50.6%	49.3%	49.3%	
Modern method	35.9%	36.0%	35.1%	
Traditional method	14.8%	13.2%	14.2%	
<b>EDUCATION</b> (Source: NSO, FLEMMS/CPH)				
	<b>2003</b>	<b>2000</b>	<b>1994</b>	
Simple literacy rate (10 years old and over; basic reading and writing skills)	93.4%	92.3%	93.9%	
Functional literacy rate (10 to 64 years old; basic reading, writing, and computational skills)	84.1%	-	83.8%	
<b>ENROLMENT</b> (Source: Department of Education)				
	<b>SY 2005-2006</b>	<b>SY 2005-2004</b>	<b>SY 2003-2004</b>	
<b>Elementary</b>	12,913	13,015	12,987	
Government	11,982	12,089	12,066	
Private	931	926	921	
<b>Secondary</b>	6,267	6,312	3,270	
Government	4,979	5,044	5,026	
Private	1,288	1,268	1,244	
<b>TOURISM</b> (Source: Department of Tourism)				
	<b>2006</b>	<b>June 2007</b>	<b>May 2007</b>	<b>June 2006</b>
<b>Visitors arrivals to the Philippines by country of residence</b>	2,843,335	250,227	243,951	225,623
ASEAN	202,886	19,766	18,828	15,662
East Asia	1,338,777	109,798	107,919	100,437
South Asia	31,975	3,432	3,491	2,952
Middle East	31,503	3,647	2,702	3,216
North America	648,929	58,415	60,742	56,874
South America	2,776	283	236	190
Western Europe	117,167	8,507	7,846	7,561
Northern Europe	106,088	9,701	8,651	7,697
Southern Europe	23,097	2,596	2,142	1,805
Eastern Europe	14,042	724	990	875
Australiasia/Pacific	149,276	13,873	12,232	12,525
Africa	2,246	239	212	252
Others unspecified residences	28,208	3,300	2,643	2,589
Overseas Filipinos	146,365	15,946	15,317	12,988

\* 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>p</sup> Preliminary

<sup>r</sup> Revised

<sup>1/</sup> Source: 1995 Census-based National, Regional, and Provincial Population Projections.

<sup>2/</sup> Source: 2000 Census-based Population Projections.

NSO - National Statistics Office

NSCB - National Statistical Coordination Board

ASPBI - Annual Survey of Philippine Business and Industry

CPBI - Census of Philippine Business and Industry

FIES - Family Income and Expenditure Survey

FLEMMS - Functional Literacy, Education, and Mass Media Survey

CPH - Census of Population and Housing

FOB - Free on board

WAIR - Weighted average interest rates

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