

Table 3a. Percentage of Families and Population by Sanitation Facilities, According to their Residence: Philippines, 2017 and 2019

Type of Sanitation Facilities	2017 APIS						2019 APIS					
	Families			Population			Families			Population		
	Urban	Rural	Total	Urban	Rural	Total	Urban	Rural	Total	Urban	Rural	Total
Number of Families/Population (Total, in thousands)	11,806	12,548	24,354	49,748	55,173	104,922	13,041	12,269	25,310	54,539	52,749	107,288
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Improved, not shared facility	77.7	69.9	73.7	78.4	69.3	73.6	82.8	80.2	81.6	83.0	79.2	81.1
Flush to piped sewer system	5.9	1.9	3.8	5.5	1.8	3.6	13.6	6.0	9.9	13.0	5.6	9.4
Flush to septic tank	66.1	50.6	58.1	67.0	49.9	58.0	60.2	49.8	55.2	60.8	49.7	55.4
Flush to pit latrine	4.8	12.6	8.8	4.9	12.6	8.9	8.1	20.9	14.3	8.2	20.1	14.0
Ventilated improved pit latrine	0.7	1.9	1.3	0.6	2.0	1.3	0.4	1.6	1.0	0.4	1.7	1.1
Pit latrine with slab	0.3	2.5	1.4	0.3	2.8	1.6	0.4	1.8	1.1	0.5	1.9	1.2
Composting toilet	*	0.3	0.2	*	0.3	0.2	*	0.1	0.1	*	0.1	0.1
Shared facility¹	16.0	14.8	15.4	14.7	14.3	14.5	12.2	9.6	10.9	11.5	9.3	10.4
Flush to piped sewer system	1.1	0.4	0.7	1.1	0.4	0.8	1.7	0.3	1.1	1.6	0.3	1.0
Flush to septic tank	13.0	10.0	11.4	11.6	9.6	10.5	9.0	6.0	7.6	8.5	5.9	7.2
Flush to pit latrine	1.6	3.2	2.4	1.6	3.0	2.3	1.2	2.8	1.9	1.2	2.6	1.9
Ventilated improved pit latrine	0.1	0.4	0.2	0.1	0.3	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
Pit latrine with slab	0.2	0.7	0.4	0.2	0.8	0.5	0.1	0.3	0.2	0.1	0.3	0.2
Composting toilet	*	0.2	0.1	*	0.2	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.1
Unimproved facility	3.4	6.9	5.2	3.9	7.9	6.0	2.9	4.6	3.7	3.3	5.6	4.4
Flush to open drain	1.4	1.5	1.5	1.7	1.5	1.6	0.7	1.9	1.3	0.9	2.2	1.5
Flush to don't know where	*	*	*	*	*	*	1.0	0.1	0.6	1.0	0.1	0.6
Pit latrine without slab/open pit	0.2	2.6	1.5	0.2	3.3	1.9	0.1	0.8	0.4	0.1	0.9	0.5
Bucket	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Hanging toilet/hanging latrine	1.1	1.3	1.2	1.3	1.6	1.4	*	0.9	0.7	*	1.2	0.9
Public Toilet	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	0.4	0.6	0.5	0.5	0.7	0.6
Other	0.6	0.9	0.8	0.5	1.1	0.8	*	0.2	0.1	*	0.2	0.2
No facility/bush/field	2.9	8.3	5.7	3.1	8.4	5.9	2.1	5.5	3.7	2.1	5.9	4.0

Notes:

1. Shared with two or more households
2. * An asterisk indicates that a figure is based on fewer than 25 unweighted cases and has been suppressed.
3. NA indicates that the variable or category is not included in 2017 APIS.

Source: Philippine Statistics Authority, 2017 and 2019 Annual Poverty Indicators Surveys