

TABLE L1S. SIMPLE LITERACY OF THE HOUSEHOLD POPULATION 10 YEARS OLD AND OVER BY SEX,
BY REGION, URBAN-RURAL: NOVEMBER 1994

REGION AND AREA CLASSIFICATION	BOTH SEXES NUMBER (IN 1,000)	PERCENT	MALE NUMBER (IN 1,000)	PERCENT	FEMALE NUMBER (IN 1,000)	PERCENT
PHILIPPINES	47,301	93.87	23,767	93.74	23,534	93.99
URBAN	24,391	96.52	11,928	96.55	12,463	96.48
RURAL	22,910	91.20	11,838	91.07	11,072	91.34
NATIONAL CAPITAL REGION	6,706	98.83	3,194	98.88	3,513	98.78
CORDILLERA ADMINISTRATIVE REGION.	833	88.80	448	89.93	385	87.52
URBAN	271	96.01	140	96.74	131	95.23
RURAL	562	85.70	308	87.14	254	84.02
REGION I - ILOCOS	2,720	95.47	1,381	96.11	1,338	94.81
URBAN	1,072	96.83	522	97.04	551	96.63
RURAL	1,647	94.60	860	95.55	788	93.58
REGION II - CAGAYAN	1,877	93.29	1,002	93.70	875	92.83
URBAN	475	95.45	240	96.06	234	94.84
RURAL	1,402	92.58	762	92.97	640	92.11
REGION III - CENTRAL LUZON	4,917	96.27	2,485	96.48	2,432	96.07
URBAN	2,909	97.10	1,453	97.54	1,456	96.65
RURAL	2,009	95.11	1,032	95.01	977	95.21
REGION IV - SOUTHERN TAGALOG.	6,535	96.44	3,310	96.84	3,225	96.03
URBAN	3,451	97.39	1,695	97.73	1,756	97.06
RURAL	3,085	95.40	1,616	95.92	1,469	94.83

REGION V - BICOL.	3,302	94.87	1,680	94.78	1,622	94.97
URBAN	1,081	96.40	534	96.40	547	96.41
RURAL	2,221	94.15	1,146	94.05	1,075	94.25
REGION VI - WESTERN VISAYAS	4,173	91.88	2,095	90.76	2,078	93.04
URBAN	1,653	94.30	818	93.76	835	94.83
RURAL	2,520	90.36	1,277	88.93	1,243	91.87
REGION VII - CENTRAL VISAYAS.	3,501	93.06	1,745	93.36	1,756	92.77
URBAN	1,652	95.47	822	95.89	831	95.05
RURAL	1,849	91.02	924	91.22	925	90.81
REGION VIII - EASTERN VISAYAS	2,412	90.86	1,231	89.15	1,181	92.71
URBAN	745	93.38	361	92.77	384	93.96
RURAL	1,666	89.77	870	87.73	797	92.12
REGION IX - WESTERN MINDANAO.	1,811	89.65	891	89.14	920	90.14
URBAN	669	93.22	315	92.12	353	94.22
RURAL	1,142	87.68	576	87.59	567	87.77
REGION X - NORTHERN MINDANAO.	2,818	94.63	1,423	93.77	1,395	95.53
URBAN	1,299	96.36	656	95.82	643	96.93
RURAL	1,520	93.20	767	92.08	753	94.38
REGION XI - SOUTHERN MINDANAO	3,268	92.02	1,648	91.62	1,619	92.43
URBAN	1,612	94.90	791	94.77	822	95.03
RURAL	1,655	89.38	857	88.89	798	89.90
REGION XII - CENTRAL MINDANAO	1,423	90.81	716	90.27	708	91.35
URBAN	516	93.38	252	92.97	264	93.79
RURAL	907	89.40	463	88.87	444	89.96

AUTONOMOUS REGION OF MUSLIM MINDANAO. .	1,005	73.46	518	75.55	487	71.36
URBAN	279	82.37	135	82.98	144	81.80
RURAL	725	70.52	382	73.22	343	67.72

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