

TABLE 2 Percent Distribution of Population 15 Years Old and Over by Employment Status and by Region: October 2012

Region	Employment Status			Total Underemployed Persons
	Total Persons in the Labor Force	Total Employed Persons	Total Unemployed	
Philippines Number (in thousands)	40,433	37,670	2,763	7,160
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
National Capital Region	12.6	12.0	20.3	7.9
Cordillera Administrative Region	1.9	1.9	1.6	1.6
I - Ilocos Region	5.1	5.1	5.5	5.5
II - Cagayan Valley	3.7	3.9	1.3	2.5
III - Central Luzon	10.5	10.2	14.3	5.3
IV-A - CALABARZON	13.0	12.7	17.4	11.7
IV-B - MIMAROPA	3.1	3.2	2.0	4.1
V - Bicol Region	6.1	6.2	4.4	11.4
VI - Western Visayas	7.9	8.0	7.5	7.9
VII - Central Visayas	7.7	7.7	7.3	7.5
VIII - Eastern Visayas	4.6	4.7	3.4	6.2
IX - Zamboanga Peninsula	3.6	3.7	1.8	5.4
X - Northern Mindanao	5.0	5.1	3.7	8.4
XI - Davao Region	4.8	4.9	3.4	4.2
XII - SOCCSKSARGEN	4.4	4.5	2.6	5.3
Caraga	2.7	2.8	1.7	3.1
Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao	3.2	3.4	1.7	2.2

Source: National Statistics Office, *October 2012 Labor Force Survey*