

**TABLE 5 Distribution of Overseas Filipino Workers by Major  
Occupation Group and Sex: 2014 and 2015**

Major Occupation Group	2015			2014 <sup>a/</sup>		
	Both Sexes	Male	Female	Both Sexes	Male	Female
<b>Philippines</b>						
Number (In thousands)	<b>2,447</b>	<b>1,197</b>	<b>1,250</b>	<b>2,320</b>	<b>1,149</b>	<b>1,170</b>
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Officials of government and special-interest organizations corporate executives, managers, managing proprietors and supervisors	3.1	4.4	1.9	2.5	3.6	1.5
Professionals	9.5	8.2	10.9	11.4	9.7	13.0
Technicians and associate professionals	6.5	9.4	3.8	6.1	9.4	2.9
Clerks	5.4	3.9	6.9	5.3	3.5	7.1
Service workers and shop and market sales workers	17.6	17.1	18.1	16.5	14.8	18.3
Farmers, forestry workers and fishermen	-	-	-	-	-	-
Trades and related workers	11.8	23.0	1.0	12.8	25.1	0.8
Plant and machine operators and assemblers	12.8	23.2	2.9	12.5	22.7	2.5
Laborers and unskilled workers	33.2	10.9	54.5	32.8	11.3	54.0

Notes: Details may not add up to totals due to rounding.

The estimates cover overseas Filipinos whose departure occurred within the last five years and who are working or had worked abroad during the past six months (April to September) of the survey period.

<sup>a/</sup> The province of Leyte was not covered in 2014 SOF.

Source: Philippine Statistics Authority, 2014 and 2015 Survey on Overseas Filipinos