

**Table 1.0 - ESTABLISHMENTS RESORTING TO PERMANENT CLOSURE/RETRENCHMENT
DUE TO ECONOMIC REASONS AND WORKERS DISPLACED
PHILIPPINES: January - December 2004-2005**

Indicator	January - December 2005	January - December 2004	Percent Change
A. Establishment Reporting	2,943^a	2,008^a	46.6
- Closure	538	443	21.4
- Reduction of Workforce	2,428	1,585	53.2
B. Workers Displaced	57,594	36,163	59.3
- Closure	15,029	13,829	8.7
- Reduction of Workforce	42,565	22,334	90.6

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**Table 1.1 - ESTABLISHMENTS RESORTING TO PERMANENT CLOSURE/RETRENCHMENT
DUE TO ECONOMIC REASONS AND WORKERS DISPLACED BY MONTH
PHILIPPINES: January - December 2004-2005**

Month	Establishments Reporting			Displaced Workers			
	Total	Closure	Reduction of Workforce	Total	Percent	Closure	Reduction of Workforce
2005	2,943^a	538	2,428^a	57,594	100.0	15,029	42,565
January	264	66	199	2,586	4.5	884	1,702
February	305	50	256	5,589	9.7	1,982	3,607
March	329	57	272	12,425	21.6	1,655	10,770
April	284	43	241	3,788	6.6	850	2,938
May	252	43	209	3,691	6.4	1,362	2,329
June	343	64	280	5,363	9.3	2,335	3,028
July	323	47	276	4,163	7.2	620	3,543
August	331	36	295	4,065	7.1	1,279	2,786
September	311	43	268	4,576	7.9	1,308	3,268
October	263	30	233	4,261	7.4	958	3,303
November	206	8	198	2,425	4.2	107	2,318
December	303	51	253	4,662	8.1	1,689	2,973
2004	2,008^a	443	1,585^a	36,163	100.0	13,829	22,334
January	135	36	99	2,516	7.0	985	1,531
February	135	20	116	2,152	6.0	587	1,565
March	121	28	93	3,004	8.3	1,359	1,645
April	141	31	110	2,430	6.7	1,308	1,122
May	195	26	171	1,503	4.2	602	901
June	186	33	153	1,582	4.4	548	1,034
July	299	54	245	4,580	12.7	1,733	2,847
August	252	38	214	3,418	9.5	1,409	2,009
September	270	39	231	3,529	9.8	1,045	2,484
October	268	41	228	4,432	12.3	1,173	3,259
November	210	31	179	1,759	4.9	522	1,237
December	277	66	211	5,258	14.5	2,558	2,700

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**Table 1.2 - ESTABLISHMENTS RESORTING TO PERMANENT CLOSURE/RETRENCHMENT
DUE TO ECONOMIC REASONS AND WORKERS DISPLACED BY REGION
PHILIPPINES: January - December 2005**

Region	Establishments Reporting				Displaced Workers			
	Total	Percent	Closure	Reduction of Workforce	Total	Percent	Closure	Reduction of Workforce
Philippines	2,943 ^a	100.0	538	2,428	57,594	100.0	15,029	42,565
National Capital Region	2,130 ^a	72.4	375	1,774	31,834	55.3	8,992	22,842
Cordillera Administrative Region	39 ^a	1.3	16	23	774	1.3	414	360
Region I- Ilocos Region	25	0.8	3	22	103	0.2	25	78
Region II -Cagayan Valley	2	0.1	0	2	12	b	0	12
Region III - Central Luzon	157	5.3	34	124	8,497	14.8	1,083	7,414
Region IV - A - CALABARZON	167	5.7	39	129	9,497	16.5	3,108	6,389
Region IV - B - MIMAROPA	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR
Region V - Bicol Region	31	1.1	14	17	303	0.5	45	258
Region VI - W. Visayas	57	1.9	9	48	756	1.3	111	645
Region VII - C. Visayas	216 ^a	7.3	34	184	4,469	7.8	872	3,597
Region VIII - E. Visayas	17	0.6	1	16	158	0.3	12	146
Region IX - Zamboanga Peninsula	15	0.5	2	13	166	0.3	44	122
Region X - N. Mindanao	47	1.6	1	46	493	0.9	11	482
Region XI - Davao Region	9	0.3	9	-	253	0.4	253	0
Region XII - SOCCSARGEN	10	0.3	0	10	104	0.2	0	104
Caraga	21	0.7	1	20	175	0.3	59	116

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NR- No reports received.

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Table 1.3 - ESTABLISHMENTS RESORTING TO PERMANENT CLOSURE/RETRENCHMENT DUE TO ECONOMIC REASONS AND WORKERS DISPLACED BY INDUSTRY, PHILIPPINES

January- December 2005

Industry	Establishments Reporting				Displaced Workers			
	Total	Percent	Closure	Reduction of Workforce	Total	Percent	Closure	Reduction of Workforce
ALL INDUSTRIES	2,943^a	100.0	538	2,428	57,594	100.0	15,029	42,565
AGRICULTURE, FISHERY AND FORESTRY	23	0.8	2	21	5,435	9.4	51	5,384
Agriculture, Hunting and Forestry	14	0.5	1	13	5,276	9.2	46	5,230
Fishing	9	0.3	1	8	159	0.3	5	154
INDUSTRY	854	29.0	151	710	24,611	42.7	8,153	16,458
Mining and Quarrying	6	0.2	-	6	133	0.2	-	133
Manufacturing	727	24.7	143	591	22,792	39.6	7,739	15,053
Food Products & Beverages	177	6.0	23	155	2,768	4.8	539	2,229
Tobacco Products	2	0.1	.	2	3	b	.	3
Textiles	20	0.7	9	11	1,585	2.8	1,339	246
Wearing Apparel	95	3.2	30	66	5,293	9.2	1,947	3,346
Leather Products, Handbags & Footwear	11	0.4	4	7	305	0.5	183	122
Wood & Wood Products	10	0.3	1	9	171	0.3	52	119
Paper & Paper Products	20	0.7	6	14	539	0.9	346	193
Publishing & Printing	44	1.5	5	39	455	0.8	88	367
Coke, Refined Petroleum & Other Fuel Products	1	b	.	1	3	b	.	3
Chemicals & Chemicals Products	54	1.8	13	42	656	1.1	343	313
Rubber & Plastic Products	44	1.5	12	33	1,058	1.8	664	394
Other Non-Metallic Products	19	0.6	5	14	231	0.4	125	106
Basic Metals	20	0.7	6	14	664	1.2	231	433
Fabricated Metal Products Except Machinery & Equipment	14	0.5	5	11	492	0.9	59	433
Machinery & Equipment	47	1.6	5	42	382	0.7	45	337
Office, Accounting and Computing Machinery	7	0.2	.	7	3,003	5.2	.	3,003
Electrical Machinery and Apparatus	14	0.5	2	12	753	1.3	251	502
Radio, Television and Communication Equipment & Apparatus	38	1.3	4	34	2,288	4.0	895	1,393
Medical, Precision and Optical Instruments, Watches & Clocks	8	0.3	1	7	409	0.7	213	196
Motor Vehicles, Trailers & Semi- Trailers	11	0.4	2	9	169	0.3	110	59
Other Transport Equipment	7	0.2	1	6	100	0.2	1	99
Furniture (including repair)	54	1.8	7	48	1,297	2.3	303	994
Recycling	1	b	.	1	23	b	.	23
Not Elsewhere Classified (NEC)	9	0.3	2	7	145	0.3	5	140
Electricity, Gas and Water	28	1.0	1	27	688	1.2	20	668
Construction	93	3.2	7	86	998	1.7	394	604
SERVICES	2,066	70.2	385	1,697	27,548	47.8	6,825	20,723
Wholesale and Retail Trade	654	22.2	123	536	8,541	14.8	1,761	6,780
Hotels and Restaurants	230	7.8	103	130	2,332	4.0	1,389	943
Transport, Storage and Communications	318	10.8	41	280	6,774	11.8	1,228	5,546
Financial Intermediation	235	8.0	22	213	1,883	3.3	183	1,700
Real Estate, Renting and Business Activities	425	14.4	65	363	5,507	9.6	1,843	3,664
Public Administration and Defense	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Education	70	2.4	4	66	737	1.3	24	713
Health and Social Work	20	0.7	6	14	437	0.8	52	385
Other Community, Social and Personal Services	114	3.9	21	95	1,337	2.3	345	992

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**Table 1.4 - ESTABLISHMENTS RESORTING TO PERMANENT CLOSURE/RETRENCHMENT
DUE TO ECONOMIC REASONS AND WORKERS DISPLACED BY REASON
PHILIPPINES: January - December 2005**

Reason	Establishments Reporting				Displaced Workers			
	Total	Percent	Closure	Reduction of Workforce	Total	Percent	Closure	Reduction of Workforce
ALL REASONS	2,943^a	100.0	538	2,428	57,594	100.0	15,029	42,565
1. Product Demand								
- Lack of Market/Slump in Demand	505	17.2	130	380	11,146	19.4	3,600	7,546
- Uncompetitive Price of Products	40	1.4	14	26	1,523	2.6	241	1,282
- Competitions from Imports	10	0.3	2	9	175	0.3	70	105
- High Cost of Production	92	3.1	14	78	2,062	3.6	515	1,547
- Lack of Capital	91	3.1	43	48	2,511	4.4	1,002	1,509
- Peso Depreciation	4	0.1	4	-	25	b	25	.
- Financial Losses	526	17.9	205	327	11,601	20.1	6,089	5,512
- Others (Economic Crisis)	20	0.7	4	16	697	1.2	366	331
3. Organization								
- Reorganization/Downsizing/Redundancy	1,343	45.6	33	1,319	14,103	24.5	755	13,348
- Change in Management/Merger	70	2.4	25	46	5,253	9.1	1,516	3,737
4. Lack of Raw Materials	25	0.8	6	20	5,461	9.5	134	5,327
5. Minimum Wage Rate Increase	40	1.4	11	29	580	1.0	347	233
6. Others	177	6.0	47	130	2,457	4.3	369	2,088

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**Table 1.5 - ESTABLISHMENTS RESORTING TO PERMANENT CLOSURE/RETRENCHMENT
DUE TO ECONOMIC REASONS AND WORKERS DISPLACED BY EMPLOYMENT SIZE
PHILIPPINES: January - December 2005**

Employment Size	Establishments Reporting				Displaced Workers			
	Total	Percent	Closure	Reduction of Workforce	Total	Percent	Closure	Reduction of Workforce
ALL EMPLOYMENT SIZES	2,943^a	100.0	538	2,428	57,594	100.0	15,029	42,565
Less than 20 workers	877	29.8	368	522	4,585	8.0	2,710	1,875
20-49	630	21.4	109	526	7,489	13.0	3,342	4,147
50-99	543	18.5	31	515	7,065	12.3	1,954	5,111
100-199	355	12.1	13	343	6,671	11.6	1,643	5,028
200-299	160	5.4	9	151	5,764	10.0	2,059	3,705
300-399	74	2.5	3	72	2,556	4.4	956	1,600
400-499	66	2.2	4	62	3,388	5.9	1,769	1,619
500-599	48	1.6	1	47	2,690	4.7	596	2,094
600 or more workers	190	6.5	-	190	17,386	30.2	-	17,386

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