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Characteristics of Poor Families in the Philippines
(Findings from the 2008 Annual Poverty Indicators Survey)

Two in three heads of poor families have at most an elementary education

- Heads of the families belonging to the bottom 30% income stratum tend to be less educated compared to heads of families in the upper 70% income stratum. The bottom 30% of all families in this report represents the poor families. Two out of three (65%) family heads belonging to the bottom 30% income stratum had at most an elementary education (Table 1). In comparison, 34 percent of family heads belonging to the upper 70% income stratum were of similar levels of education (no grade completed/pre-school, 2%; elementary undergraduates, 15%; and elementary graduates, 17%).
- About three out of ten (27%) family heads in the upper 70% income stratum had attended college or higher level of education, while only 5 percent of family heads in the bottom 30% income stratum had attained that level of education.
- Overall, three-fourths of all family heads did not reach college, that is, 21 percent of them were elementary undergraduates, 20 percent were elementary graduates, 12 percent were high school undergraduates and 22 percent were high school graduates. Only three percent had no grade completed. Those who had some college education comprised 10 percent and those who graduated from college, 11 percent.

Two in every five poor Filipino families do not have electricity in their homes

- Based on the results of the 2008 Annual Poverty Indicators Survey, 36 percent of families in the bottom 30% income stratum do not have electricity in their homes compared to 8 percent among families in the upper 70% income stratum (Table 2).
- At the national level, 16 percent of all families do not have electricity.
- Regions with the highest percentages of families without electricity are Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao (ARMM) (43%), MIMAROPA (33%) and Zamboanga Peninsula (33%).

Seven in ten poor families have access to safe water

- Seven in 10 families that belong to the bottom 30% income stratum have access to safe water compared to nine in 10 families in the upper 70% income stratum (Table 3).
- Overall, 84 percent of the total families have access to a safe source of water supply. Considered as clean and safe sources of water supply are community water system and protected well. The remaining 16 percent of families obtain their water from sources considered unsafe, such as unprotected well (5%), developed spring (4%), undeveloped spring (2%), river, stream, pond, lake or dam (1%), rainwater (less than one percent), and tanker truck or peddler (3%).
- Four regions in Luzon have over 90 percent of their families with access to safe water. These are Central Luzon (96%), Cagayan Valley (93%), Ilocos (93%) and National Capital Region (NCR) (92%).
- In ARMM, less than half (49%) of the families have access to safe water.

Table A. Percentage of Families with Access to Safe Water, by Region and Income Stratum: 2008

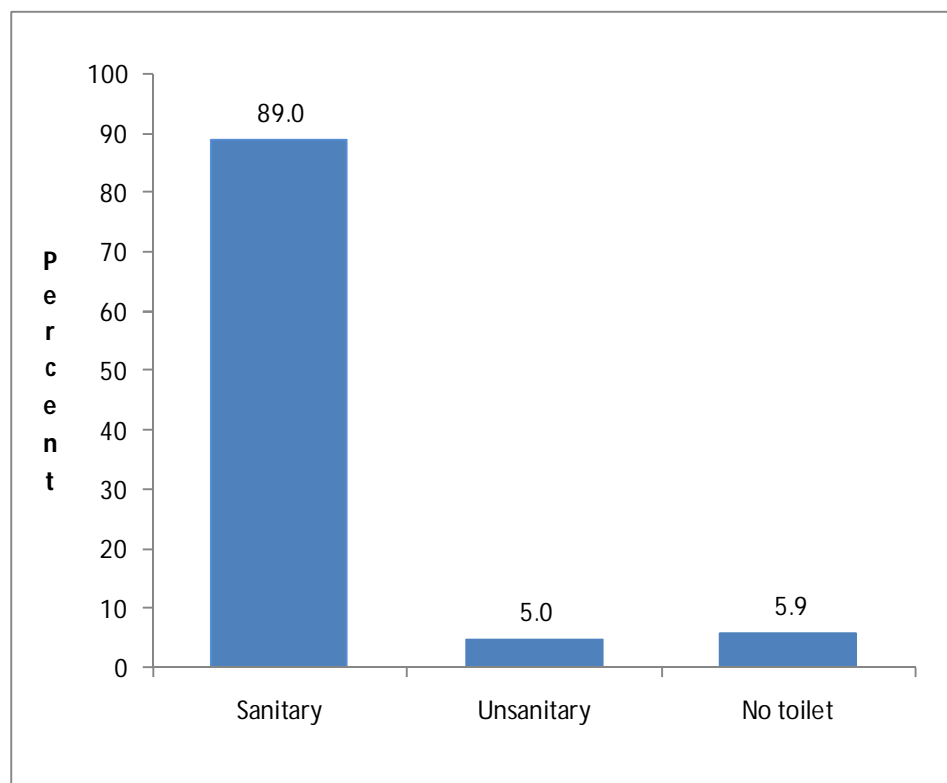
Region	All Families	Lowest 30%	Highest 70%
Philippines	84.1	71.3	89.6
National Capital Region	91.6	83.1	92.2
Cordillera Administrative Region	83.6	78.3	85.9
I - Ilocos	92.9	87.7	95.0
II - Cagayan Valley	93.2	92.8	93.5
III - Central Luzon	95.6	89.9	96.7
IVA - CALABARZON	90.2	78.3	92.6
IVB - MIMAROPA	75.9	67.8	83.7
V - Bicol	74.9	63.2	84.4
VI - Western Visayas	79.9	69.5	86.5
VII - Central Visayas	80.8	67.7	87.7
VIII - Eastern Visayas	83.8	76.8	89.9
IX - Zamboanga Peninsula	70.7	59.4	81.7
X - Northern Mindanao	80.6	72.2	86.9
XI - Davao	72.8	59.3	80.6
XII - SOCCSKSARGEN	79.4	71.5	85.9
XIII - Caraga	80.8	74.4	87.1
Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao	48.6	45.9	51.6

Source: National Statistics Office, 2008 Annual Poverty Indicators Survey

One in four poor families has no sanitary toilet

- Poor families are more likely to use an unsanitary toilet than non-poor families. Sanitary toilet refers to flush toilet (either owned or shared) and closed pit type of toilet facility. The percentage of poor families without sanitary toilet at home is 24 percent compared to five percent among non-poor families (Table 4).
- At the national level, the proportion of Filipino families using sanitary toilets is 89 percent. Other families use open pit (3%), drop or overhang (1%) and pail system (1%), which are considered unsanitary toilets. There are six percent families without toilet facilities in their homes at all.
- Regions with over 20 percent of families without sanitary toilets are Central Visayas (21%) and ARMM (52%).

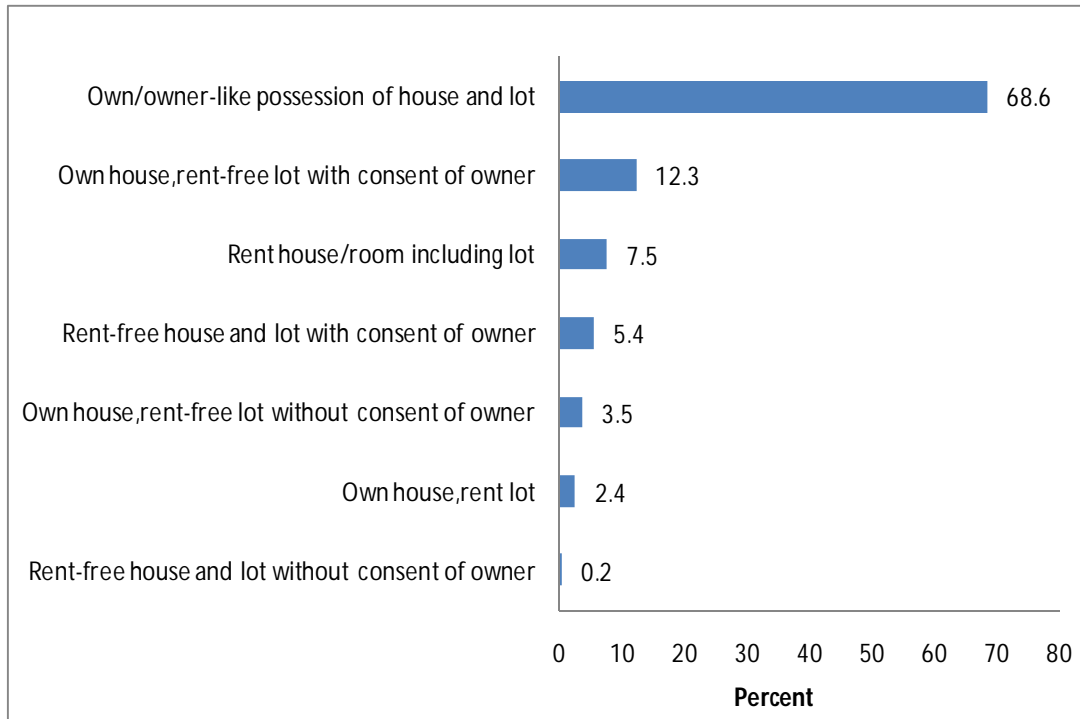
**FIGURE 1 Families by Type of Toilet Facility Used:
2008 APIS**



Sixty-five percent of poor families in the country own the house and lot they occupy

- Among the families in the bottom 30% income stratum, 65 percent own their house and lot while among the upper 70% income stratum, 70 percent.
- In NCR, only 31 percent of families in the bottom 30% income stratum own the house and lot they are occupying.
- Among the regions, NCR (49%) and Western Visayas (54%) have the lowest percentage of families owning house and lot.
- At the national level, 69 percent of families in the country own the house and lot they occupy (Table 5). The remaining 31 percent occupy houses and lots under the following tenure: own house, rent-free lot with consent of owner (12%), rent house/room including lot (8%), rent-free house and lot with consent of owner (5%), own house, rent-free lot without consent of owner (4%), own house, rent lot (2%), and rent-free house and lot without consent of owner (less than one percent).

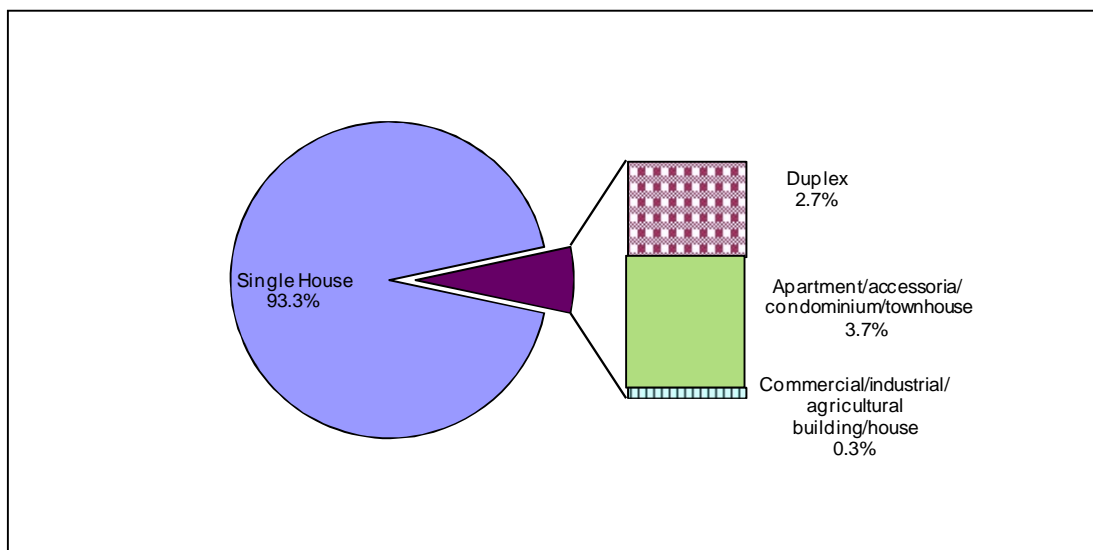
FIGURE 2 Families by Tenure Status of House and Lot they Occupy: 2008 APIS



Majority of Filipino families are residing in single houses

- Nine in ten (93%) Filipino families are residing in single houses (Table 6). The other families dwell in either apartment/accessoria/condominium/townhouse (4%), duplex houses (3%), or commercial/industrial/agricultural buildings (less than one percent).
- In NCR, 16 percent are living in apartments, accessoria, condominiums or townhouses. Hence, a much lower percentage (78%) of families in the NCR are living in single houses.

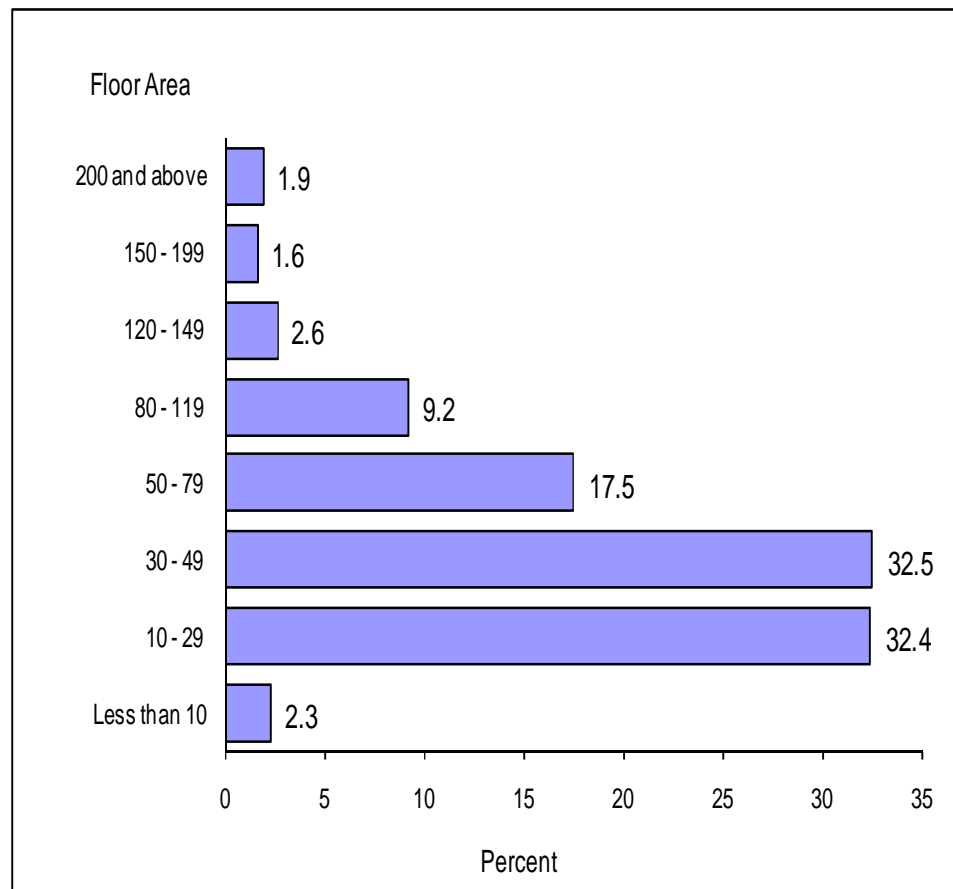
FIGURE 3 Families by Type of Building/House they Reside: 2008 APIS



Almost half of poor families are living in housing units with a floor area of 10 to 29 square meters

- Among the families in the bottom 30% income stratum, the largest proportion (48%) are occupying housing units with a floor area of 10 to 29 sq. m. (Table 7). Three out of ten (32%) families in this income stratum are living in housing units with a floor area of 30 to 49 sq. m.
- Families belonging to the upper 70% income stratum are living in housing units with a larger floor area. Forty percent of the families in the upper 70% income stratum live in housing units with a floor area of at least 50 sq. m. compared to 15 percent of families in the bottom 30% income stratum.
- Sixty-five percent of families in the country are living in housing units with a floor area of 10 to 49 square meters (sq. m.). Three out of ten (32%) families are living in housing units with a floor area of 10 to 29 sq. m. while 33 percent are in housing units with a floor area of 30 to 49 sq. m.
- Almost half of families in the bottom 30% income stratum in CALABARZON have housing units with floor area of 30 to 49 sq. m. Two out of five families in the upper 70% income stratum in Zamboanga Peninsula, SOCCSKSARGEN and Davao are living in housing units with a floor area of 10 to 29 sq. m.

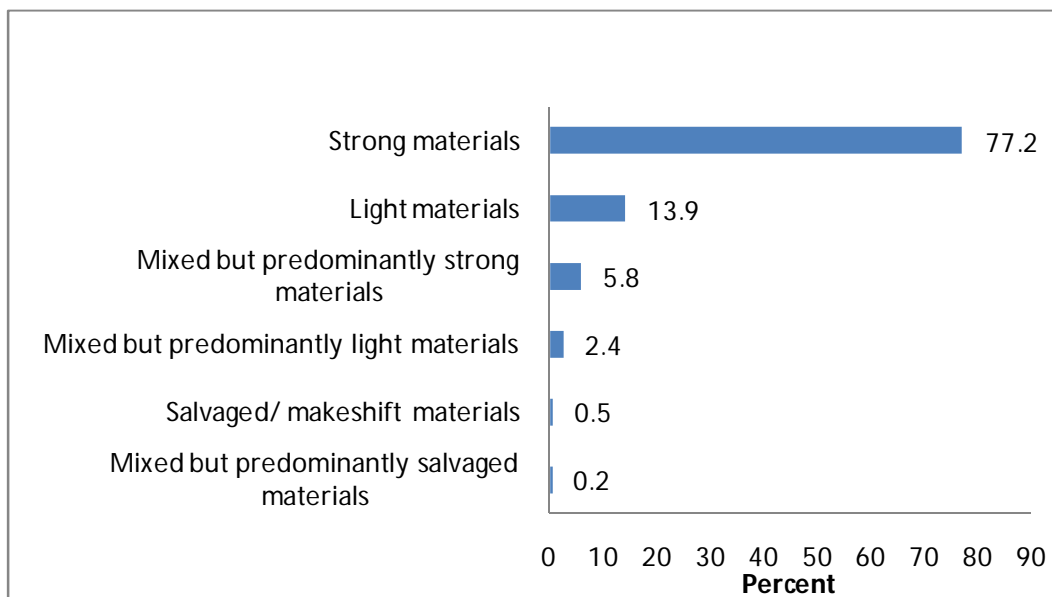
**FIGURE 4 Families by Floor Area of their Housing Unit:
2008 APIS**



Almost three in five poor families are living in houses with roofs made of strong materials

- Eighty-five percent of families in the upper 70% income stratum have housing units made of strong roofs compared to only 58 percent of families in the bottom 30% income stratum (Table 8). Strong materials include galvanized iron/aluminum, tile, concrete, brick, stone and asbestos.
- Three in 10 poor families have roofs made of light materials. Considered as light materials are cogon, nipa and anahaw.
- Overall, Filipino families living in houses with roofs made of strong materials comprised 77 percent.

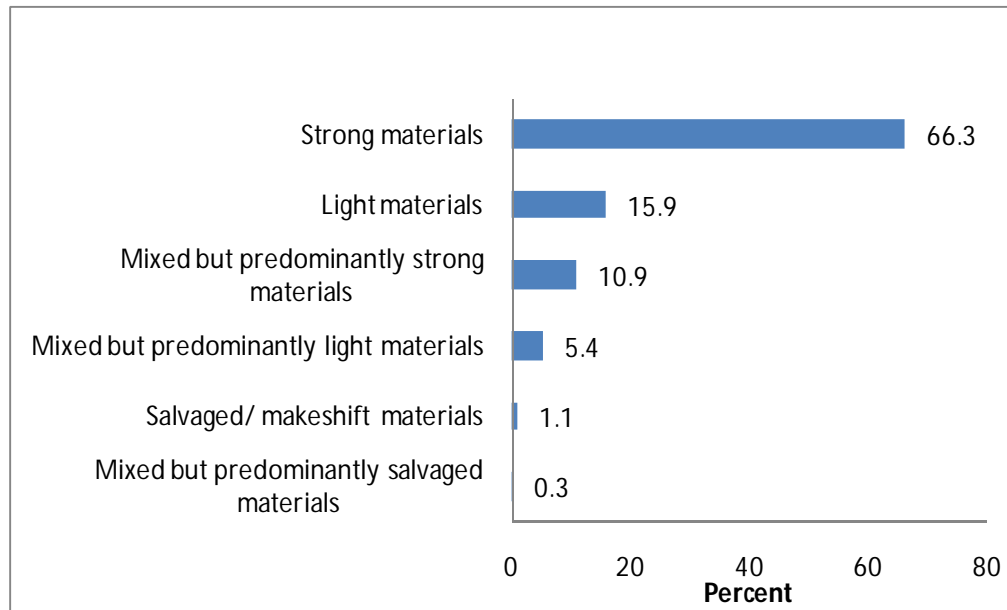
FIGURE 5 Families by Type of Construction Materials of the Roofs of the Housing Unit they Occupy: 2008 APIS



Two out of five poor families are occupying housing units with outer walls made of strong materials

- Only 43 percent of families in the bottom 30% income stratum are living in housing units with outer walls made of strong materials compared to 76 percent among families in the upper 70% income stratum (Table 9). Strong materials include concrete, brick, stone, asbestos, galvanized iron/aluminum and tile.
- Families occupying housing units with outer walls made of strong materials constitute 66 percent of total families in the Philippines.
- Among the regions, Cordillera Administrative Region recorded the highest percentage (88%) of families living in houses with strong outer walls.
- Western Visayas has the lowest percentage (41%) of families living in houses with strong outer walls.

FIGURE 6 Families by Type of Construction Materials of the Outer Walls of the Housing Unit they Occupy: 2008 APIS



Television is the most visible household appliance in poor Filipino homes

- Television is the most visible household appliance in Filipino homes. Seven out of ten families own this (Table 10). Television is the most common appliance for the upper 70% income stratum (82%) and also for the bottom 30% income stratum (43%).
- Over 50 percent of families in the regions own a television, except in Zamboanga Peninsula (47%) and ARMM (36%).
- Cellular phone is the second most popular household convenience with 64 percent of families in the country having at least one member owning this. Even among families in the bottom 30% income stratum, a significant proportion (36%) own a cellular phone. Among families in the upper 70% income, the proportion is 76 percent.
- Aircon (8%), landline telephone (9%) and personal computer (10%) are the least common household conveniences. This is true for both income strata. Only less than one percent of families in the bottom 30% income stratum own these conveniences. The percentages of ownership of aircon, landline telephone and personal computer for the upper 70% income stratum are 11, 13, and 14 percent, respectively.

TECHNICAL NOTES

The Annual Poverty Indicators Survey (APIS) is a nationwide survey designed to provide information on the different non-income indicators related to poverty. Since 1998, APIS has been conducted during the years when the Family Income and Expenditures Survey is not conducted. APIS provides social, economic and demographic data on Filipino families which have been correlated with poverty.

The 2008 APIS is the sixth in the series of annual poverty indicators surveys conducted by the National Statistics Office. Fieldwork for the 2008 APIS was carried out on July 8 to 31, 2008.

Of the 43,020 eligible sample households for the 2008 APIS, 40,613 were successfully interviewed. This translated to a response rate of 94.4 percent at the national level. Households which were not interviewed either refused to be interviewed or were not available or were away during the survey period.

For the purpose of this report, families are grouped into two income strata, the Bottom 30% and Upper 70%. This grouping of families was used as a proxy for those falling below the poverty line. The Bottom 30% refers to the lowest 30 percent of the total families in the per capita income distribution, arranged in descending order. These families are considered the poor families. On the other hand, the Upper 70%, considered as non-poor, refers to the upper 70 percent of the total families in the per capita income distribution.

Table 1. Families by Selected Background Characteristics of the Family Head, by Income Stratum and Sex, Philippines 2008

Selected Background Characteristics	Income Stratum (Percent Distribution)		
	Both Income Strata	Lowest 30%	Highest 70%
Both Sexes ('000)	18,067	5,420	12,647
Age Group			
Total	100	100	100
15 - 24	1.5	1.0	1.7
25 - 34	13.6	15.6	12.8
35 - 44	25.9	31.2	23.7
45 - 54	25.2	24.2	25.6
55 - 64	17.9	15.3	19.0
65 and over	15.9	12.8	17.2
Highest Grade Completed			
Total	100	100	100
No Grade Completed	2.9	5.6	1.7
Pre-school (Nursery/Kinder/Prep)	0.1	0.2	0.1
Elementary Undergraduate	20.6	34.4	14.7
Elementary Graduate	19.5	25.2	17.0
High School Undergraduate	11.5	13.4	10.7
High School Graduate	22.3	15.6	25.1
Post Secondary	2.8	1.1	3.5
College Undergraduate	9.5	3.5	12.1
College Graduate or Higher	11.0	1.1	15.2
Employment Status			
Total	100	100	100
Employed	82.0	90.2	78.5
Unemployed	18.0	9.8	21.5
Male ('000)	14,429	4,730	9,699
Age Group			
Total	100	100	100
15 - 24	1.5	1.0	1.7
25 - 34	15.1	17.1	14.2
35 - 44	28.3	33.5	25.8
45 - 54	26.2	24.6	26.9
55 - 64	16.9	14.0	18.3
65 and over	12.1	9.8	13.2
Highest Grade Completed			
Total	100	100	100
No Grade Completed	2.7	5.2	1.4
Pre-school (Nursery/Kinder/Prep)	0.1	0.2	0.1
Elementary Undergraduate	20.4	33.8	13.9
Elementary Graduate	19.4	24.9	16.6
High School Undergraduate	12.1	13.8	11.3
High School Graduate	23.5	16.3	27.0
Post Secondary	2.9	1.2	3.7
College Undergraduate	9.4	3.6	12.2
College Graduate or Higher	9.5	1.0	13.7
Employment Status			
Total	100	100	100
Employed	88.4	93.9	85.7
Unemployed	11.6	6.1	14.3
Female ('000)	3,638	690	2,948
Age Group			
Total	100	100	100
15 - 24	1.6	0.5	1.9
25 - 34	7.8	5.5	8.3
35 - 44	16.4	14.9	16.7
45 - 54	21.2	21.3	21.2
55 - 64	22.1	24.5	21.5
65 and over	30.9	33.2	30.4
Highest Grade Completed			
Total	100	100	100
No Grade Completed	3.6	8.6	2.5
Pre-school (Nursery/Kinder/Prep)	-	-	-
Elementary Undergraduate	21.2	38.2	17.2
Elementary Graduate	19.9	27.2	18.2
High School Undergraduate	8.9	10.2	8.6
High School Graduate	17.6	10.9	19.1
Post Secondary	2.1	0.5	2.5
College Undergraduate	10.0	3.0	11.7
College Graduate or Higher	16.6	1.4	20.2
Employment Status			
Total	100	100	100
Employed	56.9	64.7	55.0
Unemployed	43.1	35.3	45.0

Source: National Statistics Office, 2008 Annual Poverty Indicators Survey

Table 2. Families with Electricity in House/Building they Reside in, by Region and Income Stratum: 2008

Region	Families with Electricity in House/Building they Reside in					
	Total		Lowest 30%		Highest 70%	
	Number ('000)	Percent	Number ('000)	Percent	Number ('000)	Percent
Philippines	15,154	83.9	3,458	63.8	11,696	92.5
National Capital Region	2,403	98.9	110	92.0	2,293	99.3
Cordillera Administrative Region	261	82.6	59	60.5	202	92.5
I - Ilocos	923	93.7	251	87.8	672	96.1
II - Cagayan Valley	534	83.2	135	67.7	399	90.2
III - Central Luzon	1,877	94.4	251	81.0	1,626	96.9
IVA - CALABARZON	2,166	92.1	288	74.4	1,878	95.5
IVB - MIMAROPA	383	66.6	136	48.3	246	84.1
V - Bicol	780	74.3	287	60.9	494	85.3
VI - Western Visayas	1,135	79.7	360	65.5	775	88.7
VII - Central Visayas	1,058	78.6	270	57.8	787	89.6
VIII - Eastern Visayas	664	78.3	266	67.1	398	88.1
IX - Zamboanga Peninsula	433	66.9	154	48.1	278	85.4
X - Northern Mindanao	644	78.1	219	62.1	425	90.1
XI - Davao	652	75.0	176	54.7	476	87.0
XII - SOCCSKSARGEN	557	73.7	196	58.4	361	85.9
XIII - Caraga	371	80.4	158	68.9	213	91.6
Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao	314	56.7	142	48.2	172	66.4

Source: National Statistics Office, 2008 Annual Poverty Indicators Survey

Table 3. Families by Main Source of Water Supply, by Region and Income Stratum, Philippines 2008

Region and Income Stratum	Number of Families ('000)	Main Source of Water Supply (Percent Distribution)										
		Community Water System			Protected Well	Unprotected Well	Developed Spring	Undeveloped Spring	Rivers/Stream/Pond/Lake/Dam	Rain Water	Tanker Truck/Peddler	Other Sources
		Dwelling	Yard/Plot	Public Tap								
Philippines	18,067	40.8	6.0	8.5	28.8	5.1	3.9	2.1	1.1	0.4	3.3	-
Lowest 30%	5,420	14.6	7.3	13.3	36.1	10.1	7.5	4.9	2.5	0.6	3.1	-
Highest 70%	12,647	52.0	5.5	6.4	25.7	3.0	2.3	0.9	0.5	0.3	3.5	-
National Capital Region	2,429	74.6	7.2	6.3	3.5	0.1	-	-	-	-	8.2	-
Lowest 30%	119	40.8	14.5	19.0	8.8	-	-	-	-	-	16.4	0.5
Highest 70%	2,310	76.3	6.9	5.7	3.3	0.1	-	-	-	-	7.8	-
Cordillera Administrative Region	315	45.0	14.5	8.1	16.0	0.8	6.7	3.2	0.4	0.5	4.9	-
Lowest 30%	97	17.5	24.0	17.4	19.4	1.9	10.5	7.0	1.0	0.8	0.6	-
Highest 70%	218	57.2	10.3	4.0	14.4	0.3	5.0	1.5	0.1	0.3	6.8	-
I - Ilocos	986	21.9	6.7	4.2	60.1	3.7	1.4	0.4	0.1	-	1.5	0.1
Lowest 30%	286	10.1	7.3	2.3	68.0	7.5	1.9	1.0	-	-	1.9	-
Highest 70%	699	26.7	6.5	4.9	56.9	2.1	1.2	0.2	0.2	-	1.3	0.1
II - Cagayan Valley	641	15.5	2.6	2.8	72.3	3.6	1.8	0.5	0.5	-	0.3	-
Lowest 30%	199	5.1	1.6	3.6	82.5	4.2	1.8	0.7	0.5	-	-	-
Highest 70%	443	20.2	3.1	2.4	67.8	3.3	1.8	0.4	0.5	-	0.4	-
III - Central Luzon	1,988	45.9	4.7	2.6	42.4	1.2	1.2	0.2	-	-	1.8	-
Lowest 30%	310	16.5	6.2	5.2	62.0	2.5	3.5	1.0	-	-	3.1	-
Highest 70%	1,678	51.3	4.4	2.2	38.8	1.0	0.8	-	-	-	1.5	-
IVA - CALABARZON	2,352	57.1	4.4	5.9	22.8	2.3	2.3	0.6	0.7	0.1	3.7	0.1
Lowest 30%	387	28.3	9.2	9.1	31.7	7.8	4.4	1.5	3.4	0.5	4.1	-
Highest 70%	1,966	62.8	3.5	5.3	21.0	1.3	1.8	0.5	0.1	-	3.6	0.1
IVB - MIMAROPA	575	24.7	7.2	4.8	39.2	11.4	6.2	2.2	2.5	0.2	1.6	0.1
Lowest 30%	282	11.0	8.5	6.2	42.1	15.9	7.7	2.9	4.3	-	1.2	0.1
Highest 70%	293	37.8	6.0	3.5	36.4	7.0	4.8	1.4	0.8	0.3	1.9	-
V - Bicol	1,050	24.9	5.0	10.3	34.7	13.3	4.2	3.3	1.5	0.3	2.5	-
Lowest 30%	471	9.1	4.4	13.2	36.5	19.8	5.6	5.3	2.6	0.5	3.0	-
Highest 70%	578	37.8	5.4	8.0	33.2	8.0	3.0	1.7	0.6	0.2	2.1	-
VI - Western Visayas	1,424	20.5	2.7	5.8	50.9	9.7	4.3	3.4	0.5	0.4	1.6	0.1
Lowest 30%	550	5.8	3.4	8.3	52.0	14.0	7.7	6.0	0.9	0.3	1.7	-
Highest 70%	874	29.7	2.3	4.3	50.2	6.9	2.3	1.8	0.3	0.5	1.6	0.1
VII - Central Visayas	1,346	43.2	9.1	12.0	16.5	5.1	6.1	2.4	1.0	1.9	2.8	-
Lowest 30%	468	19.2	12.1	16.9	19.5	9.9	9.0	5.6	2.0	2.9	2.7	-
Highest 70%	878	56.0	7.5	9.3	14.9	2.5	4.5	0.7	0.4	1.3	2.8	-
VIII - Eastern Visayas	848	32.7	7.5	21.1	22.5	6.1	3.1	0.9	1.0	0.3	4.7	-
Lowest 30%	396	17.1	7.9	26.1	25.7	8.9	5.5	1.6	1.5	0.2	5.5	-
Highest 70%	452	46.4	7.2	16.7	19.6	3.6	1.1	0.2	0.6	0.4	4.1	-
IX - Zamboanga Peninsula	647	27.6	6.5	19.7	16.9	7.1	6.8	7.0	3.2	-	5.2	0.1
Lowest 30%	321	10.3	6.5	23.6	19.0	11.5	9.4	11.8	3.5	-	4.4	-
Highest 70%	326	44.6	6.4	15.9	14.8	2.8	4.2	2.2	2.9	-	6.0	0.1
X - Northern Mindanao	825	39.0	11.1	16.4	14.1	3.8	6.2	5.7	0.9	0.2	2.4	0.1
Lowest 30%	352	18.5	14.2	22.0	17.5	5.0	9.8	9.5	1.0	-	2.4	-
Highest 70%	472	54.2	8.8	12.3	11.6	2.9	3.6	2.9	0.9	0.3	2.4	0.2
XI - Davao	869	39.2	5.6	9.1	18.9	6.2	11.6	5.3	2.0	0.8	1.3	-
Lowest 30%	323	16.7	5.9	14.1	22.6	9.2	17.6	8.7	3.4	1.4	0.5	0.1
Highest 70%	546	52.4	5.4	6.1	16.7	4.5	8.1	3.4	1.2	0.5	1.7	-
XII - SOCCSKSARGEN	756	31.2	5.2	7.8	35.2	7.2	7.3	3.2	0.9	0.1	1.7	0.1
Lowest 30%	336	15.4	4.8	9.7	41.6	9.1	9.7	5.2	1.7	0.1	2.8	-
Highest 70%	420	43.8	5.6	6.3	30.2	5.7	5.4	1.6	0.3	0.1	0.9	0.1
XIII - Caraga	462	37.7	3.1	14.8	25.2	4.9	6.5	1.9	2.3	0.9	2.7	0.1
Lowest 30%	229	22.1	3.8	19.0	29.5	6.9	8.8	2.7	3.1	0.8	3.1	0.1
Highest 70%	233	52.9	2.5	10.7	21.0	3.0	4.3	1.2	1.4	0.9	2.2	-
Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao	554	6.3	4.9	13.6	23.8	20.8	8.0	6.9	9.5	1.8	4.4	-
Lowest 30%	295	3.4	2.8	12.3	27.4	17.6	11.2	7.4	11.7	1.4	4.7	-
Highest 70%	259	9.5	7.4	15.1	19.6	24.5	4.4	6.3	6.9	2.3	4.0	-

Note: Considered as safe sources of water supply are community water system and protected well.

"-" denotes zero count or less than 0.05 percent

Source: National Statistics Office, 2008 Annual Poverty Indicators Survey

Table 4. Families by Type of Toilet Facility they Use, by Region and Income Stratum: 2008

Region and Income Stratum	Number of Families ('000)	Type of Toilet Facility (Percent Distribution)							
		Own Toilet	Shared Toilet	Closed Pit	Open Pit	Drop/Overhang	Pail System	No Toilet/Field/Bush	Other
Philippines	18,067	74.1	9.3	5.6	3.1	1.2	0.7	5.9	-
Lowest 30%	5,420	53.3	11.3	11.5	6.7	1.9	1.3	14.0	0.1
Highest 70%	12,647	83.1	8.5	3.1	1.6	0.9	0.4	2.4	-
National Capital Region	2,429	84.7	13.9	0.1	0.3	0.6	0.1	0.2	-
Lowest 30%	119	62.3	30.5	0.9	0.9	2.9	0.9	1.6	-
Highest 70%	2,310	85.9	13.1	0.1	0.3	0.4	0.1	0.1	-
Cordillera Administrative Region	315	69.9	9.7	9.6	6.6	1.0	-	3.0	-
Lowest 30%	97	47.6	9.1	20.6	12.2	2.4	-	7.9	-
Highest 70%	218	79.9	10.0	4.7	4.1	0.4	-	0.9	-
I - Ilocos	986	81.4	12.3	4.8	1.0	0.1	-	0.5	-
Lowest 30%	286	71.5	15.6	9.2	2.5	0.1	0.1	0.9	-
Highest 70%	699	85.4	11.0	2.9	0.3	0.1	-	0.3	-
II - Cagayan Valley	641	77.2	9.3	9.2	2.7	-	-	1.6	-
Lowest 30%	199	62.7	14.2	13.5	5.7	-	-	4.0	-
Highest 70%	443	83.8	7.1	7.2	1.3	-	-	0.6	-
III - Central Luzon	1,988	87.1	9.2	1.9	0.4	0.3	0.1	1.0	-
Lowest 30%	310	68.5	19.1	5.8	1.9	1.4	0.4	2.9	-
Highest 70%	1,678	90.5	7.4	1.2	0.1	0.1	-	0.7	-
IVA - CALABARZON	2,352	85.0	6.5	3.9	1.1	0.6	0.2	2.6	0.1
Lowest 30%	387	60.4	13.5	11.0	3.9	1.3	0.8	8.6	0.5
Highest 70%	1,966	89.8	5.1	2.5	0.5	0.5	0.1	1.4	0.1
IVB - MIMAROPA	575	62.7	8.5	12.0	3.2	2.0	0.3	11.3	-
Lowest 30%	282	46.0	10.3	15.9	4.9	2.9	0.3	19.7	-
Highest 70%	293	78.8	6.8	8.3	1.6	1.1	0.3	3.2	-
V - Bicol	1,050	67.7	9.6	5.9	2.4	0.8	1.0	12.7	-
Lowest 30%	471	52.0	11.6	9.4	3.5	0.7	1.6	21.2	-
Highest 70%	578	80.5	7.9	3.1	1.4	0.8	0.5	5.7	-
VI - Western Visayas	1,424	67.7	5.4	8.4	6.5	0.6	1.4	10.1	-
Lowest 30%	550	49.5	8.0	11.4	10.1	0.6	2.4	18.0	0.1
Highest 70%	874	79.1	3.7	6.5	4.2	0.6	0.8	5.1	-
VII - Central Visayas	1,346	66.2	9.5	3.2	1.6	0.4	3.9	15.1	-
Lowest 30%	468	45.2	8.2	6.7	3.5	1.1	4.8	30.6	-
Highest 70%	878	77.4	10.2	1.3	0.6	0.1	3.5	6.8	-
VIII - Eastern Visayas	848	69.1	8.3	3.3	0.8	1.4	0.7	16.4	-
Lowest 30%	396	55.6	10.4	5.0	1.0	1.5	1.2	25.4	-
Highest 70%	452	81.0	6.4	1.8	0.6	1.4	0.3	8.4	-
IX - Zamboanga Peninsula	647	59.6	8.5	12.6	3.2	3.5	0.8	11.7	0.1
Lowest 30%	321	46.3	7.7	16.8	4.7	4.4	0.8	19.3	-
Highest 70%	326	72.7	9.2	8.6	1.7	2.6	0.8	4.2	0.1
X - Northern Mindanao	825	72.8	8.7	8.8	4.4	0.2	0.7	4.4	-
Lowest 30%	352	57.9	10.5	15.1	6.4	0.4	1.1	8.6	-
Highest 70%	472	83.9	7.4	4.1	3.0	-	0.4	1.2	-
XI - Davao	869	72.4	9.7	6.3	6.8	0.5	0.1	4.2	-
Lowest 30%	323	59.0	9.8	9.8	12.7	0.5	0.2	8.0	-
Highest 70%	546	80.2	9.6	4.3	3.4	0.6	0.1	1.9	-
XII - SOCCSKSARGEN	756	64.1	12.5	10.6	6.1	0.3	0.5	5.9	-
Lowest 30%	336	49.5	14.8	14.6	9.5	0.5	0.9	10.2	-
Highest 70%	420	75.7	10.7	7.4	3.4	0.1	0.2	2.5	-
XIII - Caraga	462	82.3	5.2	2.8	1.4	1.3	0.6	6.4	0.1
Lowest 30%	229	76.3	5.8	3.8	1.8	1.3	0.9	9.9	0.1
Highest 70%	233	88.2	4.6	1.7	0.9	1.2	0.3	3.0	-
Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao	554	16.7	9.0	22.8	24.3	18.8	0.5	7.8	0.1
Lowest 30%	295	10.1	7.1	29.6	29.4	14.8	0.3	8.6	0.1
Highest 70%	259	24.2	11.1	15.0	18.6	23.5	0.6	6.9	-

Note: "-" denotes zero count or less than 0.05 percent

Source: National Statistics Office, 2008 Annual Poverty Indicators Survey

Table 5. Families by Tenure Status of the Housing Unit and Lot they Occupy, by Region and Income Stratum: 2008

Region and Income Stratum	Number of Families ('000)	Tenure Status of the Housing Unit and Lot (Percent Distribution)						
		Own house and lot and owner-like possession of house and lot	Rent house/room including lot	Own house, rent lot	Own house, rent-free lot with consent of owner	Own house, rent-free lot without consent of owner	Rent-free house and lot with consent of owner	Rent-free house and lot without consent of owner
Philippines	18,067	68.6	7.5	2.4	12.3	3.5	5.4	0.2
Lowest 30%	5,420	64.7	2.4	2.9	21.2	3.5	4.9	0.3
Highest 70%	12,647	70.3	9.6	2.2	8.5	3.5	5.7	0.2
National Capital Region	2,429	48.8	26.5	1.7	2.4	10.4	9.8	0.4
Lowest 30%	119	31.0	27.9	1.3	4.8	20.7	13.4	0.9
Highest 70%	2,310	49.7	26.4	1.7	2.3	9.8	9.6	0.4
Cordillera Administrative Region	315	84.7	7.3	0.4	1.7	0.1	5.8	0.1
Lowest 30%	97	91.1	2.6	0.4	2.5	-	3.5	-
Highest 70%	218	81.9	9.4	0.4	1.4	0.1	6.8	0.1
I - Ilocos	986	89.2	1.1	0.7	4.4	1.4	3.2	-
Lowest 30%	286	86.6	0.7	0.4	6.8	2.1	3.4	-
Highest 70%	699	90.3	1.2	0.8	3.5	1.1	3.1	-
II - Cagayan Valley	641	89.2	1.0	0.5	5.0	0.4	3.6	0.2
Lowest 30%	199	87.0	0.7	1.0	6.9	0.6	3.6	0.2
Highest 70%	443	90.2	1.2	0.3	4.2	0.3	3.7	0.1
III - Central Luzon	1,988	80.7	6.1	1.1	5.7	1.8	4.7	-
Lowest 30%	310	76.1	3.0	1.7	9.5	3.6	6.1	-
Highest 70%	1,678	81.5	6.6	1.0	5.0	1.4	4.4	-
IVA - CALABARZON	2,352	71.2	10.6	1.5	9.1	2.2	5.3	0.1
Lowest 30%	387	60.8	4.2	2.7	21.2	4.2	6.9	-
Highest 70%	1,966	73.2	11.9	1.3	6.7	1.8	5.0	0.1
IVB - MIMAROPA	575	74.6	2.4	1.1	14.2	2.8	4.6	0.3
Lowest 30%	282	70.2	1.5	1.4	17.6	3.7	5.5	0.2
Highest 70%	293	78.7	3.3	0.9	11.0	2.0	3.8	0.3
V - Bicol	1,050	70.7	2.0	2.2	16.6	3.5	4.5	0.6
Lowest 30%	471	64.3	1.5	2.5	23.5	3.4	4.2	0.6
Highest 70%	578	75.9	2.4	2.0	10.9	3.5	4.8	0.5
VI - Western Visayas	1,424	53.6	1.1	3.2	33.5	5.0	3.6	-
Lowest 30%	550	48.4	0.5	2.6	41.3	3.9	3.3	0.1
Highest 70%	874	56.9	1.5	3.6	28.6	5.7	3.8	-
VII - Central Visayas	1,346	67.5	5.4	5.2	15.7	2.4	3.5	0.3
Lowest 30%	468	63.4	1.8	3.9	24.2	3.1	2.9	0.7
Highest 70%	878	69.6	7.2	5.9	11.2	2.1	3.8	0.1
VIII - Eastern Visayas	848	65.6	1.7	4.4	19.6	2.1	5.7	0.9
Lowest 30%	396	56.0	1.0	5.9	26.9	2.4	6.3	1.4
Highest 70%	452	73.9	2.3	3.1	13.3	1.8	5.2	0.5
IX - Zamboanga Peninsula	647	61.5	2.7	3.5	24.7	3.3	4.0	0.3
Lowest 30%	321	57.2	1.6	2.5	31.5	3.3	3.5	0.3
Highest 70%	326	65.7	3.7	4.4	18.0	3.4	4.5	0.2
X - Northern Mindanao	825	65.7	4.5	3.3	15.3	3.2	7.8	-
Lowest 30%	352	62.7	2.1	3.4	20.5	4.6	6.6	-
Highest 70%	472	68.0	6.3	3.3	11.5	2.2	8.7	-
XI - Davao	869	69.3	6.9	3.2	12.0	1.6	6.8	0.3
Lowest 30%	323	64.8	4.6	3.7	17.6	1.8	7.2	0.4
Highest 70%	546	72.0	8.2	2.9	8.7	1.5	6.5	0.2
XII - SOCCSKSARGEN	756	70.2	3.9	3.0	12.2	4.3	6.0	0.4
Lowest 30%	336	66.9	2.7	3.3	15.9	5.1	5.8	0.4
Highest 70%	420	72.8	4.9	2.9	9.3	3.7	6.1	0.4
XIII - Caraga	462	60.4	2.4	8.1	20.7	2.9	5.1	0.4
Lowest 30%	229	56.0	1.4	7.7	26.0	3.7	4.7	0.4
Highest 70%	233	64.8	3.3	8.4	15.4	2.2	5.6	0.4
Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao	554	83.6	0.6	0.7	11.8	0.6	2.7	-
Lowest 30%	295	80.3	0.7	0.8	15.3	1.0	1.9	-
Highest 70%	259	87.4	0.6	0.5	7.8	0.1	3.5	-

Note: "-" denotes zero count or less than 0.05 percent

Source: National Statistics Office, 2008 Annual Poverty Indicators Survey

Table 6. Families by Type of Building/House they Reside in, by Region and Income Stratum, Philippines 2008

Region and Income Stratum	Number of Families ('000)	Type of Building (Percent Distribution)					
		Total	Single house	Duplex	Apartment/ accessory/ condominium/ townhouse	Commercial/ industrial/ agricultural building/house	Other housing unit
Philippines	18,067	100	93.3	2.7	3.7	0.3	-
Lowest 30%	5,420	100	97.8	1.4	0.7	0.1	-
Highest 70%	12,647	100	91.3	3.3	4.9	0.4	-
National Capital Region	2,429	100	77.8	5.1	16.2	0.9	-
Lowest 30%	119	100	76.7	5.0	18.4	-	-
Highest 70%	2,310	100	77.9	5.1	16.1	1.0	-
Cordillera Administrative Region	315	100	89.2	3.7	7.0	0.1	-
Lowest 30%	97	100	95.8	3.8	0.4	-	-
Highest 70%	218	100	86.3	3.7	9.9	0.2	-
I - Ilocos	986	100	97.1	2.7	0.2	-	-
Lowest 30%	286	100	99.4	0.6	-	-	-
Highest 70%	699	100	96.1	3.6	0.2	0.1	-
II - Cagayan Valley	641	100	98.1	1.4	0.1	0.4	-
Lowest 30%	199	100	99.1	0.7	-	0.2	-
Highest 70%	443	100	97.7	1.7	0.1	0.5	-
III - Central Luzon	1,988	100	92.6	4.1	3.2	0.2	-
Lowest 30%	310	100	95.3	3.7	1.0	-	-
Highest 70%	1,678	100	92.1	4.1	3.6	0.2	-
IVA - CALABARZON	2,352	100	90.4	4.4	5.0	0.2	-
Lowest 30%	387	100	95.1	3.4	1.5	-	-
Highest 70%	1,966	100	89.5	4.6	5.7	0.3	-
IVB - MIMAROPA	575	100	99.1	0.7	0.3	-	-
Lowest 30%	282	100	99.6	0.4	-	-	-
Highest 70%	293	100	98.6	0.9	0.5	-	-
V - Bicol	1,050	100	98.3	1.2	0.5	-	-
Lowest 30%	471	100	99.0	0.9	0.1	-	-
Highest 70%	578	100	97.6	1.4	0.9	0.1	-
VI - Western Visayas	1,424	100	98.9	0.8	0.1	0.2	-
Lowest 30%	550	100	99.2	0.7	-	0.1	-
Highest 70%	874	100	98.7	0.8	0.2	0.3	-
VII - Central Visayas	1,346	100	95.7	1.8	2.3	0.2	-
Lowest 30%	468	100	99.2	0.4	0.2	0.1	-
Highest 70%	878	100	93.9	2.5	3.4	0.3	-
VIII - Eastern Visayas	848	100	97.0	1.3	0.1	1.6	-
Lowest 30%	396	100	97.8	0.7	-	1.4	0.1
Highest 70%	452	100	96.3	1.8	0.2	1.7	-
IX - Zamboanga Peninsula	647	100	98.9	0.8	0.2	0.2	-
Lowest 30%	321	100	99.9	0.1	-	-	-
Highest 70%	326	100	97.8	1.4	0.4	0.4	-
X - Northern Mindanao	825	100	96.4	2.1	1.3	0.2	-
Lowest 30%	352	100	98.5	1.0	0.5	-	-
Highest 70%	472	100	94.8	2.9	2.0	0.3	-
XI - Davao	869	100	95.9	3.1	0.8	0.2	-
Lowest 30%	323	100	97.5	1.8	0.5	0.2	-
Highest 70%	546	100	95.0	3.8	1.0	0.2	-
XII - SOCCSKSARGEN	756	100	98.0	1.3	0.5	0.2	-
Lowest 30%	336	100	98.9	0.6	0.5	-	-
Highest 70%	420	100	97.3	1.8	0.5	0.3	0.1
XIII - Caraga	462	100	97.8	1.6	0.3	0.3	-
Lowest 30%	229	100	98.3	1.6	0.1	-	-
Highest 70%	233	100	97.3	1.6	0.5	0.6	-
Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao	554	100	98.1	1.8	0.1	0.1	-
Lowest 30%	295	100	97.4	2.6	-	-	-
Highest 70%	259	100	98.9	0.9	0.1	0.1	-

Note: "-" denotes zero count or less than 0.05 percent

Source: National Statistics Office, 2008 Annual Poverty Indicators Survey

Table 7. Families by Floor Area of Housing Unit they Occupy, by Region and Income Stratum, Philippines 2008

Region and Floor Area (in sq. m.)	Income Stratum (Percent Distribution)		
	Both Income Strata	Lowest 30%	Highest 70%
Philippines ('000)	18,067	5,420	12,647
Total	100	100	100
Less than 10	2.3	4.5	1.3
10 - 29	32.4	48.0	25.7
30 - 49	32.5	32.2	32.7
50 - 79	17.5	9.9	20.8
80 - 119	9.2	3.9	11.5
120 - 149	2.6	0.7	3.4
150 - 199	1.6	0.3	2.1
200 and above	1.9	0.5	2.5
National Capital Region ('000)	2,429	119	2,310
Total	100	100	100
Less than 10	1.1	2.7	1.0
10 - 29	34.3	58.9	33.0
30 - 49	31.8	30.1	31.9
50 - 79	15.2	6.7	15.7
80 - 119	7.7	1.3	8.0
120 - 149	2.8	-	2.9
150 - 199	2.7	0.3	2.8
200 and above	4.3	-	4.6
Cordillera Administrative Region ('000)	315	97	218
Total	100	100	100
Less than 10	2.4	3.8	1.7
10 - 29	33.8	48.9	27.1
30 - 49	28.3	29.3	27.9
50 - 79	19.0	12.4	22.0
80 - 119	9.6	3.7	12.2
120 - 149	2.2	1.4	2.6
150 - 199	2.2	0.2	3.1
200 and above	2.6	0.4	3.5
I - Ilocos ('000)	986	286	699
Total	100	100	100
Less than 10	0.4	0.3	0.4
10 - 29	20.2	35.5	14.0
30 - 49	33.4	38.9	31.2
50 - 79	21.6	15.2	24.2
80 - 119	15.3	8.1	18.3
120 - 149	4.5	1.3	5.9
150 - 199	2.6	0.4	3.5
200 and above	1.9	0.3	2.6
II - Cagayan Valley ('000)	641	199	443
Total	100	100	100
Less than 10	1.4	2.9	0.7
10 - 29	31.4	49.7	23.3
30 - 49	37.8	36.3	38.4
50 - 79	16.9	7.9	21.0
80 - 119	8.7	2.1	11.7
120 - 149	2.2	0.5	2.9
150 - 199	0.8	0.2	1.1
200 and above	0.8	0.5	0.9
III - Central Luzon ('000)	1,988	310	1,678
Total	100	100	100
Less than 10	0.5	1.7	0.3
10 - 29	17.4	29.9	15.0
30 - 49	33.4	38.8	32.4
50 - 79	26.5	21.4	27.5
80 - 119	14.8	6.5	16.4
120 - 149	3.8	0.8	4.4
150 - 199	1.8	0.4	2.1
200 and above	1.7	0.4	1.9

Table 7 - Continued

Region and Floor Area (in sq. m.)	Income Stratum (Percent Distribution)		
	Both Income Strata	Lowest 30%	Highest 70%
IVA - CALABARZON ('000)	2,352	387	1,966
Total	100	100	100
Less than 10	0.1	0.1	0.1
10 - 29	17.0	27.5	15.0
30 - 49	37.9	49.1	35.7
50 - 79	27.5	18.7	29.2
80 - 119	11.9	4.3	13.5
120 - 149	3.0	0.3	3.5
150 - 199	1.3	-	1.6
200 and above	1.2	-	1.4
IVB - MIMAROPA ('000)	575	282	293
Total	100	100	100
Less than 10	2.5	4.5	0.6
10 - 29	40.1	53.5	27.3
30 - 49	36.3	33.3	39.2
50 - 79	13.3	6.3	20.0
80 - 119	5.5	1.9	9.0
120 - 149	1.0	0.5	1.5
150 - 199	1.0	-	1.9
200 and above	0.2	-	0.4
V - Bicol ('000)	1,050	471	578
Total	100	100	100
Less than 10	1.1	1.5	0.8
10 - 29	40.8	52.0	31.7
30 - 49	34.4	34.4	34.4
50 - 79	11.4	6.3	15.6
80 - 119	6.8	4.1	9.0
120 - 149	2.2	0.6	3.6
150 - 199	1.4	0.3	2.3
200 and above	1.8	0.8	2.6
VI - Western Visayas ('000)	1,424	550	874
Total	100	100	100
Less than 10	3.5	5.9	2.0
10 - 29	36.4	52.6	26.2
30 - 49	31.1	29.0	32.5
50 - 79	16.6	9.3	21.2
80 - 119	7.8	2.9	11.0
120 - 149	2.0	0.1	3.1
150 - 199	1.1	0.1	1.7
200 and above	1.5	0.1	2.3
VII - Central Visayas ('000)	1,346	468	878
Total	100	100	100
Less than 10	2.9	6.1	1.2
10 - 29	37.7	46.8	32.8
30 - 49	31.3	32.0	30.9
50 - 79	15.0	9.7	17.8
80 - 119	8.4	3.9	10.8
120 - 149	2.0	0.8	2.6
150 - 199	1.3	0.4	1.7
200 and above	1.5	0.3	2.1
VIII - Eastern Visayas ('000)	848	396	452
Total	100	100	100
Less than 10	4.0	5.4	2.8
10 - 29	33.7	44.2	24.6
30 - 49	28.2	29.7	26.8
50 - 79	16.2	12.2	19.7
80 - 119	9.9	5.4	13.9
120 - 149	3.0	1.2	4.6
150 - 199	2.3	1.0	3.4
200 and above	2.7	1.0	4.1

Table 7 - Concluded

Region and Floor Area (in sq. m.)	Income Stratum (Percent Distribution)		
	Both Income Strata	Lowest 30%	Highest 70%
IX - Zamboanga Peninsula ('000)	647	321	326
Total	100	100	100
Less than 10	6.3	9.6	3.2
10 - 29	50.5	59.5	41.7
30 - 49	25.9	24.5	27.1
50 - 79	10.6	4.5	16.7
80 - 119	4.8	1.6	7.9
120 - 149	0.7	0.2	1.1
150 - 199	0.6	-	1.2
200 and above	0.6	0.1	1.1
X - Northern Mindanao ('000)	825	352	472
Total	100	100	100
Less than 10	3.4	4.9	2.3
10 - 29	38.0	49.9	29.1
30 - 49	30.7	29.9	31.3
50 - 79	15.7	9.7	20.2
80 - 119	7.7	4.0	10.5
120 - 149	2.3	0.6	3.6
150 - 199	0.8	0.5	1.0
200 and above	1.4	0.5	2.0
XI - Davao ('000)	869	323	546
Total	100	100	100
Less than 10	4.2	6.0	3.0
10 - 29	50.6	69.5	39.4
30 - 49	28.9	20.3	34.0
50 - 79	10.6	3.5	14.8
80 - 119	3.4	0.5	5.2
120 - 149	1.4	-	2.2
150 - 199	0.6	0.1	0.8
200 and above	0.4	-	0.6
XII - SOCCSKSARGEN ('000)	756	336	420
Total	100	100	100
Less than 10	11.7	16.0	8.3
10 - 29	49.2	58.7	41.6
30 - 49	24.1	19.7	27.7
50 - 79	8.6	3.9	12.3
80 - 119	3.6	1.4	5.3
120 - 149	1.5	0.2	2.6
150 - 199	0.7	-	1.2
200 and above	0.6	0.1	1.1
XIII - Caraga ('000)	462	229	233
Total	100	100	100
Less than 10	0.2	0.1	0.2
10 - 29	30.5	38.6	22.5
30 - 49	33.2	35.9	30.5
50 - 79	14.9	10.8	18.9
80 - 119	10.8	7.6	14.0
120 - 149	2.6	1.9	3.3
150 - 199	3.0	1.7	4.3
200 and above	4.8	3.5	6.2
Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao ('000)	554	295	259
Total	100	100	100
Less than 10	0.8	1.0	0.6
10 - 29	36.5	43.6	28.5
30 - 49	37.5	36.3	38.9
50 - 79	8.8	9.2	8.4
80 - 119	8.7	6.1	11.6
120 - 149	3.5	2.6	4.4
150 - 199	1.8	0.6	3.1
200 and above	2.4	0.6	4.6

Note: "-" denotes zero count or less than 0.05 percent
Source: National Statistics Office, 2008 Annual Poverty Indicators Survey

Table 8. Families by Type of Construction Materials of the Roof of Building they Occupy, by Region and Income Stratum: 2008

Region and Income Stratum	Number of Families ('000)	Construction Materials of the Roof (Percent Distribution)						
		Strong materials	Light materials	Salvaged/makeshift materials	Mixed but predominantly strong materials	Mixed but predominantly light materials	Mixed but predominantly salvaged materials	Not applicable
Philippines	18,067	77.2	13.9	0.5	5.8	2.4	0.2	-
Lowest 30%	5,420	58.2	29.1	0.8	7.5	4.1	0.4	-
Highest 70%	12,647	85.3	7.4	0.3	5.1	1.7	0.1	-
National Capital Region	2,429	88.4	0.5	0.6	7.6	2.5	0.4	-
Lowest 30%	119	71.9	1.6	4.8	12.5	7.5	1.6	-
Highest 70%	2,310	89.2	0.5	0.4	7.3	2.3	0.3	-
Cordillera Administrative Region	315	93.5	4.6	-	1.1	0.7	0.1	-
Lowest 30%	97	85.7	10.2	-	2.1	1.7	0.2	-
Highest 70%	218	97.0	2.0	-	0.7	0.3	-	-
I - Ilocos	986	87.7	6.0	0.4	5.0	1.0	-	-
Lowest 30%	286	76.1	12.1	0.7	9.3	1.8	-	-
Highest 70%	699	92.4	3.5	0.2	3.3	0.7	-	-
II - Cagayan Valley	641	85.2	9.1	0.1	3.8	1.8	-	-
Lowest 30%	199	73.6	18.1	0.3	5.4	2.5	-	-
Highest 70%	443	90.4	5.0	-	3.1	1.5	-	-
III - Central Luzon	1,988	86.9	5.3	0.6	5.2	1.9	0.2	-
Lowest 30%	310	68.9	14.9	2.0	8.4	5.2	0.8	-
Highest 70%	1,678	90.2	3.5	0.3	4.6	1.3	0.1	-
IVA - CALABARZON	2,352	88.5	5.0	0.5	4.6	1.3	0.3	-
Lowest 30%	387	72.0	13.3	1.4	9.9	2.5	0.9	-
Highest 70%	1,966	91.7	3.4	0.3	3.5	1.0	0.1	-
IVB - MIMAROPA	575	54.2	31.3	0.2	10.0	4.1	0.3	-
Lowest 30%	282	35.9	47.2	0.3	10.2	6.0	0.3	-
Highest 70%	293	71.8	16.0	-	9.8	2.2	0.2	-
V - Bicol	1,050	58.7	29.7	0.6	7.3	3.3	0.3	-
Lowest 30%	471	42.3	42.2	0.7	8.6	5.4	0.8	-
Highest 70%	578	72.0	19.5	0.6	6.3	1.6	-	-
VI - Western Visayas	1,424	64.1	18.2	0.6	12.0	5.0	0.1	-
Lowest 30%	550	48.7	28.9	1.0	13.3	7.9	0.2	-
Highest 70%	874	73.8	11.4	0.4	11.2	3.1	0.1	-
VII - Central Visayas	1,346	79.3	14.0	0.6	3.7	2.0	0.4	-
Lowest 30%	468	65.5	25.8	0.8	4.7	2.6	0.7	-
Highest 70%	878	86.7	7.7	0.5	3.2	1.7	0.2	-
VIII - Eastern Visayas	848	64.8	27.5	0.4	5.3	2.0	0.1	-
Lowest 30%	396	52.9	37.8	0.6	6.2	2.5	-	0.1
Highest 70%	452	75.2	18.5	0.2	4.5	1.5	0.1	-
IX - Zamboanga Peninsula	647	56.2	31.7	0.8	4.1	6.6	0.5	-
Lowest 30%	321	41.1	47.9	0.1	4.3	6.0	0.7	-
Highest 70%	326	71.1	15.9	1.4	4.0	7.2	0.3	-
X - Northern Mindanao	825	82.5	9.8	0.1	6.3	1.2	0.1	-
Lowest 30%	352	73.2	15.6	0.2	9.2	1.6	0.1	-
Highest 70%	472	89.4	5.5	-	4.2	0.9	-	-
XI - Davao	869	76.7	17.0	0.1	3.7	2.4	0.1	-
Lowest 30%	323	60.1	30.6	0.1	4.4	4.6	0.1	-
Highest 70%	546	86.5	8.9	0.1	3.4	1.0	0.1	-
XII - SOCCSKSARGEN	756	74.1	18.4	0.1	4.4	2.9	-	-
Lowest 30%	336	62.4	28.4	0.2	4.8	4.1	-	-
Highest 70%	420	83.4	10.4	0.1	4.1	1.8	-	0.1
XIII - Caraga	462	58.5	35.9	0.2	3.7	1.7	0.1	-
Lowest 30%	229	47.6	46.0	0.3	3.8	2.1	0.1	-
Highest 70%	233	69.2	25.9	-	3.6	1.3	-	-
Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao	554	50.9	42.5	0.8	3.5	2.3	-	-
Lowest 30%	295	48.1	44.5	1.1	4.1	2.3	-	-
Highest 70%	259	54.2	40.3	0.4	2.8	2.3	-	-

Note: "-" denotes zero count or less than 0.05 percent

Source: National Statistics Office, 2008 Annual Poverty Indicators Survey

Table 9. Families by Type of Construction Materials of the Outer Walls of Building they Occupy, by Region and Income Stratum: 2008

Region and Income Stratum	Number of Families ('000)	Construction Materials of the Outer Walls (Percent Distribution)						
		Strong materials	Light materials	Salvaged/makeshift materials	Mixed but predominantly strong materials	Mixed but predominantly light materials	Mixed but predominantly salvaged materials	Not applicable
Philippines	18,067	66.3	15.9	1.1	10.9	5.4	0.3	-
Lowest 30%	5,420	43.0	32.0	2.1	13.1	9.2	0.7	-
Highest 70%	12,647	76.2	9.0	0.7	10.0	3.8	0.2	-
National Capital Region	2,429	82.7	0.5	0.9	11.9	3.5	0.4	-
Lowest 30%	119	61.1	2.0	6.6	18.7	10.0	1.6	-
Highest 70%	2,310	83.8	0.4	0.6	11.6	3.2	0.3	-
Cordillera Administrative Region	315	87.5	6.4	0.1	4.2	1.7	0.1	-
Lowest 30%	97	73.8	13.3	0.2	9.0	3.5	0.2	-
Highest 70%	218	93.6	3.3	0.1	2.1	0.9	-	-
I - Ilocos	986	74.5	11.0	0.8	10.9	2.7	0.1	-
Lowest 30%	286	56.5	22.1	1.6	15.7	4.0	0.1	-
Highest 70%	699	81.8	6.5	0.5	8.9	2.1	0.1	-
II - Cagayan Valley	641	68.5	15.3	0.9	11.5	3.7	0.1	-
Lowest 30%	199	47.8	29.5	2.1	15.1	5.2	0.3	-
Highest 70%	443	77.8	9.0	0.3	9.9	3.1	-	-
III - Central Luzon	1,988	80.2	7.4	1.2	8.2	2.6	0.4	-
Lowest 30%	310	55.8	19.0	3.7	13.7	6.7	1.1	-
Highest 70%	1,678	84.7	5.3	0.7	7.2	1.9	0.2	-
IVA - CALABARZON	2,352	77.6	6.6	1.5	10.6	3.3	0.3	-
Lowest 30%	387	49.8	15.8	4.0	21.0	8.1	1.2	-
Highest 70%	1,966	83.1	4.8	1.0	8.6	2.4	0.2	-
IVB - MIMAROPA	575	42.5	36.7	0.5	11.5	8.2	0.5	-
Lowest 30%	282	26.2	51.2	0.8	10.6	10.6	0.6	-
Highest 70%	293	58.3	22.7	0.2	12.4	5.9	0.4	-
V - Bicol	1,050	56.7	22.6	1.6	12.2	6.5	0.5	-
Lowest 30%	471	38.5	33.3	2.4	14.7	10.0	1.0	-
Highest 70%	578	71.5	13.8	0.9	10.1	3.6	0.1	-
VI - Western Visayas	1,424	41.4	29.8	1.1	16.2	11.1	0.4	-
Lowest 30%	550	24.7	46.3	1.7	12.4	14.2	0.7	-
Highest 70%	874	51.8	19.4	0.7	18.6	9.1	0.3	-
VII - Central Visayas	1,346	57.8	21.0	1.4	12.0	7.1	0.8	-
Lowest 30%	468	35.9	36.7	2.5	12.7	10.7	1.6	-
Highest 70%	878	69.5	12.6	0.8	11.6	5.1	0.3	-
VIII - Eastern Visayas	848	62.3	24.8	0.7	8.1	3.9	0.1	-
Lowest 30%	396	47.3	36.5	1.1	10.0	4.9	0.1	0.1
Highest 70%	452	75.5	14.6	0.4	6.4	2.9	0.1	-
IX - Zamboanga Peninsula	647	52.6	23.7	2.2	8.6	12.1	0.8	-
Lowest 30%	321	38.3	36.0	2.2	9.5	13.0	0.9	-
Highest 70%	326	66.6	11.6	2.2	7.8	11.2	0.6	-
X - Northern Mindanao	825	71.1	9.9	0.7	13.4	4.7	0.2	-
Lowest 30%	352	58.5	14.8	1.2	17.1	7.9	0.5	-
Highest 70%	472	80.5	6.3	0.3	10.7	2.2	-	-
XI - Davao	869	57.7	25.9	1.0	8.6	6.4	0.3	-
Lowest 30%	323	37.7	42.7	1.2	8.2	9.8	0.3	-
Highest 70%	546	69.6	16.0	0.9	8.9	4.4	0.2	0.1
XII - SOCCSKSARGEN	756	44.4	29.7	0.6	14.3	10.8	0.1	-
Lowest 30%	336	27.7	40.5	1.3	15.2	15.1	0.1	-
Highest 70%	420	57.8	21.0	-	13.6	7.3	0.2	0.1
XIII - Caraga	462	77.4	10.6	2.0	6.1	3.8	0.1	-
Lowest 30%	229	68.2	15.5	3.4	7.3	5.4	0.1	-
Highest 70%	233	86.5	5.7	0.7	5.0	2.2	-	-
Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao	554	42.4	41.5	1.4	8.1	6.3	-	0.3
Lowest 30%	295	39.5	43.0	1.1	9.3	6.9	-	0.1
Highest 70%	259	45.7	39.8	1.7	6.7	5.5	-	0.5

Note: "-" denotes zero count or less than 0.05 percent

Source: National Statistics Office, 2008 Annual Poverty Indicators Survey

Table 10. Families Owning Household Conveniences, by Region and Income Stratum, Philippines 2008

Region and Income Stratum	Number of Families ('000)	Type of Household Conveniences (Percent to Row Total)													
		Radio/Radio Cassette	Karaoke	CD/VCD/DVD Player	Component	TV	Refrigerator/Freezer	Video Cassette/Recorder	Car, Jeep, Motorcycle, Motorboat	Washing Machine	Gas Range	Landline Telephone	Cellphone	Personal Computer	Aircon.
Philippines	18,067	37.9	14.4	45.9	14.6	70.4	38.9	12.1	22.4	30.3	18.8	9.3	63.7	9.6	7.5
Lowest 30%	5,420	39.5	8.2	20.3	2.3	42.7	9.0	3.3	8.0	5.4	3.0	0.5	35.7	0.3	0.3
Highest 70%	12,647	37.2	17.1	56.9	20.0	82.2	51.6	15.9	28.6	40.9	25.6	13.0	75.7	13.6	10.5
National Capital Region	2,429	31.5	13.5	66.3	25.8	91.9	58.9	17.9	20.5	56.9	37.1	26.7	82.5	21.4	16.9
Lowest 30%	119	30.1	6.4	34.6	3.4	75.9	13.5	4.3	1.3	18.7	9.9	3.8	39.8	0.9	0.8
Highest 70%	2,310	31.6	13.9	68.0	27.0	92.7	61.2	18.6	21.5	58.8	38.5	27.9	84.7	22.4	17.7
Cordillera Administrative Region	315	55.1	5.0	44.8	7.2	61.0	35.7	10.5	15.0	30.3	18.2	5.1	65.3	10.5	0.8
Lowest 30%	97	49.1	1.2	19.7	1.0	29.3	7.0	3.0	4.1	3.5	4.5	-	34.7	-	-
Highest 70%	218	57.8	6.8	56.0	10.0	75.1	48.5	13.8	19.9	42.3	24.3	7.3	79.0	15.1	1.1
I - Ilocos	986	53.1	9.9	46.8	14.1	80.3	43.2	11.4	28.5	28.2	21.8	6.4	69.8	7.3	5.5
Lowest 30%	286	49.5	5.8	25.7	2.7	65.8	13.9	3.6	13.6	9.8	8.2	1.0	52.7	0.7	0.7
Highest 70%	699	54.6	11.6	55.5	18.8	86.3	55.2	14.6	34.5	35.7	27.4	8.6	76.8	10.0	7.5
II - Cagayan Valley	641	47.8	13.5	48.8	9.2	67.7	30.4	9.8	27.3	25.3	22.8	2.9	62.5	6.7	3.1
Lowest 30%	199	43.7	6.9	27.7	1.3	46.8	5.8	3.1	9.1	6.1	7.4	0.5	38.2	0.2	-
Highest 70%	443	49.7	16.4	58.3	12.7	77.1	41.4	12.8	35.5	34.0	29.7	4.0	73.4	9.7	4.5
III - Central Luzon	1,988	34.3	14.4	56.8	16.4	88.2	45.2	15.1	32.4	52.9	25.4	8.3	75.8	12.1	11.3
Lowest 30%	310	33.1	5.0	30.1	3.9	70.2	10.5	5.6	13.8	20.3	11.0	0.6	48.0	0.8	1.6
Highest 70%	1,678	34.5	16.1	61.7	18.7	91.6	51.6	16.8	35.9	58.9	28.0	9.8	80.9	14.2	13.1
IVA - CALABARZON	2,352	32.0	15.3	55.4	18.5	83.9	51.0	14.9	22.5	46.3	17.9	13.2	74.3	14.1	9.2
Lowest 30%	387	35.1	8.5	25.9	2.3	60.3	13.6	3.4	5.7	11.8	2.7	1.0	46.6	0.9	-
Highest 70%	1,966	31.5	16.7	61.2	21.6	88.5	58.4	17.2	25.9	53.1	20.9	15.6	79.8	16.7	11.0
IVB - MIMAROPA	575	36.2	10.9	36.8	7.6	50.2	23.5	9.3	24.4	21.9	9.8	1.7	53.6	4.5	2.1
Lowest 30%	282	36.5	5.4	19.8	1.0	29.3	5.0	2.9	10.8	7.9	1.4	-	35.3	0.1	-
Highest 70%	293	35.8	16.2	53.2	13.9	70.3	41.3	15.5	37.5	35.3	17.9	3.4	71.3	8.7	4.2
V - Bicol	1,050	42.9	11.1	32.8	8.9	56.1	24.0	8.0	18.2	13.6	10.0	2.8	49.5	3.8	2.5
Lowest 30%	471	41.9	6.4	17.3	1.2	38.3	5.9	2.8	6.2	2.6	1.9	0.3	30.4	-	0.2
Highest 70%	578	43.7	14.8	45.5	15.2	70.5	38.8	12.3	27.9	22.4	16.7	4.8	65.1	6.9	4.4
VI - Western Visayas	1,424	46.5	14.6	37.0	12.5	62.4	30.8	9.2	18.9	14.3	12.4	5.5	56.3	5.1	4.3
Lowest 30%	550	45.9	8.8	18.6	2.9	40.1	6.8	2.3	5.7	1.9	1.6	0.6	34.7	0.4	0.3
Highest 70%	874	46.8	18.2	48.5	18.6	76.4	46.0	13.6	27.2	22.1	19.2	8.5	69.8	8.1	6.8
VII - Central Visayas	1,346	42.4	18.9	43.0	16.1	63.1	32.7	15.8	22.1	13.2	15.9	10.5	55.7	8.7	7.2
Lowest 30%	468	43.8	13.9	19.6	2.8	38.3	8.9	5.1	9.4	0.9	1.8	0.5	30.7	0.5	0.1
Highest 70%	878	41.6	21.6	55.5	23.2	76.3	45.4	21.5	28.9	19.8	23.3	15.8	69.0	13.1	10.9
VIII - Eastern Visayas	848	27.7	14.5	35.7	12.6	54.2	25.9	7.3	18.8	12.7	11.2	4.5	49.5	3.4	4.1
Lowest 30%	396	26.9	10.3	21.3	4.3	36.0	6.8	2.6	6.8	2.7	1.4	0.5	31.4	0.1	0.3
Highest 70%	452	28.3	18.2	48.3	19.9	70.1	42.5	11.3	29.2	21.5	19.7	8.0	65.3	6.2	7.5
IX - Zamboanga Peninsula	647	38.7	12.4	30.3	7.2	46.5	26.5	6.8	21.6	12.3	10.3	2.6	48.6	3.3	3.8
Lowest 30%	321	41.6	4.8	11.1	1.1	25.0	6.2	2.0	8.6	2.3	0.9	0.1	29.5	-	-
Highest 70%	326	35.8	19.9	49.1	13.1	67.6	46.4	11.5	34.3	22.2	19.5	5.0	67.4	6.6	7.5
X - Northern Mindanao	825	37.2	21.0	38.7	13.3	63.1	37.3	10.4	18.8	19.5	14.4	7.1	55.2	8.5	6.7
Lowest 30%	352	41.4	11.2	18.8	2.1	41.4	11.3	2.4	4.6	3.0	0.8	0.2	31.0	-	0.2
Highest 70%	472	34.0	28.3	53.5	21.7	79.2	56.7	16.3	29.3	31.7	24.6	12.2	73.1	14.8	11.6
XI - Davao	869	35.0	19.4	36.3	13.2	61.2	38.2	9.2	21.1	20.4	14.9	4.3	54.1	5.7	6.0
Lowest 30%	323	39.2	11.5	15.5	1.9	38.0	12.9	4.0	7.4	3.1	1.4	-	27.4	0.2	0.2
Highest 70%	546	32.5	24.1	48.5	20.0	74.9	53.2	12.3	29.1	30.6	22.9	6.8	69.9	9.0	9.4
XII - SOCCSKSARGEN	756	35.7	15.6	29.6	8.3	57.5	31.6	9.2	19.9	15.9	11.8	3.0	55.1	5.1	4.3
Lowest 30%	336	36.7	8.3	14.7	1.7	38.6	10.5	2.9	6.5	4.2	1.9	0.2	34.7	0.3	-
Highest 70%	420	34.8	21.4	41.5	13.6	72.6	48.6	14.3	30.6	25.2	19.8	5.3	71.5	8.9	7.7
XIII - Caraga	462	21.5	18.1	38.0	11.0	60.2	33.4	7.5	20.4	17.4	13.1	4.0	57.1	5.4	5.5
Lowest 30%	229	19.9	10.5	23.1	3.4	42.7	13.4	3.7	9.1	5.1	2.3	0.2	37.7	0.4	0.2
Highest 70%	233	23.1	25.6	52.7	18.4	77.4	53.0	11.2	31.4	29.5	23.8	7.7	76.1	10.3	10.7
Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao	554	52.1	8.4	26.1	2.2	36.2	12.2	7.4	16.9	6.2	7.4	0.7	43.0	1.1	0.3
Lowest 30%	295	51.6	4.5	16.2	0.2	28.6	5.2	3.3	10.4	1.0	2.0	0.5	34.1	-	0.1
Highest 70%	259	52.6	12.9	37.2	4.4	44.9	20.1	12.1	24.3	12.1	13.5	0.9	53.1	2.4	0.6

Note: "-" denotes zero count or less than 0.05 percent

Source: National Statistics Office, 2008 Annual Poverty Indicators Survey