

TABLE 5 - Easy-to-Fill Occupations Sorted by Number of Vacancies in Establishments with 20 or More Workers, Philippines: January 2015 to June 2016

OCCUPATION TITLE	Number of Vacancies	Number of Applicants	Number of Applicants per 10 Vacancies
ALL OCCUPATIONS	549,814	3,041,552	
Corporate Executives, Managers, Managing Proprietors and Supervisors	6,281	66,732	
1 Sales and Marketing Managers	1,298	14,954	115
2 Information and Communications Technology Service Managers	1,047	15,612	149
3 Supply, Distribution and Related Managers	630	3,611	57
4 Finance Managers	587	3,417	58
5 Human Resource Managers	457	3,029	66
6 Managing Directors and Chief Executives	446	10,242	230
7 Retail and Wholesale Trade Managers	248	1,380	56
8 Financial and Insurance Services Branch Managers	221	819	37
9 Construction Managers	177	438	25
10 Restaurant Managers	109	414	38
11 Research and Development Managers	80	1,289	160
12 Manufacturing Managers	69	834	122
13 Policy and Planning Managers	66	758	115
14 Advertising and Public Relations Managers	42	191	45
15 Mining Managers	39	186	48
16 Education Managers	36	99	28
17 Hotel Managers	14	164	122
18 Sports, Recreation and Cultural Centre Managers	8	13	15
19 Senior Government Officials	7	33	50
20 Health Service Managers	5	24	45
21 Agricultural and Forestry Production Managers	1	5	50
22 Aquaculture and Fisheries Production Managers	1	3	30
23 Business Services and Administration Managers Not Elsewhere Classified	622	8,954	144
24 Services Managers Not Elsewhere Classified	60	178	30
25 Professional Services Managers Not Elsewhere Classified	12	85	71
Professionals	50,362	294,331	
1 Secondary Education Teachers	6,037	22,827	38
2 Nursing Professionals	5,617	16,688	30
3 Advertising and Marketing Professionals	5,415	41,271	76
4 University and Higher Education Teachers	3,788	8,254	22
5 Database Designers and Administrators	2,909	7,719	27
6 Technical and Medical Sales Professionals (excluding ICT)	2,772	31,214	113
7 Primary School Teachers	2,236	7,376	33
8 Civil Engineers	1,974	8,256	42
9 Accountants	1,794	12,634	70
10 Software Developers	1,753	15,175	87
11 Industrial and Production Engineers	1,562	10,370	66
12 Computer Network Professionals	1,203	9,413	78
13 Training and Staff Development Professionals	1,065	4,462	42
14 Financial Analysts	970	8,730	90
15 Systems Analysts	681	5,998	88
16 Mechanical Engineers	602	2,805	47
17 Telecommunications Engineers	600	6,627	110
18 Information and Communications Technology Sales Professionals	555	5,924	107
19 Graphic and Multimedia Designers	539	4,818	89
20 Personnel and Careers Professionals	514	5,862	114
21 Applications Programmers	514	5,825	113
22 Electrical Engineers	443	2,604	59
23 Systems Administrators	434	8,002	184
24 Electronics Engineers	355	3,780	106
25 Management and Organization Analysts	351	1,180	34

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26 Early Childhood Educators	324	1,078	33
27 Journalists	321	1,101	34
28 Web and Multimedia Developers	312	2,360	76
29 Vocational Education Teachers	212	341	16
30 Dieticians and Nutritionists	152	1,759	116
31 Building Architects	143	1,469	103
32 Authors and Related Writers	136	658	49
33 Public Relations Professionals	132	916	69
34 Pharmacists	120	699	59
35 Chemical Engineers	90	383	43
36 Lawyers	86	1,017	118
37 Social Work and Counseling Professionals	85	243	29
38 Farming, Forestry and Fisheries Advisers	79	362	46
39 Librarians and Related Information Professionals	77	229	30
40 Mining Engineers, Metallurgists and Related Professionals	64	8,462	1,312
41 Cartographers and Surveyors	56	213	38
42 Midwifery Professionals	51	103	20
43 Physiotherapists	46	99	22
44 Education Methods Specialists	44	88	20
45 Specialist Medical Practitioners	42	93	22
46 Chemists	39	423	107
47 Translators, Interpreters and Other Linguists	34	184	54
48 Film, Stage and Related Directors and Producers	33	78	24
49 Psychologists	33	206	62
50 Information Technology Trainers	30	113	37
51 Special Needs Teachers	29	80	27
52 Policy Administration Professionals	27	221	81
53 Environmental and Occupational Health and Hygiene Professionals	26	136	52
54 Environmental Protection Professionals	25	182	72
55 Visual Artists	25	40	16
56 Generalist Medical Practitioners	22	93	42
57 Geologists and Geophysicists	21	129	61
58 Veterinarians	20	56	27
59 Financial and Investment Advisers	14	533	392
60 Announcers on Radio, Television and Other Media	12	43	35
61 Landscape Architects	12	12	10
62 Mathematicians, Actuaries and Statisticians	12	99	83
63 Product and Garment Designers	11	34	31
64 Paramedical Practitioners	10	350	364
65 Town and Traffic Planners	6	45	74
66 Economists	6	10	18
67 Environmental Engineers	4	183	410
68 Musicians, Singers and Composers	4	28	72
69 Biologists, Botanists, Zoologists and Related Professionals	3	5	20
70 Dentists	2	8	35
71 Religious Professionals	2	3	15
72 Archivists and Curators	1	1	10
73 Teaching Professionals Not Elsewhere Classified	801	1,359	17
74 Other Language Teachers	599	1,670	28
75 Engineering Professionals Not Elsewhere Classified	570	4,097	72
76 Software and Applications Developers and Analysts Not Elsewhere Classified	562	3,958	70
77 Database and Network Professionals Not Elsewhere Classified	53	195	37

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78 Health Professionals Not Elsewhere Classified	26	84	33
79 Legal Professionals Not Elsewhere Classified	25	103	41
80 Other Arts Teachers	2	4	20
81 Other Music Teachers	1	2	20
82 Creative and Performing Artists Not Elsewhere Classified	1	80	800
Technicians and Associate Professionals	61,523	831,367	
1 Commercial Sales Representatives	12,406	52,007	42
2 Information and Communications Technology User Support Technicians	11,518	559,441	486
3 Accounting Associate Professionals	4,264	34,702	81
4 Mechanical Engineering Technicians	1,840	6,275	34
5 Power Production Plant Operators	1,733	2,184	13
6 Information and Communications Technology Operations Technicians	1,726	5,155	30
7 Environmental and Occupational Health Inspectors and Associates	1,530	6,674	44
8 Manufacturing Supervisors	1,293	6,413	50
9 Electrical Engineering Technicians	1,193	5,308	45
10 Office Supervisors	1,063	11,331	107
11 Pharmaceutical Technicians and Assistants	995	4,985	50
12 Credit and Loans Officers	948	8,824	93
13 Electronics Engineering Technicians	805	3,307	41
14 Buyers	778	13,976	180
15 Administrative and Executive Secretaries	573	5,908	103
16 Draughtspersons	506	1,805	36
17 Medical Imaging and Therapeutic Equipment Technicians	501	3,305	66
18 Customs and Border Inspectors	444	1,569	35
19 Web Technicians	376	3,247	86
20 Employment Agents and Contractors	327	6,647	203
21 Medical Records and Health Information Technicians	322	969	30
22 Real Estate Agents and Property Managers	305	1,593	52
23 Metal Production Process Controllers	271	395	15
24 Chemical Engineering Technicians	269	787	29
25 Clearing and Forwarding Agents	264	2,189	83
26 Medical and Pathology Laboratory Technicians	243	705	29
27 Nursing Associate Professionals	217	956	44
28 Medical Secretaries	215	1,673	78
29 Ships' Engineers	209	920	44
30 Social Work Associate Professionals	181	622	34
31 Insurance Representatives	175	1,258	72
32 Photographers	157	388	25
33 Fitness and Recreation Instructors and Program Leaders	147	280	19
34 Legal and Related Associate Professionals	131	1,270	97
35 Incinerator and Water Treatment Plant Operators	130	453	35
36 Agricultural Technicians	122	799	65
37 Broadcasting and Audio-visual Technicians	119	573	48
38 Valuers and Loss Assessors	109	826	76
39 Telecommunications Engineering Technicians	107	361	34
40 Air Traffic Controllers	100	144	14
41 Chemical and Physical Science Technicians	92	462	50
42 Computer Network and Systems Technicians	92	379	41
43 Construction Supervisors	90	772	86
44 Ships' Deck Officers and Pilots	87	651	75
45 Chefs	81	230	29
46 Interior Designers and Decorators	70	639	92
47 Civil Engineering Technicians	53	263	50

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48 Medical Assistants	43	221	52
49 Government Tax and Excise Officials	41	235	57
50 Sports Coaches, Instructors and Officials	41	93	23
51 Conference and Event Planners	29	93	32
52 Physiotherapy Technicians and Assistants	28	107	38
53 Securities and Finance Dealers and Brokers	27	52	19
54 Mining Supervisors	27	273	100
55 Ambulance Workers	24	58	24
56 Air Traffic Safety Electronics Technicians	22	33	15
57 Legal Secretaries	21	83	40
58 Chemical Processing Plant Controllers	18	343	187
59 Government Social Benefits Officials	13	69	53
60 Aircraft Pilots and Related Associate Professionals	12	31	25
61 Mining and Metallurgical Technicians	10	21	20
62 Gallery, Museum and Library Technicians	8	59	73
63 Statistical, Mathematical and Related Associate Professionals	8	37	46
64 Trade Brokers	8	106	137
65 Midwifery Associate Professionals	7	10	14
66 Government Licensing Officials	6	20	32
67 Dental Assistants and Therapists	1	38	340
68 Life Science Technicians (excluding medical)	1	1	10
69 Religious Associate Professionals	1	5	50
70 Process Control Technicians Not Elsewhere Classified	10,631	60,679	57
71 Physical and Engineering Science Technicians Not Elsewhere Classified	1,031	3,694	36
72 Business Services Agents Not Elsewhere Classified	273	1,331	49
73 Regulatory Government Associate Professionals Not Elsewhere Classified	7	19	28
74 Artistic and Cultural Associate Professionals Not Elsewhere Classified	4	34	80
Clerks	193,637	1,267,997	
1 Contact Centre Information Clerks / Customer Service Representatives	148,493	1,037,768	70
2 General Office Clerks	12,714	73,815	58
3 Stock Clerks	6,005	18,717	31
4 Production Clerks	4,354	11,598	27
5 Data Entry Clerks	3,983	18,499	46
6 Bank Tellers and Related Clerks	3,034	18,330	60
7 Bookmakers, Croupiers and Related Gaming Workers	2,863	8,833	31
8 Personnel Clerks	1,967	21,816	111
9 Debt-collectors and Related Workers	1,840	8,616	47
10 Accounting and Bookkeeping Clerks	1,568	11,855	76
11 Secretaries (general)	1,159	5,234	45
12 Statistical, Finance and Insurance Clerks	1,126	8,553	76
13 Receptionists (general)	773	4,533	59
14 Survey and Market Research Interviewers	682	2,388	35
15 Hotel Receptionists	681	6,672	98
16 Inquiry Clerks	673	4,276	64
17 Telephone Switchboard Operators	341	500	15
18 Transport Clerks	319	1,238	39
19 Payroll Clerks	308	2,442	79
20 Travel Consultants and Clerks	247	618	25
21 Pawnbrokers and Money-lenders	169	577	34
22 Typists and Word Processing Operators	102	74	7
23 Mail Carriers and Sorting Clerks	54	202	37
24 Library Clerks	34	137	40
25 Coding, Proof-reading and Related Clerks	25	224	88

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26 Filing and Copying Clerks	18	46	25
27 Clerical Support Workers Not Elsewhere Classified	71	150	21
28 Client information Workers Not Elsewhere Classified	33	286	86
Service Workers and Shop and Market Sales Workers	99,427	248,942	
1 Waiters	28,883	68,481	24
2 Shop Sales Assistants	14,201	38,013	27
3 Cashiers and Ticket Clerks	13,648	41,104	30
4 Shopkeepers	10,623	21,006	20
5 Contact Centre Salespersons	8,899	24,823	28
6 Security Guards	6,720	10,404	15
7 Building Caretakers	5,053	13,381	26
8 Transport Conductors	1,682	1,898	11
9 Travel Attendants and Travel Stewards	1,672	4,742	28
10 Cooks	1,530	4,052	26
11 Stall and Market Salespersons	1,444	2,714	19
12 Sales Demonstrators	1,246	2,667	21
13 Cleaning and Housekeeping Supervisors in Offices, Hotels and Other Establishments	1,042	2,761	27
14 Shop Supervisors	621	6,774	109
15 Service Station Attendants	411	873	21
16 Travel Guides	347	884	25
17 Door to Door Salespersons	265	433	16
18 Health Care Assistants	130	217	17
19 Bartenders	123	350	29
20 Food Service Counter Attendants	88	888	101
21 Beauticians and Related Workers	79	485	61
22 Teachers' Aides	77	290	38
23 Domestic Housekeepers	62	371	60
24 Fire-fighters	33	42	13
25 Child Care Workers	20	61	31
26 Hairdressers	8	23	30
27 Undertakers and Embalmers	8	76	100
28 Home-based Personal Care Workers	2	4	20
29 Companions and Valets	2	5	25
30 Sales Workers Not Elsewhere Classified	202	373	18
31 Protective Services Workers Not Elsewhere Classified	176	302	17
32 Personal Services Workers Not Elsewhere Classified	69	304	44
33 Personal Care Workers in Health Services Not Elsewhere Classified	59	140	24
Farmers, Forestry Workers and Fishermen	2,010	4,243	
1 Sugarcane Farmers	519	584	11
2 Tree and Shrub Crop Growers	473	526	11
3 Subsistence Crop Farmers	316	1,309	41
4 Livestock Farmers	181	659	36
5 Poultry Producers	117	363	31
6 Chicken Farmer	76	78	10
7 Gardeners, Horticultural and Nursery Growers	71	107	15
8 Eggs producers	65	158	24
9 Inland and Coastal Waters Fishery Workers	60	119	20
10 Prawn Producers	38	76	20
11 Deep-sea Fishery Workers	38	75	20
12 Concessionaires and Loggers	7	18	26
13 Animal Producers Not Elsewhere Classified	33	109	33
14 Other Aqua Products Producers	16	61	38

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Craft and Related Trades Workers	38,572	99,574	
1 Metal Working Machine Tool Setters and Operators	11,224	22,724	20
2 Sewing, Embroidery and Related Workers	6,693	8,145	12
3 Carpenters and Joiners	3,398	8,754	26
4 Product Graders and Testers (excluding foods and beverages)	2,022	21,638	107
5 Welders and flame cutters	1,947	3,762	19
6 Tailors, Dressmakers, Furriers and Hatters	1,497	1,835	12
7 Building and Related Electricians	1,442	2,697	19
8 Plumbers and Pipe Fitters	1,439	1,914	13
9 Butchers, fishmongers and related food preparers	1,413	2,419	17
10 Bakers, pastry-cooks and confectionery makers	1,201	1,586	13
11 Stonemasons, Stone Cutters, Splitters and Carvers	893	1,599	18
12 Electronics Mechanics and Servicers	807	1,866	23
13 Motor Vehicle Mechanics and Repairers	578	2,792	48
14 Agricultural and Industrial Machinery Mechanics and Repairers	558	1,135	20
15 Electrical Line Installers and Repairers	321	1,195	37
16 Printers	315	505	16
17 Garment and Related Patternmakers and Cutters	292	652	22
18 Information and Communications Technology Installers and Servicers	289	1,261	44
19 Structural-metal preparers and erectors	284	408	14
20 Fruit, vegetable and related preservers	225	275	12
21 Electrical Mechanics and Fitters	175	415	24
22 Woodworking-Machine Tool Setters and Operators	137	8,905	649
23 Blacksmiths, hammersmiths and forging press workers	122	244	20
24 Building Structure Cleaners	102	156	15
25 Precision-instrument makers and repairers	99	225	23
26 Insulation Workers	92	168	18
27 Print Finishing and Binding Workers	85	151	18
28 Painters and Related Workers	76	120	16
29 Metal moulders and coremakers	67	129	19
30 Fumigators and Other Pest and Weed Controllers	61	61	10
31 Riggers and Cable Splicers	55	66	12
32 Sheet-Metal Workers	44	61	14
33 Shoemakers and Related Workers	40	73	18
34 Concrete Placers, Concrete Finishers and Related Workers	40	80	20
35 Pre-press Technicians	35	47	13
36 Shotfirers and Blasters	32	195	61
37 Potters and Related Workers	29	44	15
38 Sign Writers, Decorative Painters, Engravers and Etchers	21	40	19
39 Spray Painters and Varnishers	21	73	35
40 Aircraft Engine Mechanics and Repairers	20	353	173
41 Glaziers	15	15	10
42 Tobacco preparers and tobacco products makers	14	27	19
43 Roofers	14	80	57
44 Cabinet-makers and Related Workers	10	20	20
45 Toolmakers and Related Workers	10	63	64
46 Food and beverage tasters and graders	4	23	53
47 Handicraft Workers in Textile, Leather and Related Materials	3	23	76
48 Jewellery and Precious-Metal workers	1	5	50
49 Building Frame and Related Trades Workers Not Elsewhere Classified	302	543	18
50 Craft and Related Workers Not Elsewhere Classified	7	9	13

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Plant and Machine Operators and Assemblers	50,868	103,593	
1 Electrical and Electronic Equipment Assemblers	19,510	24,439	13
2 Plastic Products Machine Operators	4,040	5,590	14
3 Food and Related Products Machine Operators	3,086	4,449	14
4 Rubber Products Machine Operators	2,120	3,887	18
5 Bus and Tram drivers	1,903	2,073	11
6 Car, Taxi and Van Drivers	1,842	5,581	30
7 Mechanical Machinery Assemblers	1,408	9,136	65
8 Heavy Truck and Lorry Drivers	1,378	3,757	27
9 Metal Processing Plant Operators	1,188	2,272	19
10 Packing, Bottling and Labeling Machine Operators	658	3,043	46
11 Sewing Machine Operators	588	825	14
12 Bleaching, Dyeing and Fabric Cleaning Machine Operators	572	696	12
13 Pulp and Papermaking Plant Operators	492	1,560	32
14 Paper Products Machine Operators	250	636	25
15 Metal finishing, plating and coating machine operators	233	569	24
16 Miners and Quarries	191	433	23
17 Lifting Truck Operators	166	444	27
18 Cement, Stone and Other Mineral Products Machine Operators	149	444	30
19 Chemical Products Plant and Machine Operators	145	385	27
20 Motorcycle Drivers	142	184	13
21 Ships' Deck Crews and Related Workers	134	446	33
22 Earthmoving and Related Plant Operators	131	373	28
23 Fiber Preparing, Spinning and Winding Machine Operators	129	458	36
24 Crane, Hoist and Related Plant Operators	123	204	17
25 Photographic Products Machine Operators	117	141	
26 Well Drillers and Boreholes and Related Workers	75	577	77
27 Wood Processing Plant Operators	47	81	17
28 Mineral and stone processing plant operators	38	251	67
29 Railway Brake, Signal and Switch Operators	27	313	117
30 Mobile Farm and Forestry Plant Operators	22	74	34
31 Locomotive Engine Drivers	21	68	32
32 Laundry Machine Operators	19	59	31
33 Steam Engine and Boiler Operators	18	90	50
34 Glass and Ceramics Plant Operators	16	30	19
35 Shoemaking and Related Machine Operators	11	11	10
36 Weaving and Knitting Machine Operators	4	41	117
37 Stationary Plant and Machine Operators Not Elsewhere Classified	7,971	27,717	35
38 Assemblers Not Elsewhere Classified	1,349	1,931	14
39 Textile, Fur and Leather Products Machine Operators Not Elsewhere Classified	556	328	6
Laborers and Unskilled Workers	47,134	124,774	
1 Hand Packers	17,561	29,666	17
2 Civil Engineering Laborers	4,482	6,525	15
3 Hand Launderers and Pressers	2,843	3,225	11
4 Crop Farm Laborers	2,739	21,952	80
5 Cleaners and Helpers in Offices, Hotels and Other Establishments	2,567	4,172	16
6 Messengers, Package Deliverers and Luggage Porters	1,796	11,820	66
7 Kitchen Helpers	1,099	7,348	67
8 Mining and Quarrying Laborers	1,084	1,334	12
9 Building Construction Laborers	1,073	1,191	11
10 Freight Handlers	655	1,411	22
11 Mixed Crop and Livestock Farm Laborers	411	578	14
12 Shelf Fillers	282	407	14

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14 Fishery and Aquaculture Laborers	187	278	15
15 Fast Food Preparers	163	261	16
16 Livestock Farm Laborers	122	411	34
17 Meter Readers and Vending-machine Collectors	84	198	24
18 Odd Job Persons	50	110	22
19 Garden and Horticultural Laborers	48	86	18
20 Sweepers and Related Laborers	44	44	10
21 Drivers of Animal-Drawn Vehicles and Machinery	24	37	16
22 Street and Related Sales and Service Workers	11	75	69
23 Vehicle Cleaners	6	24	40
24 Garbage and Recycling collectors	5	5	10
25 Hand or Pedal Vehicle Drivers	1	4	30
26 Water and Firewood Collectors	1	1	10
27 Manufacturing Laborers Not Elsewhere Classified	9,425	32,775	35
28 Elementary Workers not Elsewhere Classified	143	544	38
29 Other Cleaning Workers	31	45	14

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

Source: Philippine Statistics Authority, 2015/2016 Integrated Survey on Labor and Employment (ISLE).