



2019

A Year of Innovation



About the Cover

The Civil Registry System – Information Technology Project Phase II (CRS-ITP2) of the Philippine Statistics Authority (PSA) highlights the agency's milestone of innovation. It is the embodiment of PSA in embracing innovation as the office transfers and operates its civil registration services and products this 2019. It also marks the leadership transition of Undersecretary Dennis S. Mapa, Ph.D. as the National Statistician and Civil Registrar General, following the term of Dr. Lisa Grace S. Bersales.





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Message of the National Statistician and Civil Registrar General

For the past five years, the Philippine Statistics Authority (PSA) has significantly changed the impact of providing civil registration, and statistical services with the help of technological advancement. The milestones of these advancements are shown in this year's annual report. It is important that we acknowledge the fundamentals of the annual report as it entails transparency on financial information, highlights the agency's achievements and high-impact activities, and gives pertinent information to the stakeholders as well as to the general public.

This year's annual report focuses on "Innovation", continuing former National Statistician and Civil Registrar General Dr. Lisa Grace Bersales' initiatives on high-impact activities of the PSA, mainly the Philippine Identification System (PhilSys), Community-Based Monitoring System (CBMS), and implementation of innovations in civil registration and statistics, to name a few.

As the year of innovation, the PSA continues to achieve its sustainable development goals by empowering the value of civil registration, and statistics through its continued initiatives for the year 2019. We also acknowledge the huge role of the private sector in the success of our continuing major programs as we create meaningful relationships within different sectors and create the sense of belongingness.

With these activities, the annual report showcases the milestones, and efforts made by the entire PSA family towards achieving its vision of being a solid, responsive, and world-class authority in delivering its products, and services. With the PSA's strengthened backbone of technological advancement, we shall step-up to deliver innovative, reliable, and sustainable technologies that optimize satisfaction and desired outcomes to our clients and stakeholders. These outcomes are emanated from the internal optimization of the PSA to continuously streamline our services.

Aside from the achievements in 2019, let us not forget the huge important tasks that await us in 2020: the roll-out of the PhilSys registration, and the implementation of the CBMS. There will be more challenges ahead of us that we need to overcome together. In all hurdles that we will face, one thing is very important: compassion. Compassion is what motivates people to go out of their way to help the physical, mental or emotional pains of another. In the PSA family, we should always be mindful of other people's weakness, be sensitive of the needs of others, and be ready to extend our assistance to those who need help. Through compassion, the sense of belonging, and solidarity within PSA will be stronger, and we can overcome difficulties with ease and confidence.

The 2019 PSA Annual Report is a humble memorabilia of what transpired in the past year. We want to share what we have to the world. We underscore that these undertakings are considered as significant start for new capabilities and new ways of learning for all of us. I congratulate my PSA family for all the good work we collaborated this year. With such, I envision that the 2020 of PSA will emanate our strengthened advocacy in optimizing international commitments and adoption of internationally-recognized civic principles, declarations, and best practices. May the tradition of compassion, belongingness, and the quality of innovation continue to grow as we extend our years to come.

Dennis S. Mapa, Ph.D.

Undersecretary

National Statistician and Civil Registrar General





About the Philippine Statistics Authority

Mandate

The Philippine Statistics Authority (PSA) shall primarily be responsible for the implementation of the objectives and provisions of RA10625 or the Philippine Statistical Act. It shall plan, develop, prescribe, disseminate, and enforce policies, rules and regulations, and coordinate government-wide programs governing the production of official statistics, general-purpose statistics, and civil registration services. It shall primarily be responsible for all national censuses and surveys, sectoral statistics, consolidation of selected administrative recording systems, and compilation of national accounts.

Core Values

Integrity

We observe the highest standards of professional behavior by exemplifying impartiality and independence in everything we do. We stand firm against undue influence - ensuring that integrity cuts across not only in the statistics we deliver, but more importantly, in our people.

Transparency

We ensure transparency in all interactions and transactions to build and nurture trust inside and outside the PSA. We strive for clear communication, shared knowledge, and informed, all-inclusive decisions for cultivating mutual respect at all levels of the organization.

Adaptability

We respond to change with a positive attitude and a willingness to learn new ways to deliver our mandate. We stay on top of technological advancements and never give up in the face of challenges, instead finding them as opportunities to discover and gain insights to further our services to the public.

PSA Quality Policy

We, the Philippine Statistics Authority, commit to deliver relevant and reliable statistics, efficient civil registration services and inclusive identification system to our clients and stakeholders.

We adhere to the UN Fundamental Principles of Official Statistics in the production of quality general-purpose statistics.

We commit to deliver efficient civil registration services and inclusive identification system in accordance with the laws, rules and regulations, and other statutory requirements.

We endeavor to live by the established core values and corporate personality of PSA and adopt the appropriate technology in the development of our products and delivery of services to ensure customer satisfaction.

We commit to continually improve the effectiveness of our Quality Management System towards equitable development for improved quality of life for all.

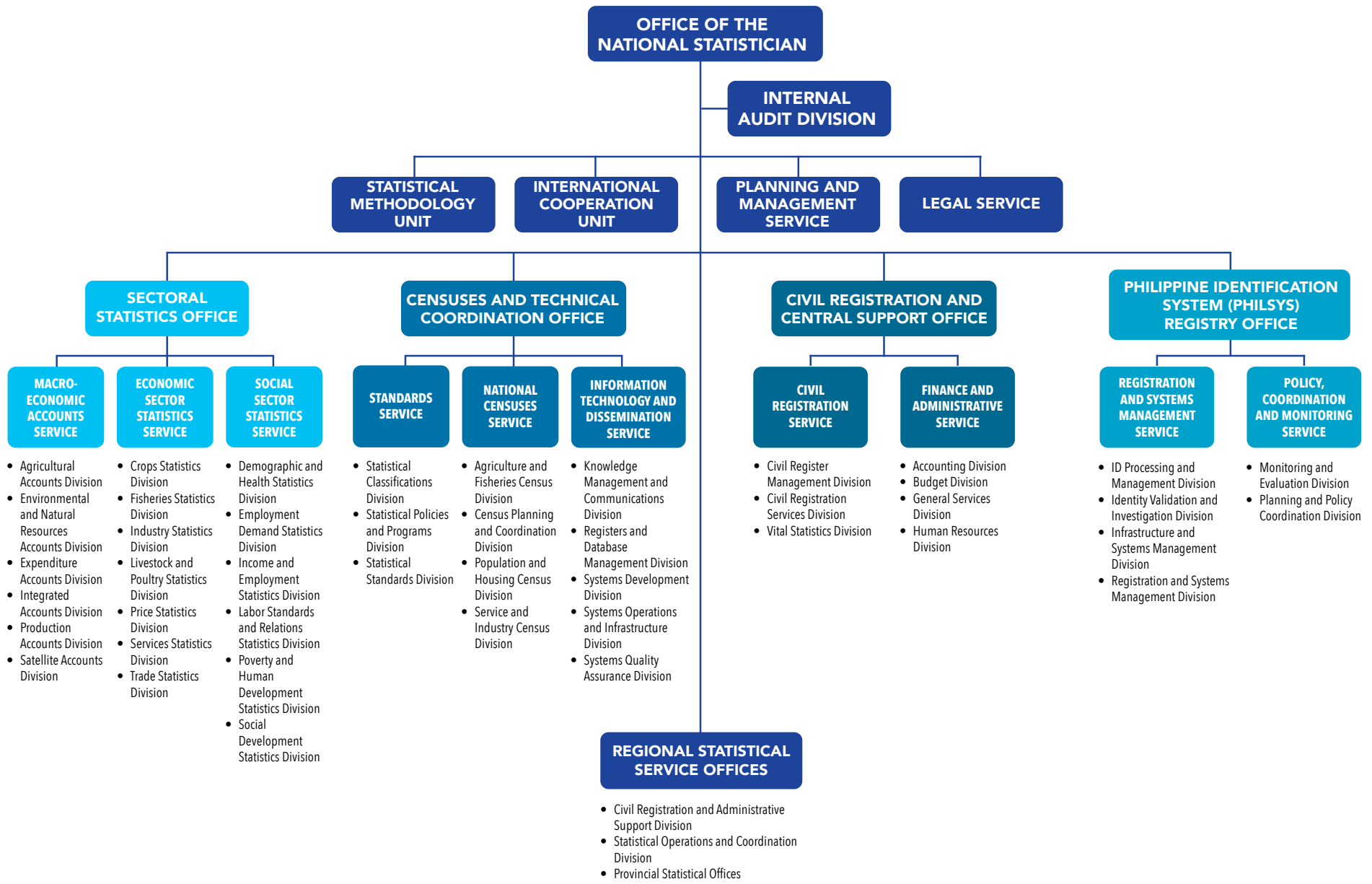
Vision

Solid, responsive, and world-class authority on quality statistics, efficient civil registration, and inclusive identification system.

Mission

Deliver relevant and reliable statistics, efficient civil registration services and inclusive identification system for equitable development towards improved quality of life for all.

Organizational Structure





The PSA Board

As the highest policy-making body in statistical matters, the PSA Board shall have the following powers and functions:

- a) Establish appropriate mechanisms to promote and maintain an efficient and effective statistical system in the government;
- b) Formulate policies on all matters relating to government statistical operations, standards and classifications;
- c) Review the statistical programs of the departments and agencies of the national government and the LGUs and rationalize responsibilities in these government organizations on matters relating to such statistical programs;
- d) Review budgetary proposals involving statistical operations and submit an integrated budget for the PSS to the DBM;
- e) Prescribe appropriate frameworks for the improvement of statistical coordination and establish mechanisms for statistical coordination at the regional and LGU levels;
- f) Provide technical assistance and exercise supervision over major government statistical activities;
- g) Recommend executive and legislative measures to enhance the development and efficiency of the system, including the internal structure of statistical agencies;
- h) Approve the Philippine Statistical Development Program (PSDP).

2019 PSA BOARD MEMBERS

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THE YEAR IN REVIEW





Major Accomplishments

National Accounts of the Philippines (NAP)

The NAP presents the economic performance of the country and the contribution of each industry to the country's economic growth.

The PSA conducted three major activities in relation to the National Accounts: the quarterly press conference on the Philippine Economic Performance; the simultaneous press conference on the Gross Regional Domestic Product Accounts; and the conduct of activities towards the Overall Revision and

Rebasing of the Philippine System of National Accounts. Other important activities include the workshop on the estimation and deliberation of the Gross Regional Domestic Product Accounts (GRDP) on 08 to 12 April in Makati City and the dissemination of the 2018 GRDP on 25 April through simultaneous press conferences across the 17 regions.



Participants and focal persons from the regional offices together with the resource persons from SSO during the Workshop on the Estimation and Deliberation of the GRDP photo op.

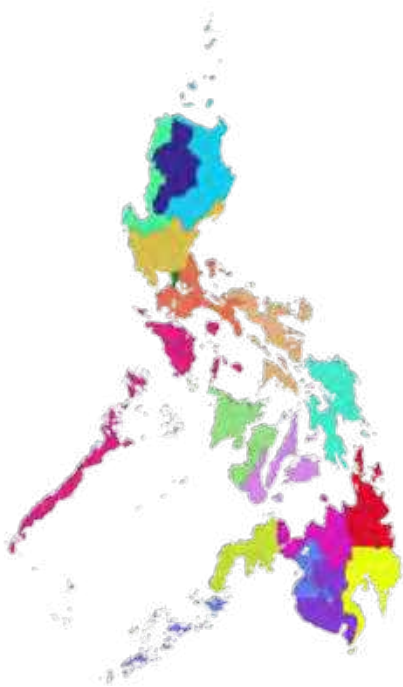
Major Accomplishments



Performance of the Regional Economy Gross Regional Domestic Product 2017-2018

As of April 2019 • MAS03-IG-01-25042019

Regional Growth Rates: 2017-2018 At Constant 2000 Prices (in percent)



PHILIPPINES	6.2
BICOL REGION	8.9
DAVAO REGION	8.6
MIMAROPA	8.6
CENTRAL VISAYAS	7.6
CORDILLERA ADMINISTRATIVE REGION	7.3
CALABARZON	7.3
BARM	7.2
CENTRAL LUZON	7.1
NORTHERN MINDANAO	7.0
SOCCSKARGEN	6.9
ILOCOS REGION	6.5
ZAMBOANGA PENINSULA	6.3
WESTERN VISAYAS	6.1
EASTERN VISAYAS	5.9
NATIONAL CAPITAL REGION	4.8
CAGAYAN VALLEY	3.3
CARAGA	3.2

Structure of the Regional Economies: 2018

1 Region Predominantly Agricultural



BARM

3 Regions Predominantly Industrial

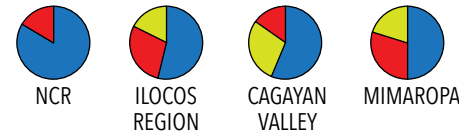


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CENTRAL LUZON

CALABARZON

13 Regions Predominantly Services-Based

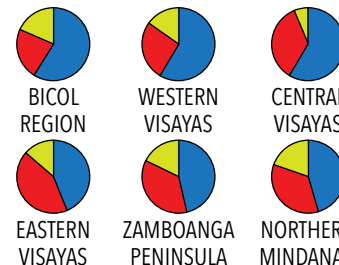


NCR

ILOCOS REGION

CAGAYAN VALLEY

MIMAROPA



BICOL REGION

WESTERN VISAYAS

CENTRAL VISAYAS

EASTERN VISAYAS

ZAMBOANGA PENINSULA

NORTHERN MINDANAO

DAVAO REGION

SOCCSKARGEN

CARAGA

● Agricultural
 ● Industrial
 ● Services-Based



Bicol is the fastest growing region in 2018 at 8.9 percent



The economies of all 17 regions grew in 2018, with 12 regions posting growth higher than the GDP growth



BARM recorded the fastest growth in Agriculture, Hunting, Forestry, and Fishing



Bicol region posted the highest growth in Industry



Cagayan Valley grew the fastest in Services



Major Accomplishments

Overall Revision and Rebasing of Philippine System of National Accounts (PSNA)

The revision of the NAP ensures its adherence to the latest international practices and guidelines. Meanwhile, the rebasing of the PSNA ensures that statistical developments and changes in the economy are incorporated. Several activities aimed at the Overall Revision and Rebasing of the PSNA were conducted during the year. These activities included:

- 5 Workshops
- 4 Training Workshops
- 3 Consultative Workshops
- 1 Training
- 1 Bilateral Meeting
- 1 Focus Group Discussion
- 1 Stakeholders Forum
- 1 High Level Consultative Forum



Former NSCRG Lisa Grace S. Bersales, Ph.D., together with officials of PSA central and regional offices, graces the High-level Consultative Forum on the Overall Revision and Rebasing of National Accounts on 29 March in Quezon City.



Usec. Dennis S. Mapa, Ph.D., welcomes the participants to the Focus Group Discussion on the Implementation of the IRR of the PSNA on 27 September in Manila.



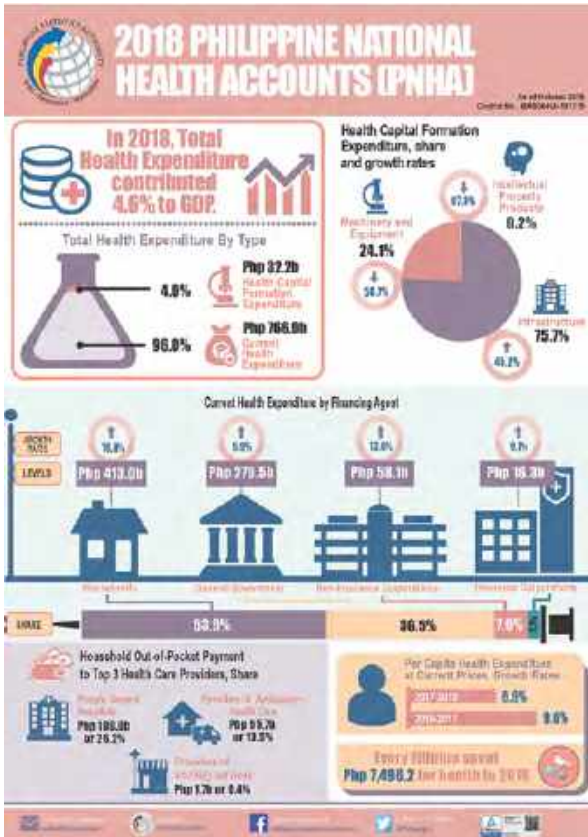
Usec. Benito C. Bengzon, Jr. awarding the plaque of appreciation to Asec. Rosalinda Bautista together with OIC Dir. Warner M. Andrada and Ms. Manette T. Reyes of DOT during the Dissemination Forum for the PTSA on 26 July in Manila.

Major Accomplishments

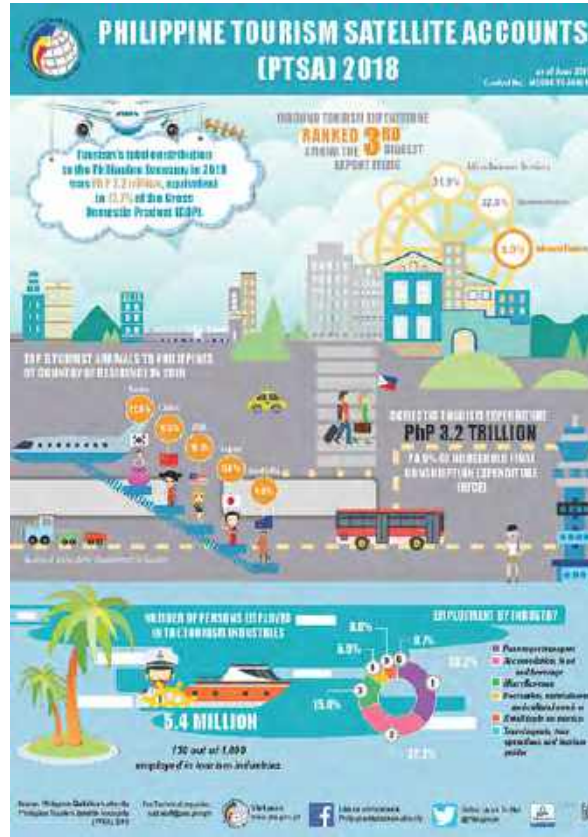


Satellite Accounts

Philippine National Health Accounts (PNHA)



Philippine Tourism Satellite Accounts (PTSA)



Philippine Ocean Economy Satellite Accounts (POESA)

Fig. 1: Share of Ocean-Based Industries to GDP at current prices, Philippines, 2012 to 2018

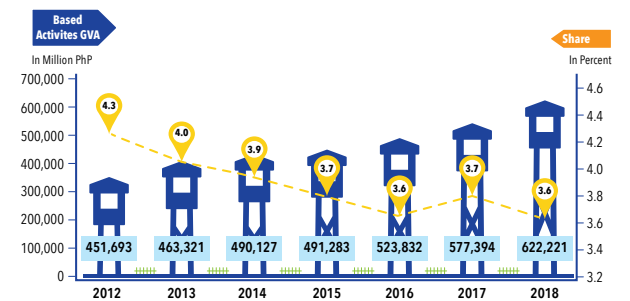
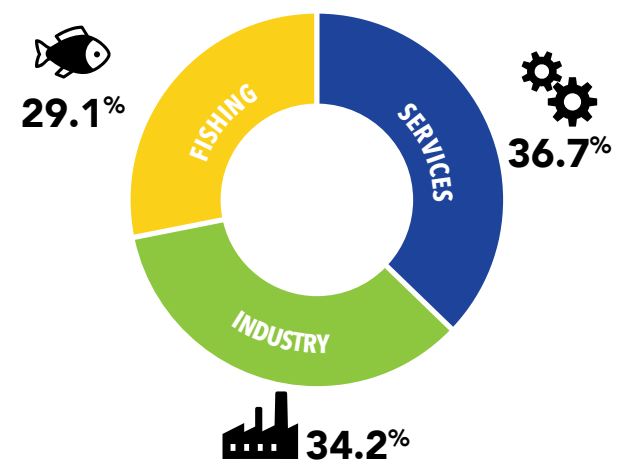


Fig. 2: Distribution of Ocean-Based GVA by Industrial Origin, Philippines, 2012 to 2018

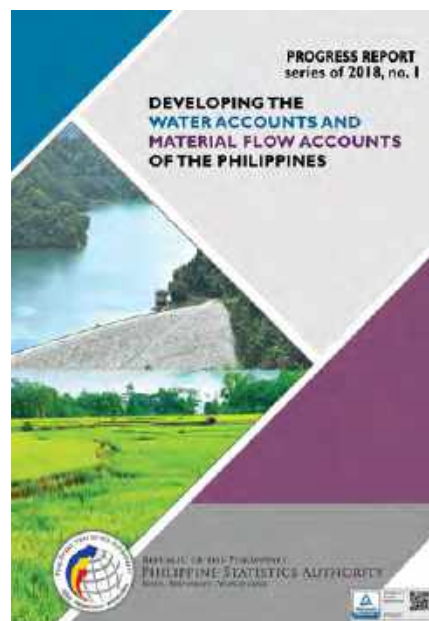
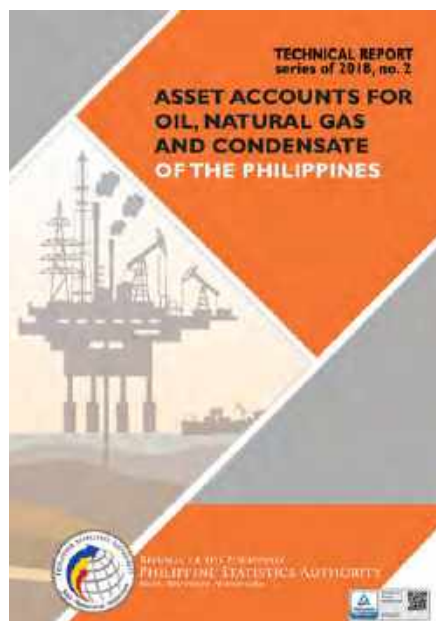
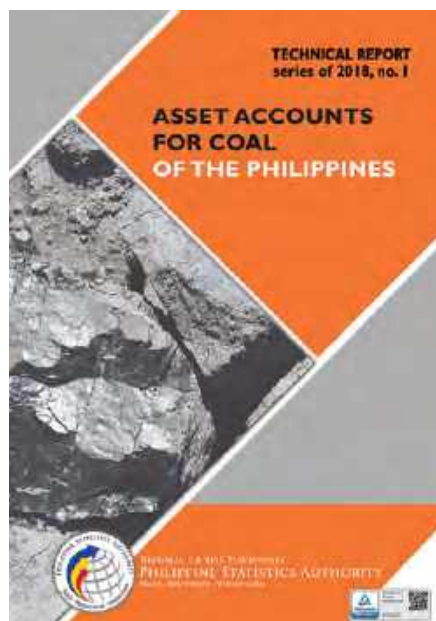


Major Accomplishments



Environmental Accounts

PSA also develops environmental accounts to describe the interaction between the environment and the economy. In April 2019, PSA released for the first time the Energy Asset Accounts of the Philippines, covering the country's stocks of coal, oil, natural gas and condensate from 2000 to 2017. Along with this, PSA also published the progress reports on the development of **Water Accounts, Material Flow Accounts and Land Asset Accounts for Tree-Covered Areas**.





Release of the First Semester 2018 and 2018 Full Year Official Poverty Statistics of the Philippines

PSA released the First Semester 2018 Official Poverty Statistics of the Philippines on 10 April through a press briefing. The first semester 2018 poverty statistics was reported by Deputy National Statistician Josie B. Perez while the Statement from the NEDA was delivered by Undersecretary Adoracion M. Navarro on behalf of Secretary Ernesto Pernia. In addition to the national, regional and provincial poverty estimates reported, official poverty statistics for the highly-urbanized cities in the Philippines were also generated for the first time since the adoption of the 2013 Master Sample. The 2018 official poverty statistics, and the revised 2015 food and poverty thresholds were generated using the 2012 CPI market basket. Infographics and publication were also released and disseminated.

Following the availability of the 2nd Semester 2018 FIES, the Full Year 2018 Official Poverty Statistics was released on 06 December in a press conference. Media, national line agencies and PSA central office employees were in attendance.

During the press conference, Undersecretary Dennis S. Mapa, Ph.D reported the Full Year 2018 Official Poverty Statistics. Undersecretary Adoracion M. Navarro of the Regional Development Office of the NEDA delivered a message on behalf of Socioeconomic Planning Secretary Ernesto Pernia. They were joined by Undersecretary Rosemarie G. Edillon and Assistant Secretary Rosalinda P. Bautista of the SSO of PSA.





Major Accomplishments

2018 National Migration Survey (NMS) Data Dissemination Forum

The 2018 NMS is the first nationwide survey on migration in the Philippines. NMS was jointly implemented by PSA and UP through the UPPI. The Data Dissemination Forum was conducted in Quezon City on 18 September. The event was attended by over 130 participants from PSA central, regional and provincial offices, other national government agencies, non-government organizations, the academe and the media.



2018 NMS Data Dissemination group photo, 18 September

2016 Disability Prevalence Survey/Model Functioning Survey (2016 NDPS/MFS) Data Dissemination Forum

PSA in collaboration with the DOH and the NCDA conducted the national dissemination forum on the results of the 2016 NDPS/MFS which was held on 10 April in Manila. The forum was attended by more than a hundred participants from the PSA central and regional offices, NCDA, DOH, other national government agencies, non-government organizations, the academe, and the media. The dissemination forum kicked off with an opening message by Assistant Secretary Josie B. Perez of PSA. Messages from the NDPS partner organizations were also delivered: Undersecretary Myrna C. Cabotaje for the DOH, Mr. Darryl Barrett for the WHO and OIC-Director Carmen R. Zubiaga for the NCDA.



ANS Wilma A. Guillen, Asec. Rosalinda P. Bautista and NDPS partner organizations from DOH, WHO and NCDA

Major Accomplishments



Civil Registration Month (CRM)

The month of February was declared as CRM pursuant to Proclamation No. 682, issued by former President Corazon C. Aquino on 28 January 1991. PSA once again spearheaded this year's celebration of the CRM with the theme "Inclusive and responsive CRVS: Working smarter through innovation". The activities included:

- Thanksgiving Mass
- Bloodletting
- Consultations
- Mobile Civil Registration Services
- IACCRVS
- Meetings and Culminating Activities with CRVS Partners and Stakeholders



Bloodletting Activity on 22 February

In addition, all PSA officials and employees in the Field Offices and Local Civil Registrars were enjoined to organize new activities for the month-long celebration. Previous activities were limited to display of streamers, mobile registration, trainings (IEC), quiz on civil registration, slogan or poster-making contest.



Consultation Day on Civil Registration Matters for PSA Employees on 08 and 15 February



Mobile Civil Registration Services (05, 12, 14, 21 and 22 February)



Major Accomplishments

Civil Registration and Vital Statistics (CRVS) Decade Initiatives in 2019

The Asian and Pacific CRVS Decade (2015 to 2024) was proclaimed at the Ministerial Conference on CRVS in Asia and the Pacific, held on 24 to 28 November 2014 in Bangkok, Thailand. Through the declaration of the CRVS Decade, governments gave a timeframe of 2015 to 2024 for all people in Asia and the Pacific to benefit from universal and responsive CRVS systems facilitating the realization of their rights and supporting good governance, health and development.

Thus, Presidential Proclamation No. 1106 was signed on 20 August 2015 declaring 2015 to 2024 as the Civil Registration and Vital Statistics Decade in the Philippines. All agencies and instrumentalities of the National Government and local government units, including government-owned or controlled corporations, in consultation with the private sector, development partners and the citizenry, are hereby enjoined to actively support all activities and programs relevant to the "Get Every Pinoy and Pinay in the Picture!" initiative.

In 2019, PSA continuously supported the CRVS Decade. Aside from the political commitment, PSA initiatives in terms of action areas included:

- **Public engagement, participation and generating demand**

Presented the Mid-Decade Assessment of the CRVS Decade to CRVS partners and stakeholders during the National Civil Registration Month held on 01 March.

- **Coordination**

Conducted quarterly meetings of the IACCRVS organized by PSA. The IACCRVS is a multi-sectoral group responsible for an efficient and effective civil registration.

- **Policies, legislation and implementation of regulations**

1. Complied to Data Privacy Act of 2012
2. Issued Memo Circulars on Civil Registration
3. Attended TWG meetings, consultative dialogues/meetings and public hearings related to Civil Registration

- **Infrastructure and resources**

Transfer of CRS Service to its new building at PSA Complex as part of the Concession Agreement between PSA and Unisys Managed Services Corporation for the second phase of the Civil Registry Information Technology Project.

- **Operational procedures, practices and innovations**

1. Revised Civil Registry Forms and the Manual of Instructions with the following objectives: a) to conform with international standards; b) to improve reporting of vital information especially on the causes of death; c) to provide more data for health policies and programs; and d) to provide instructions more clearly.
2. Conducted five consultative fora attended by the members of the IACCRVS and various stakeholders
3. Conducted several trainings in the PSA Central and Field Offices to strengthen their understanding on the concepts and procedures, laws, policy issuances on civil registration matters and appreciation of vital statistics data.
4. Conducted two Special Consular Missions for Filipinos in the Plantation and Agricultural Sectors in Sabah, Malaysia.
5. Conducted various trainings on the implementation of the DeCAP. DeCAP aims to speed up the processing of civil registry documents affected by RA 9048/RA 10172 and Supplemental Reports of less omitted entries.



- **Production, dissemination and use of vital statistics**

In partnership with the Bloomberg D4HI, PSA spearheaded the following undertakings in 2019:

1. Improved quality of vital statistics data through ANACONDA. A workshop on the preparation of Regional Reports on causes of death data using ANACONDA was held on 27 to 29 November.
2. Supported automated coding through IRIS tool, which provides interactive coding software specifically developed for coding the cause of death and in selecting the underlying cause of death. PSA has started using the IRIS tool for the 2017 causes of death data and conducted various assessment in 2018 and 2019.



Participants listened attentively during the Consultative Forum attended by members of the IACCRVS and stakeholders held on 13 February.



Participants to the Consultative Forum on the Revised Civil Registry Forms in Tagaytay City



PSA conducted a special consular mission for Civil Registration of Undocumented Filipinos in Lahad Datu, Sabah, Malaysia on 20 to 29 December.



Major Accomplishments

14th National Convention On Statistics (NCS)

The 14th NCS, which served as the kick-off activity of the 30th NSM, was conducted on 01 to 03 October. The event was graced by Vice President Maria Leonor G. Robredo, who delivered the Keynote Address and Senator Sherwin T. Gatchalian, who discussed Policy Innovation Through Evidence-Based Legislative Approach. The event was attended by over a thousand participants and featured:

- 57 Session Topics
- 176 paper presentations



VP Robredo delivering her Keynote Address



Sen. Gatchalian with his presentation, "Policy Innovation Through Evidence-Based Legislative Approach"



The PSA officials, headed by Usec. Dennis S. Mapa, with VP Robredo during the Joint Opening Ceremonies of the 30th NSM and 14th NCS on 01 October.



Usec. Dennis S. Mapa, Ph.D. with Francisca N. Dayrit (PSAI) who served as Moderator, Dr. Lisa Grace S. Bersales (former NSCRG) as Presenter, Usec. Rosemarie G. Edillon (NEDA), DG Romulo Emmanuel M. Miral (CPBRD), Exec. Dir. Josephine V. Almeda (PSAI), Dir. Jennifer L. Timbol (CSC), and Dr. Kevin C. Chua (WB) as panelists in the Plenary Session Topic "PSS Accomplishments Under RA 10625," held on 03 October.



National Statistics Month (NSM)

The month-long celebration of the 30th NSM featured various activities, both at the national and local levels, involving the different national government agencies and their regional offices, Local Government Units, academe, media and the private sector. It was during the Joint Opening Ceremonies of the 30th NSM/14th NCS that the NSM Jingle was launched and the 9th Media Awards was held.

At the national level, four major interagency activities were conducted, namely:

- 4th PSA Says
- 3rd PSS Bowling Tournament
- 2nd PSS Outreach Program
- 1st PSS Clean-up Drive

The BSP-DepEd Oratorical Contest served as the culminating activity of the 30th NSM. The closing ceremony served as the venue for the announcement of the 29th NSM Awards winners.

At the local level, Opening Ceremonies were held in all regions, spearheaded by the PSA Regional Statistical Services Offices. Other activities were:

- Information and educational campaigns
- Statistical exhibits
- Data dissemination
- Training/workshops/conferences/fora
- Statistical quizzes and other advocacy activities



The 4th PSA Says, a fun-filled activity to test the knowledge of NSM participants on statistics released by PSA, was held on 03 October and was participated in by 20 players from different agencies.



The 3rd PSS Bowling Tournament, which was participated in by nine agencies, was held on 15 October in Mandaluyong City with the DENR emerging as the champion.



Major Accomplishments

4th Regional Statistics Committee (RSC) Summit

Recognizing the vital role of the RSC as the policymaking body on statistical matters at the local level, PSA conducted the 4th RSC Summit on 14 to 15 November in Makati City.

The Summit, with the theme “Strengthening Local Development Planning through Enhanced Statistical Coordination and Community-Based Statistical Innovations,” served as the venue for presentation and discussion on innovations on statistical development planning, implementation, and monitoring of programs and projects at the local level.

It was attended by 95 participants coming from member agencies of the PSA Board, Regional Directors of NEDA who are also RSC Chairs, representatives from City Planning and Development Offices, the Bureau of Local Government Development, Philippine National Police, Metropolitan Manila Development Authority, Department of the Interior and Local Government,

Bangsamoro Planning and Development Authority, Congressional Policy and Budget Research Department and PSA officials and staff.

In his welcome remarks, OIC-DNS Maqtahar L. Manulon emphasized the role of the RSCs in steering improvements in statistical planning, programming and coordination at the subnational level as well as strengthening the local data ecosystem as needed, to raise the quality of life and standard of living of the Filipino people.

Undersecretary Rosemarie G. Edillon of NEDA, in her keynote address, presented updates on the PDP 2017 to 2022 underscoring the challenge for the RSCs to strengthen collaboration at the local level to have updated and granular data on who among the Filipinos are enjoying a life that is “matatag”, “maginhawa” and “panatag.”



Usec. Rosemarie G. Edillon of NEDA, OIC-DNS Candido J. Astrologo Jr., and OIC-DNS Maqtahar L. Manulon of PSA, with the RSC Chairs, Co-Chairs and other RSC members during the 4th RSC Summit.

Major Accomplishments



2019 Innovation Summit

The first PSA Innovation Summit was successfully conducted on 20 to 21 June in Pasay City with 238 participants composed of the PSA Executive Committee, members of the directorate and management committees, division chiefs in the central and field offices, presenters and the members of the secretariat.

The objectives of the summit were to serve as a venue to learn/share innovations among the different units within PSA and to identify possible areas of collaboration towards achievement of strategic objectives of PSA.

Out of the 71 proposals submitted, 33 were accepted by the Working Group on Program and Summit Agenda and presented during the Summit under the following categories:

1. Statistical processes and methodologies (13)
2. Statistical products and services (4)
3. Financial and administrative services (8)
4. Civil registration services (4), and
5. Information dissemination (4)

The keynote speaker during the 2019 PSA Innovation Summit was Senator Sherwin T. Gatchalian who talked about the importance of innovation on local governance. Mr. Marcelino F. Carpio, President and CEO of COGNITIF Group of Companies talked about the value of innovation in an organization by successfully completing a new idea that adds value to its users. Atty. Nancy V. Teylan, Head of BPLO of Marikina City discussed the Marikina Business Portal as an example of an innovation implemented by an LGU that paved the way for a more efficient and quality frontline service.



The Innovation Summit successfully realizes its objectives of serving as a venue for sharing innovative practices of different units in PSA, and identifying possible areas of collaboration towards the achievement of strategic objectives of PSA.



The audience attentively listen to Usec. Dennis S. Mapa, Ph.D. as he tells them that he is keen on supporting and strengthening the capability of the statistical field offices because national development is dependent on regional development.



During the breakout sessions, resource persons and participants exchanged ideas and comments on how a particular innovation could improve the quality of products and services of PSA to ensure clients satisfaction.



Major Accomplishments

Pilot 2020 Census of Population and Housing (CPH)

The Pilot 2020 CPH was conducted on 20 May to 17 June in eight pilot areas, namely: Municipality of Quirino, Isabela; Municipality of Tublay, Benguet; Barangay Santo Cristo, Quezon City; Municipality of Biri, Northern Samar; Barangay Banilad and Talamban, Cebu City; Municipality of Tagana-an, Surigao del Norte; Municipality of Dumingag, Zamboanga del Sur; and Municipality of Simunul, Tawi-Tawi.

The Pilot Census served as a dry run of all phases of census activities such as coordination; publicity and information, education, and communication (IEC) campaign; workload analysis and resource allocation; recruitment, hiring, and training; mapping, listing, and enumeration; supervision and progress monitoring; and processing of accomplished questionnaires. This was done to simulate scenarios for the actual census and come up with recommendations on the best procedures and strategies that can be adopted in the actual census.



Participants in the 2nd Level Training in Quirino, Isabela doing a mock interview in preparation for the enumeration of the 2020 CPH Pilot Census.



LISTING AND ENUMERATION:
Enumerators conducting interviews of census respondents of households using CAPI technique.

Major Accomplishments



25th Philippine Statistics Quiz (PSQ)

The 2019 PSQ is the 25th in the series. The PSA, the central statistics authority of the government on primary data collection and, the PSAI, a non-stock, non-profit organization of professional statisticians from government and non-government organizations and the academe are the organizers of this year's event. Below is the list of the 25th PSQ Winners:



National Champion

Joseph C. Mag-aso Jr. (Middle)
Region VI - Binalbagan Catholic College
Bachelor of Science in Accountancy
Coach: Mr. Carlo S. Ebeto



Jethro P. Batislaong

Region XII - Mindanao State University, General Santos City
B.S. Electronics and Communication Engineering
Coach: Dr. Jay D. Buscano



Jethro S. Modequillo

Region VII - University of the Philippines Cebu
B.S. Computer Science
Coach: Ms. Ma. Salvacion B. Pantino



Francis Ann Emmanuel G. Arcamo

Region X - MSU Iligan Institute of Technology
B.S. Statistics
Coach: Mr. Calixto G. Elnas Jr.



Sid Piolo Sta. Teresa

CAR - University of the Philippines Baguio
B.S. Computer Science
Coach: Ms. Rizzavel C. Addawe



Major Accomplishments

2018 PSA Awards

The PSA Awards is an incentive system developed to motivate PSA field offices to perform quality outputs thru mandated activities and to conduct relevant programs to support and promote PSA mission and vision. The 2018 PSA Awards Night was conducted on 21 June in Pasay City. The following were the awardees:

Top 5 Regional Statistical Services Offices (RSSOs)

MAJOR AWARDS RSSOs

1st Place	Cordillera Administrative Region
2nd Place	RSSO VIII- Eastern Visayas
3rd Place	RSSO IV-B - MIMAROPA
4th Place	RSSO XIII- Caraga
5th Place	RSSO V - Bicol

Top 15 Provincial Statistical Offices (PSOs)

MAJOR AWARDS PSOs

1st Place	Benguet
2nd Place	Rizal
3rd Place	Leyte
4th Place	Zambales
5th Place	Biliran
6th Place	Quezon
7th Place	Camiguin
8th Place	Laguna
9th Place	Tarlac
10th Place	Davao del Norte
11th Place	Pampanga
12th Place	Mountain Province
13th Place	Surigao del Norte
14th Place	Quirino
15th Place	Agusan del Sur

Regional Statistical Services Offices (RSSOs)

SPECIAL AWARDS

Best in Statistical Operations Cordillera Administrative Region
Best in Statistical Planning & Coordination Cordillera Administrative Region
Best in Statistical Frameworks & Indicator Systems RSSO III – Central Luzon
Best in Financial, Human Resource and Administrative Service RSSO I – Ilocos Region
Best in Civil Registration RSSO IVB - MIMAROPA
Best in Information Dissemination Cordillera Administrative Region
Best in Partnership and Linkages RSSO V – Bicol Region

Provincial Statistical Offices (PSOs)

SPECIAL AWARDS 2018

Best in Statistical Operations Camiguin
Best in Statistical Planning & Coordination Benguet and Bulacan
Best in Financial, Human Resource and Administrative Service Masbate
Best in Civil Registration Davao del Norte
Best in Information Dissemination Quezon
Best in Partnership and Linkages Laguna
Most Improved Province Dinagat Islands from Rank 79 in 2017 to Rank 22 in 2018





Internal Audit Forum

Officials and employees from the central and field statistical service offices participated in the forum with the theme, "Providing Oversight, Insight and Foresight to Meet Today's Challenges" from 21 to 22 February in Quezon City.

The forum which is conducted annually aims to inform PSA officials and employees on the initiatives of the Philippine Government in strengthening internal control systems and internal audit in the public sector, keeping senior management abreast on laws, rules and regulations that affect the operations of PSA.

The forum's other resource persons include Dir. Lorna D. Cabochan of the Commission on Audit (Information and Communications of Internal Control Standards for Philippine Public Sector), Atty. Jamahlin Lacandazo-Escalona of the Civil Service Commission (Salient Provisions of RA 6713 and RA 11032), General Manager and Chief Operating Officer Elaine Bernardo-Rodriguez of Franklin Covey Philippines (How to Build A Winning Culture), Dr. Enrique A. Tayag of the Department of Health (Work-Life Balance), Mr. Cleo R. Martinez and Ms. Maria Delia S. Presquito of the National Privacy Commission (Overview of the Data Privacy Act), Mr. Larry O. Pardilla of the National Archives of the Philippines (Disposition of Records), Atty. Kristtia P. Amores of the National Bureau of Investigation (Cybersecurity Threats in the Public Sector), and Atty. Froilan D. Montalban, Jr. of the Office of the President (Integrity Management Program).

2019 INTERNAL AUDIT FORUM

**PROVIDING OVERSIGHT, INSIGHT AND FORESIGHT
TO MEET TODAY'S CHALLENGES**



Atty. Alberto A. Bernardo, CESO I, Deputy Executive Secretary of the Internal Audit Office of the Office of the President discussing Internal Control and Accountability during the 2019 Internal Audit Forum.



Recognition to Maturity Level II of Program to Institutionalize Meritocracy and Excellence on Human Resource Management (PRIME-HRM)

PSA completed the requirements for the recognition to Maturity Level II of the PRIME-HRM during the CSC Audit conducted on 03 to 04, 07 to 08, and 10 October. Under the PRIME-HRM, the CSC assesses the maturity of an agency's competencies, systems and practices in the four (4) HR core systems:

1. Recruitment, Selection, and Placement,
2. Performance Management,
3. Learning and Development, and
4. Rewards and Recognition

This program aims to transform government agencies' Human Resource Management system, competencies and practices to a level of excellence that fosters good governance. PRIME-HRM entails greater engagement not just of the human resource management officer but also of the officials and the rank-and-file employees of the agency. PSA is still waiting for its recognition to PRIME HRM Maturity Level II.



PSA officials and staff with representatives from the Civil Service Commission during the CSC Audit conducted in October.



Major Accomplishments

PhilSys Pilot Test Registration

The PhilSys pilot test registration started in September to test the efficiency of the registration process and the functionality of the registration system. The target registrants were pre-determined by DSWD beneficiaries and officials, employees, and staff of member agencies of the PSPCC as identified in the implementation plan. Findings and insights will serve as inputs to enhance the current strategies and ensure the seamless implementation of the mass registration in 2020.



A ceremonial activity was held on 02 September in Quezon City to officially mark the start of the pilot registration. Following this, a series of pilot registration activities continued towards the end of the year in different locations including

the different PSPCC agencies such as PSA, HoR, DOF, DBM, DSWD, NEDA, BoT, DBM PS-GPPB, and DICT and a barangay in Navotas for the pre-determined DSWD beneficiaries. These were conducted side-by-side with the continual system configuration aligned with the findings from the pilot test.



PHILSYS IMPLEMENTATION PLAN 2019 TO 2022

Through a series of consultative workshops with relevant stakeholders in the first quarter of January, the PhilSys Implementation Plan 2019 to 2022 was developed to serve as a strategic blueprint for the successful operationalization of the national program. The plan was approved by the PSPCC in February and was later amended in August to accommodate further agreements reached by the council and technical inputs from working groups and development partners.

Approved PhilSys Registry Office (PRO) Organizational Structure

Recognizing the complexity of the establishment and implementation of the PhilSys program, the PSA sought the immediate approval of the organizational structure of the PhilSys Registry Office from the DBM in the first quarter of the year.

In August, a total of nine organizational units and 45 plantilla positions were created for the central office, distributed within the following services and divisions under the new Office of the Deputy National Statistician:





Community-Based Monitoring System (CBMS)

On 17 April, RA 11315 was signed into law establishing a community-based monitoring system. The law aims to adopt focused and specific measures ensuring poverty reduction wherein Filipino citizens have access to social protection and welfare programs that address minimum basic needs.

CBMS will generate updated and disaggregated data necessary for targeting beneficiaries, provide more comprehensive poverty analysis and needs prioritization, design appropriate policies and interventions and monitor impact overtime. PSA was tasked by law to be the lead implementing agency of CBMS.

On 16 to 17 October, PSA conducted an internal workshop for the crafting of the Implementing Rules and Regulations of RA 11315. On 22 October, a special order was signed establishing and organizing the technical working group for this. The TWG is headed by Assistant Secretary Bautista, co-chaired by OIC-DNS Astrologo of the CTCO and OIC-Direcror Atty. Palabras of the Legal Service.

On 24 October, PSA had the first consultative forum to present the initial draft of the IRR, participated in by representatives from the different agencies, private sector and the academe.

Simultaneous regional fora were also conducted with different local agencies and officials participating on 28 October in La Union and Cebu City, and on 29 October in NCR and Davao City.

Change Management

In April, the five-year stint of Undersecretary Lisa Grace S. Bersales, Ph.D. as the first National Statistician of PSA ended. Appointed by President Rodrigo R. Duterte to lead PSA for the next five years is Undersecretary Dennis S. Mapa, Ph.D. His term officially began on 27 May 2019.



Usec. Dennis S. Mapa, Ph.D. taking his oath of office as PSA National Statistician and Civil Registrar General before Secretary Ernesto M. Perina of NEDA.



Infrastructure

PSA Civil Registry Service (CRS) Transfers to a New Building

CRS transferred and officially opened its doors to the general public at PSA Complex, East Avenue, Quezon City on 01 April. The new 8-storey CRS Building houses the frontline and back-end processing of civil registry documents.

Requests for copy issuance, authentication and annotation of COLB, COM, COD and CENOMAR are accepted at the service counters on the first floor and released on the second floor. Priority lanes for Senior Citizens, PWDs and Pregnant Women are located on the first floor while the PACD for clients with queries, issues, concerns on civil registration matters is on the second floor.

The CRS Building also houses the offices of the National Statistician and Civil Registrar General, Deputy National Statistician for Civil Registration and Central Support Office, and Assistant National Statistician of CRS.



The Civil Registry System Central Outlet-East Ave., Quezon City is open from Monday to Friday from 7:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m., with no noon break.



Priority lanes for Senior Citizens, PWDs and Pregnant Women are located on the 1st floor.



Major Accomplishments



Quality Management System (QMS)

As part of PSA's commitment to continually improve its QMS and maintain its ISO 9001:2015 certification, PSA passed its second surveillance audit, conducted by TÜV Rheinland Philippines on 18 to 27 November. PSA is preparing for re-certification in 2020 to uphold its commitment to continually improve its QMS.

Recognition by other Agencies

RSSO CAR and RSSO IX Cited by Bangko Sentral ng Pilipinas (BSP) as Outstanding Partners

In recognition of their significant contribution to the BSP Report on Regional Economic Development for 2019, RSSO CAR and RSSO IX were cited as Outstanding Partners by BSP.

In separate events, the RSSO CAR received the award during the 2019 Awards Ceremony and Appreciation Lunch for stakeholders held at the BSP La Union Regional Office Convention Hall, San Fernando City, La Union on 30 July with the theme "One Team One Goal: Resilient Partnership Towards Inclusive Economic Growth." This was the fifth time since 2015 that RSSO CAR received the same award from BSP. It also received the Gold Hall of Fame in 2017 and is now gunning for the Diamond Hall of Fame award.

Meanwhile, for the fourth year, RSSO IX received the Outstanding Partner Award from BSP on 24 September in Zamboanga City during its 2019 Awarding Ceremony and Appreciation Lunch for Stakeholders. It is worth mentioning that RSSO IX in 2018 was the recipient of the Gold Hall of Fame Award. The receipt of this fourth award is a manifestation of its commitment to the PSA's vision and mission and serves as motivation to continuously strive for excellence in the production of quality statistics to clients and stakeholders.



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RD Mewchun WS. Pamaran receives the "Outstanding Partner for the Report on Regional Economic Development" trophy presented by BSP officials namely: Ms. Catherine Pinky Regala, Director of VisMin Operations Sub-Setor (left) and Mr. V. Bruce Tolentino, BSP Monetary Board Member (right).



Major Accomplishments

PSA's Outstanding Performance Recognized in the 2019 Freedom of Information (FOI) Awards

With at least 99 percent outstanding performance rating for compliance and response in the electronic freedom of information (eFOI) portal, the PSA was awarded as one of the top performing government agencies in the 2019 FOI Awards by the PCOO held on 12 December.

The 2019 FOI Awards, headed by the PCOO, was established pursuant to Memorandum Circular No. 3, s. 2019, which aims to recognize the efforts and accomplishments of government agencies, individuals, and organizations in the pursuit of ensuring the constitutional mandate of the right to information.

Ms. Simonette A. Nisperos, Chief of the Knowledge Management and Communications Division, received the plaque of recognition on behalf of the PSA.

For three years in a row, the PSA continues to be recognized for its exceptional and significant contribution to the FOI's continuous advancement. Since the first FOI Awards in 2017, the FOI Champion award was conferred to the PSA among 268 participating agencies. And last year, the PSA was also recognized as the agency with the highest number of eFOI requests.

Malasakitism Prime Mover Awarded To PSA-Mt. Province Provincial Statistical Office (MPPSO)

In 2018, a powerful tropical cyclone, Typhoon Rosita, made its landfall in Luzon causing catastrophic destruction. One of the places it hit was Natonin, Mountain Province. In acknowledgement of its overwhelming support for the typhoon victims, PSA-MPPSO was presented with the "Malasakitism Prime Mover" award. This was given during the 119th Philippine Civil Service Anniversary on 23 September in Bontoc, Mountain Province.



(PCOO Photo)

3rd Freedom of Information (FOI) Awards - Top Performing Agency Recognition. From left: FOI Program Coordinator Asec. Atty. Michel Kristian R. Ablan, PSA - Knowledge Management and Communications Division Chief Ms. Simonette A. Nisperos, and Presidential Communications Operations Office Undersecretary Atty. Marvin R. Gatpayat.



Major Accomplishments



Innovations

To enhance its organizational performance, PSA continued to uncover new ways in modifying business models and adapting to changes to achieve better products and services through the following innovative activities:

Statistical

1. Enhancement of Agriculture and Fisheries Surveys Using the Results of the 2012 CAF and 2017 LFH as Sampling Frame
2. Implementation of the reduced number of commodities in the Retail Price Survey of Agricultural Commodities
3. Integration of Livestock and Poultry Survey and Farm Price Survey
4. Pre-test of Redesigned Survey Forms for the Quarterly Aquaculture Survey
5. Pre-test of the Newly Developed Domestic Trade System
6. Linking of Survey Results into the EDRW Compilation System of the newly
7. Use of Computer-Aided Personal Interview in the conduct of the Labor Force Survey – Survey on Overseas Filipino
8. Maintenance of Business Register Integrated Monitoring and Processing System
9. Development of CPBI Data Processing and Monitoring System
10. On-line submission of Abstract of Papers during the 14th NCS including the use of Enhanced Online Registration System to facilitate generation of data for NCS participants
11. Enhanced Data Review and Validation tool using MS Excel
12. Geo-tagging of Building Structures Field Operations using Qfield
13. Launching Workshop and Dissemination Forum on Citizen-Generated Data
14. The 2018 monitoring of the PSDP 2018 to 2023 was the first of the annual monitoring of the SDPs in accordance with PSA Board Resolution No. 05, s. 2018.
15. Training/Workshop on Basic and Intermediate Remote Sensing Techniques
16. Conduct of PhilSys Strategic Planning Sessions
17. Publication of the Philippine Tourism Satellite Accounts



Subject matter division staff during one of the meetings on the enhancement of agriculture surveys



ANS Minerva Eloisa Esquivias explaining to field office personnel the importance of completion of the geo-tagging activity in their provinces as this will serve as an input to the processing of digitized maps that will be used for the 2020 CPH field operations.



The resource person discussing how to enhance, process, interpret, and assess accuracy of remotely sensed satellite images during the training / workshop on Basic and Intermediate Remote Sensing held 02 to 06 September and 30 September to 04 October, respectively in Quezon City.



Major Accomplishments

Support for Operations

1. Issuance of PSA Internal Audit Manual
2. Innovations in Knowledge Sharing
3. Enhanced Dissemination/Presentation Materials

Civil Registration

1. Support Programs to Improve Processing of Vital Statistics
 - Modified Error Checker Program
 - Business rules for data processing of birth, marriage and death records
2. Improvement in the Quality of Data in Causes of Death
 - Automated coding of causes of death using IRIS
 - Use of ANACONDA software
3. Implementation of DeCAP



Usec. Dennis S. Mapa, Ph.D. with all the representatives of CSOs/NGOs and government agencies during the launching workshop on Citizen-Generated Data in Quezon City.



Trainer's Training on the Decentralized Copy Annotation Project (DeCAP) held on 15-16 October.



Field Office Innovations

A. Statistical Processes and Methodologies

1. Administrative Data Collection Scheme for Local Level Statistics in Accordance with Statistical Standards: a MIMAROPA Experience
2. Digitizing and Geotagging of Palay and Corn Parcel
3. Harmonizing Secondary Data Collection and Setting-up of Database
4. Online Statistical Reports Monitoring System
5. Statistical Researchers Information System
6. SUPERSYS: A Supervision System for PSA Surveys
7. Trailblazing the Regional SDG Indicators Monitoring
8. Using Electronic Forms in the Collection of Weekly Cereals and Fertilizer Price Monitoring

B. Statistical Products and Services

9. Computer Assisted Personal Interview for Timely and Reliable Customer Satisfaction Survey Results
10. Computer-Aided Customer Satisfaction Survey
11. E-Client Feedback Form for Online Data Requests

C. Financial and Administrative

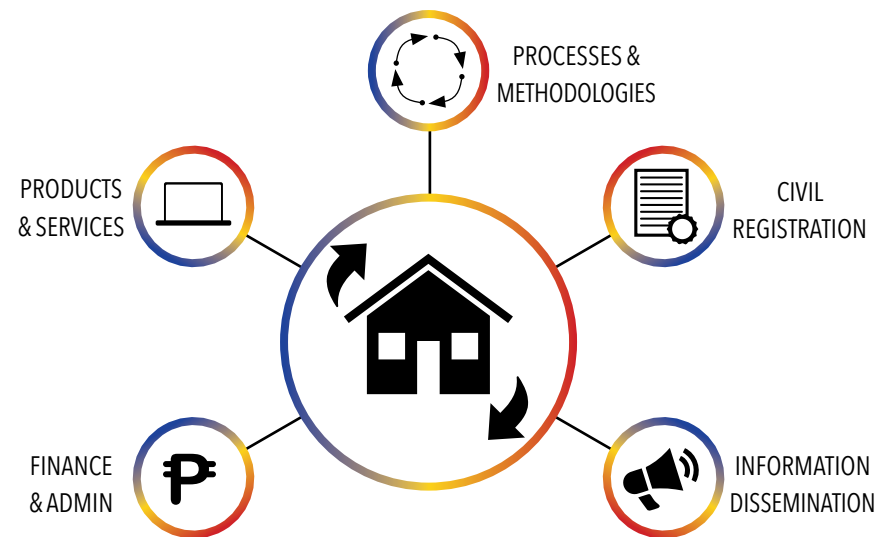
12. "e-inventory"
13. Electronic Disbursement and Procurement System
14. Electronic Routing System Improving Accountability, Traceability & Transparency In Handling Official Documents
15. In-House Accounting Information System
16. Leveraging Technology on the Use of Employee Training Tracking System:
17. Offline repository for QMS forms
18. Procurement Monitoring Tool
19. Supply Inventory Information System
20. The HRIS-RSSO XII Version 1.0

D. Civil Registration Service

21. Juan Click Info System - Module on e-Verification: Addressing Queues & Verifying Status of Documents
22. Juan Click Info System - Module on e-Notification System: Addressing long Queues and Promoting the Importance of Time Management
23. Strengthening Civil Registration and Vital Statistics Through Tablet based Data Collection for Barangay Civil Registration System

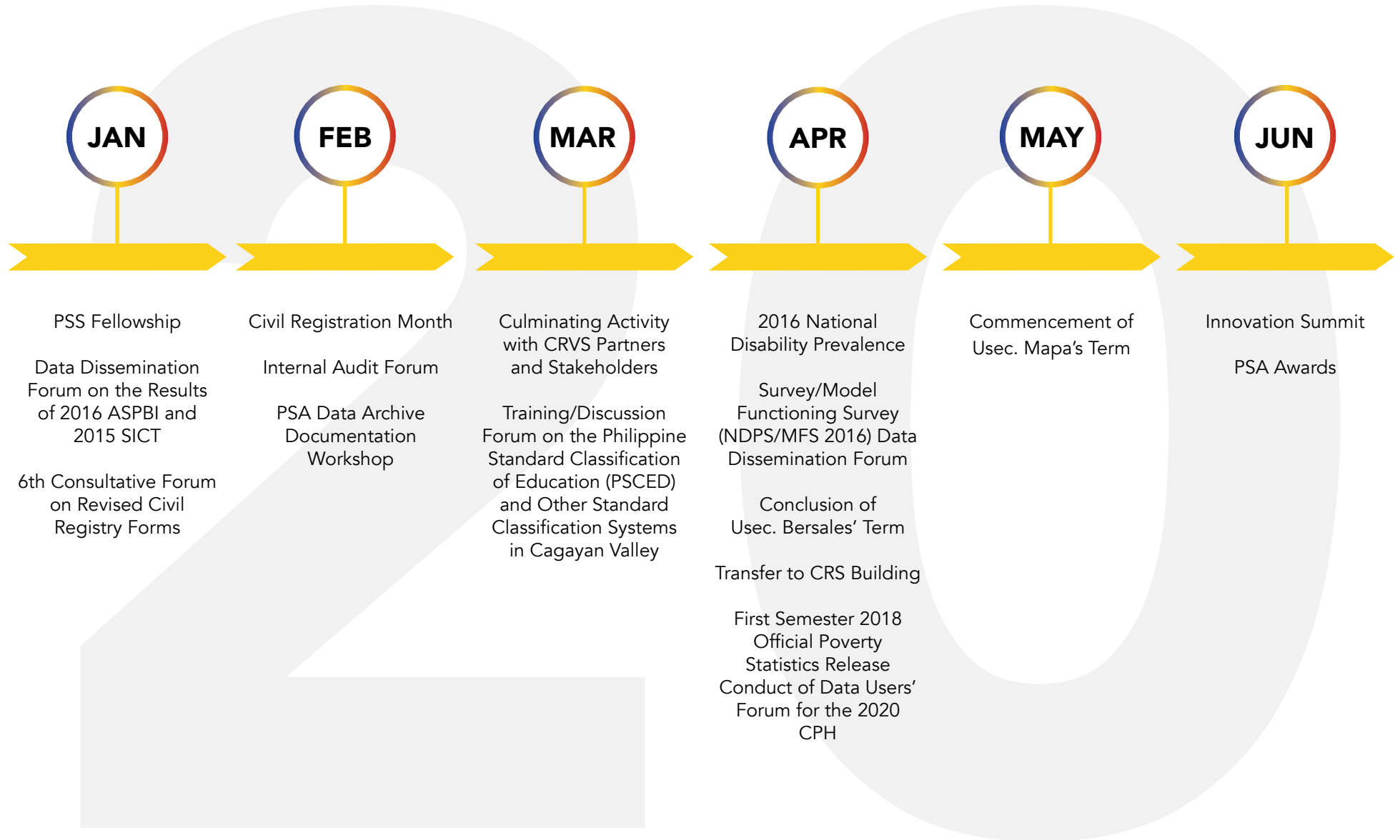
E. Information Dissemination

24. FIES Video Guide: Enabling Better Understanding
25. Recorded Voice Announcements in CRS Outlet.
26. Thematic Mapping: A New Way to Visualize Data

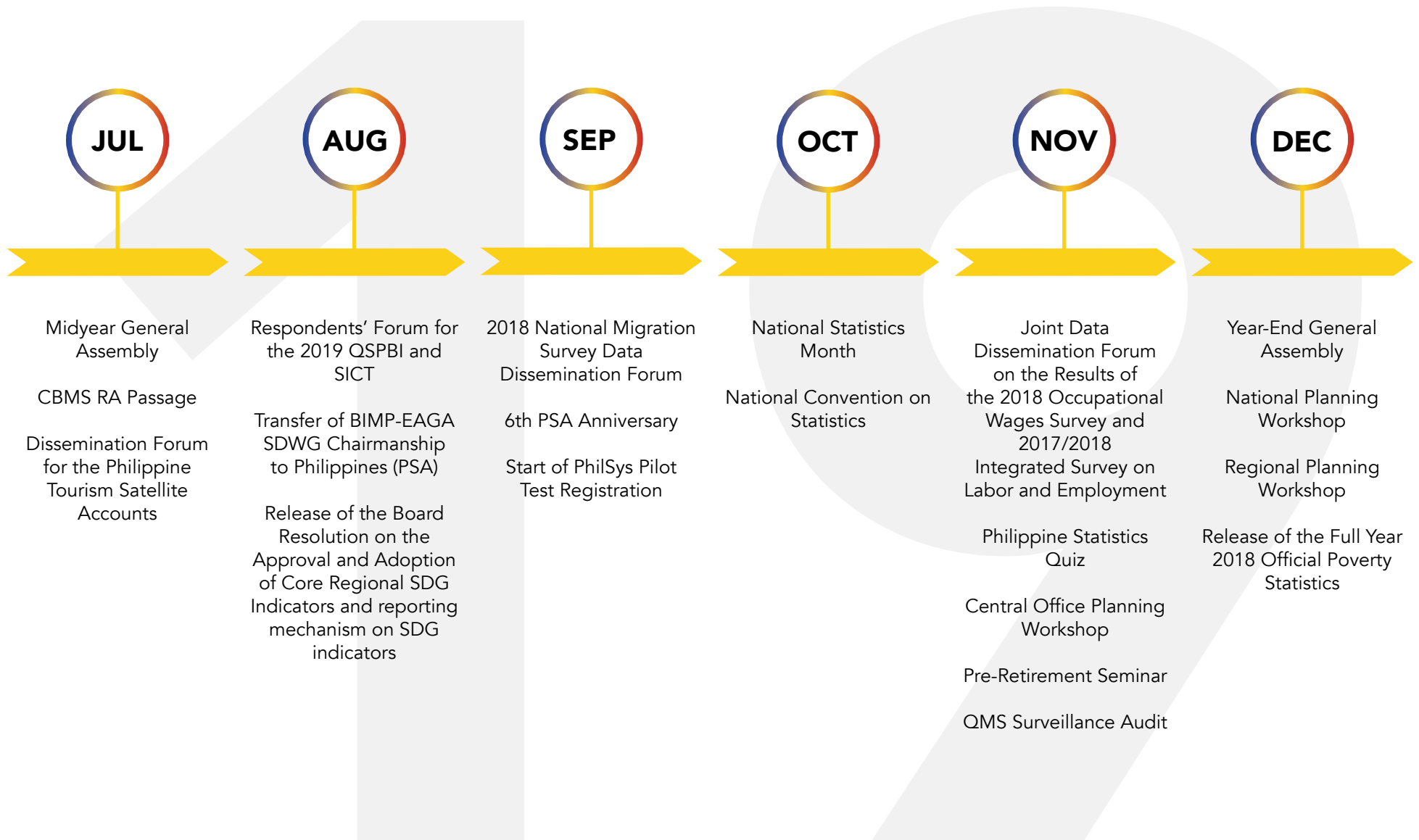




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Cultural Presentations



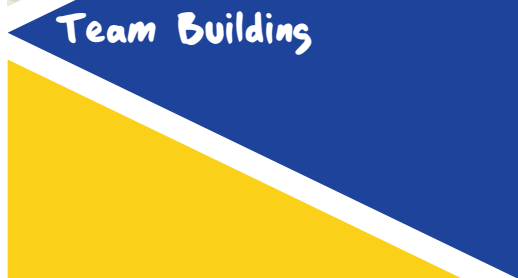
PSA STORIES: BEYOND THE SNAPSHOTS



Zumba



Sports Fest



Team Building





ACCOMPLISHMENTS BY PROGRAM



Accomplishments by Program



PSA is the central statistical authority for the Philippine government on primary data collection. It is responsible for carrying out, enforcing and administering civil registration laws in the country. It also has a primary role in the overall planning, management, and administration of the PhilSys. Cognizant of these mandates, PSA accomplished the following output and activities under its five major programs:

I. National Statistical Development Program

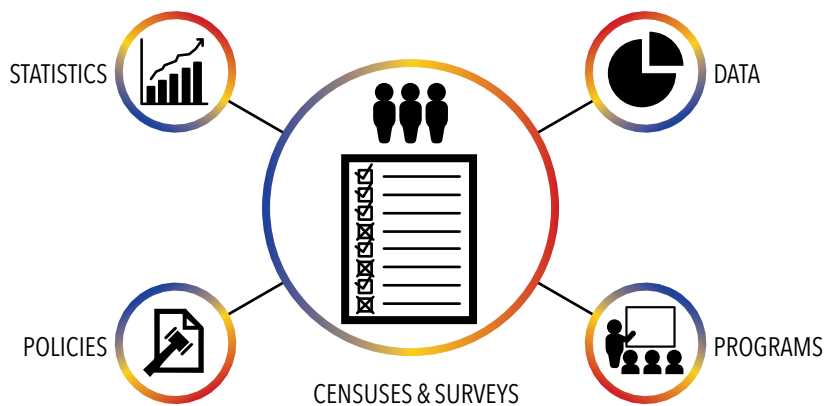
As the Philippines' source of official statistics, PSA is committed to delivering relevant and reliable statistics from the censuses and surveys it is mandated to conduct. Statistics generated under this national statistical development program are in support of formulation, implementation, and administration of policies and programs as inputs for evidence-based decision making. PSA also promotes and develops integrated social and economic statistics and coordinates plans for the integration of those statistics.



PSA holds press briefings on the results of January to October 2019 survey rounds of the LFS simultaneously with the monthly inflation



The PSA Board approves the Methodology in Rebasing the GRPI, CMRPI, and GWPI on 13 August during its meeting in Pasig.



Accomplishments by Program



1. Approval of the Rebasing of GWPI, GRPI and CMRPI to Base Year 2012
2. Approval and Adoption of Core Regional SDG Indicators and national data flow and reporting mechanism on SDG indicators
3. Computation of Standard Errors and Coefficient of Variations for ASPBI, PPS and CPS
4. Generation and Provision of Sampling Frames and List of Samples
5. Implementation of the 2019 Functional Literacy, Education and Mass Media Survey Operations
6. Pilot Surveys for Redesigned Agriculture Surveys
7. Labor Turnover Survey
8. Conduct of 2019 Labor Force Survey and Survey on Overseas Filipinos
9. Conduct of Pretest on 2020 Census of Agriculture and Fisheries Core Module in Bulacan
10. Integrated Processing of Geo-tagged Building Structures Using QGIS: Updating of Digitized Maps and EA Delineation for the Development of EA Reference File for the 2020 CPH
11. 2019 Annual Poverty Indicators
12. Release of the First Semester 2018 and 2018 Full Year Official Poverty Statistics of the Philippines
13. Compilation of Statistical Indicators on Philippine Development
14. Decent Work Statistics
15. Training-Workshop on the Construction of Wealth Index using APIS Data
16. Training/Workshop on Preparation of Effective Dissemination of Information, Education and Communication for Different Stakeholders
17. Validation Workshop on the 2018 Provincial Food Thresholds
18. Writeshop on the 2022 Census of Agriculture and Fisheries Questionnaires
19. Conduct of Briefing on the 2018 CPBI-DPMS RSSO Module
20. Press briefings on the results January to October 2019 survey rounds of the LFS.
21. Preparation and Printing of Barangay / EA Block Maps and Development of Enumeration Area Reference File for the 2020 CPH
22. Formulation of the Statistical Handbook of Child Poverty and Disparities
23. Field Visit and Validation for the Disaggregation of Crops, Livestock and Poultry, Fisheries, and Price Statistics for Davao del Sur and Davao Occidental



Mr. Jaime A. Manalo, as resource person, giving his lecture on communication planning during the training/workshop on "Preparation of Effective Dissemination of Materials for Different Groups of Stakeholders held on 26 to 30 August.





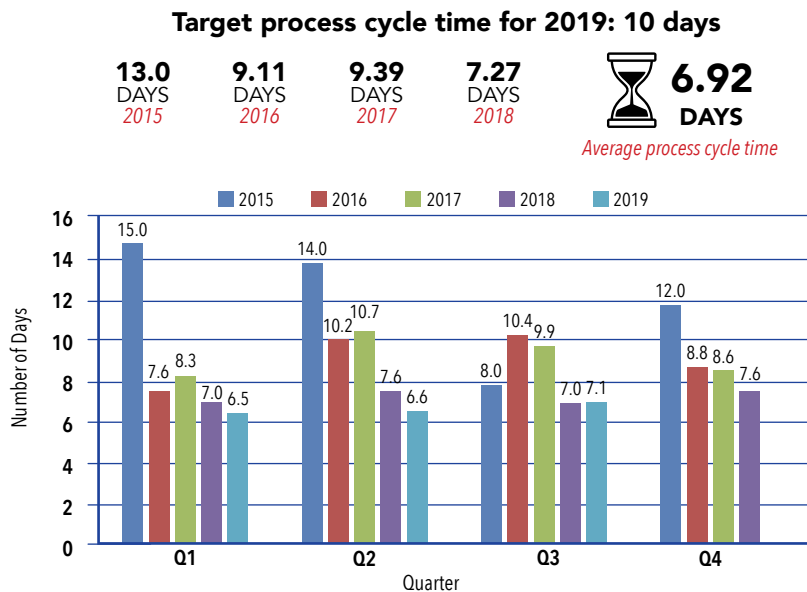
Accomplishments by Program

II. Statistical Policy and Coordination Program

PSA, as the central authority on statistical matters in the Philippines, steers the PSS through formulation and issuance of statistical policies and coordination of various statistical programs and activities. PSA also develops and prescribes uniform standards and classification systems in the generation of official government statistics to ensure harmonization and comparability of statistics in the Philippines and at the international level. On this note, PSA performed the following tasks during the year:

1. Statistical Budget Review System
2. Implementation of Statistical Survey Review and Clearance System
3. Monitoring and Modification of the System of Designated Statistics
4. Monitoring and updating of the Special Data Dissemination Standard
5. Monitoring of the Philippine Statistical Development Program 2018 to 2023
6. Formulation of Statistical Policies
7. Updating of the PSA Data Archive
8. Updating of classification systems for PSGC
 - a. Interagency Committee on PSS Resources
 - b. Interagency Committee on SSC
 - c. Task Force on Citizen-Generated Data for Official Reporting
9. Coordination of the Interagency Committees
10. Responses to questionnaires/surveys from international/regional bodies
11. Comments on UN and international handbooks, guidelines and materials

Average SSRCS process cycle time by quarter, 2015-19



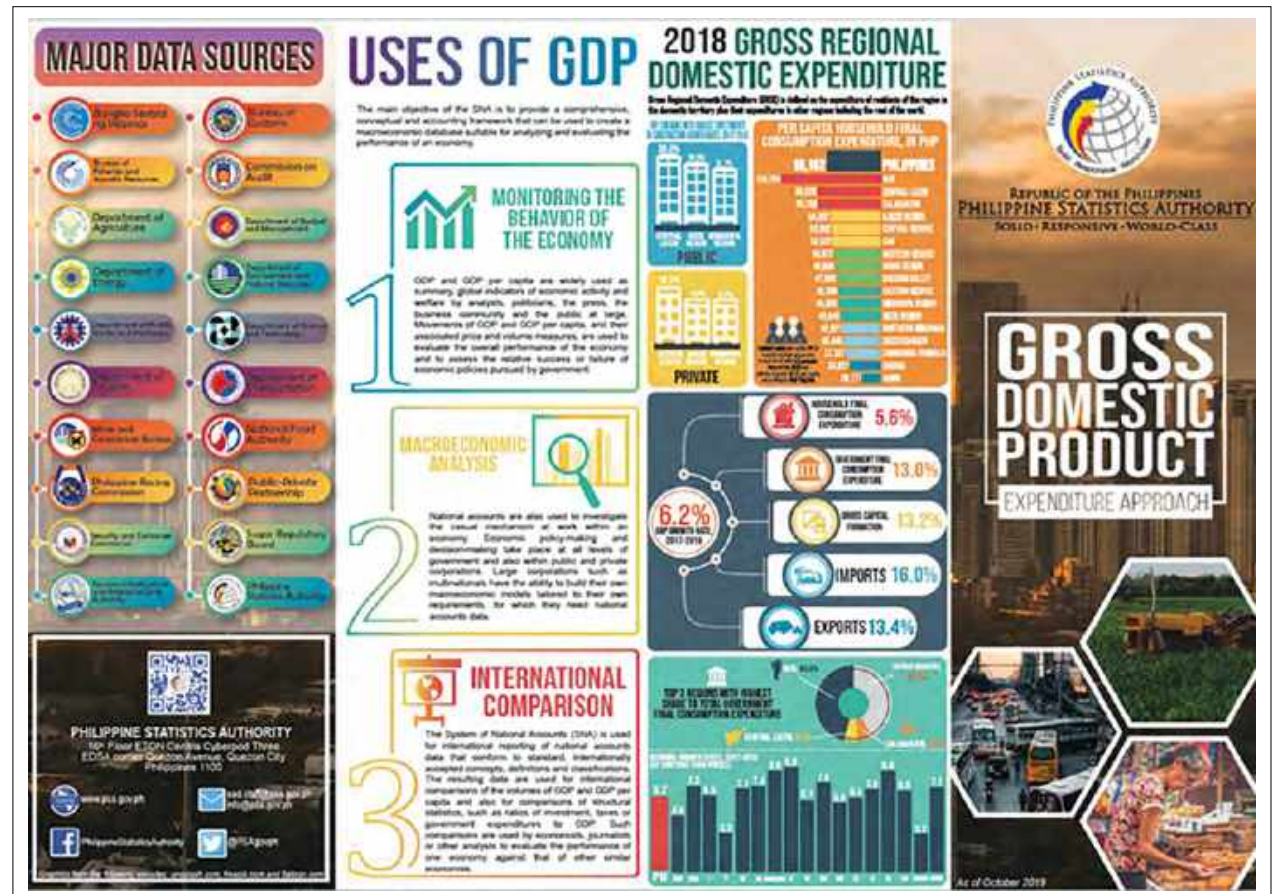
Mr. Paolo Victor T. Redondo, one of the resource persons of the training, assists participants during the training on Web Scraping Price Data.



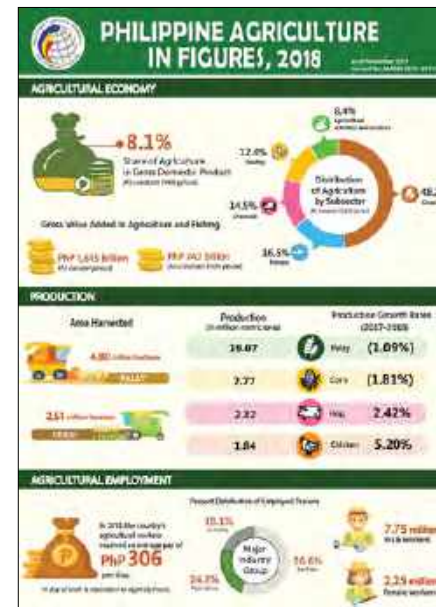
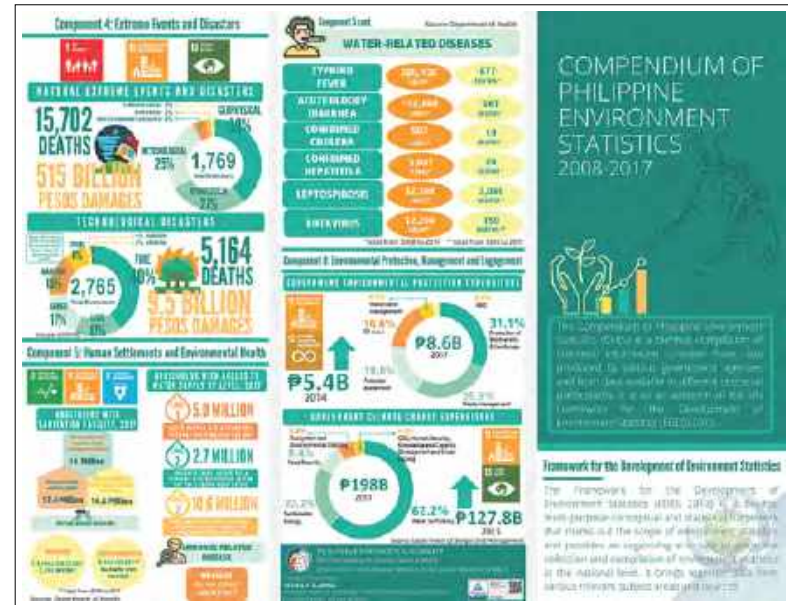
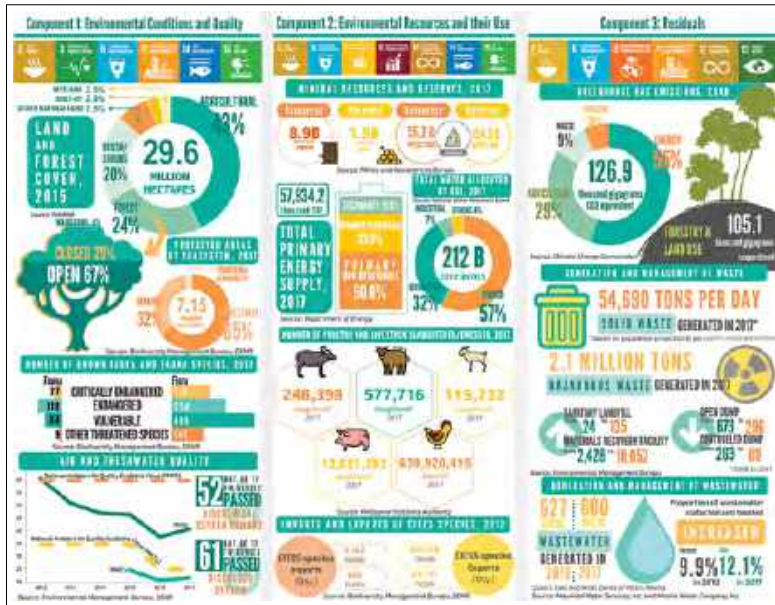
III. Statistical Frameworks and Indicators Program

As PSA is mandated to promote and develop integrated social and economic statistics, it maintains various systems related to various sets of frameworks and indicator systems such as the following:

1. Performance of Philippine Agriculture
2. Gross Regional Domestic Expenditure
3. Consolidated Accounts/Income Outlay Accounts
4. Quarterly Economic Indices
5. Agricultural Indicators System
6. Approved Foreign Investments
7. Philippine National Health Accounts
8. Regional Agricultural Production Accounts
9. Food Balance Sheet
10. Trends in Agricultural Wage Rates
11. Selected Statistics on Agriculture
12. Updated Production Costs and Returns of Selected Agricultural Commodities
13. Commodity Fact Sheets
14. Supply Utilization of Selected Agricultural Commodities
15. Environment Statistics
16. Developing Environmental Accounts



Accomplishments by Program

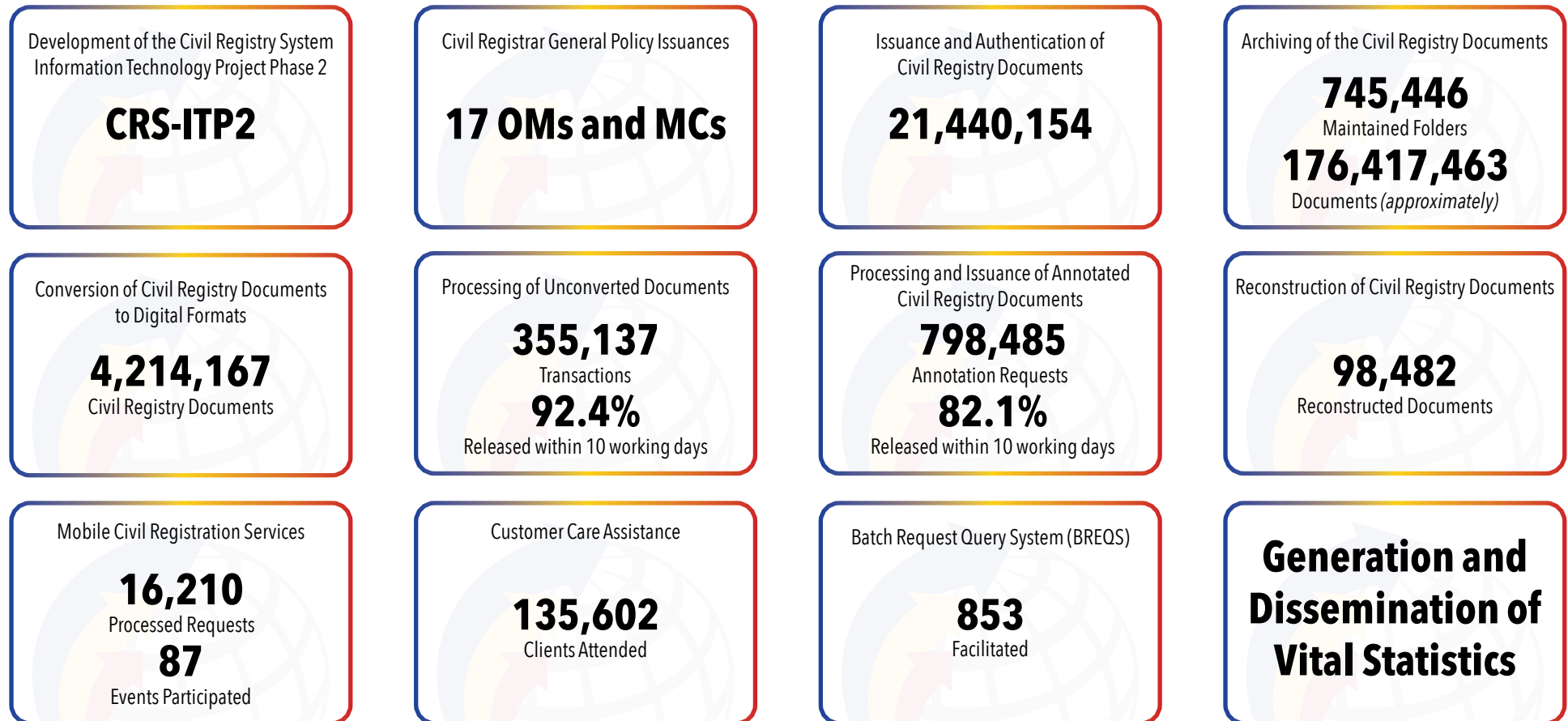


Accomplishments by Program



IV. Civil Registration Program

Providing civil registration services is a unique function of PSA in order to manage an efficient civil registration system for the Filipino people. As stipulated in RA 10625, PSA carries out and administers the implementation of the laws governing civil registration in the Philippines. Under this program, PSA is to accomplish civil registration transactions, conduct capacity building activities for local civil registrars, and achieve a high client satisfaction rating in the frontline services listed below.





Accomplishments by Program



V. Philippine Identification System

Per RA 11055, PSA has been designated as the implementing agency of the PhilSys and shall be responsible for its over-all planning, management and administration with the technical assistance from the DICT. In its pioneering stage, the following were initiated:

1. PhilSys Manual of Instructions
2. PhilSys Information Awareness Campaign
3. Technical Assistance Meetings with ADB and World Bank
4. Results Framework Workshop
5. Privacy Impact Assessment
6. Registration Kits Procurement
7. Automated Biometric Identification System Procurement
8. PSA-BSP MOA Signing for Card Production and Personalization
9. Systems Integrator Procurement
10. Adoption of the Modular Open Source Identity Platform
11. Training for PhilSys Speakers' Bureau
12. PhilSys Policy and Coordination Council Meetings
13. Creation of Inter-Agency Committees for the PhilSys





REGIONAL ACCOMPLISHMENTS





Regional Accomplishments

Providing technical assistance and support as may be required in the implementation of all statistical operations, coordination, and development activities at the subnational level of PSA is one of the functions of the RSSOs and its PSOs in the country. The RSSOs and PSOs are also responsible for the civil registration and vital statistics services and coordinating activities in the region. A new task on the implementation of the Philippine Identification System (PhilSys) has been included in their mandate. For 2019, the following activities were listed among the highlights of their accomplishments:

RSSO NCR Staff Present Papers During the PSA Innovation Summit and 14th National Convention on Statistics

RSSO NCR found a new way for the agency to visualize and present data to its users and stakeholders through the use of maps. Mr. Collioni P. Altares presented this innovation titled, Thematic Mapping: A New Way to Visualize Data during the 2019 Innovation Summit on 21 June. Mr. Altares showcased different types of maps such as static and dynamic two-dimensional and three-dimensional thematic maps, map slider using QGIS. Meanwhile, Ms. Jenny G. Amora, Statistical Specialist II presented a paper during the 14th National Convention on Statistics on 01 to 03 October titled, Small Area Estimation of Comprehensive Knowledge of Women Ages 15 to 49 Years on Human Immunodeficiency Virus in the Philippines, under Small Area Estimation.



RSSO CAR is PSA's Top Performing Regional Office in 2018

RSSO CAR emerged as the Top Performing Regional Office in the country during the PSA Awards Night held on 21 June in Pasay City. PSA CAR also garnered First Place in three special categories namely, Information Dissemination, Statistical Planning and Coordination, and Statistical Operations. Moreover, the office was also the recipient of the Third Place award in Civil Registration and Partnership and Linkages categories and Fifth Place in Statistical Frameworks and Indicators System.





RSSO I Conducts its 1st PSA Media Forum

PSA RSSO I conducted its 1st PSA Media Forum on 13 December in San Juan, La Union. The media forum was participated by media practitioners from print and broadcast media organizations in Ilocos Region. The forum aimed to inform the media about PSA products and services.



RSSO II Three-Storey Building Phase 1 Completed

The construction of the new PSA RSSO II 3-Storey Building located at the Regional Government Center, Carig Sur, Tuguegarao City, Cagayan started on 21 June 2018. With a contract duration of 300 calendar days and contract amount of Php 25,113,432.09, the office adopted the Agency to Agency Procurement, and entered a Memorandum of Agreement with the DPWH. Phase 1 was completed on 29 November 2019 with a Certificate of Acceptance and Turnover signed by Regional Director Marilyn T. Estrada.



First Data Dissemination Forum on Economic Indicators in PSA RSSO III

RSSO III held its First Data Dissemination Forum on Economic Indicators on 28 August in the City of San Fernando, Pampanga. During the forum, NEDA Region III Senior Economic Development Specialist Ina Christia M. De Jesus presented the Central Luzon's Socio-Economic Performance for 2018. The GRDP 1990 to 2018, results of the 2016 Annual Survey of Philippine Business and Industry, and the 2018 Listing of Establishments were also presented during the forum by the RSSO III SOCD staff.





Regional Accomplishments

CALABARZON Regional Statistics Committee Bags Best RSC for Luzon and Best Regional Statistics Committee (Overall)

PSA Calabarzon takes pride in receiving the Best Regional Statistics Committee for Luzon and Best Regional Statistics Committee (Overall) during the 4th RSC Summit held on 14 to 15 November in Makati City. The RSC Awards system recognizes the RSCs for their outstanding commitment and exemplary dedication in serving as policymaking body on regional statistical matters and a forum for resolving statistical issues at the local level.

First Data Festival in PSA RSSO MIMAROPA

PSA MIMAROPA held its First Data Festival on 11 November in Calapan City. The event was attended by a total of 79 participants: 17 from the RSC, 24 from different schools, 2 from TV Net and 36 from PSA MIMAROPA Staff and Secretariat.

Construction of the two-storey RSSO V Building, 82.83% Complete as of 30 November

The on-going construction of the two-storey RSSO V Building is expected to be finished in 2020. The building is being constructed at the Regional Site Center, Rawis, Legazpi City with the direct supervision and technical assistance of the DPWH Region V. Based on the recent status report submitted by DPWH V, the actual accomplishment was reported to be at 82.83% as of 30 November. These accomplishments were made through the efforts of the RSSO V Building Committee headed by Regional Director Cynthia L. Perdiz, in close coordination with concerned divisions/agencies such as PSA-Information Technology and Dissemination Service, the DICT, and the Bicol Regional Government Center Association. On 19 December, Undersecretary Dennis S. Mapa, Ph.D. conducted a site visit and discussed with DPWH V and RSSO V Building Committee other details about the construction.





RSSO VI Organizes Training on RA 9184

To further capacitate the office personnel involved in the procurement activities of the agency, RSSO VI organized a training program on Republic Act 9184 for its BAC members and end-users on 12 July. Furthermore, the training aimed to inform the involved personnel regarding the development and updates on government procurement. With Ms. Jasmin L. Vargas, Chief Administrative Officer of the Finance Division of West Visayas State University as its resource speaker, the participants of the training were given the overview of RA 9184 and its 2016 revised Implementing Rules and Regulations. Moreover, the roles of each member of the procurement organization, the procurement process flow and the types of procurement were clearly explained by Ms. Vargas.



RSSO VII Receives ISO 9001: 2015 Certification

The RSSO VII received its ISO 9001:2015 Certificate from TÜV Rheinland on 15 February. This means that RSSO VII met the requirements of ISO 9001:2015. Previously, RSSO VII underwent a Certification Audit for ISO 9001:2015 Quality Management System checked by TÜV Rheinland on 16 November 2018.





Regional Accomplishments

RSSO VIII Holds 1st Eastern Visayas Data Festival

As part of the highlights of the 30th NSM celebration, RSSO VIII held the First Eastern Visayas Data Festival on 29 October bannered the theme “Bringing Statistics Closer to the People”. A total of 199 officials/representatives of national line agencies, local government units and faculty and students of public and private higher education institutions participated in the said event. During the plenary session, CSS Mae R. Almonte, Chief, SOCD presented the Evolution of Philippine Statistics, how the PSS works, its coordination framework, structures and mechanisms. Other speakers were Dir. Leo Cipriano L. Urbiztondo of the DICT who gave an overview of the Data Privacy Act of 2012, its importance to the individual, the government and the private sector. He also talked about the creation of the National Privacy Commission. Dr. Erwin Vincent G. Alcala, President of St. Paul School of Professional Studies shared his experience on how his school used statistics and came up with effective strategies to reach its vision and mission of becoming a prime learning institution in the region. Meanwhile, Dr. Norberto Milla, Dean of the Department of Statistics, Visayas State University provided career development guidance for students in the field of statistics.



CSC Commissioner Atty. Aileen Lourdes A. Lizada commends PSA RSSO IX

Atty. Aileen Lourdes A. Lizada, Commissioner of the Civil Service Commission, made a surprise visit to PSA RSSO IX. She asked selected clients about the quality of the services being offered by the office and received positive feedback.



CSC Comm. Lizada together with Engr. Garcia, CRASD Chief and the CRASD Staff



CSC Comm. Lizada together with Engr. Garcia, CRASD Chief (right), Ms. Lumapas, Outlet Supervisor (left) and Mr. Crausus, Unisys Associate.



RSSO X Updates LCRs on CRVS

As part of the activities lined up for the CRVS Decade, a workshop for Local Civil Registrars of Region 10 was spearheaded by RSSO X. The said workshop aimed to discuss the updates, concerns and suggestions for the remaining years of CRVS Decade. Through the workshop, the LCRs were able to plan out the activities to be scheduled for the remaining years of CRVS decade. The event took place on 10 October in Cagayan De Oro.



RSSO XI Holds Regional Forum of Local Civil Registrars (LCRs)

On 27 September, RSSO XI conducted a Regional Forum of LCRs at its regional office participated by Registration Officers of PSA Region XI and LCRs from the Municipalities of Davao Region. During the forum, the LCRs presented their processes and practices in the implementation of Civil Registration Laws particularly on the registration of births, marriages, and deaths, and the institutionalization of the said laws. It also served as a venue for exchanging ideas and sharing best practices towards the harmonization and more efficient delivery of Civil Registration services in Davao Region. During the forum, RSSO XI disseminated the data on birth registration in Davao Region. The said data served as baseline on planning and intervention towards the goal of complete birth registration.



Consultative Forum on BIMP-EAGA

The Consultative Forum on the BIMP-EAGA was conducted from 30 to 31 January in General Santos City. It was organized by PSA and hosted by RSSO XII. The said Forum was spearheaded by Usec. Lisa Grace S. Bersales, Ph.D. One of the outputs of the activity was the identification of a list of indicators for the eight clusters/sectors of the BIMP-EAGA initiative. Also present were OIC-DNS Rosalinda P. Bautista, OIC-ANS Divina Grace L. Del Prado, ANSs Wilma A. Guillen, and Vivian R. Ilarina, PSA regional directors of Mimaropa, IX, X, XI, XII, ARMM and CARAGA with their respective BIMP-EAGA focal persons and other division chiefs from the Central Office.



PSA Officials and delegates of the Consultative Forum on BIMP-EAGA held on 30 to 31 January at Greenleaf Hotel, General Santos City



Regional Accomplishments

RSSO Caraga Conducts its 13th Interagency and LGU Statistics Quiz

RSSO XIII in collaboration with the Bangko Sentral ng Pilipinas and the Regional Statistics Committee (RSC) conducted the 13th Inter-Agency and LGU Statistics Quiz during the 30th NSM Closing Ceremony on 25 October in Butuan City. This contest was participated in by 18 teams from different agencies and local government units (LGUs) in the region. Each team was composed of two representatives.

After the 3-round quiz, the Philippine Science High School (PSHS) Caraga Region Campus emerged as the champion. The Department of Education (DepEd) and Agusan del Norte Electric Cooperative (ANECO) were declared second and third placer, respectively.

Winners received cash prizes, tokens and certificates of recognition. Non-winners received consolation prizes, tokens and certificates of participation. Sponsoring agencies were: DENR (cash prize for the 1st placer); PSA (cash prize and consolation prizes); BSP (tokens); and DOT (tokens).

The contest is conducted annually in the region during the NSM celebration every October. It is aimed to promote the importance of statistics and enhance awareness on the value of statistics among agencies and LGUs in the region



Contestants in the 13th Inter Agency and LGU Statistics Quiz during the 30th NSM Closing Ceremony held on 25 October in Butuan City.

RSSO BARMM Conducts Stakeholders Forum and Workshop on Economic Accounting

A Stakeholders Forum and Workshop on Economic Accounting was conducted on 04 to 16 August in Cotabato City with DNS Rosalinda Bautista as resource person. On 25 January, the BARMM was formed after voters decided to ratify the Bangsamoro Organic Law in a plebiscite - replacing the Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao. This reformed various aspects of governance in the region such as its statistical landscape, particularly on the composition of the data users and producers. Thus, the need to revisit the data collection mechanisms due to the modifications in the geographical and economic boundaries, and to reconsider the process of economic accounting in the region. This includes revisiting the boundaries of economic territory, data and data sources, industry classifications, accounting method, and statistical data presentation and analyses.



BARMM stakeholders, together with PSA officials during the forum.



SUPPORT FOR OPERATIONS





Planning and Management

1. 2019 to 2023 Strategic Plan, Validation Sessions and Integrative Workshop in April and June, respectively
2. Execom, ManCom, Directorate and Middle Managers' Meetings
3. National Planning and Regional Planning Workshops

Statistical Methodology

1. Enhancing the Survey Design of the Palay Production Survey and Corn Production Survey
2. Upgrading the Survey Design of the Backyard Livestock and Poultry Survey
3. Improvement of the Quarterly Commercial Fishery Survey, Quarterly Municipal Fishery Survey and Quarterly Inland Fisheries Survey
4. Leveraging Data: Statistical Methodology Unit Conducted Trainings on Time Series Analysis and Big Data Analytics
5. Adopting advanced forecasting methods
6. Disaggregating data Using Small Area Estimation and Big Data Analytics

Internal Audit

1. Audit of Frontline Services at the Census Serbilis Central Outlet
2. Audit of 2018 Public Bidding Activities
3. Special Audits
4. Advisory Services

Legal Service

1. Speaking engagement regarding different laws
2. Processing of RA 9048/10172 petitions - 145,314 petitions.
3. Court hearings representation
4. Concerns coursed through different channels
5. Reviewed 226 Memoranda of Agreement/Memoranda of Understanding
6. Provision of legal assistance to 2,243 cases
7. Drafting of the Implementing Rules and Regulations of RA 11222

Finance and Administration

1. Unqualified Opinion findings of the Commission on Audit - PSA was given this highest audit rating for fairly presenting its financial position and keeping its financial statements in order
2. Orientation for Petty Cash Custodians
3. Submission of the FY 2020 Budget Proposal
4. Training on RA 9184 and its Revised IRR
5. Training / Workshop on Asset Tracking System Version 2 Clusters 1 and 2

Human Resource Development

1. Filled Plantilla Positions – Personnel Complement as of 31 December 2019



Central Office

**Plantilla: 884
Filled Up: 691**



Field Office

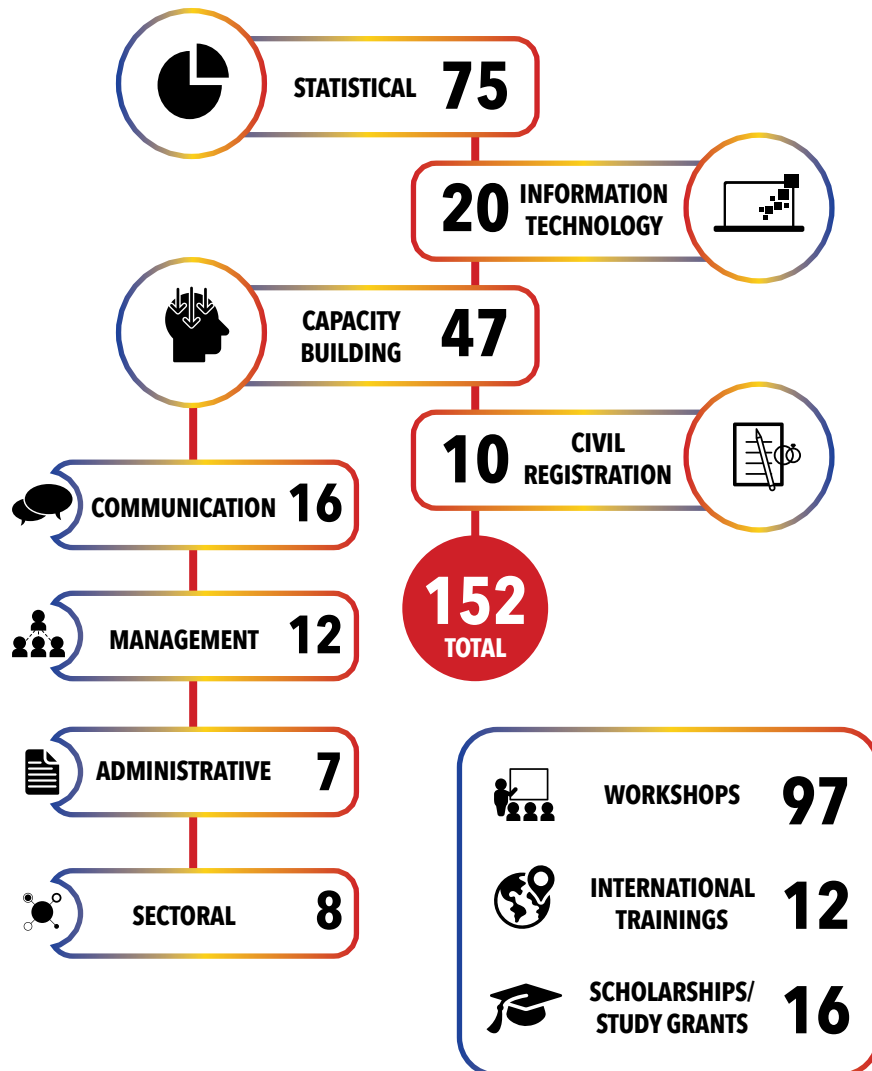
**Plantilla: 1959
Filled Up: 1598**

Total Plantilla: 2,843

Total Filled Up: 2,289

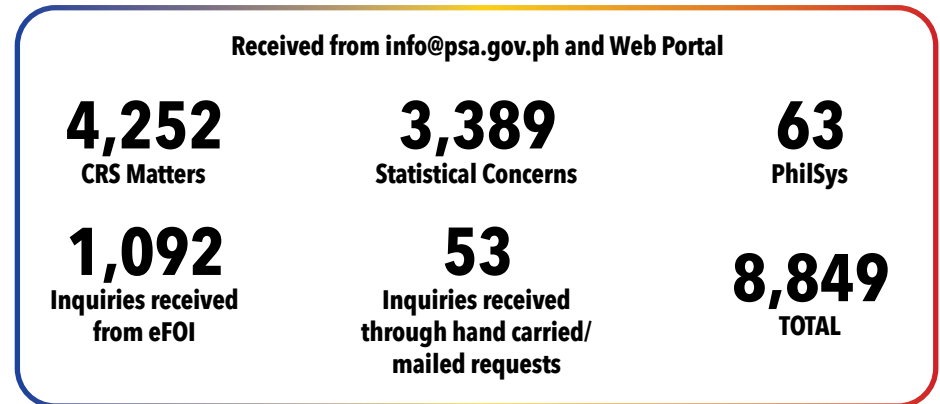


Trainings and Workshops Conducted/Attended by Staff



Information Dissemination

PSA delivers countless ways of providing its clients easy access to statistics and information.



Majority of the data requesters were business researchers and analysts (2,756). It was followed by government agencies/GOCCs (1,483), media (204), and the academe (91).

Meanwhile, the most requested data were on labor and employment (1,134), population (1043), income/poverty (680), prices (453), trade/industry (363), agriculture (363), vital statistics (136), and national accounts (91).



Library Services

The PSA library has provided assistance to 751 walk-in researchers. The effort to provide world-class frontline service was manifested in its 98.47 percent customer satisfaction rating for the whole year. Moreover, the library accomplished cataloging of 25 publications a month and provided inputs to E-Library System. This is currently being developed and contains 1,686 book descriptions, 1,339 links, and 741 publications converted into PDF format.

5. Publication and Information Dissemination thru Different Media

- Monthly Statistical Indicators
- The Philippine Statistics in Brief
- The National Quickstat
- 2019 Philippines in Figures
- 2019 Philippine Statistical Yearbook
- Catalogue of PSA Publications
- Quarterly PSA Newsletter
- PSA Serbilis sa Radyo Program
- Monitoring of PSA Social Media
- Mailing List: 137 press releases and other publicity materials were generated and sent directly to PSA's media partners.

6. Maintenance and Improvement of PSA Website

7. Support for the International Working Groups on Data Sharing, Analysis, and Dissemination

Information Technology

1. Development of 160 Microdata for Data Marts
2. Crafting of 5 policies and 5 guidelines for database management
3. Operation and Maintenance of File/Data Repositories
4. Data Registry and Operation and Maintenance of UMID-CVS
5. System Quality Assurance Monitoring and Activities
6. Four trainings/workshops on Information Systems Strategic Plan
7. Installation of Local Network Security for protection against external intrusions, breach and attacks via internet
8. Development and enhancement of 36 Systems and Applications
 - Household-based (5)
 - Census-based (2)
 - Establishment-based (11)
 - Agriculture-based (8)
 - Administrative-based (10)



STRENGTHENING COORDINATION AND PARTNERSHIPS



Strengthening Coordination and Partnerships

PSA proactively coordinates and makes partnerships with its various stakeholders to effectively manage its statistical operations and processes. PSA confers with the local and international statistical community in terms of statistical development, standards and practices. It also engages in partnerships with local government units, academe, private sector and the media, as it commits to bringing statistics closer to the people. Strengthening coordination with its various stakeholders is essential towards achieving the shared goal of better statistics, better policies and improved lives for the Filipino people.

I. Coordination of Interagency Committees

PSA establishes various inter-agency committees on statistics whose responsibility is to provide proper coordination among agencies and to help resolve agency and sectoral concerns on statistical matters. This is done by providing appropriate venue where concerned producers, users and other stakeholders of statistical data meet to discuss issues and concerns to arrive at solutions.

LIST of IACs and TWGs (as Secretariat)

Inter-Agency Committees

1. Price Statistics
2. Trade and Industry Statistics
3. Macroeconomic Accounts Statistics
4. Agriculture and Fishery Statistics
5. Investment Statistics
6. Science, Technology and Innovation Statistics
7. Tourism Statistics
8. Environment and Natural Resources Statistics
9. Monetary, Financial and Government Finance Statistics
10. Information and Communications Technology Statistics
11. Poverty Statistics
12. Gender and Children Statistics
13. Labor and Productivity Statistics
14. Governance Statistics
15. Education Statistics
16. Migration Statistics
17. Health and Nutrition Statistics
18. Security, Justice and Peace Statistics

19. Social Protection Statistics
20. Population and Housing Statistics
22. Agriculture and Fisheries Statistics
23. Civil Registration and Vital Statistics
24. Statistical Information Management and Dissemination
25. Statistical Standards and Classifications - Chair
26. PSS Resources - Chair
27. Communications (PhilSys)
28. Legal Affairs (PhilSys)
29. Technology (PhilSys)
30. Registration and Validation (PhilSys)
31. Use Cases and Authentication (PhilSys)

Task Force

32. Big Data for Official Statistics
33. Citizen-Generated Data for Official Reporting
34. SDG Focal Points
35. PSA SDG Team

Technical Working Group

36. Trade in Goods
37. Industry
38. Trade-in Services
39. Livestock and Poultry Statistics
40. Mineral Resources Statistics
41. Energy Resources Statistics
42. Water Resources Statistics
43. Land and Soil Resources Statistics
44. Disaster Statistics
45. Investment Statistics
46. Science, Technology and Innovation Statistics
47. Corporate Database
48. Gender and Children Indicator System
49. Geographic Code



II. Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR)

Over the years, as part of its continuing commitment to contribute to economic development while improving the quality of life of its workforce as well as the community and society at large, PSA has been actively involved in its various CSR initiatives. For 2019, PSA participated in numerous CSR programs aimed at recognizing social awareness and environmental concerns while promoting a greener, more culturally conscious attitude to both its workforce and stakeholders. Among its CSR activities for the year were the following:

- The 1st PSS Clean-up Drive / PSS Outreach
- Tree Planting
- Feeding Program



The 2nd PSS Outreach Program was held on 17 October at the DSWD Reception and Study Center for Children in Brgy. Sto. Cristo, Bago Bantay, Quezon City.

The 1st PSS Clean-up Drive was conducted in Baseco Beach, North Harbor, Manila on 25 October and was participated in by 15 agencies.



CLEAN UP DRIVE



PSA Quezon conducted a clean-up drive activity in Barangay Talao-talao, Lucena City on 20 September in cooperation with the Provincial Environment and Natural Resources Office of Quezon province.

TREE PLANTING



PSA Batanes initiated a Tree Planting activity at Dibtung, Ivana, Batanes.

FEEDING PROGRAM



PSA Nueva Vizcaya spearheaded a Feeding Program at the Daycare Center of Barangay Vista Hills, Bayombong, Nueva Vizcaya.



III. International Cooperation

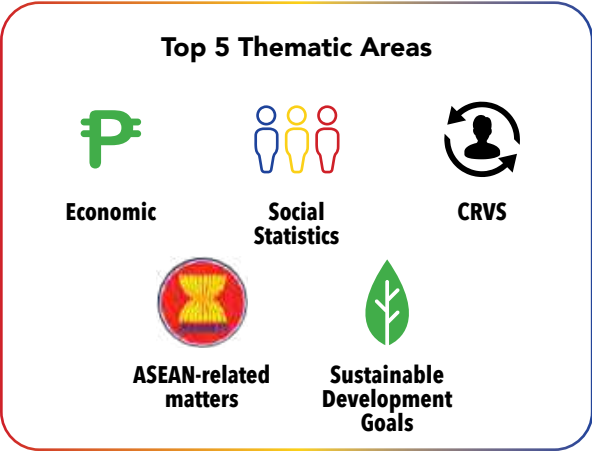
In 2019, PSA was involved in various international engagements to accomplish its vision to be a solid, responsive, and world-class authority. These engagements included global high-level meetings, international conferences, training workshops and seminars.

As the national repository of the SDGs, PSA maintained its participation in the annual sessions of the United Nations Statistical Commission, the highest policymaking body in the global statistical community, as well as the regular meetings of the Inter-agency and Expert Group on SDG Indicators and the annual assembly of the High-level Political Forum on Sustainable Development.

It has also participated in some capacity-building events to further equip itself in preparation for the national rollout of registration for the Philippine Identification System.

The year also marked a notable period of partnership with the Philippine Embassy in Malaysia as it launched its efforts to conduct special consular missions to facilitate on-site registration of births due to the Sabah Government's Regularization Program for illegal workers and their families in the plantation and agriculture sector.

In participating to international engagements, the PSA remains committed in fulfilling its mandate as the central statistical authority of the country, maintaining the appropriate global frameworks and standards in delivering statistical products and services and administering civil registration and national identification functions.



PSA Officials during their International Speaking Engagements



Embassy of the Philippines, Phnom Penh, Cambodia



Embassy of the Philippines, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia



IV. Media Engagements

1. Conduct of the First-Ever Meeting of Undersecretary Dennis S. Mapa, Ph.D. with Partners from Media

Undersecretary Dennis S. Mapa, Ph.D. had his first-ever closed-door meeting with PSA's media partners to get feedback on their data needs, comments and suggestions to improve the delivery of statistical products. This was held on 04 October at PSA Quezon City. Assistant Secretary Rosalinda P. Bautista and Assistant National Statistician Divina Gracia L. Del Prado were also present during the meeting.



Usec. Mapa, Asec. Bautista and ANS Del Prado during the meeting with partners from media

2. Monthly Press Briefing on Inflation

To ensure that inflation reports are understood and appreciated in a timely fashion by the media, who are PSA's partners in disseminating information to the public, PSA conducted press briefings on monthly inflation. Inflation rates were also posted at the PSA website simultaneously with the press briefing.



Press Briefing July 2019



Press Briefing August 2019



3. Quarterly Press Conference on the Philippine Economic Performance

Quarterly releases on the Performance of the Philippine Economy were conducted by the PSA. Regular deliberation proceedings are conducted to ensure the quality of estimates. These estimates are then reported by the National Statistician during each press conference.



During the Press Conference, PSA announced the economic performance of the country and NEDA shared their outlook on the reported economic growth.
(from L to R: Asec. Bautista, Usec. Mapa, Secretary Pernia, and Usec. Edillon)



Members of the media clarify issues during the Press Conference on the Performance of the Philippine Economy



Usec. Mapa, responds to the questions raised during the Press Conference on the Performance of the Philippine Economy



Strengthening Coordination and Partnerships

4. CRS-related Guest Appearance

There were 21 guestings in the PSA Serbilis sa Radyo (DZRB) and other radio stations by CRS officials and as resource persons on civil registration matters.



PBS Radyo Pilipinas Radio Guestings



PBS Radyo Pilipinas Radio Guestings



PBS Radyo Pilipinas Radio Guestings



DZMM Radio Guesting



DZBB Radio Guesting



DZMM Radio Guesting



PSA IN NUMBERS





PSA in Numbers



ORGANIZATIONAL MANAGEMENT

4 PSA Board Meeting	21 Approved Board Resolutions	2 Directorate Meeting
7 ManCom Meeting	2 Middle Managers Meeting	13 ExeCom Meeting



SECTORAL CONCERNS

Statistical Survey Review and Clearance System

63 Surveys Cleared	19 Government agencies provided with technical assistance
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Statistical Budget Review - FY 2020

Php 25.19B

Tier 2 budget for statistical activities of nine (9) agencies

Of this PSA-endorsed budget, the DBM approved 3.04% of the total endorsed-budget for PSA and 84.06% of the total for other agencies.

38 Number of Surveys and Censuses Conducted	36 Information Systems Developed	145,314 Petitions Processed
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INFORMATION DISSEMINATION

25 Data Dissemination Forum	95 Publications	115 Press Releases
291 Special Releases	62 Infographics	5 Statistical Databases
12 LABSTAT Updates	2 Fact Sheets and Primers	8,849 Data Requests



HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT

Personnel Complement as of 31 December 2019

2,843 Plantilla	2,289 Filled Up	152 Trainings Conducted / Attended by staff
97 Workshops Conducted / Attended by staff	12 International Trainings	16 Scholarships / Study Grants



Philippines in Numbers

ECONOMIC STATISTICS

INFLATION RATE 2019



2.5%

2018 EXTERNAL TRADE



USD69.31B
EXPORTS



USD112.841B
IMPORTS



USD43.53B
BALANCE OF TRADE-IN-GOODS, FOB Value in 2018

2018 AGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES EXTERNAL TRADE

USD6.12B
AGRICULTURAL TRADE EXPORTS

USD14.10B
AGRICULTURAL TRADE IMPORTS

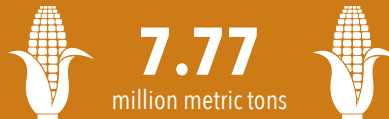
2018 DOMESTIC TRADE



2018 PALAY VOLUME OF PRODUCTION



2018 CORN VOLUME OF PRODUCTION



2018 CONSTRUCTION STATISTICS

NUMBER
173,193

FLOOR AREA
41.08
thousand sqm



VALUE OF CONSTRUCTIONS
PhP476.01B



AVERAGE COST OF RESIDENTIAL BUILDINGS
PhP11,211



AVERAGE COST OF NON-RESIDENTIAL BUILDINGS
PhP10,434

2018 FISHERIES: VOLUME OF PRODUCTION



COMMERCIAL	MUNICIPAL	AQUACULTURE	TOTAL
0.95	1.11	1.11	4.36
<i>in million metric tons</i>			

2018 LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY: VOLUME OF PRODUCTION

CARABAO	GOAT	CATTLE
143,143	76,953	263,310
HOG	CHICKEN	DUCK
2,319,764	1,836,664	30,806
DAIRY	CHICKEN EGG	DUCK EGG
23,691	533,905	46,611

in metric tons, liveweight

GROSS DOMESTIC PRODUCT

Unit: In percent • Year on Year Growth Rates at Constant 2000 Prices (Current)





Philippines in Numbers

SOCIAL STATISTICS



POVERTY IN 2018

POVERTY INCIDENCE

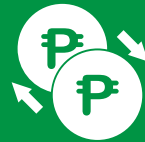
12.1%
Among Families

16.7%
Among Population

SUBSISTENCE INCIDENCE

3.4%
Among Families

5.2%
Among Population



FAMILY INCOME & EXPENDITURE IN 2018

Php 313K
Average Annual Family Income

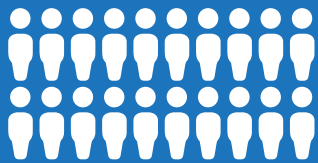
Php 239K
Average Annual Family Expenditure

FERTILITY RATE IN 2017



2.7
Births Per Woman

PROJECTED MID-YEAR POPULATION



107.29M



LABOR AND EMPLOYMENT

HOUSEHOLD-BASED as of October 2019



61.5%
Labor Force Participation

13%
Underemployment Rate



95.5%
Employment Rate

4.5%
Unemployment Rate

ESTABLISHMENT-BASED in 2018



Php 18K
Average Monthly Wage Rate of Selected Occupations in Selected Industries in 2018



50.6%
Establishments with job vacancies from July '17 to June '18



OCCUPATIONAL ACCIDENTS
as of 2017

1.75
Frequency Rate

9.68
Severity Rate

4.27
Incidence Rate

5.73
Average Workdays Lost



1.1%
Labor Turnover Rate as of 2nd Qtr 2019

2018 VITAL STATISTICS

Registered Marriages



449,169

Registered Births



1,668,120

Registered Deaths



590,709

List of Establishments



1,003,111



DID YOU KNOW?



Since March 2009, inflation rate in September and October 2018 of 6.7% was the highest



The Philippines ranked sixth in terms of export and import values among ASEAN countries from 2015 to 2019



Sales from e-commerce increased considerably by 235.5 percent from 2016 to 2017 based on the results of the 2017 ASPBI

DELA CRUZ, GARCIA, REYES, RAMOS, MENDOZA

Top 5 surnames in 2018

NATHANIEL & ALTHEA

The **most common baby names** for boys and girls are Nathaniel and Althea for four and three consecutive years, respectively.



About one out of ten registered births in the Philippines are **born to mothers aged 10 to 19 years old.**



More males are born than females (Sex Ratio=109)



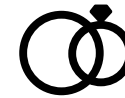
Most number of births occurring in the month of September.



Nine in ten birth deliveries are **medically attended.**



Majority of babies are **born to mothers aged 20 to 24 years old.**



In 2018, most men and women in the Philippines **married between ages 25 to 29 years old.**



Four out of ten marriages are documented through **civil ceremony.**



In 2018, an **average of 1,587 death per day** was registered.



The **most number of deaths** are recorded in August of every year.



The **highest number of maternal and infant deaths** was recorded in CALABARZON.



Most deaths are due to ischemic heart diseases. Second are neoplasms commonly known as "cancer", and third are cerebrovascular diseases.

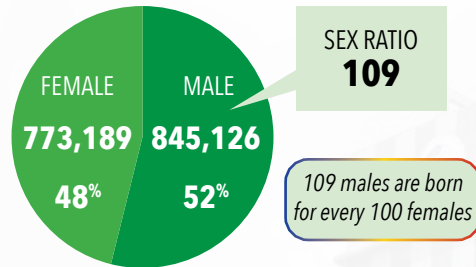


Land transport accidents were the top cause of deaths for males aged 20 to 29.

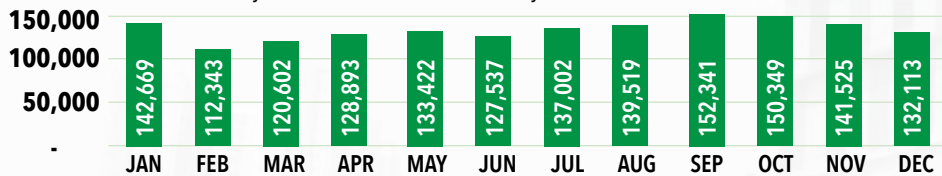


Civil Registration and Vital Statistics

REGISTERED LIVE BIRTHS



NUMBER OF REGISTERED LIVE BIRTHS
By Month of Occurrence: January to December 2018



LIVE BIRTHS BY USUAL RESIDENCE OF THE MOTHER

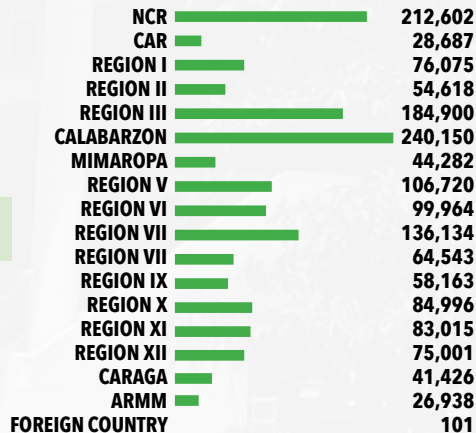
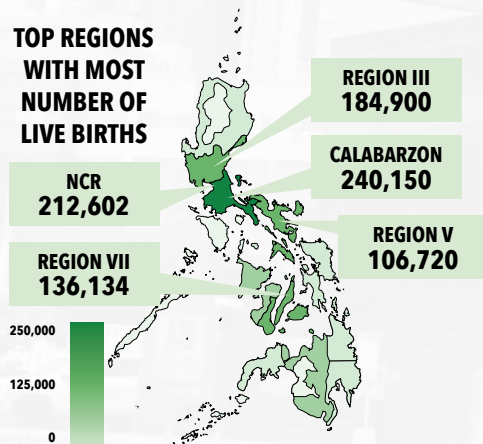
Top 5 Cities with Most Number of Live Births

1. Quezon City 46,594
2. City of Manila 31,492
3. City of Davao 29,948
4. City of Caloocan 26,920
5. City of Cebu 19,942

Top 5 Provinces with Most Number of Live Births

1. Cavite 63,024
2. Cebu 56,100
3. Bulacan 51,683
4. Laguna 50,824
5. Rizal 49,936

TOP REGIONS WITH MOST NUMBER OF LIVE BIRTHS



REGISTERED MARRIAGES

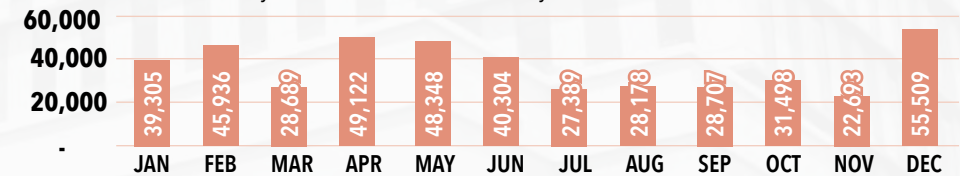


MONTHS WITH THE MOST NUMBER OF MARRIAGES

Monthly Total and Daily Average

Month	Total No. of Marriages	Daily Average
DECEMBER	55,509	1,791 (31 days)
APRIL	49,122	1,637 (30 days)
MAY	48,348	1,560 (31 days)

NUMBER OF REGISTERED MARRIAGES
By Month of Occurrence: January to December 2018



MARRIAGES BY PLACE OF OCCURRENCE

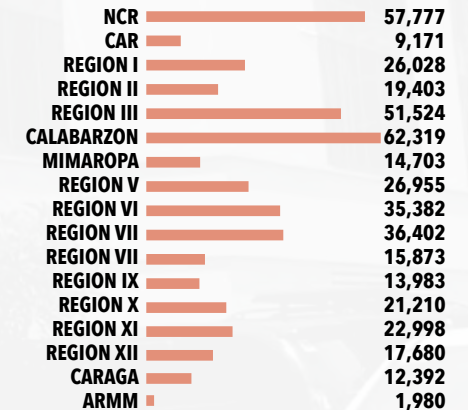
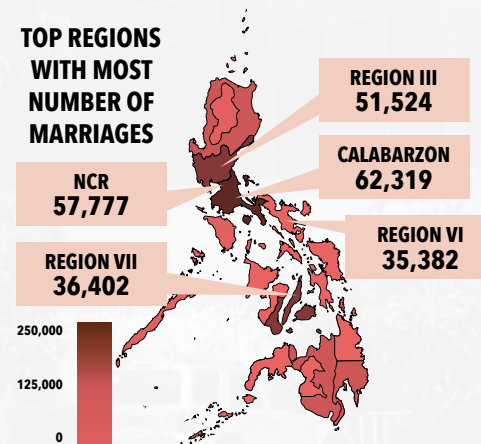
Top 5 Cities with Most Number of Marriages

1. Quezon City 17,175
2. City of Manila 10,837
3. City of Davao 7,118
4. City of Caloocan 5,721
5. City of Cebu 4,273

Top 5 Provinces with Most Number of Marriages

1. Pangasinan 15,587
2. Batangas 15,439
3. Cebu 14,862
4. Cavite 14,699
5. Laguna 12,605

TOP REGIONS WITH MOST NUMBER OF MARRIAGES





WAY FORWARD





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1. Development of New Statistics - Foreign Trade Index
 2. Development of the BIMP-EAGA Core Indicators System under the purview of the PSA as Chair of the Statistics and Database Working Group of the Trade and Investment Facilitation Cluster
 3. Conceptualization of PSA Data Science Lab (and Innovation Center)
 4. PSA maintaining its presence in the global statistical system and through its active engagement with the United Nations, the ASEAN, and other sustainable development partners
 5. Research Studies:
 - To determine the possibility of using administrative based data from FPA as source of prices for fertilizers and pesticides instead of the FPS
 - To determine the possibility of using administrative data from PCC and NDAI as source of information on milk production instead of a survey
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 - To establish Conversion Factor for Rubber
 - To establish Conversion Factor for Coffee
 - To estimate maternal mortality ratio using civil registration and vital statistics data (with the Technical Working Group on MMR)
 - To review the data items in the FIES and exploring the use of CAPI
 - To explore the possibility of a Monthly Labor Force Survey
 - To explore the possibility of SAE for Key Employment Indicators
 - To generate Informal Employment
 - To adopt ICLS 19th/20th Resolutions Philippines' Commitment
 - To review the Methodology for the Statistical Indicators on Philippine Development Methodology
 - To review the Official Poverty Estimation Methodology
 - To develop Administrative Registry Information System for Indigenous Peoples (IPs)
 - To develop Administrative Registry Information System for Persons with Disabilities
 - To formulate Conceptual and Statistical Frameworks on Children
 - To develop a methodology for compiling indicators that combines Administrative-Based and Survey-Based Data
 - To develop methodologies for the following Tiers 2 and 3 SDG indicators in line with the national context
 - To adopt developed methodologies from national studies; and/or enhancing existing survey/census to incorporate additional data items to support regular production of data of SDG Indicators classified as Tiers 2 and 3
 - To streamline/harmonize the LTS, ISLE, and OWS
 - To study the appropriate frequency on the conduct of the FLEMMS
6. Overall Revision and Rebased of the PSNA

For 2020, PSA has lined up activities geared towards strengthening the capacities of national accounts compilers and reinforcing stakeholder engagement. 20 April 2020, PSA is set to release the 2000 to 2019 annual and quarterly series of the revised and rebased national accounts.

After April 2020 dissemination, PSA aims to:

- Update related economic accounts and satellite accounts
 - Subnational Accounts
 - Institutional Sector Accounts
 - Tourism Satellite Accounts
 - Health Accounts
 - Ocean Economy Accounts
- Deliver an internationally comparable SNA
 - Strengthen ties with data and development partners
 - Innovate statistical processes and activities
 - Develop capacity of national accounts compilers



7. Data Visualization

PSA developed a Data Visualization page for its website. This page aims to present statistics being produced by the agency through interactive visualizations like graphs and charts using the Microsoft Power Bi technology.

8. PSA Data Architecture

PSA has already collected a massive amount of data and generated almost the same volume of information during the performance of its mandate. However, PSA has yet to put into place an enterprise strategy to manage the data it collects and the information it generates. Data architecture was created to enable information systems to support the functions and services of PSA effectively and efficiently communicate, interoperate, and share resources.

9. First Dissemination Forum on Civil Registration and Vital Statistics

For the 2020 Civil Registration month celebration, the theme will be “Shaping Civil Registration and Vital Statistics by Embracing New Trends in the 4th Industrial Revolution”. In line with this, the first ever dissemination forum on CRVS will be conducted as part of the culminating activity. A Dissemination forum is a venue to inform stakeholders about the recent developments in civil registration and vital statistics generated in the country. The activity will intensify the advocacy of PSA for an efficient and effective civil registration and vital statistics.

10. First National Convention on Civil Registration and Vital Statistics

PSA will hold the First NCCRVS, in lieu of the NWCR and NCSO. This biennial convention with a new approach is set in August 2020, to serve as a venue for an exchange of ideas, best practices, and other related experiences among civil registrars, government officials, members of the judiciary, solemnizing officers (priests, ministers, imams, tribal chieftains, etc.), and other participants.

Moreover, it is designed towards an improved delivery of public service and as a campaign for the CRVS Decade 2015 to 2024 with the theme “Get Every Pinoy and Pinay in the Picture”.

11. Updates on the CRS-ITP2

- Fifteen (15) additional PSA Serbilis Outlets will be operated in 2020 to bring services closer to the public.

12. 2020 Census of Population and Housing

- Preparation of the Workload Analysis and Allocation, Questionnaires, and Manuals for the 2020 CPH
- Preparation of the Procedures in the Evaluation of Population Count

13. Community-Based Monitoring System

- Conduct interagency workshops to discuss the inputs from the series of regional consultative forums
- Prepare an operational framework for the implementation of CBMS and the overall plan of activities for the survey roll out in 2021
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- Conduct collaborative meetings on resource sharing arrangements with CBMS Network, PSRTI, DILG, DICT, etc.
- Conduct consultations with stakeholders on the data items for advocacy purposes
- Develop an enhanced CBMS standard protocol
- Conduct a series of pretests for the survey instruments
- Revise the survey tools based on results of pretests for the pilot run in April 2021
- Recruit and hire full staffing of the Community-Based Statistics Service in 2021



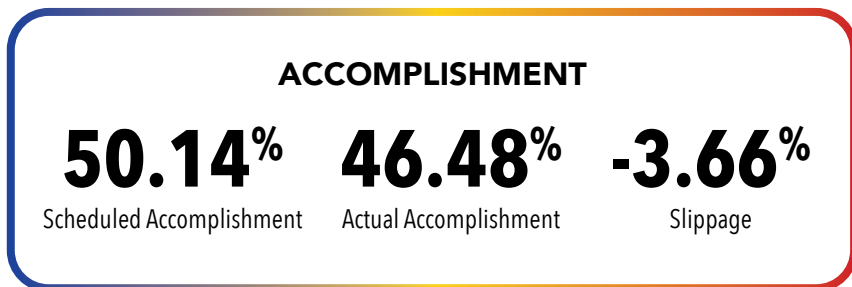
14. PhilSys Mass Registration

PSA, after the successful conduct of the pilot testing, intends to open the PhilSys registration to the public in 2020. In accordance with the approved implementation plan, the year 2020 will mark the beginning of the scale-up of registration to cover the entire population by 2022. To ensure accessibility to all Filipinos and resident aliens, especially to those in far-flung areas, PSA will establish registration centers in strategic locations and conduct mobile registration activities simultaneously. Prioritized in the mass registration will be vulnerable groups such as senior citizens, PWDs, pregnant women, solo parents, and those with special needs.

In actualizing this goal, PSA will develop and strengthen partnerships with LGUs and line agencies to ensure universal accessibility and coverage. Further, to ensure inclusivity, PSA will launch the introducer-based system to facilitate the registration of those who do not possess any required supporting documents. Side-by-side with the mass registration, the massive information awareness campaign in partnership with the Presidential Communications Operations Office (PCOO) is also scheduled. A number of pilot use cases are also envisaged to be fully functional in 2020 for the benefit of those registered in the system.

15. 23-storey building

Progress Report as of 15 December 2019 (after the issuance of Contract Time Suspension, effective retro-actively on 26 July 2019)





FINANCIAL REPORT





Financial Report

CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL PERFORMANCE (CONDENSED) ALL FUNDS For the Year Ended 30 December 2019

Revenue	2019	2018
Service Income	1,585,219,483.13	1,616,030,981.33
Business Income	4,700,888.43	153,657,393.48
Shares, Grants and Donations	6,271,051.74	1,755,000.00
Total Revenue	1,596,182,423.30	1,771,443,374.81
Less: Current Operating Expenses		
Personnel Services	1,443,222,088.31	1,278,798,442.60
Maintenance and Other Operating Expenses	2,480,237,400.18	1,889,507,046.98
Financial Expenses	467,963.25	412,151.49
Non-Cash Expenses	102,419,312.77	71,461,092.72
Total Current Operating Expenses	4,026,346,764.51	3,240,178,733.79
Surplus (Deficit) from Current Operations	2,430,164,341.21	1,468,735,358.98
Financial Assistance/Subsidy from NGAs, LGUs, GOCCs	4,223,261,830.32	3,669,864,589.00
Gains	89,976.46	277,242.23
Losses	-4,293,936.24	-1,981,713.91
Miscellaneous Income	86,294.78	146,306.11
Surplus (Deficit) for the Period	1,788,979,824.11	2,199,571,064.45



CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION (CONDENSED) ALL FUNDS
As of 30 December 2019

ASSETS	2019	2018
Current Assets		
Cash and Cash Equivalents	1,881,202,209.47	2,136,362,346.90
Receivables	524,453,955.91	325,504,916.18
Inventories	76,957,700.32	75,087,072.15
Other Assets	60,294,816.38	31,870,530.62
Total Current Assets	2,542,908,682.08	2,568,824,865.85
Non-Current Assets		
Property, Plant and Equipment	1,881,202,209.47	2,136,362,346.90
Intangible Assets	524,453,955.91	325,504,916.18
Other Non-Current Assets	76,957,700.32	75,087,072.15
Total Non-Current Assets	2,542,908,682.08	2,568,824,865.85
TOTAL ASSETS	4,811,640,982.92	4,737,188,474.54

LIABILITIES	2019	2018
Current Liabilities		
Financial Liabilities	1,239,801,576.25	976,435,067.24
Inter-Agency Payables	90,006,068.27	452,869,960.63
Intra-Agency Payables	21,621,758.23	23,829,596.56
Trust Liabilities	343,787,885.45	347,503,338.99
Other Payables	6,176,839.87	5,253,394.41
Deferred Credits / Unearned Income	1,929,551.72	26,800.00
Total Current Liabilities	1,703,323,679.79	1,805,918,157.83
TOTAL LIABILITIES	1,793,323,679.79	1,805,918,157.83
Total Assets Less Total Liabilities	3,108,317,303.13	2,931,270,316.71
NET ASSETS/EQUITY		
Accumulated Surplus/(Deficit)	3,108,317,303.13	2,931,270,316.71
Total Net Assets/Equity	3,108,317,303.13	1,805,918,157.83





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Acronyms



ABIS - Automated Biometric Identification System	CPS- Corn Production Survey
ANACONDA - Analysis of Causes of National Deaths for Action	CRASD - Civil Registration and Administrative Service Division
ANS - Assistant National Statistician	CRCSO - Civil Registration and Central Support Office
APIS - Annual Poverty Indicators Survey	CRG - Civil Registrar General
ARMM - Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao	CRM - Civil Registration Month
BARMM - Bangsamoro Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao	CRS - Civil Registration Service
BIMP-EAGA - Brunei Darussalam-Indonesia-Malaysia-Philippines - East ASEAN Growth Area	CRS-ITP - Civil Registry System Information Technology Project
BLPS - Backyard Livestock and Poultry Survey	CRVS Decade - Civil Registration and Vital Statistics Decade
BOTr - Bureau of Treasury	CTCO - Census and Technical Coordination Office
BREQS - Batch Request Query System	CWI - Construction of Wealth Index
BRIMPS - Business Register Integrated Monitoring and Processing System	D4HI - Data for Health Initiative
BSP - Bangko Sentral ng Pilipinas	DA - Department of Agriculture
CA - Concession Agreement	DAR - Department of Agrarian Reform
CACSS - Computer-Aided Customer Satisfaction Survey	DBM - Department of Budget and Management
CAF - Census of Agriculture and Fisheries	DBP - Development Bank of the Philippines
CALABARZON - Cavite, Laguna, Batangas, Rizal and Quezon	DeCAP - Decentralized Copy Annotation Process
CAPI - Computer-Aided Personal Interview	DENR - Department of Environment and Natural Resources
CAR - Cordillera Autonomous Region	DepEd - Department of Education
CBMS - Community-Based Monitoring System	DFA - Department of Foreign Affairs
CSS - Chief Statistical Specialist	DICT - Department of information and Communication technology
CENOMAR - Certificate of No Marriage	DILG - Department of the Interior and Local Government
CGD - Citizen-Generated Data	DND - Department of National Defense
CHED - Commission on Higher Education	DNS - Deputy National Statistician
CMRPI - Construction Materials Retail Price Index	DOE - Department of Energy
COA - Commission on Audit	DOF - Department of Finance
COD - Certificate of Death	DOH - Department of Health
COLB - Certificate of Live Birth	DOJ - Department of Justice
COM - Certificate of Marriage	DOLE - Department of Labor and Employment
CoRe-SDGIs - Core Regional SDG Indicators	DOST - Department of Science and Technology
CPBI - Census of Data Processing and Monitoring System	DOT - Department of Tourism
CPES - Compendium of Philippine Environment Statistics	DOTr - Department of Transportation
CPH - Census of Population and Housing	DPWH - Department of Public Works and Highways
CPI - Consumer Price Index	DSWD - Department of Social Welfare and Development



Acronyms

DTI - Department of Trade and Industry	MAP - Management Association of the Philippines
DTS - Domestic Trade System	MAS - Macroeconomic Accounts Service
DWS - Decent Work Statistics	MIMAROPA - Mindoro, Marinduque, Romblon and Palawan
EA - Enumeration Area	MMR - Maternal Mortality Ratio
EDRW - Electronic Data Review Worksheet	MO - Memorandum Order
ESSS - Economic Sector Statistics Service	MOA - Memorandum of Agreement
FAS - Finance and Administrative Service	MOI - Manual of Instructions
FBS - Food Balance Sheet	MOSIP - Modular Open Source Identity Platform
FIES - Family Income and Expenditure Survey	MOU - Memorandum of Understanding
FLEMMS - Functional Literacy, Education and Mass Media Survey	NAP - National Accounts of the Philippines
FPAS - Farm Prices Aggregation System	NCDA - National Council on Disability Affairs
FPS - Farm Prices Survey	NCR - National Capital Region
GCG - Governance Commission for Government Owned or Controlled Corporations	NCCRVs - National Convention on Civil Registration and Vital Statistics
GDP - Gross Domestic Product	NCS - National Censuses Service
GRDE - Gross Regional Domestic Expenditure	NCSO - National Convention of Solemnizing Officers
GRDP - Gross Regional Domestic Product	NDA - National Dairy Authority
GRPI - General Retail Price Index	NDPS/MFS - National Disability Prevalence Survey/Model Functioning Survey
GVA - Gross Value Added	NEDA - National Economic and Development Authority
GWPI - General Wholesale Price Index	NMS - National Migration Survey
IACs - Interagency Committees	NSCRG - National Statistician and Civil Registrar General
IAD - Internal Audit Division	NSDP - National Statistical Development Program
IAEG-SDGs - Inter-agency and Expert Group on SDG Indicators	NWCR - National Workshop on Civil Registration
ICU - International Cooperation Unit	OIC - Officer-in-Charge
ISLE - Integrated Survey on Labor and Employment	ONS - Office of the National Statistician
ITDS - Information Technology and Dissemination Service	OWS - Occupational Wages Survey
LCRs - Local Civil Registrars	PACD - Public Assistance and Complaints Desk
LE - Listing of Establishments	PCC - Philippine Competition Commission
LFH - Listing of Farm Households	PCMS - Policy Coordination and Monitoring Service
LFS - Labor Force Survey	PCOO - Presidential Communications Operations Office
LGUs - Local Government Units	PHILSYS - Philippine Identification System
LPS - Livestock and Poultry Survey	PIA - Privacy Impact Assessment
LS - Legal Service	PMS - Planning and Management Service
LTS - Labor Turnover Survey	PNHA - Philippine National Health Accounts

Acronyms



POESA - Philippine Ocean Economy Satellite Accounts	SICT - Survey on Information Communication and Technology
PPS - Palay Production Survey	SMU - Statistical Methodology Unit
PRO - Philippine Identification System (PhilSys) Registry Office	S OCD - Statistical Operations and Coordination Division
PSA - Philippine Statistics Authority	SOF - Survey on Overseas Filipino
PSAI - Philippine Statistical Association, Inc.	SOF - Survey on Overseas Filipinos
PSCED - Philippine Standard Classification of Education	SPCP - Statistical Policy and Coordination Program
PSDP - Philippine Statistical Development Program	SS - Standards Service
PSGC - Philippine Standard Geographic Code	SSO - Sectoral Statistics Office
PSNA - Philippine System of National Accounts	SSRCS - Statistical Survey Review and Clearance System
PSPCC - PhilSys Policy and Coordination Council	SSC - Statistical Standards and Classifications
PSQ - Philippine Statistics Quiz	SSSS - Social Sector Statistics Service
PSRTI - Philippine Statistical Research and Training Institute	STATDEV - Statistical Indicators on Philippine Development
PSS - Philippine Statistical System	TESDA - Technical Education and Skills Development Authority
PTSA - Philippine Tourism Satellite Accounts	ULAP - Union of Local Authorities of the Philippines
QAqS - Quarterly Aquaculture Survey	UMID-CVS - Unified Multipurpose Identification Central Verification System
QCFS - Quarterly Commercial Fisheries Survey	UPPI - University of the Philippines Population Institute
QCMS - Quarterly Municipal Fisheries Survey	VSU - Visayas State University
QGIS - Open Source Geographic Information System	WCFPM - Weekly Cereals and Fertilizer Price Monitoring
QIFS - Quarterly Inland Fisheries Survey	WHO - World Health Organization
QMS - Quality Management System	
QSPBI - Quarterly Survey on Philippine Business and Industry	
RA - Republic Act	
RD - Regional Director	
RSC - Regional Statistics Committee	
RSMS - Registration and Systems Management Service	
RSSO - Regional Statistical Services Office	
SAE - Small Area Estimation	
SBRS - Statistical Budget Review System	
SDDS - Special Data Dissemination Standard	
SDG - Sustainable Development Goals	
SDS - System of Designated Statistics	
SDWG-TIFC - Statistics and Database Working Group of the Trade and Investment Facilitation Cluster	
SI - Systems Integrator	



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