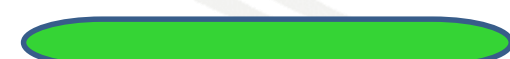




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The Specialized Migration Survey (PHILIPPINES)



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Background



Issues & Challenges



Action Done & plan

Specialized Migration Survey)

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Background

Efforts on improving migration data : Creation of TWG-Migration Statistics in 2009>>>Inter-Agency Committee on Migration Statistics in 2013

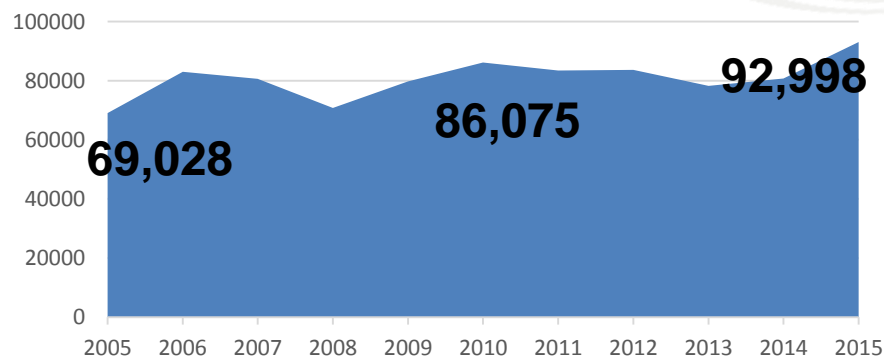
➤ **Increasing number of Filipino overseas migrants** (Source: CFO)

10M in 2013



6M in 2000

Registered Filipino Emigrants, 2005-2015



Background

Efforts on ...

- **Increasing Economic contribution of Filipino overseas migrants** (Source: BSP)

22M in 2015



6M in 2000

Background

Efforts on ...

- **Increasing vulnerabilities of Filipino overseas migrants**
 - repatriation
 - In distress
 - Human trafficking

Background

Efforts on ...

➤ Various data sources of miGration data:

General Sources of Administrative data



DFA, CFO : Estimates of Filipino Overseas;
Registered Filipino Emigrants



POEA: Deployment of Overseas Filipino Workers



DOLE: Alien Employment



BI: Aliens and Foreign Nationals

Background

Efforts on ...

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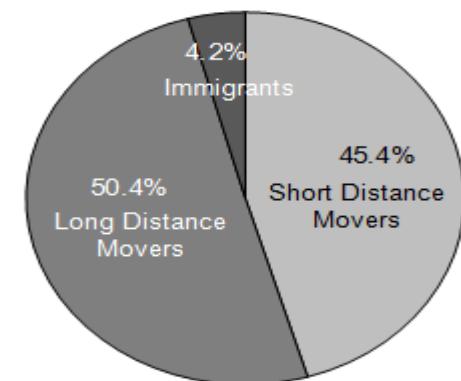
Census/Survey Data



PSA:: CENSUS data Domestic & International migrants

PSA: Survey on Overseas Filipinos, data on the Number & remittances of OFWs

Figure 1
Percent Distribution of Movers by Type:
Philippines, 2010



Total Number of Movers:
2.86 million persons

ISSUES/Challenges

1. Official Migration data from census is limited to residence five years ago and frequency is every 10 years;
2. Migration data from various administrative sources needs further review as to adherence to standard concepts and definitions, and data quality; and
3. Inadequate migration data for evidenced-based policy making and program development for demographic, labor market and migration and development concerns

Action done and Plan

- 1. Strengthened coordination with multi-sectoral ministries in the Philippine Statistical System (Republic Act 10625, Sept. 2013)**
 - **Re-organized the PSS and merging of four major statistical agencies into a central statistics authority, the PSA**
 - **Creation of inter-agency committees (IAC), including the IAC on Migration Statistics as the forum for the discussion of issues and concerns raised by producers, users, and stakeholders of sectoral and agency-specific statistics**



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1. Strengthened coordination ...

- Formulated two statistical polices by the PSA BOARD, the highest policy-making body on statistics (RA 10625)



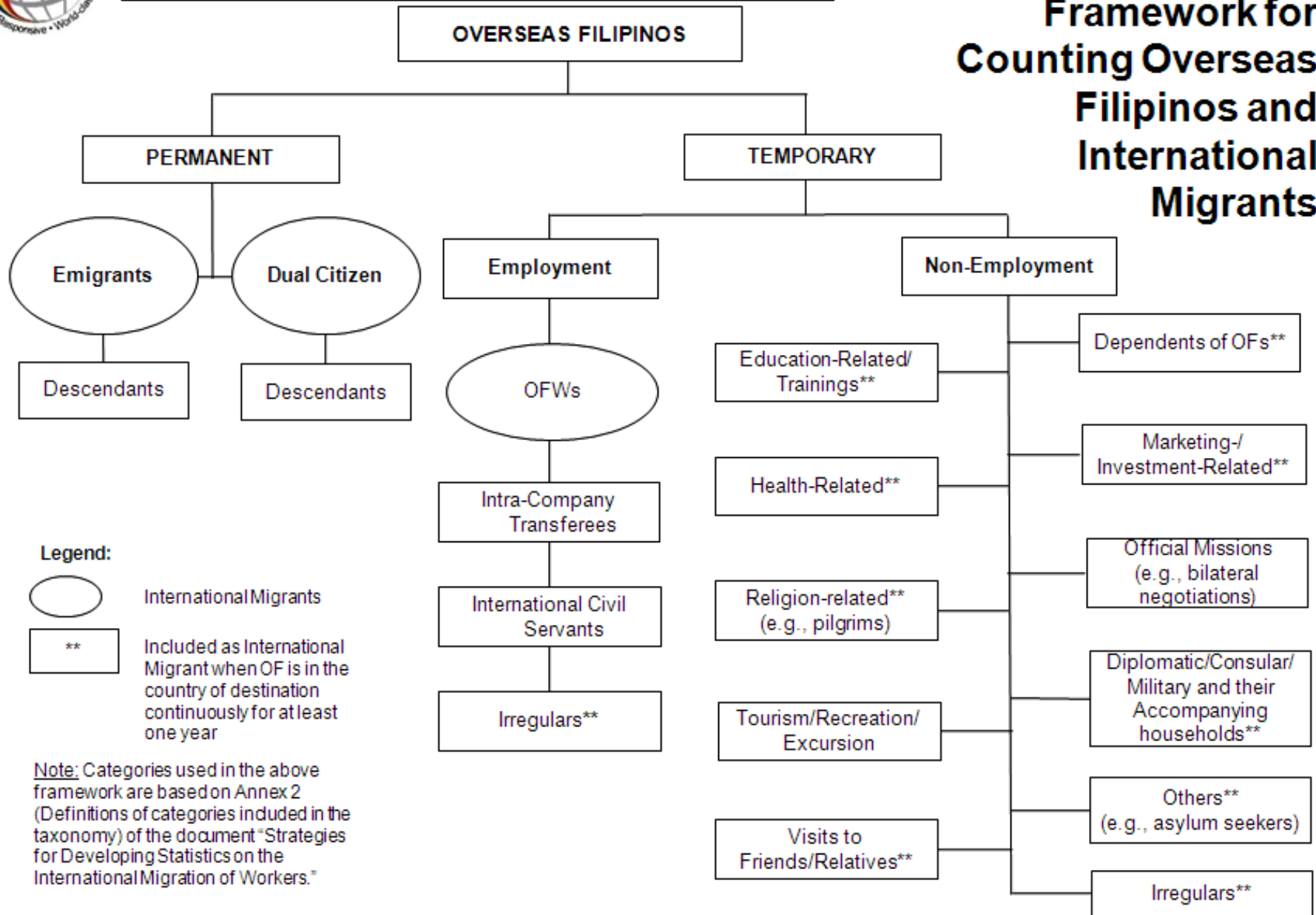
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PSA Board Resolution No. 07
Series of 2017

**APPROVING AND ADOPTING THE AMENDED OPERATIONAL FRAMEWORK FOR
COUNTING OVERSEAS FILIPINOS AND INTERNATIONAL MIGRANTS**



Amended Operational Framework for Counting Overseas Filipinos and International Migrants



Legend:

International Migrants

** Included as International Migrant when OF is in the country of destination continuously for at least one year

Note: Categories used in the above framework are based on Annex 2 (Definitions of categories included in the taxonomy) of the document "Strategies for Developing Statistics on the International Migration of Workers."

1. Strengthened coordination ...

- Formulated two statistical policies:

PSA BOARD RESOLUTION No.08, Series of 2017

Approving and Adopting the Official Concepts and Definitions on Internal and International Migration For Statistical Purposes

- ## 2. On-going review of administrative data on migration:
- Data quality framework for administrative data
 - Review of administrative forms with the end view of prescribing the use of statistical standards (official concepts, definitions, etc); and **core data items** for statistical purposes

3. Conduct of Specialized migration survey to address the inadequacy of migration data for evidenced-based policy making

Overview

- The Philippine **National Migration Survey (NMS) 2017** is the **first** survey on migration in the country.
- It has a nationwide coverage.
- Field Operations started in May 2018.

Overview...

- The NMS is conducted in collaboration with the University of the Philippines System (UP System), specifically, with the **University of the Philippines Population Institute (UPPI)**.
- A **Memorandum of Agreement (MOA)** binds the PSA and UP System in the conduct of the NMS.
- The specific function of the UPPI is the implementation of the 4 component activities: field operations, data processing, generation of statistical tables, and report preparation.

Specific Objectives of the NMS

- Estimate international and inter-regional migration flows and major migration streams;
- Examine different types of migration and characteristics of internal and international migrants;
- Determine levels, patterns and processes of internal and international migration; and,
- Identify factors that affect the levels, patterns and processes of internal and international migration.

Sampling Design

Domain: Region

Sampling Frame: 2013 Master Sample (MS) which adopted
a Two-stage cluster sampling

- First Stage: PSUs (Brgys/EAs or group of adjacent small brgys/EAs)
- Second Stage: SSUs – Housing units/households (HUs/HHs)

Sample Size:

- 4 replicates of the 2013 MS = 2,940 PSUs
- **Approximately 45,000 HUs/HHs**

COST: 70 MPhP = 1.37 M USD (@PhP51/1USD)

Sampling Design

Questionnaires and Respondents:

Questionnaire	Respondent
Household Qre	HH head or any responsible member of HH
Individual Qre	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Each HH members at least 15 y/o who is classified as “Migrant”, and • One HH member classified as “Non-Migrant” selected randomly using Kish Method

Data Collection: CAPI - based

Re-use of tablets utilized in the NDHS

Note: “Migrant” - resided or stayed continuously for 3 months or more in any city/municipality and province or country other than his/her current residence.

Household Questionnaire

- **1. Geographic identification and other information**
- **2. Demographic characteristics**
- **3. Education**
- **4. Economic activity**
- **5. Migration experience**
- **6. Internally displaced persons**
- **7. All former household members who permanently moved and now residing abroad (demographics, education, destination, reason for moving and date of departure)**
- **8. Housing characteristics**

Individual Questionnaire

- 1. Geographic identification and other information
- 2. Respondent's background
- 3. Migration history
- 4. International migration (includes recruitment cost)
- 5. Engagement in migration association and training/education abroad
- 6. Return migration
- 7. Internal migration
- 8. Current job/business and remittances
- 9. Migration intentions
- 10. Involuntary labor/work arrangement

Status of the NMS :

- On-going data processing
- Report Writing
- Dissemination in May 2019

Thank You!



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