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FOREWORD

The 2021 First Semester Official Poverty Statistics Report presents the official poverty statistics for the first semester of 2021 released for the first time in the same year that the survey was conducted by the Philippine Statistics Authority (PSA). It is based on the first visit of the 2021 Family Income and Expenditure Survey (FIES) conducted by the PSA in July 2021. National, regional, provincial and highly urbanized city level poverty estimates are provided, which were generated based on the methodology for the estimation of official poverty statistics using the income from the FIES. The methodology was approved through PSA Board No. 1, Series of 2017 – 171 (NSCB Resolution No. 09, Series of 2011).

The back estimates for the updated 2018 First Semester Official Poverty Statistics are also included in this report. This set of estimates were updated due to the adoption of the 2015 Census of Population (POPCEN 2015) results for the weights used in the FIES and the urban-rural classification of barangays. These were incorporated to ensure comparability with the 2021 first semester official poverty statistics.

This publication contains statistical tables on important poverty information for the first semesters of 2018 and 2021 such as the food and poverty thresholds, the subsistence and poverty incidences among families and among population. It also includes other useful poverty indicators such as the income gap, poverty gap, and severity of poverty.

The PSA wishes to extend its utmost appreciation to the individuals and organizations who took part in the first visit of the 2021 FIES. The PSA sincerely thanks the more than one-hundred-seventy thousands of respondents who immensely contributed to the successful completion of the survey by sharing their information, time, and effort during the data collection.

The release of the 2021 First Semester Official Poverty Statistics within six months after the reference period (January – June 2021) is significant in promoting more timely and relevant statistics. It is hoped that the general public, most especially researchers and policy and program makers, will find this report useful in further developing and enhancing of poverty reduction strategies.

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Highlights of the First Semester 2021 Official Poverty Statistics

A. National

1. Key Indicators

In the first semester of 2021, a family of five needed, on average, PhP 12,082 per month to meet their minimum basic food and non-food needs. This is 14.7 percent higher than the monthly average amount of PhP10,532 needed to meet the minimum basic food and non-food needs of a family of five in the first semester of 2018. These amounts are also called the poverty thresholds.

In terms of incidences, the proportion of Filipino families with income less than the poverty threshold, or the poverty incidence among families in first semester of 2021, was estimated at 18.0 percent. These families have incomes that are not sufficient to buy their minimum basic food and non-food needs during the first half of the year. Among Filipinos, the poverty incidence was 23.7 percent in first semester of 2021 or about 26.14 million poor Filipinos.

Table A. First Semester Food and Poverty Thresholds, Incidences, and

Magnitude of Poor and Food Poor: 2018 and 2021

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Statistics	Estir	nate	Coefficient	of Variation
	1st sem 2018 ^u	1st sem 2021	1st sem 2018 ^u	1st sem 2021
Monthly Poverty Threshold for a Family of Five (PhP)	10,532	12,082		
Poverty Incidence	<u>(%)</u>			
Among Families*	16.2	18.0	1.1	1.2
Among Population*	21.1	23.7	1.1	1.1
Magnitude of Poor	(in million)			
Among Families	4.04	4.74	1.2	1.3
Among Population	22.26	26.14	1.2	1.3
Monthly Food Threshold for a Family of Five (PhP)	7,374	8,393		
Subsistence Incide	ence (%)			
Among Families*	6.2	7.1	1.8	1.8
Among Population*	8.5	9.9	1.7	1.8
Magnitude of Food	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·			
Among Families	1.55	1.87	1.8	1.9
Among Population	9.03	10.94	1.8	1.9

Source: Philippine Statistics Authority

u=updated; The First Semester 2018 estimates were updated due to the adoption of the 2015 Census of Population (POPCEN 2015) results for the weights used in the Family Income and Expenditure Survey (FIES) and the urban-rural classification of barangays. These were incorporated to ensure comparability with the 2021 estimates.

^{*} Based on t-test at 90% level of significance, the observed change from the first semester 2018 to first semester 2021 is significant.

The proportion of Filipino families whose incomes were less than the food threshold (PhP8,393) or the monthly average amount needed to meet their basic food needs in first semester of 2021, stood at 7.1 percent. Among the population, 1 in 10 Filipinos were food poor or those who lived below the food thresholds in the first semester of 2021.

2. Other Poverty Measures

In addition to the abovementioned indicators, other poverty measures generated by PSA include the income gap , poverty gap, and squared poverty gap (severity of poverty).

The income gap measures the average amount of income required by the poor in order to get out of poverty expressed in relation to the poverty thresholds. The income gap was estimated at 27.0 percent in the first semester of 2021, that is, on average, a poor family with five members need an additional monthly income of about PhP 3,262 to move out of poverty in the first semester of 2021. This can serve as a useful reference especially in determining the necessary budget that can be transferred/added to the income of the poor and lift them out of poverty.

Table B. First Semester Income Gap, Poverty Gap, and Severity of Poverty: 2018 and 2021

Ctation		Estimate	
Statistics	1 st sem 2018 ^u	1 st sem 2021	Inc/Dec
Income Gap	27.0	27.0	0.1
Poverty Gap*	4.4	4.9	0.5
Squared Poverty Gap* (Severity of Poverty)	1.8	1.9	0.2

Source: Philippine Statistics Authority

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B. Regional

At the regional level, the regions with the lowest poverty incidence among families in the first semester of 2021 continued to be NCR and CALABARZON with 5.2 percent and 10.6 percent, respectively. On the other hand, ARMM/BARMM consistently figured with the highest poverty incidence among families at 39.4 percent in the first semester of 2021.

Nine out of 17 regions posted significant changes in poverty incidence among families from first semester 2018 to first semester 2021. ARMM/BARMM had the highest significant improvement from 55.9 percent in first semester 2018 to 39.4 percent in the first semester of 2021.

Table C. First Semester Per Capita Poverty Thresholds and Poverty Incidence among Families, by Region: 2018 and 2021

Region	Capit	emester Per a Poverty Id (in pesos)		dence among es (%)	Coefficient	of Variation
	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021
PHILIPPINES*	12,638	14,498	16.2	18.0	1.1	1.2
NCR	14,102	16,625	4.9	5.2	5.3	4.5
CAR*	12,358	14,023	13.8	12.1	4.0	4.4
Region I*	12,837	15,470	8.7	15.8	7.9	5.7
Region II	12,182	14,226	15.3	16.4	5.5	6.2
Region III*	12,976	16,226	7.9	13.7	4.8	4.4
Region IV-A*	13,669	15,604	7.8	10.6	5.9	5.3
MIMAROPA*	11,472	13,054	15.1	19.3	4.7	4.4
Region V*	11,975	13,873	21.5	26.1	3.6	3.8
Region VI*	11,964	13,519	15.9	19.2	4.9	4.5
Region VII*	12,724	15,174	19.1	26.8	4.2	4.3
Region VIII	12,195	13,550	30.4	28.9	3.4	3.8
Region IX	12,424	14,467	32.4	30.9	3.4	3.5
Region X	12,259	14,302	25.6	26.2	3.1	3.8
Region XI*	12,718	13,324	17.8	14.0	4.0	4.4
Region XII	12,082	13,298	27.2	27.1	3.7	3.8
Caraga*	12,346	13,613	28.3	31.0	3.2	3.0
ARMM/ BARMM	13,599	14,126	55.9	39.4	2.4	3.6

Source: Philippine Statistics Authority

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C. Provincial

At the provincial level, the provinces which belonged to the group with the least poverty incidence among families from first semester 2018 to first semester 2021 continued to include Benguet, Capiz, Cavite, Davao del Sur, Ilocos Norte, La Union, Laguna, Pampanga, Quirino, Rizal, and Siquijor. The other provinces that joined this roster of least poor cluster in the first semester of 2021 are: Batanes, Batangas and Lanao del Sur.

Table D. Provinces in the Least Poor Cluster: First Semester 2018 and 2021

		1st semeste	er 2018 ^u			1st semeste	er 2021	
Province	Cluster	Poverty Incidence		nfidence rval	Cluster	Poverty Incidence		l% dence rval
		Among Families	Lower Limit	Upper Limit		Among Families	Lower Limit	Upper Limit
1st District*	5	5.7	3.9	7.5	5	2.0	1.3	2.7
2nd District	5	3.5	2.7	4.2	5	3.8	3.2	4.5
3rd District	5	8.1	7.2	9.0	5	8.1	7.2	9.1
4th District*	5	3.9	3.5	4.3	5	6.3	5.6	6.9
Batanes*	4	13.5	10.9	16.0	5	7.5	4.9	10.0
Batangas*	4	13.0	11.0	15.1	5	7.0	5.4	8.6
Benguet*	5	6.0	5.0	7.1	5	7.5	6.5	8.5
Capiz*	5	5.8	4.5	7.1	5	9.5	7.5	11.4
Cavite*	5	6.1	4.8	7.4	5	10.8	8.9	12.7
Davao del Sur*	5	10.8	8.9	12.6	5	7.9	6.7	9.2
Ilocos Norte	5	5.5	4.0	7.1	5	6.3	4.5	8.2
La Union*	5	3.7	2.6	4.8	5	10.7	8.8	12.6
Laguna*	5	5.0	3.6	6.4	5	10.0	7.8	12.2
Lanao del Sur*	1	68.0	64.5	71.6	5	11.4	9.1	13.6
Pampanga*	5	3.6	2.4	4.8	5	6.2	5.1	7.4
Quirino	5	9.9	8.0	11.7	5	11.3	9.4	13.2
Rizal	5	4.8	3.6	6.1	5	6.1	4.7	7.6
Siquijor*	5	10.0	7.4	12.6	5	4.3	2.6	6.1

Source: Philippine Statistics Authority

Note: Provinces were clustered using confidence intervals of poverty incidence among families as the clustering variable, where cluster 5 is comprised of least poor provinces.

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On the other hand, the provinces that were consistently included in the cluster with relatively high poverty incidence among families in the first semesters of 2018 and 2021 were Basilan and Sulu. New entrants in the poorest cluster of provinces in the first semester 2021 are Agusan del Sur, Cotabato City, Sarangani, Tawi-tawi, and Zamboanga del Norte.

Table E. Provinces in the Poorest Cluster: First Semester 2018 and 2021

		1 st semest	ter 2018 ^u			1 st semest	er 2021	
Province		Poverty Incidence		onfidence erval		Poverty Incidence		nfidence erval
	Cluster	Among Families	Lower Limit	Upper Limit	Cluster	Among Families	Lower Limit	Upper Limit
Agusan del Sur*	2	32.6	29.0	36.2	1	39.6	36.0	43.3
Basilan*	1	65.5	61.8	69.1	1	46.7	42.2	51.1
Cotabato City	2	42.0	38.1	46.0	1	42.0	38.2	45.8
Sarangani	2	40.8	35.9	45.7	1	42.1	38.0	46.1
Sulu	1	66.7	63.0	70.3	1	71.9	67.0	76.8
Tawi-tawi*	4	17.7	15.1	20.3	1	39.5	34.0	45.0
Zamboanga del Norte*	2	41.5	37.5	45.5	1	53.6	49.4	57.7

Source: Philippine Statistics Authority

Note: Provinces were clustered using confidence intervals of poverty incidence among families as the clustering variable, where cluster 1 is comprised of the poorest provinces.

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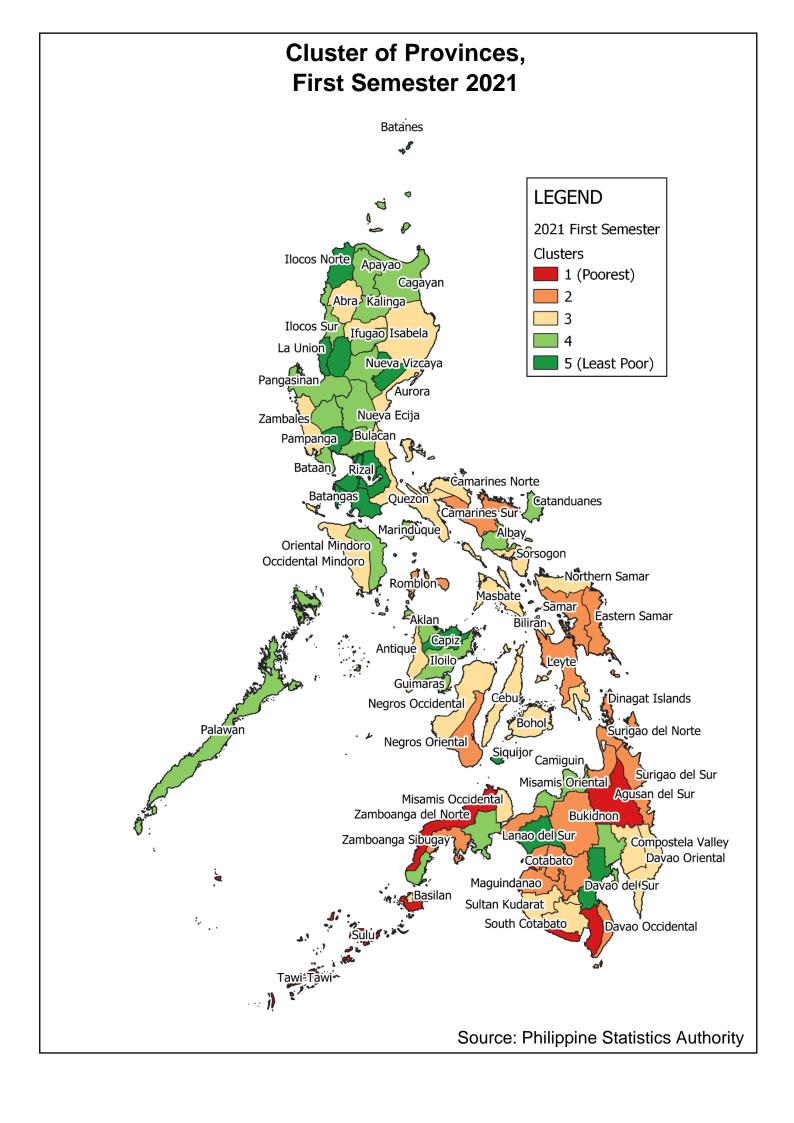


Table 1. First Semester Per Capita Poverty Threshold, Poverty Incidence and Magnitude of Poor Families with Measures of Precision, by Region and Province: 2018 and 2021

	First Seme	ster Per			First S	emester	Poverty In	cidence a	among Fa	milies						First Semes	ter Magni	tude of P	oor Families	5		
Region/Province	Capita P Thresi (in Pl	hold	Estima	tes (%)	Coeffic Varia		Standar	d Error	909	% Confide	nce Inter	val	Estimate	e ('000)	Coeffic Varia		Standa	rd Error		90% Confide	nce Interva	I
									202	18 ^u	20	21							20	18 ^u	20	21
	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	Lower Limit	Upper Limit	Lower Limit	Upper Limit	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	Lower Limit	Upper Limit	Lower Limit	Upper Limit
PHILIPPINES*	12,638	14,498	16.2	18.0	1.1	1.2	0.2	0.2	15.9	16.5	17.6	18.3	4,039.4	4,739.8	1.2	1.3	47.0	61.5	3,962.2	4,116.7	4,638.6	4,841.1
National Capital Region (NCR)	14,102	16,625	4.9	5.2	5.3	4.5	0.3	0.2	4.5	5.3	4.8	5.6	156.9	182.5	5.6	4.8		8.8	142.5	171.4	168.1	197.0
1st District* ^{a/}	14,102	16,625	5.7	2.0	19.0	20.9	1.1	0.4	3.9	7.5	1.3	2.7	25.8	9.9	20.1	21.1	5.2	2.1	17.3	34.4	6.5	13.4
2nd District	14,102	16,625	3.5	3.8	12.6	10.1	0.4	0.4	2.7	4.2	3.2	4.5	38.7	46.6	12.7	10.0	4.9	4.6	30.6	46.7	39.0	54.3
3rd District	14,102	16,625	8.1	8.1	6.5	7.1	0.5	0.6	7.2	9.0	7.2	9.1	54.6	57.6	8.0	8.2	4.4	4.7	47.4	61.8	49.8	65.4
4th District*	14,102	16,625	3.9	6.3	6.5	6.7	0.3	0.4	3.5	4.3	5.6	6.9	37.9	68.5	7.0	7.9	2.7	5.4	33.5	42.2	59.6	77.3
Cordillera Administrative Region (CAR)*	12,358	14,023	13.8	12.1	4.0	4.4	0.6	0.5	12.9	14.7	11.2	12.9	61.5	54.0	4.2	4.3	2.6	2.3	57.3	65.7	50.2	57.8
Abra*	12,406	14,321	29.5	21.5	6.1	8.8	1.8	1.9	26.5	32.5	18.4	24.6	17.4	12.5	7.4	8.2	1.3	1.0	15.3	19.5	10.8	14.2
Apayao*	11,523	12,797	23.2	12.6	12.6	18.4	2.9	2.3	18.4	28.0	8.8	16.4	6.8	3.5	15.1	20.2	1.0	0.7	5.1	8.5	2.4	4.7
Benguet*	11,837	13,476	6.0	7.5	10.5	8.1	0.6	0.6	5.0	7.1	6.5	8.5	13.2	17.4	10.6	8.1	1.4	1.4	10.9	15.5	15.0	19.7
Ifugao	12,948	14,432	15.5	13.7	11.4	13.6	1.8	1.9	12.6	18.5	10.7	16.8	7.7	6.5	11.3	13.5	0.9	0.9	6.2	9.1	5.0	7.9
Kalinga	11,851	12,920	12.2	12.1	10.2	12.1	1.2	1.5	10.2	14.3	9.7	14.5	5.9	5.5	10.4	12.2	0.6	0.7	4.9	6.9	4.4	6.6
Mt. Province	13,366	15,610	24.4	22.7	8.1	9.6	2.0	2.2	21.2	27.7	19.1	26.3	10.5	8.7	8.7	9.4	0.9	0.8	9.0	12.0	7.3	10.0
Region I (Ilocos Region)*	12,837	15,470	8.7	15.8	7.9	5.7	0.7	0.9	7.6	9.9	14.3	17.2	108.4	200.3	8.1	6.1	8.8	12.3	93.9	122.9	180.0	220.5
Ilocos Norte	12,776	15,566	5.5	6.3	16.5	17.7	0.9	1.1	4.0	7.1	4.5	8.2	8.0	9.6	16.5	17.9		1.7	5.8	10.2	6.8	12.4
Ilocos Sur*	11,963	16,332	8.9	18.0	11.0	8.2	1.0	1.5	7.3	10.5	15.5	20.4	14.7	30.6	11.4	9.1	1.7	2.8	11.9	17.4	26.0	35.1
La Union*	10,881	13,812	3.7	10.7	18.7	10.9	0.7	1.2	2.6	4.8	8.8	12.6	7.1	21.5	18.9	11.5		2.5	4.9	9.2	17.4	25.6
Pangasinan*	13,191	15,534	10.6	18.6	10.5	7.7	1.1	1.4	8.8	12.4	16.2	20.9	78.7	138.6	10.7	8.4	8.5	11.6	64.8	92.6	119.5	157.6
Region II (Cagayan Valley)	12,182	14,226	15.3	16.4	5.5	6.2	0.8	1.0	14.0	16.7	14.7	18.1	133.3	147.3	5.8	6.9	7.8	10.1	120.5	146.1	130.7	163.9
Batanes* ^{a/}	19,333	17,774	13.5	7.5	11.6	20.9	1.6	1.6	10.9	16.0	4.9	10.0	0.8	0.4	21.0	20.6	0.2	0.1	0.5	1.0	0.3	0.5
Cagayan	12,215	13,714	15.1	12.9	8.9	11.6	1.3	1.5	12.9	17.3	10.4	15.3	43.6	38.6	9.4	11.6	4.1	4.5	36.9	50.4	31.2	45.9
Isabela*	12,233	14,787	15.6	20.8	9.2	8.8	1.4	1.8	13.3	18.0	17.8	23.8	62.6	86.1	10.0	10.1	6.3	8.7	52.2	72.9	71.8	100.5
Nueva Vizcaya*	12,001	12,611	17.2	12.8	9.9	12.6	1.7	1.6	14.4	20.0	10.2	15.5	21.5	16.9	9.3	13.1	2.0	2.2	18.2	24.8	13.2	20.5
Quirino	11,239	13,879	9.9	11.3	11.2	10.4	1.1	1.2	8.0	11.7	9.4	13.2	4.8	5.3	11.3	11.5	0.5	0.6	3.9	5.7	4.3	6.3
Region III (Central Luzon)*	12,976	16,226	7.9	13.7	4.8	4.4	0.4	0.6	7.3	8.6	12.7	14.7	218.6	409.5	5.1	5.8	11.3	23.9	200.1	237.1	370.3	448.8
Aurora*	12,079	15,053	16.7	24.0	9.9	8.5	1.6	2.0	13.9	19.4	20.7	27.4	9.6	13.3	10.3	9.3	1.0	1.2	8.0	11.2	11.3	15.3
Bataan	14,522	14,776	11.6	12.8	9.8	8.4	1.1	1.1	9.7	13.5	11.0	14.5	21.3	26.2	10.0	10.1	2.1	2.6	17.8	24.8	21.9	30.5
Bulacan*	12,647	17,537	4.9	14.9	14.9	8.9	0.7	1.3	3.7	6.1	12.7	17.1	39.8	132.0	16.4	15.1	6.5	19.9	29.0	50.5	99.3	164.8
Nueva Ecija*	12,354	14,766	10.5	17.0	10.1	10.7	1.1	1.8	8.8	12.2	14.1	20.0	55.0	97.6	10.7	10.6	5.9	10.4	45.3	64.6	80.6	114.7
Pampanga* ^{b/}	12,912	16,883	3.6	6.2	20.4	11.2	0.7	0.7	2.4	4.8	5.1	7.4	22.9	42.9	21.3	11.7	4.9	5.0	14.9	30.9	34.7	51.2
Tarlac*	11,994	14,612	10.4	13.2	9.1	8.7	0.9	1.1	8.8	11.9	11.3	15.0	34.4	46.5	10.0	9.3	3.4	4.3	28.7	40.0	39.3	53.6
Zambales*	14,734	17,411	16.6	22.0	7.7	5.9	1.3	1.3	14.5	18.7	19.9	24.2	35.6	50.9	8.1	7.1	2.9	3.6	30.9	40.3	45.0	56.8
Region IV-A (CALABARZON)*	13,669	15,604	7.8	10.6	5.9	5.3	0.5	0.6	7.0	8.5	9.7	11.5	281.3	431.6	6.1	5.9	17.2	25.5	253.0	309.7	389.7	473.5
	15,854	15,382	13.0	7.0	9.6	14.1	1.3	1.0	11.0	15.1	5.4	8.6	83.3	53.2	10.9	16.5	9.1	8.8	68.3	98.3	38.8	67.7
Batangas* Cavite*	14,462	17,907	6.1	10.8	12.8	10.6	0.8	1.0	4.8	7.4	8.9	12.7	56.4	117.8	10.9	12.9	8.0	15.2	43.3	69.5	92.8	142.8
Laguna*	11,471	15,228	5.0	10.8	16.8	13.4	0.8	1.3	3.6	6.4	7.8	12.7	42.2	94.4	16.8	13.7	7.1	13.0	30.5	53.9	73.1	115.7
Quezon*	11,383	13,586	12.4	22.1	12.8	8.6	1.6	1.9	9.8	15.0	18.9	25.2	65.8	120.3	12.9	9.1	8.5	10.9	51.8	79.8	102.3	138.2
Rizal	13,951	15,707	4.8	6.1	15.4	14.4	0.7	0.9	3.6	6.1	4.7	7.6	33.7	45.9	15.7	15.7	5.3	7.2	25.0	42.4	34.1	57.7
MAINAADODA Do-!*	44.470	42.054	45.4	40.0	4 -		0.7		44.0	46.0	47.0	20.7	440 -	450.0			5 0		400.0	430.4	4400	463 =
MIMAROPA Region*	11,472	13,054	15.1	19.3	4.7	4.4	0.7	0.9	14.0	16.3	17.9	20.7	118.5	152.2	4.9	4.5		6.9	108.8	128.1	140.9	163.5
Marinduque*	11,672	13,658	14.2	18.7	9.2	8.4	1.3	1.6	12.1	16.4	16.1	21.3	8.9	10.8	9.3	9.5		1.0	7.5	10.2	9.2	12.5
Occidental Mindoro	10,610	13,409	22.1	24.9	9.7	8.6	2.1	2.1	18.6	25.6	21.4	28.4	28.8	31.7	10.7	9.2	3.1	2.9	23.7	33.8	26.9	36.5
Oriental Mindoro	12,136	13,390	13.0	16.6	10.6	10.8	1.4	1.8	10.7	15.3	13.6	19.5	27.9	35.3	11.2	11.3	3.1	4.0	22.8	33.1	28.7	41.8
Palawan*	11,348	12,045	11.3			8.7		1.4					33.4	50.1	10.3	8.7		4.4	27.7		43.0	57.3
Romblon*	11,869	13,863	24.3	32.1	7.4	5.6	1.8	1.8	21.4	27.3	29.1	35.0	19.5	24.3	8.2	6.8	1.6	1.6	16.9	22.2	21.6	27.0

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	First Seme	ester Per			First S	Semester	Poverty In	cidence a	among Fa	milies					ı	irst Semes	ter Magni	itude of Po	oor Families			
Region/Province	Capita P Thres (in P	hold	Estima	ites (%)		cient of ation	Standar	d Error	909	% Confide	nce Inter	val	Estimate	e ('000)	Coeffici Varia		Standa	rd Error		90% Confide	nce Interva	I
									20:	18 ^u	20)21							20	18 ^u	20	21
	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	Lower Limit	Upper Limit	Lower Limit	Upper Limit	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	Lower Limit	Upper Limit	Lower Limit	Upper Limit
Region V (Bicol Region)*	11,975	13,873	21.5	26.1	3.6	3.8	0.8	1.0	20.2	22.7	24.5	27.7	292.3	349.1	3.8	3.9	11.1	13.6	274.0	310.5	326.7	371.5
Albay	12,258	13,691	16.0	18.8	8.0	9.0	1.3	1.7	13.9	18.1	16.0	21.6	48.7	57.0	8.1	9.2	3.9	5.3	42.2	55.2	48.3	65.6
Camarines Norte*	12,147	14,083	24.9	20.9	6.9	8.0	1.7	1.7	22.1	27.7	18.2	23.7	36.3	30.7	8.2	8.5		2.6	31.4	41.2	26.4	35.0
Camarines Sur*	11,599	14,378	19.3	34.6	8.8	7.3	1.7	2.5	16.5	22.1	30.4	38.8	87.2	152.3	9.1	7.3		11.2	74.1	100.4	133.9	170.7
Catanduanes	12,152	13,915	19.4	17.4	8.2	8.2	1.6	1.4	16.8	22.1	15.1	19.8	12.1	10.3	8.4	8.5		0.9	10.4	13.8	8.9	11.8
Masbate*	11,289	12,645	29.4	24.8	7.0	7.0	2.1	1.7	26.0	32.8	21.9	27.6	61.8	50.8	7.7	7.0		3.6	54.0	69.7	44.9	56.7
Sorsogon	13,131	13,744	24.5	26.2	6.7	7.1	1.6	1.8	21.8	27.2	23.1	29.2	46.1	48.0	7.4	7.3		3.5	40.5	51.7	42.2	53.8
Region VI (Western Visayas)*	11,964	13,519	15.9	19.2	4.9	4.5	0.8	0.9	14.7	17.2	17.8	20.7	302.9	374.4	5.3	4.9	16.0	18.2	276.6	329.2	344.4	404.4
Aklan*	12,079	13,542	14.7	18.3	10.2	8.5	1.5	1.6	12.2	17.1	15.8	20.9	21.7	28.3	10.4	8.8		2.5	18.0	25.4	24.2	32.4
Antique	11,704	13,249	18.3	21.9	9.6	9.0	1.7	2.0	15.4	21.1	18.7	25.1	27.0	32.0	9.6	9.3	2.6	3.0	22.8	31.3	27.0	36.9
Capiz*	10,981	13,339	5.8	9.5	13.3	12.4	0.8	1.2	4.5	7.1	7.5	11.4	11.3	19.7	13.6	13.1	1.5	2.6	8.8	13.9	15.4	23.9
Guimaras*	12,623	13,863	12.6	19.0	11.5	10.6	1.4	2.0	10.2	14.9	15.7	22.3	5.6	8.9	11.5	12.2	0.6	1.1	4.6	6.7	7.1	10.7
Iloilo	12,617	14,125	15.9	18.3	7.4	7.9	1.2	1.4	13.9	17.8	16.0	20.7	91.8	111.4	7.9	8.3	7.3	9.3	79.8	103.8	96.1	126.7
Negros Occidental	11,600	13,158	18.5	22.3	8.5	7.6	1.6	1.7	15.9	21.1	19.5	25.1	145.4	174.2	9.4	8.6		14.9	122.8	168.0	149.6	198.7
Region VII (Central Visayas)*	12,724	15,174	19.1	26.8	4.2	4.3	0.8	1.1	17.8	20.4	24.9	28.6	353.5	527.0	4.5	5.1	15.9	26.6	327.3	379.8	483.2	570.8
Bohol*	12,624	13,359	21.2	26.6	8.2	7.2	1.7	1.9	18.3	24.1	23.4	29.7	70.5	85.5	8.3	8.3	5.8	7.1	60.9	80.2	73.8	97.2
Cebu*	12,881	16,312	16.5	26.9	5.9	5.9	1.0	1.6	14.9	18.1	24.3	29.5	189.9	345.4	6.6	7.1	12.5	24.4	169.4	210.5	305.3	385.5
Negros Oriental	12,440	12,782	26.3	28.0	8.3	7.7	2.2	2.2	22.7	29.9	24.5	31.6	90.5	95.0	8.8	8.5		8.1	77.3	103.6	81.7	108.3
Siquijor* ^{a/}	12,463	12,515	10.0	4.3	15.8	24.7	1.6	1.1	7.4	12.6	2.6	6.1	2.6	1.1	16.3	25.7	0.4	0.3	1.9	3.3	0.6	1.5
Region VIII (Eastern Visayas)	12,195	13,550	30.4	28.9	3.4	3.8	1.0	1.1	28.7	32.1	27.1	30.7	333.1	328.1	4.0	3.8	13.4	12.6	311.1	355.1	307.4	348.8
Biliran*	12,039	14,348	18.0	22.4	7.9	7.8	1.4	1.7	15.7	20.4	19.5	25.2	8.3	9.8	8.2	8.3	0.7	0.8	7.1	9.4	8.4	11.1
Eastern Samar*	14,112	14,523	43.0	36.0	5.0	6.5	2.2	2.3	39.4	46.5	32.1	39.8	52.1	46.0	6.7	7.3	3.5	3.4	46.4	57.8	40.5	51.5
Leyte	11,720	13,522	29.3	29.6	6.6	7.0	1.9	2.1	26.2	32.5	26.2	33.0	145.5	158.5	7.9	6.9	11.5	10.9	126.5	164.5	140.5	176.4
Northern Samar*	12,662	13,173	30.0	23.1	6.6	6.9	2.0	1.6	26.7	33.3	20.5	25.8	43.4	32.5	7.6	7.3	3.3	2.4	38.0	48.7	28.6	36.4
Southern Leyte	12,691	14,505	22.9	25.5	7.2	6.3	1.6	1.6	20.2	25.6	22.8	28.1	23.0	24.7	7.7	6.8	1.8	1.7	20.1	25.9	21.9	27.5
Western Samar	11,243	12,593	32.2	30.0	6.5	6.6	2.1	2.0	28.8	35.7	26.7	33.3	60.9	56.6	7.2	7.6		4.3	53.6	68.2	49.5	63.7
Region IX (Zamboanga Peninsula)	12,424	14,467	32.4	30.9	3.4	3.5	1.1	1.1	30.6	34.3	29.1	32.7	290.0	270.2	3.9	3.8	11.2	10.3	271.5	308.5	253.2	287.1
Zamboanga del Norte*	13,654	17,125	41.5	53.6	5.9	4.7	2.4	2.5	37.5	45.5	49.4	57.7	104.3	131.2	6.3	5.5	6.6	7.2	93.5	115.2	119.4	142.9
Zamboanga del Sur*	11,822	12,173	25.1	19.2	5.8	7.2	1.5	1.4	22.7	27.6	16.9	21.4	115.3	84.2	6.8	7.6	7.9	6.4	102.3	128.2	73.7	94.6
Zamboanga Sibugay*	11,446	12,315	36.1	29.7	7.1	6.4	2.5	1.9	31.9	40.2	26.5	32.8	58.0	48.7	7.5	7.5	4.4	3.7	50.8	65.2	42.7	54.7
Isabela City*	12,709	12,033	53.1	23.7	6.0	10.8	3.2	2.5	47.8	58.4	19.5	27.9	12.4	6.2	10.9	14.3	1.3	0.9	10.2	14.6	4.7	7.7
Region X (Northern Mindanao)	12,259	14,302	25.6	26.2	3.1	3.8	0.8	1.0	24.3	26.9	24.5	27.8	288.3	311.5	3.4	4.5	9.9	13.9	272.1	304.5	288.6	334.3
Bukidnon	12,696	14,362	32.3	32.8	6.2	7.7	2.0	2.5	29.0	35.6	28.6	37.0	106.1	115.0	7.0	9.6	7.4	11.0	93.9	118.3	96.9	133.1
Camiguin*	12,762	14,165	23.8	17.7	8.6	7.6	2.1	1.3	20.4	27.2	15.5	19.9	5.4	3.9	8.6	9.0	0.5	0.4	4.6	6.1	3.4	4.5
Lanao del Norte*	12,088	14,163	23.6	31.4	6.0	6.3	1.4	2.0	21.2	25.9	28.1	34.6	55.8	77.7	6.1	7.4	3.4	5.7	50.2	61.5	68.3	87.1
Misamis Occidental*	12,036	14,939	32.7	23.3	6.3	8.2	2.1	1.9	29.3	36.0	20.2	26.5	47.9	33.8	7.1	8.8	3.4	3.0	42.4	53.5	28.9	38.7
Misamis Oriental	11,891	14,089	18.6	19.0	5.1	6.1	0.9	1.2	17.0	20.2	17.1	21.0	73.0	81.0	6.0	6.8	4.4	5.5	65.9	80.2	72.0	90.0
Region XI (Davao Region)*	12,718	13,324	17.8	14.0	4.0	4.4	0.7	0.6	16.6	19.0	13.0	15.0	233.2	195.5	4.4	5.3	10.3	10.4	216.2	250.2	178.4	212.5
Davao del Norte	12,725	13,545	14.5	13.6	10.3	10.3	1.5	1.4	12.1	17.0	11.2	15.9	37.4	34.5	11.6	12.5	4.3	4.3	30.3	44.5	27.4	41.6
Davao del Sur*	12,909	13,377	10.8	7.9	10.2	9.6	1.1	0.8		12.6	6.7	9.2	68.2	56.9	11.3	9.5	7.7	5.4	55.6	80.9	48.0	65.8
Davao Oriental*	12,636	13,788	32.6	24.5	6.6	8.8	2.1	2.1	29.1	36.1	20.9	28.0	46.8	36.3	7.0	9.4	3.3	3.4	41.4	52.2	30.6	41.9
Compostela Valley*	12,532	12,942	26.0	21.8	6.7	8.2	1.7	1.8	23.1	28.8	18.8	24.7	49.4	41.2	7.4	15.8	3.7	6.5	43.3	55.4	30.5	51.9
Davao Occidental*	12,669	12,834	37.7	31.7	6.5	8.4	2.4	2.7	33.7	41.7	27.3	36.0	31.4	26.7	7.0	8.6	2.2	2.3	27.8	35.0	22.9	30.4

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	First Seme	ester Per			First S	emester l	Poverty I	ncidence a	among Fai	milies						First Semest	ter Magni	itude of Po	or Families			
Region/Province	Capita P Thres (in P	hold	Estima	tes (%)	Coeffic Varia		Standa	rd Error	90%	% Confide	nce Inter	rval	Estimat	e ('000)	Coeffic Varia		Standa	rd Error	9	90% Confide	nce Interval	
									201	L8 ^u	20)21							201	L8 ^u	202	21
	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	Lower	Upper	Lower	Upper	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	Lower	Upper	Lower	Upper
									Limit	Limit	Limit	Limit							Limit	Limit	Limit	Limit
Region XII (SOCCSKSARGEN)	12,082	13,298	27.2	27.1	3.7	3.8	1.0	1.0	25.6	28.9	25.4	28.8	313.7	326.7	4.0	4.0	12.6	12.9	293.0	334.5	305.5	347.9
North Cotabato	11,784	13,894	25.5	27.9	8.3	8.4	2.1	2.3	22.0	29.0	24.1	31.7	89.5	106.5	8.7	8.5	7.8	9.0	76.7	102.2	91.6	121.4
Sarangani	11,139	12,238	40.8	42.1	7.3	5.9	3.0	2.5	35.9	45.7	38.0	46.1	56.6	59.8	8.3	6.9	4.7	4.1	48.8	64.3	53.0	66.6
South Cotabato	12,521	12,393	18.9	19.8	8.1	7.2	1.5	1.4	16.4	21.5	17.4	22.1	75.3	83.7	8.6	7.4	6.5	6.2	64.6	85.9	73.5	93.9
Sultan Kudarat*	11,566	12,621	32.6	25.8	7.1	9.3	2.3	2.4	28.8	36.4	21.9	29.8	65.8	51.0	8.3	9.8	5.5	5.0	56.9	74.8	42.7	59.2
Cotabato City	14,722	16,749	42.0	42.0	5.8	5.5	2.4	2.3	38.1	46.0	38.2	45.8	26.6	25.7	8.3	8.0	2.2	2.1	22.9	30.2	22.3	29.1
Region XIII (Caraga)*	12,346	13,613	28.3	31.0	3.2	3.0	0.9	0.9	26.8	29.8	29.5	32.5	188.1	205.9	3.6	3.4	6.7	7.1	177.0	199.1	194.2	217.6
Agusan del Norte*	11,363	13,860	23.1	27.8	5.7	4.7	1.3	1.3	21.0	25.3	25.6	30.0	40.9	50.0	7.0	5.2	2.9	2.6	36.2	45.6	45.8	54.3
Agusan del Sur*	12,136	13,957	32.6	39.6	6.7	5.6	2.2	2.2	29.0	36.2	36.0	43.3	60.0	70.1	7.4	6.5	4.5	4.6	52.7	67.3	62.6	77.6
Surigao Del Norte*	13,799	13,106	32.4	27.3	6.7	7.8	2.2	2.1	28.8	36.0	23.8	30.9	38.8	35.3	6.8	8.7	2.7	3.1	34.4	43.1	30.2	40.3
Surigao Del Sur	11,969	13,000	23.9	27.9	7.4	7.4	1.8	2.1	21.0	26.8	24.5	31.3	35.7	41.2	8.2	8.6	2.9	3.6	30.9	40.6	35.3	47.0
Dinagat Islands*	13,177	14,380	36.7	30.3	6.8	7.6	2.5	2.3	32.6	40.8	26.6	34.1	12.7	9.3	8.8	9.5	1.1	0.9	10.8	14.5	7.9	10.8
Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao/	13,599	14,126	55.9	39.4	2.4	3.6	1.3	1.4	53.7	58.1	37.0	41.8	365.9	274.0	3.6	4.9	13.3	13.4	344.0	387.9	252.0	296.1
Bangsamoro Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao (ARMM/BARMM)*																						
Basilan*	12,715	13,731	65.5	46.7	3.4	5.8	2.2	2.7	61.8	69.1	42.2	51.1	41.0	31.3	7.5	7.5	3.1	2.3	35.9	46.1	27.5	35.2
Lanao del Sur*	14,786	14,627	68.0	11.4	3.2	12.0	2.1	1.4	64.5	71.6	9.1	13.6	121.2	20.4	6.2	12.4	7.5	2.5	108.9	133.6	16.2	24.5
Maguindanao*	12,765	12,844	48.6	37.1	6.5	7.8	3.2	2.9	43.4	53.8	32.4	41.9	92.5	82.8	7.4	9.6	6.9	7.9	81.2	103.8	69.8	95.8
Sulu	13,929	15,363	66.7	71.9	3.3	4.2	2.2	3.0	63.0	70.3	67.0	76.8	97.5	111.2	8.1	8.7	7.9	9.6	84.5	110.6	95.4	127.1
Tawi-tawi*	9,881	13,333	17.7	39.5	8.9	8.5	1.6	3.3	15.1	20.3	34.0	45.0	13.7	28.3	10.1	12.5	1.4	3.5	11.4	15.9	22.5	34.2
Notes:																						

u=updated; Back estimation of the 2018 first semester poverty statistics was made due to the adoption of the 2015 Census of Population (POPCEN 2015) results for the weights used in the Family Income and Expenditure Survey (FIES) and the urban-rural classification of barangays.

^{*=} significant change; The increase or decrease of the poverty incidence among families between 2018 and 2021 is significant at 10% level of significance (α = 0.10).

a/ Coefficient of variation of 2021 provincial poverty incidence among families is greater than 20%.

b/ Coefficient of variation of 2018^u provincial poverty incidence among families is greater than 20%.

Table 1a. First Semester Per Capita Poverty Threshold, Poverty Incidence and Magnitude of Poor Families with Measures of Precision, by Region, Province and Highly Urbanized Cities: 2018 and 2021

	First Semeste	or Dor Capita			Firs	t Semester	Poverty II	ncidence ar	nong Fami	lies						First Seme	ster Magni	itude of Po	or Families			
	Poverty T	•			Coeffic	ient of			90	0% Confide	nce Interva	al			Coeffic	ient of			90	0% Confide	ence Interv	<i>r</i> al
Region/Province	(in P		Estima	ite (%)	Varia		Standa	rd Error	201	L8 ^u	202	21	Estimat	e ('000)	Varia		Standa	rd Error	20:	18 ^u	20)21
	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	Lower Limit	Upper Limit	Lower Limit	Upper Limit	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	Lower Limit	Upper Limit	Lower Limit	Upper Limit
PHILIPPINES*	12,638	14,498	16.2	18.0	1.1	1.2	0.2	0.2	15.9	16.5	17.6	18.3	4,039.4	4,739.8	1.2	1.3	47.0	61.5	3,962.2	4,116.7	4,638.6	4,841.1
National Capital Region (NCR)	14,102	16,625	4.9	5.2	5.3	4.5	0.3	0.2	4.5	5.3	4.8	5.6	156.9	182.5	5.6	4.8	8.8	8.8	142.5	171.4	168.1	197.0
1st District	,	,																				
City Of Manila * ^{a/}	14,102	16,625	5.7	2.0	19.0	20.9	1.1	0.4	3.9	7.5	1.3	2.7	25.8	9.9	20.1	21.1	5.2	2.1	17.3	34.4	6.5	13.4
2nd District																						
City Of Mandaluyong ^{a/b/}	14,102	16,625	1.4	1.2	31.3	26.0	0.4	0.3	0.7	2.2	0.7	1.7	1.6	1.5	31.4	25.1	0.5	0.4	0.8	2.4	0.9	2.2
City Of Marikina	14,102	16,625	4.1	3.4	13.1	16.2	0.5	0.5	3.2	4.9	2.5	4.3	4.0	3.6	14.0	16.6	0.6	0.6	3.1	5.0	2.6	4.6
City Of Pasig *	14,102	16,625	3.6	5.3	15.5	15.1	0.6	0.8	2.7	4.5	4.0	6.6	6.8	11.2	16.6	15.4	1.1	1.7	5.0	8.7	8.4	14.1
Quezon City	14,102	16,625	3.7	4.1	18.2	14.4	0.7	0.6	2.6	4.9	3.1	5.1	25.8	30.1	18.3	14.1	4.7	4.2	18.0	33.5	23.2	37.1
City Of San Juan * a/D/	14,102	16,625	1.7	0.4	33.9	97.5	0.6	0.4	0.7	2.6	0.0	1.0	0.5	0.1	34.0	100.0	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.7	0.0	0.3
3rd District																						
City Of Caloocan	14,102	16,625	7.8	9.7	11.1	10.4	0.9	1.0	6.4	9.3	8.0	11.3	28.9	37.5	13.8	12.0	4.0	4.5		35.5	30.1	44.9
City Of Malabon *	14,102	16,625	9.0	6.2	8.4	10.5	0.8	0.7	7.7	10.2	5.2	7.3	7.7	5.6	9.7	12.5	0.7	0.7	6.5	8.9	4.4	6.7
City Of Navotas	14,102	16,625	11.1	9.6	8.8	10.3	1.0	1.0	9.5	12.7	8.0	11.2	6.7	6.0	12.3	10.7	0.8	0.6	5.3	8.0	4.9	7.1
City Of Valenzuela *	14,102	16,625	7.2	5.0	11.1	11.0	0.8	0.6	5.9	8.5	4.1	5.9	11.3	8.5	12.2	13.0	1.4	1.1	9.0	13.6	6.7	10.3
4th District																						
City Of Las Piñas	14,102	16,625	4.0	5.4	13.9	14.2	0.6	0.8	3.1	4.9	4.1	6.6	5.8	8.5	14.5	14.8	0.8	1.3	4.4	7.2	6.4	10.6
City Of Makati * ^{D/}	14,102	16,625	0.9	2.3	31.6	18.1	0.3	0.4	0.4	1.3	1.6	3.0	1.5	4.4	32.1	17.9	0.5	0.8		2.3	3.1	5.7
City Of Muntinlupa	14,102	16,625	5.7	7.0	13.5	15.9	0.8	1.1	4.4	7.0	5.2	8.8	7.7	10.6	14.9	18.0	1.1	1.9		9.6	7.4	13.7
City Of Parañaque	14,102	16,625	4.8	5.2	15.5	14.2	0.7	0.7	3.6	6.0	4.0	6.4	8.4	10.1	16.4	14.5	1.4	1.5		10.6	7.7	12.6
Pasay City	14,102	16,625	6.0	6.8	11.9	13.7	0.7	0.9	4.8	7.2	5.2	8.3	6.7	8.0	12.1	14.1	0.8	1.1	5.3	8.0	6.2	9.9
Pateros ^{a/o/}	14,102	16,625	4.0	7.3	27.4	24.3	1.1	1.8	2.2	5.8	4.4	10.2	0.5	1.0	29.8	28.3	0.2	0.3		0.8	0.5	1.5
City Of Taguig *	14,102	16,625	3.2	9.7	18.2	12.4	0.6	1.2	2.3	4.2	7.7	11.7	7.3	25.7	20.4	17.2	1.5	4.4	4.9	9.8	18.4	33.0
Cordillera Administrative Region (CAR)*	12,358	14,023	13.8	12.1	4.0	4.4	0.6	0.5	12.9	14.7	11.2	12.9	61.5	54.0	4.2	4.3	2.6	2.3	57.3	65.7	50.2	57.8
Abra*	12,406	14,321	29.5	21.5	6.1	8.8	1.8	1.9	26.5	32.5	18.4	24.6	17.4	12.5	7.4	8.2	1.3	1.0	15.3	19.5	10.8	14.2
Apayao*	11,523	12,797	23.2	12.6	12.6	18.4	2.9	2.3	18.4	28.0	8.8	16.4	6.8	3.5	15.1	20.2	1.0	0.7	5.1	8.5	2.4	4.7
Benguet (w/o the City of Baguio)	11,785	13,404	8.8	10.8	12.2	9.7	1.1	1.0	7.0	10.6	9.1	12.6	10.5	13.8	12.4	9.4	1.3	1.3	8.4	12.7	11.7	16.0
City of Baguio	12,050	13,759	2.7	3.4	18.5	15.5	0.5	0.5	1.9	3.5	2.6	4.3	2.6	3.5	18.7	16.0	0.5	0.6		3.4	2.6	4.5
Ifugao	12,948	14,432	15.5	13.7	11.4	13.6	1.8	1.9	12.6	18.5	10.7	16.8	7.7	6.5	11.3	13.5	0.9	0.9	6.2	9.1	5.0	7.9
Kalinga	11,851	12,920	12.2	12.1	10.2	12.1	1.2	1.5	10.2	14.3	9.7	14.5	5.9	5.5	10.4	12.2	0.6	0.7	4.9	6.9	4.4	6.6
Mt. Province	13,366	15,610	24.4	22.7	8.1	9.6	2.0	2.2	21.2	27.7	19.1	26.3	10.5	8.7	8.7	9.4	0.9	0.8		12.0	7.3	10.0
				,		3.0					13.1					3.1						
Region I (Ilocos Region)*	12,837	15,470	8.7	15.8	7.9	5.7	0.7	0.9	7.6	9.9	14.3	17.2	108.4	200.3	8.1	6.1	8.8	12.3	93.9	122.9	180.0	220.5
llocos Norte	12,776	15,566	5.5	6.3	16.5	17.7	0.9	1.1	4.0	7.1	4.5	8.2	8.0	9.6	16.5	17.9	1.3	1.7	5.8	10.2	6.8	12.4
Ilocos Sur*	11,963	16,332	8.9	18.0	11.0	8.2	1.0	1.5	7.3	10.5	15.5	20.4	14.7	30.6	11.4	9.1	1.7	2.8	11.9	17.4	26.0	35.1
La Union*	10,881	13,812	3.7	10.7	18.7	10.9	0.7	1.2	2.6	4.8	8.8	12.6	7.1	21.5	18.9	11.5	1.3	2.5	4.9	9.2	17.4	25.6
Pangasinan*	13,191	15,534	10.6	18.6	10.5	7.7	1.1	1.4	8.8	12.4	16.2	20.9	78.7	138.6	10.7	8.4	8.5	11.6	64.8	92.6	119.5	157.6
Region II (Cagayan Valley)	12,182	14,226	15.3	16.4	5.5	6.2	0.8	1.0	14.0	16.7	14.7	18.1	133.3	147.3	5.8	6.9	7.8	10.1	120.5	146.1	130.7	163.9
Batanes* a/	19,333	17,774	13.5	7.5	11.6	20.9	1.6	1.6	10.9	16.0	4.9	10.0	0.8	0.4	21.0	20.6	0.2	0.1	0.5	1.0	0.3	0.5
Cagayan	12,215	13,714	15.1	12.9	8.9	11.6	1.3	1.5	12.9	17.3	10.4	15.3	43.6	38.6	9.4	11.6	4.1	4.5	36.9	50.4	31.2	45.9
Isabela*	12,233	14,787	15.6	20.8	9.2	8.8	1.4	1.8	13.3	18.0	17.8	23.8	62.6	86.1	10.0	10.1	6.3	8.7	52.2	72.9	71.8	100.5
Nueva Vizcaya*	12,001	12,611	17.2	12.8	9.9	12.6	1.7	1.6	14.4	20.0	10.2	15.5	21.5	16.9	9.3	13.1	2.0	2.2	18.2	24.8	13.2	20.5
Quirino	11,239	13,879	9.9	11.3	11.2	10.4	1.1	1.2	8.0	11.7	9.4	13.2	4.8	5.3	11.3	11.5	0.5	0.6	3.9	5.7	4.3	6.3
Region III (Central Luzon)*	12,976	16,226	7.9	13.7	4.8	4.4	0.4	0.6	7.3	8.6	12.7	14.7	218.6	409.5	5.1	5.8	11.3	23.9	200.1	237.1	370.3	448.8
Aurora*	12,079	15,053	16.7	24.0	9.9	8.5	1.6	2.0	13.9	19.4	20.7	27.4	9.6	13.3	10.3	9.3	1.0	1.2	8.0	11.2	11.3	15.3
Bataan	14,522	14,776	11.6	12.8	9.8	8.4	1.1	1.1	9.7	13.5	11.0	14.5	21.3	26.2	10.0	10.1	2.1	2.6	17.8	24.8	21.9	30.5
Bulacan*	12,647	17,537	4.9	14.9	14.9	8.9	0.7	1.3	3.7	6.1	12.7	17.1	39.8	132.0	16.4	15.1	6.5	19.9	29.0	50.5	99.3	164.8
Nueva Ecija*	12,354	14,766	10.5	17.0	10.1	10.7	1.1	1.8	8.8	12.2	14.1	20.0	55.0	97.6	10.7	10.6	5.9	10.4	45.3	64.6	80.6	114.7
Pampanga (w/o the City of Angeles)* ^{b/}	12,888	16,843	3.9	6.5	22.4	13.0	0.9	0.8	2.5	5.3	5.1	7.9	20.7	36.4	23.4	13.6	4.8	4.9	12.7	28.7	28.3	44.6
City Of Angeles * 0/	12,788	17,100	2.2	5.1	23.7	13.4	0.5	0.7	1.4	3.1	4.0	6.2	2.2	6.5	24.1	13.7	0.5	0.9	1.3	3.1	5.0	8.0
Tarlac*	11,994	14,612	10.4	13.2	9.1	8.7	0.9	1.1	8.8	11.9	11.3	15.0	34.4	46.5	10.0	9.3	3.4	4.3	28.7	40.0	39.3	53.6
Zambales (w/o the City of Olongapo)*	14,671	17,309	19.4	25.3	9.1	6.8	1.8	1.7	16.5	22.3	22.5	28.1	30.0	43.0	9.3	8.1	2.8	3.5	25.4	34.6	37.2	48.7
City Of Olongapo*	15,071	17,883	9.4	13.0	10.7	8.7	1.0	1.1	7.8	11.1	11.1	14.8	5.6	8.0	11.5	10.4	0.6	0.8	4.5	6.6	6.6	9.3

Table 1a. First Semester Per Capita Poverty Threshold, Poverty Incidence and Magnitude of Poor Families with Measures of Precision, by Region, Province and Highly Urbanized Cities: 2018 and 2021

	First Semeste	or Par Capita			First	t Semester	Poverty Ir	ncidence a	mong Fami	lies						First Seme	ster Magni	itude of Po	or Families	5		
		•		Coeffici	ent of			9	0% Confide	nce Interv	al			Coeffic	ient of			9	0% Confide	nce Interv	al	
Region/Province	1	Poverty Threshold (in PhP)		te (%)	Varia		Standa	d Error	20:	18 ^u	20	21	Estimat	e ('000)	Varia		Standa	rd Error	20	18 ^u	20	21
	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	Lower Limit	Upper Limit	Lower Limit	Upper Limit	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	Lower Limit	Upper Limit	Lower Limit	Upper Limit
Region IV-A (CALABARZON)*	13,669	15,604	7.8	10.6	5.9	5.3	0.5	0.6	7.0	8.5	9.7	11.5	281.3	431.6	6.1	5.9	17.2	25.5	253.0	309.7	389.7	473.5
Batangas*	15,854	15,382	13.0	7.0	9.6	14.1	1.3	1.0	11.0	15.1	5.4	8.6	83.3	53.2	10.9	16.5	9.1	8.8	68.3	98.3	38.8	67.7
Cavite*	14,462	17,907	6.1	10.8	12.8	10.6	0.8	1.2	4.8	7.4	8.9	12.7	56.4	117.8	14.1	12.9	8.0	15.2	43.3	69.5	92.8	142.8
Laguna *	11,471	15,228	5.0	10.0	16.8	13.4	0.8	1.3	3.6	6.4	7.8	12.7	42.2	94.4	16.8	13.7	7.1	13.0	30.5	53.9	73.1	115.7
Quezon (w/o the City of Lucena)*	11,363	13,552	13.2	23.8	13.6	9.0	1.8	2.1	10.3	16.2	20.2	27.3	61.8	113.7	13.7	9.6	8.5	10.9	47.9	75.8	95.8	131.6
City Of Lucena *	11,707	14,161	6.3	9.8	14.8	14.9	0.9	1.5	4.7	7.8	7.4	12.2	4.0	6.5	14.6	16.0	0.6	1.0	3.0	4.9	4.8	8.2
Rizal	13,951	15,707	4.8	6.1	15.4	14.4	0.7	0.9	3.6	6.1	4.7	7.6	33.7	45.9	15.7	15.7	5.3	7.2	25.0	42.4	34.1	57.7
MIMAROPA Region*	11,472	13,054	15.1	19.3	4.7	4.4	0.7	0.9	14.0	16.3	17.9	20.7	118.5	152.2	4.9	4.5	5.9	6.9	108.8	128.1	140.9	163.5
Marinduque*	11,672	13,658	14.2	18.7	9.2	8.4	1.3	1.6	12.1	16.4	16.1	21.3	8.9	10.8	9.3	9.5	0.8	1.0	7.5	10.2	9.2	12.5
Occidental Mindoro	10,610	13,409	22.1	24.9	9.7	8.6	2.1	2.1	18.6	25.6	21.4	28.4	28.8	31.7	10.7	9.2	3.1	2.9	23.7	33.8	26.9	36.5
Oriental Mindoro	12,136	13,390	13.0	16.6	10.6	10.8	1.4	1.8	10.7	15.3	13.6	19.5	27.9	35.3	11.2	11.3	3.1	4.0	22.8	33.1	28.7	41.8
Palawan (w/o the City of Puerto Princesa)*	11,335	11,988	13.7	18.7	10.7	9.9	1.5	1.8	11.3	16.2	15.6	21.7	30.7	44.1	11.0	9.6	3.4	4.2	25.2	36.3	37.1	51.0
City Of Puerto Princesa *	11,503	12,463	3.7	7.9	18.6	15.5	0.7	1.2	2.6	4.8	5.9	9.9	2.6	6.1	19.9	17.1	0.5	1.0	1.8	3.5	4.4	7.8
Romblon*	11,869	13,863	24.3	32.1	7.4	5.6	1.8	1.8	21.4	27.3	29.1	35.0	19.5	24.3	8.2	6.8	1.6	1.6	16.9	22.2	21.6	27.0
Region V (Bicol Region)*	11,975	13,873	21.5	26.1	3.6	3.8	0.8	1.0	20.2	22.7	24.5	27.7	292.3	349.1	3.8	3.9	11.1	13.6	274.0	310.5	326.7	371.5
Albay	12,258	13,691	16.0	18.8	8.0	9.0	1.3	1.7	13.9	18.1	16.0	21.6	48.7	57.0	8.1	9.2	3.9	5.3	42.2	55.2	48.3	65.6
Camarines Norte*	12,147	14,083	24.9	20.9	6.9	8.0	1.7	1.7	22.1	27.7	18.2	23.7	36.3	30.7	8.2	8.5	3.0	2.6	31.4	41.2	26.4	35.0
Camarines Sur*	11,599	14,378	19.3	34.6	8.8	7.3	1.7	2.5	16.5	22.1	30.4	38.8	87.2	152.3	9.1	7.3	8.0	11.2	74.1	100.4	133.9	170.7
Catanduanes	12,152	13,915	19.4	17.4	8.2	8.2	1.6	1.4	16.8	22.1	15.1	19.8	12.1	10.3	8.4	8.5	1.0	0.9	10.4	13.8	8.9	11.8
Masbate*	11,289	12,645	29.4	24.8	7.0	7.0	2.1	1.7	26.0	32.8	21.9	27.6	61.8	50.8	7.7	7.0	4.8	3.6	54.0	69.7	44.9	56.7
Sorsogon	13,131	13,744	24.5	26.2	6.7	7.1	1.6	1.8	21.8	27.2	23.1	29.2	46.1	48.0	7.4	7.3	3.4	3.5	40.5	51.7	42.2	53.8
Region VI (Western Visayas)*	11,964	13,519	15.9	19.2	4.9	4.5	0.8	0.9	14.7	17.2	17.8	20.7	302.9	374.4	5.3	4.9	16.0	18.2	276.6	329.2	344.4	404.4
Aklan*	12,079	13,542	14.7	18.3	10.2	8.5	1.5	1.6	12.2	17.1	15.8	20.9	21.7	28.3	10.4	8.8	2.3	2.5	18.0	25.4	24.2	32.4
Antique	11,704	13,249	18.3	21.9	9.6	9.0	1.7	2.0	15.4	21.1	18.7	25.1	27.0	32.0	9.6	9.3	2.6	3.0	22.8	31.3	27.0	36.9
Capiz*	10,981	13,339	5.8	9.5	13.3	12.4	0.8	1.2	4.5	7.1	7.5	11.4	11.3	19.7	13.6	13.1	1.5	2.6	8.8	13.9	15.4	23.9
Guimaras*	12,623	13,863	12.6	19.0	11.5	10.6	1.4	2.0	10.2	14.9	15.7	22.3	5.6	8.9	11.5	12.2	0.6	1.1	4.6	6.7	7.1	10.7
Iloilo (w/o the City of Iloilo)	12,593	14,056	18.2	20.3	7.7	8.6	1.4	1.7	15.9	20.6	17.4	23.2	87.5	102.9	8.3	9.0	7.3	9.2	75.5	99.4	87.8	118.1
City Of Iloilo *	13,040	14,846	4.4	8.4	13.3	12.8	0.6	1.1	3.4	5.3	6.7	10.2	4.3	8.5	13.1	14.1	0.6	1.2	3.4	5.3	6.5	10.4
Negros Occidental (w/o the City of Bacolod)	11,591	13,145	21.4	26.0	8.9	8.0	1.9	2.1	18.3	24.5	22.6	29.3	138.9	166.0	9.9	9.0	13.7	14.9	116.3	161.4	141.5	190.5
City Of Bacolod	11,760	13,384	4.7	5.7	12.4	12.6	0.6	0.7	3.8	5.7	4.5	6.9	6.5	8.2	13.7	13.1	0.9	1.1	5.1	8.0	6.4	9.9
Region VII (Central Visayas)*	12,724	15,174	19.1	26.8	4.2	4.3	0.8	1.1	17.8	20.4	24.9	28.6	353.5	527.0	4.5	5.1	15.9	26.6	327.3	379.8	483.2	570.8
Bohol*	12,624	13,359	21.2	26.6	8.2	7.2	1.7	1.9	18.3	24.1	23.4	29.7	70.5	85.5	8.3	8.3	5.8	7.1	60.9	80.2	73.8	97.2
Cebu (w/o the Cities of Cebu, Lapu-Lapu and Mandaue) *	12,830	16,148	21.0	34.4	7.3	7.1	1.5	2.4	18.5	23.5	30.4	38.4	147.7	276.9	8.1	8.6	12.0	23.9	127.9	167.4	237.6	316.3
City Of Cebu *	13,035	16,912	10.3	16.1	11.1	9.0	1.2	1.4	8.4	12.2	13.7	18.5	23.6	38.4	12.4	10.6	2.9	4.1	18.8	28.4	31.7	45.1
City Of Lapu-Lapu (Opon)*	13,058	16,912	7.7	12.7	12.9	10.2	1.0	1.3	6.1	9.3	10.6	14.8	8.6	15.7	13.0	10.9	1.1	1.7	6.8	10.5	12.9	18.6
City Of Mandaue*	12,855	16,912	9.5	12.3	11.4	9.0	1.1	1.1	7.7	11.3	10.5	14.1	10.1	14.3	12.6	10.1	1.3	1.5	8.0	12.1	12.0	16.7
Negros Oriental	12,440	12,782	26.3	28.0	8.3	7.7	2.2	2.2	22.7	29.9	24.5	31.6	90.5	95.0	8.8	8.5	8.0	8.1	77.3	103.6	81.7	108.3
Siquijor * a/	12,463	12,515	10.0	4.3	15.8	24.7	1.6	1.1	7.4	12.6	2.6	6.1	2.6	1.1	16.3	25.7	0.4	0.3	1.9	3.3	0.6	1.5
Region VIII (Eastern Visayas)	12,195	13,550	30.4	28.9	3.4	3.8	1.0	1.1	28.7	32.1	27.1	30.7	333.1	328.1	4.0	3.8	13.4	12.6	311.1	355.1	307.4	348.8
Biliran*	12,039	14,348	18.0	22.4	7.9	7.8	1.4	1.7	15.7	20.4	19.5	25.2	8.3	9.8	8.2	8.3	0.7	0.8	7.1	9.4	8.4	11.1
Eastern Samar*	14,112	14,523	43.0	36.0	5.0	6.5	2.2	2.3	39.4	46.5	32.1	39.8	52.1	46.0	6.7	7.3	3.5	3.4	46.4	57.8	40.5	51.5
Leyte (w/o the City of Tacloban)	11,711	13,478	31.3	31.3	6.8	7.4	2.1	2.3	27.8	34.8	27.5	35.1	138.4	150.2	8.3	7.2	11.5	10.9	119.5	157.4	132.3	168.1
City Of Tacloban	11,863	14,133	13.1	14.7	9.5	9.5	1.2	1.4	11.1	15.2	12.4	17.0	7.0	8.2	10.0	10.4	0.7	0.9	5.9	8.2	6.8	9.7
Northern Samar*	12,662	13,173	30.0	23.1	6.6	6.9	2.0	1.6	26.7	33.3	20.5	25.8	43.4	32.5	7.6	7.3	3.3	2.4	38.0	48.7	28.6	36.4
Southern Leyte	12,691	14,505	22.9	25.5	7.2	6.3	1.6	1.6	20.2	25.6	22.8	28.1	23.0	24.7	7.7	6.8	1.8	1.7	20.1	25.9	21.9	27.5
Western Samar	11,243	12,593	32.2	30.0	6.5	6.6	2.1	2.0	28.8	35.7	26.7	33.3	60.9	56.6	7.2	7.6	4.4	4.3	53.6	68.2	49.5	63.7

Table 1a. First Semester Per Capita Poverty Threshold, Poverty Incidence and Magnitude of Poor Families with Measures of Precision, by Region, Province and Highly Urbanized Cities: 2018 and 2021

	First Compate	w Day Capita	<u> </u>		Firs	t Semester	Poverty I	ncidence a	mong Famil	lies			1			First Semes	ster Magni	tude of Po	or Families	<u> </u>		
	First Semeste Poverty T	•		Stimate (%) Coefficient of Variation Standa					90	0% Confide	nce Interva	al			Coeffic	ient of			90	0% Confide	nce Interva	al
Region/Province	(in P		Estima	Estimate (%) Variation Standard				rd Error	201	18 ^u	20	21	Estimat	e ('000)	Varia		Standa	rd Error	20:	18 ^u	202	21
	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	Lower Limit	Upper Limit	Lower Limit	Upper Limit	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	Lower Limit	Upper Limit	Lower Limit	Upper Limit
Region IX (Zamboanga Peninsula)	12,424	14,467	32.4	30.9	3.4	3.5	1.1	1.1	30.6	34.3	29.1	32.7	290.0	270.2	3.9	3.8	11.2	10.3	271.5	308.5	253.2	287.1
Zamboanga del Norte*	13,654	17,125	41.5	5 53.6 5.9 4.7 2.4		2.5	37.5	45.5	49.4	57.7	104.3	131.2	6.3	5.5	6.6	7.2	93.5	115.2	119.4	142.9		
Zamboanga del Sur (w/o the City of Zamboanga)*	11,687	12,067	35.8	29.7	6.8	8.3	2.4	2.5	31.8	39.8	25.6	33.7	89.8	67.5	8.1	8.7	7.3	5.9	77.8	101.8	57.8	77.1
City Of Zamboanga*	12,200	12,525	12.3	7.9	9.7	13.7	1.2	1.1	10.3	14.2	6.1	9.7	25.4	16.7	11.6	14.7	3.0	2.5	20.6	30.3	12.6	20.7
Zamboanga Sibugay*	11,446	12,315	36.1	29.7	7.1	6.4	2.5	1.9	31.9	40.2	26.5	32.8	58.0	48.7	7.5	7.5	4.4	3.7	50.8	65.2	42.7	54.7
Isabela City *	12,709	12,033	53.1	23.7	6.0	10.8	3.2	2.5	47.8	58.4	19.5	27.9	12.4	6.2	10.9	14.3	1.3	0.9	10.2	14.6	4.7	7.7
Region X (Northern Mindanao)	12,259	14,302	25.6	26.2	3.1	3.8	0.8	1.0	24.3	26.9	24.5	27.8	288.3	311.5	3.4	4.5	9.9	13.9	272.1	304.5	288.6	334.3
Bukidnon	12,696	14,362	32.3	32.8	6.2	7.7	2.0	2.5	29.0	35.6	28.6	37.0	106.1	115.0	7.0	9.6	7.4	11.0	93.9	118.3	96.9	133.1
Camiguin*	12,762	14,165	23.8	17.7	8.6	7.6	2.1	1.3	20.4	27.2	15.5	19.9	5.4	3.9	8.6	9.0	0.5	0.4	4.6	6.1	3.4	4.5
Lanao del Norte (w/o the City of Iligan)*	11,993	14,051	25.5	39.1	7.6	7.5	1.9	2.9	22.3	28.7	34.3	43.9	39.4	62.9	7.6	8.8	3.0	5.5	34.5	44.3	53.8	72.0
City Of Iligan	12,341	14,666	19.9	17.0	9.7	9.0	1.9	1.5	16.7	23.1	14.5	19.6	16.5	14.8	10.2	9.5	1.7	1.4	13.7	19.2	12.5	17.1
Misamis Occidental*	12,036	14,939	32.7	23.3	6.3	8.2	2.1	1.9	29.3	36.0	20.2	26.5	47.9	33.8	7.1	8.8	3.4	3.0	42.4	53.5	28.9	38.7
Misamis Oriental (w/o the City of Cagayan de Oro)	11,835	13,973	25.1	25.3	6.0	7.2	1.5	1.8	22.7	27.6	22.4	28.3	53.0	58.4	7.2	8.5	3.8	5.0	46.7	59.2	50.2	66.5
City of Cagayan De Oro	12,039	14,369	11.0	11.6	9.8	9.8	1.1	1.1	9.2	12.8	9.7	13.5	20.1	22.6	10.7	10.3	2.2	2.3	16.5	23.6	18.8	26.4
Region XI (Davao Region)*	12,718	13,324	17.8	14.0	4.0	4.4	0.7	0.6	16.6	19.0	13.0	15.0	233.2	195.5	4.4	5.3	10.3	10.4	216.2	250.2	178.4	212.5
Davao del Norte	12,725	13,545	14.5	13.6	10.3	10.3	1.5	1.4	12.1	17.0	11.2	15.9	37.4	34.5	11.6	12.5	4.3	4.3	30.3	44.5	27.4	41.6
Davao del Sur (w/o the City of Davao)*	12,808	13,203	18.7	13.1	7.9	10.9	1.5	1.4	16.3	21.1	10.8	15.5	32.4	25.7	8.1	11.8	2.6	3.0	28.1	36.7	20.7	30.7
City Of Davao	12,994	13,510	7.8	6.0	18.5	14.5	1.4	0.9	5.4	10.1	4.6	7.4	35.9	31.2	20.1	14.5	7.2	4.5	24.0	47.7	23.8	38.6
Davao Oriental*	12,636	13,788	32.6	24.5	6.6	8.8	2.1	2.1	29.1	36.1	20.9	28.0	46.8	36.3	7.0	9.4	3.3	3.4	41.4	52.2	30.6	41.9
Compostela Valley*	12,532	12,942	26.0	21.8	6.7	8.2	1.7	1.8	23.1	28.8	18.8	24.7	49.4	41.2	7.4	15.8	3.7	6.5	43.3	55.4	30.5	51.9
Davao Occidental*	12,669	12,834	37.7	31.7	6.5	8.4	2.4	2.7	33.7	41.7	27.3	36.0	31.4	26.7	7.0	8.6	2.2	2.3	27.8	35.0	22.9	30.4
Region XII (SOCCSKSARGEN)	12,082	13,298	27.2	27.1	3.7	3.8	1.0	1.0	25.6	28.9	25.4	28.8	313.7	326.7	4.0	4.0	12.6	12.9	293.0	334.5	305.5	347.9
North Cotabato	11,784	13,894	25.5	27.9	8.3	8.4	2.1	2.3	22.0	29.0	24.1	31.7	89.5	106.5	8.7	8.5	7.8	9.0	76.7	102.2	91.6	121.4
Sarangani	11,139	12,238	40.8	42.1	7.3	5.9	3.0	2.5	35.9	45.7	38.0	46.1	56.6	59.8	8.3	6.9	4.7	4.1	48.8	64.3	53.0	66.6
South Cotabato (w/o the City of Gen. Santos) City Of General Santos (Dadiangas)	12,454	12,284	21.4	22.5	10.9	9.9	2.3	2.2	17.5	25.2 17.7	18.9	26.2	51.4 23.9	57.9	11.7	10.0	6.0	5.8	41.5	61.3 27.8	48.4	67.5
Sultan Kudarat*	12,657 11,566	12,617 12,621	15.2 32.6	15.5 25.8	9.7 7.1	7.8 9.3	1.5 2.3	1.2 2.4	12.8 28.8	36.4	13.5 21.9	17.5 29.8	65.8	25.8 51.0	10.0 8.3	8.5 9.8	2.4 5.5	2.2 5.0	20.0 56.9	74.8	22.2 42.7	29.4 59.2
Cotabato City	14,722	16,749	42.0	42.0	5.8	5.5	2.3	2.4	38.1	46.0	38.2	45.8	26.6	25.7	8.3	8.0	2.2	2.1	22.9	30.2	22.3	29.1
,					5.0	3.3	۷.٦	2.3							0.5	0.0	2.2	2.1				
Region XIII (Caraga)*	12,346	13,613	28.3	31.0	3.2	3.0	0.9	0.9	26.8	29.8	29.5	32.5	188.1	205.9	3.6	3.4	6.7	7.1	177.0	199.1	194.2	217.6
Agusan del Norte (w/o the City of Butuan)	11,258	13,551	26.4	29.0	7.3	6.2	1.9	1.8	23.3	29.6	26.1	32.0	24.7	26.3	8.4	6.7	2.1	1.8	21.3	28.1	23.4	29.2
City Of Butuan*	11,504	14,220	19.4	26.5	9.4	7.2	1.8	1.9	16.4	22.5	23.4	29.7	16.2	23.7	12.2	8.1	2.0	1.9	12.9	19.5	20.6	26.9
Agusan del Sur*	12,136	13,957	32.6	39.6	6.7	5.6	2.2	2.2	29.0	36.2	36.0	43.3	60.0	70.1	7.4	6.5	4.5	4.6	52.7	67.3	62.6	77.6
Surigao Del Sur	13,799	13,106	32.4	27.3	6.7	7.8	2.2	2.1	28.8	36.0	23.8	30.9	38.8	35.3	6.8	8.7 8.6	2.7	3.1	34.4	43.1	30.2	40.3 47.0
Surigao Del Sur Dinagat Islands*	11,969 13,177	13,000 14,380	23.9 36.7	27.9 30.3	7.4 6.8	7.4 7.6	1.8 2.5	2.1 2.3	21.0 32.6	26.8 40.8	24.5 26.6	31.3 34.1	35.7 12.7	41.2 9.3	8.2 8.8	9.5	2.9 1.1	3.6 0.9	30.9 10.8	40.6 14.5	35.3 7.9	10.8
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Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao/	13,599	14,126	55.9	39.4	2.4	3.6	1.3	1.4	53.7	58.1	37.0	41.8	365.9	274.0	3.6	4.9	13.3	13.4	344.0	387.9	252.0	296.1
Bangsamoro Autonomous Region in Muslim																						
Mindanao (ARMM/BARMM)*											16.5											25.5
Basilan*	12,715	13,731	65.5	46.7	3.4	5.8	2.2	2.7	61.8	69.1	42.2	51.1	41.0	31.3	7.5	7.5	3.1	2.3	35.9	46.1	27.5	35.2
Lanao del Sur*	14,786	14,627	68.0	11.4	3.2	12.0	2.1	1.4	64.5	71.6	9.1	13.6	121.2	20.4	6.2	12.4	7.5	2.5	108.9	133.6	16.2	24.5
Maguindanao*	12,765	12,844	48.6	37.1	6.5	7.8	3.2 2.2	2.9	43.4	53.8 70.3	32.4 67.0	41.9 76.8	92.5 97.5	82.8 111.2	7.4	9.6	6.9	7.9	81.2 84.5	103.8	69.8 95.4	95.8 127.1
Sulu Tawi-tawi*	13,929 9,881	15,363 13,333	66.7 17.7	71.9 39.5	3.3 8.9	4.2 8.5	1.6	3.0	63.0 15.1	20.3	34.0	76.8 45.0	13.7	28.3	8.1 10.1	8.7 12.5	7.9 1.4	9.6 3.5	84.5	110.6 15.9	95.4 22.5	34.2
Notes:	3,001	13,333	1/./	33.3	0.5	0.3	1.0	3.3	13.1	20.5	34.0	43.0	13./	20.3	10.1	12.3	1.4	3.3	11.4	13.3	22.5	34.2

u=updated; Back estimation of the 2018 first semester poverty statistics was made due to the adoption of the 2015 Census of Population (POPCEN 2015) results for the weights used in the Family Income and Expenditure Survey (FIES) and the urban-rural classification of barangays.

b/ Coefficient of variation of 2018^u provincial poverty incidence among families is greater than 20%.

^{*=} significant change; The increase or decrease of the poverty incidence among families between 2018 $^{\rm u}$ and 2021 is significant at 10% level of significance (α = 0.10).

a/ Coefficient of variation of 2021 provincial poverty incidence among families is greater than 20%.

Table 2. First Semester Per Capita Poverty Threshold, Poverty Incidence and Magnitude of Poor Population with Measures of Precision, by Region and Province: 2018 and 2021

	First Sem	ester Per			First Se	mester P	overty Inci	dence an	nong Popu	lation						First Semes	ster Magnitu	ide of Poor	Population			
Region/Province	Capita I Thres (in F	shold	Estima	ite (%)	Coeffic Varia		Standar	d Error	90%	% Confider	ice Interv	v al	Estimat	e ('000)	Coeffic Varia		Standar	rd Error		90% Confide	nce Interval	
	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	201 Lower	Upper		Upper	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	Lower	18 ^u Upper	Lower	Upper
PHILIPPINES*	12,638	14,498	21.1	23.7	1.1	1.1	0.2	0.3	<u>Limit</u> 20.7	<u>Limit</u> 21.4	<u>Limit</u> 23.3	<u>Limit</u> 24.1	22,262.4	26,136.8	1.2	1.3	265.2	335.8	Limit 21,826.2	Limit 22,698.7	Limit 25,584.4	Limit 26,689.3
National Capital Region (NCR)*	14,102	16,625	6.6	7.8	5.6	4.5	0.4	0.3	6.0	7.2	7.2	8.4	885.6	1,091.4	6.0	5.0	53.5	54.4	797.5	973.7	1,001.9	1,180.9
1st District* a/ b/	14,102	16,625	7.5	3.5	20.6	21.9	1.5	0.8	5.0	10.0	2.2	4.7	138.7	66.4	22.3	22.6	30.9	15.0	87.8	189.5	41.7	91.1
2nd District	14,102	16,625	5.0	6.2	13.5	9.9	0.7	0.6	3.9	6.1	5.2	7.2	241.2	311.8	13.9	10.5	33.4	32.6	186.2	296.2	258.1	365.5
3rd District	14,102	16,625	10.1	11.3	6.3	6.9	0.6	0.8	9.1	11.2	10.0	12.5	293.6	333.2	7.9	8.2	23.3	27.5	255.3	331.9	288.0	378.4
4th District*	14,102	16,625	5.5	9.3	6.9	6.5	0.4	0.6	4.9	6.1	8.3	10.3	212.1	380.0	7.5	8.0	15.9	30.2	186.0	238.2	330.3	429.8
Cordillera Administrative Region (CAR)*	12,358	14,023	17.9	16.2	4.0	4.2	0.7	0.7	16.7	19.1	15.1	17.3	317.5	295.5	4.3	4.3	13.8	12.6	294.9	340.2	274.7	316.3
Abra*	12,406	14,321	34.5	28.1	5.8	7.9	2.0	2.2	31.2	37.8	24.4	31.8	84.5	69.8	7.5	8.0	6.3	5.6	74.0	94.9	60.7	78.9
Apayao*	11,523	12,797	27.1	16.3	11.7	17.0	3.2	2.8	21.9	32.3	11.7	20.9	33.0	20.4	14.6	19.5	4.8	4.0	25.1	41.0	13.8	26.9
Benguet	11,837	13,476	8.5	10.1	10.4	8.0	0.9	0.8	7.1	10.0	8.8	11.5	70.4	86.9	11.0	8.4	7.7	7.3	57.7	83.1	75.0	98.9
Ifugao	12,948	14,432	21.5	16.9	11.1	13.3	2.4	2.3	17.6	25.4	13.2	20.6	44.6	35.7	11.8	13.3	5.3	4.7	35.9	53.3	27.9	43.6
Kalinga	11,851	12,920	15.8	15.8	10.7	11.7	1.7	1.8	13.0	18.5	12.8	18.8	34.2	35.0	11.0	12.2	3.8	4.3	28.0	40.4	28.0	42.0
Mt. Province	13,366	15,610	32.5	30.3	7.9	8.4	2.6	2.5	28.3	36.7	26.1	34.5	50.7	47.6	9.7	9.3	4.9	4.4	42.6	58.9	40.3	54.9
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Region I (Ilocos Region)*	12,837	15,470	11.7	20.2	7.9	5.3	0.9	1.1	10.2	13.3	18.4	22.0	607.5	1,073.7	8.3	5.9	50.5	63.4	524.5	690.6	969.5	1,178.0
Ilocos Norte	12,776	15,566	7.6	9.0	15.0	16.7	1.1	1.5	5.8	9.5	6.5	11.4	46.3	55.2	15.0	17.3	6.9	9.6	34.9	57.8	39.5	70.9
Ilocos Sur*	11,963	16,332	11.3	22.5	10.9	7.9	1.2	1.8	9.2	13.3	19.6	25.4	79.5	161.9	11.3	8.9	9.0	14.5	64.7	94.3	138.1	185.8
La Union*	10,881	13,812	5.2	13.9	19.4	9.6	1.0	1.3	3.6	6.9	11.7	16.1	42.4	116.0	20.0	10.6	8.5	12.3	28.4	56.4	95.8	136.2
Pangasinan*	13,191	15,534	14.4	23.6	10.5	7.2	1.5	1.7	11.9	16.9	20.8	26.4	439.3	740.6	11.0	8.1	48.5	59.7	359.6	519.1	642.4	838.8
Region II (Cagayan Valley)	12,182	14,226	19.3	20.9	5.3	5.9	1.0	1.2	17.6	21.0	18.9	22.9	691.0	771.8	5.9	6.7	40.8	51.9	623.9	758.1	686.5	857.2
Batanes* ^{a/}	19,333	17,774	16.4	9.7	12.8	21.6	2.1	2.1	12.9	19.8	6.2	13.1	2.9	1.7	18.8	22.0	0.5	0.4	2.0	3.8	1.1	2.4
Cagayan	12,215	13,714	17.8	16.5	8.7	11.2	1.6	1.8	15.2	20.3	13.5	19.6	221.1	212.5	9.5	11.3	21.1	24.0	186.4	255.8	173.0	252.0
Isabela*	12,233	14,787	20.2	26.1	8.8	8.1	1.8	2.1	17.3	23.1	22.6	29.5	334.1	443.5	10.0	10.0	33.3	44.4	279.3	388.8	370.4	516.6
Nueva Vizcaya*	12,001	12,611	22.4	17.2	9.4	12.2	2.1	2.1	19.0	25.9	13.7	20.7	105.7	83.9	9.4	13.5	10.0	11.4	89.3	122.1	65.3	102.6
Quirino	11,239	13,879	14.0	15.1	11.2	10.1	1.6	1.5	11.4	16.6	12.6	17.7	27.2	30.2	11.7	11.6	3.2	3.5	22.0	32.4	24.4	36.0
Region III (Central Luzon)*	12,976	16,226	10.4	18.2	5.0	4.1	0.5	0.7	9.5	11.2	17.0	19.4	1,234.3	2,275.6	5.5	5.8	68.4	131.1	1,121.8	1,346.9	2,059.9	2,491.2
Aurora*	12,079	15,053	21.4	30.2	9.3	8.2	2.0	2.5	18.1	24.7	26.2	34.3	47.7	69.4	10.0	9.6	4.8	6.7	39.8	55.5	58.4	80.4
Bataan	14,522	14,776	14.2	16.0	10.0	8.2	1.4	1.3	11.9	16.6	13.8	18.2	114.9	135.8	10.5	10.0	12.1	13.5	95.1	134.7	113.5	158.1
Bulacan *	12,647	17,537	7.1	19.8	15.5	8.2	1.1	1.6	5.3	8.9	17.2	22.5	248.2	734.8	17.5	14.7	43.4	108.3	176.8	319.6	556.7	912.9
Nueva Ecija*	12,354	14,766	13.5	21.8	10.0	9.9	1.3	2.2	11.3	15.7	18.2	25.3	305.8	522.2	10.7	10.5	32.8	54.7	251.9	359.7	432.3	612.2
Pampanga * ^{b/}	12,912	16,883	5.1	9.8	20.2	11.9	1.0	1.2	3.4	6.8	7.9	11.7	142.6	287.4	21.5	12.8	30.6	36.7	92.3	193.0	227.1	347.8
Tarlac*	11,994	14,612	13.2	17.8	9.2	8.3	1.2	1.5	11.2	15.2	15.3	20.2	187.5	262.1	10.2	9.2	19.2	24.2	155.9	219.1	222.4	301.9
Zambales*	14,734	17,411	21.6	29.1	7.5	5.4	1.6	1.6	19.0	24.3	26.5	31.7	187.6	263.7	8.4	6.7	15.8	17.6	161.5	213.6	234.7	292.6
Region IV-A (CALABARZON)*	13,669	15,604	10.5	14.8	5.7	5.1	0.6	0.7	9.5	11.5	13.5	16.0	1,615.1	2,416.7	6.2	6.0	100.0	144.5	1,450.6	1,779.6	2,179.0	2,654.4
Batangas*	15,854	15,804	16.6	9.7	9.2	13.6	1.5	1.3	14.1	19.1	7.5	11.9	480.1	302.1	11.1	17.0	53.1	51.2	392.8	567.4	2,179.0	386.3
Cavite*	14,462	17,907	8.1	15.4	13.1	10.6	1.1	1.6	6.3	9.8	12.7	18.1	324.1	663.7	14.6	13.4	47.2	89.1	246.4	401.8	517.2	810.2
Laguna *	11,471	15,228	7.2	14.1	17.3	12.6	1.2	1.8	5.1	9.2	11.2	17.0	231.6	478.2	17.6	13.4	40.9	65.2	164.4	298.8	370.9	585.5
Quezon*	11,471	13,586	16.9	28.5	11.8	7.9	2.0	2.3	13.6	20.2	24.8	32.2	374.0	651.5	12.5	8.7	46.7	56.5	297.2	450.8	558.6	744.4
Rizal*	13,951	15,707	6.7	9.8	15.3	14.7	1.0	1.4	5.0	8.3	7.5	12.2	205.3	321.3	16.2	16.7	33.2	53.7	150.6	259.9	232.9	409.6
MIMAROPA Region*	11,472	13,054	20.5	25.7	4.5	4.2	0.9	1.1	19.0	22.1	24.0	27.5	635.1	826.2	5.0	4.5	32.0	37.5	582.5	687.7	764.4	887.9
Marinduque *	11,672	13,658	20.0	25.4	9.0	8.3	1.8	2.1	17.0	22.9	21.9	28.8	47.6	61.5	9.9	9.6	4.7	5.9	39.8	55.3	51.8	71.2
Occidental Mindoro	10,610	13,409	29.1	32.0	9.0	7.8	2.6	2.5	24.8	33.4	27.9	36.1	146.8	166.3	10.6	9.1	15.6	15.2	121.1	172.4	141.3	191.2
Oriental Mindoro*	12,136	13,390	17.4	23.1	10.0	9.9	1.7	2.3	14.6	20.3	19.3	26.8	153.4	210.1	11.2	11.0	17.2	23.2	125.1	181.7	171.9	248.3
Palawan*	11,348	12,045	16.2	21.4	9.7	8.4	1.6	1.8	13.6	18.8	18.4	24.4	189.9	264.4	10.4	8.7	19.8	23.1	157.3	222.5	226.4	302.3
Romblon*	11,869	13,863	32.7	40.9	6.9	5.3	2.3	2.2	29.0	36.4	37.3	44.5	97.5	123.9	8.4	6.9	8.2	8.6	84.0	111.1	109.8	138.0
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Table 2. First Semester Per Capita Poverty Threshold, Poverty Incidence and Magnitude of Poor Population with Measures of Precision, by Region and Province: 2018^u and 2021

	First Sem	ester Per		Ī	First Se	mester P	overty Inc	idence an	nong Popu	ulation						First Seme	ster Magnitu	ide of Poor	Population			
Region/Province	Capita F Thres (in P	hold	Estima	te (%)	Coeffici Varia		Standar	d Error	90	% Confide	nce Interv	/al	Estimate	e ('000)	Coeffic Varia		Standaı	rd Error		90% Confide	ence Interva	ıl
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	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	Lower Limit	Upper Limit	Lower Limit	Upper Limit	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	Lower Limit	Upper Limit	Lower Limit	Upper Limit
Region V (Bicol Region)*	11,975	13,873	28.1	33.5	3.4	3.4	1.0	1.2	26.5	29.6	31.6	35.4	1,685.2	2,077.0	3.8	3.9	64.6	81.4	1,578.9	1,791.4	1,943.1	2,210.9
Albay	12,258	13,691	21.9	25.1	7.7	8.7	1.7	2.2	19.1	24.7	21.5	28.7	299.3	353.9	8.6	9.5	25.7	33.7	257.0	341.6	298.4	409.4
Camarines Norte*	12,147	14,083	32.6	27.3	6.1	6.8	2.0	1.9	29.3	35.8	24.2	30.4	197.8	171.8	8.1	7.4	16.0	12.8	171.6	224.1	150.8	192.9
Camarines Sur*	11,599	14,378	25.9	42.2	8.1	6.5	2.1	2.7	22.5	29.4	37.6	46.7	523.6	876.2	8.9	7.5	46.6	65.5	446.9	600.2	768.4	984.0
Catanduanes	12,152	13,915	24.7	23.8	7.9	8.1	1.9	1.9	21.5	27.9	20.6	26.9	66.3	65.4	8.7	8.7	5.8	5.7	56.8	75.8	56.0	74.7
Masbate	11,289	12,645	36.8	32.7	6.6	6.7	2.4	2.2	32.8	40.9	29.1	36.3	339.0	308.8	7.8	7.2	26.3	22.4	295.8	382.3	272.0	345.6
Sorsogon	13,131	13,744	31.4	35.2	6.4	6.6	2.0	2.3	28.1	34.7	31.4	39.0	259.1	300.9	7.3	7.4	18.9	22.3	228.0	290.3	264.2	337.5
Region VI (Western Visayas)*	11,964	13,519	20.9	25.3	4.6	4.2	1.0	1.1	19.3	22.5	23.5	27.0	1,624.4	2,015.7	5.2	4.9	84.6	99.5	1,485.2	1,763.6	1,852.0	2,179.5
Aklan*	12,079	13,542	19.8	24.9	9.8	8.2	1.9	2.1	16.6	23.0	21.5	28.3	117.7	152.3	10.2	9.3	12.1	14.1	97.9	137.5	129.0	175.6
Antique	11,704	13,249	24.8	26.8	9.4	8.7	2.3	2.3	21.0	28.6	23.0	30.6	148.9	165.7	9.9	9.0	14.8	14.8	124.6	173.3	141.3	190.1
Capiz*	10,981	13,339	8.0	14.1	12.4	11.8	1.0	1.7	6.3	9.6	11.4	16.9	62.6	114.8	12.6	13.0	7.9	14.9	49.6	75.6	90.3	139.3
Guimaras*	12,623	13,863	16.3	25.7	12.2	9.6	2.0	2.5	13.0	19.5	21.6	29.8	29.5	48.1	13.3	12.2	3.9	5.8	23.0	35.9	38.4	57.7
Iloilo	12,617	14,125	21.0	24.3	7.1	7.6	1.5	1.9	18.6	23.5	21.3	27.4	519.2	620.4	8.2	8.9	42.4	55.0	449.5	588.9	530.0	710.8
Negros Occidental*	11,600	13,158	23.8	28.6	8.1	7.1	1.9	2.0	20.7	27.0	25.3	32.0	746.5	914.4	9.4	8.6	70.2	78.8	631.0	861.9	784.8	1,044.0
Region VII (Central Visayas)*	12,724	15,174	24.3	33.0	4.0	3.9	1.0	1.3	22.7	25.9	30.9	35.1	1,880.7	2,661.4	4.6	4.8	87.0	126.4	1,737.7	2,023.8	2,453.4	2,869.3
Bohol*	12,624	13,359	26.1	33.1	8.2	6.7	2.1	2.2	22.5	29.6	29.4	36.8	350.5	454.8	8.4	8.3	29.6	37.9	301.9	399.2	392.5	517.2
Cebu*	12,881	16,312	21.6	33.5	5.6	5.3	1.2	1.8	19.6	23.6	30.6	36.4	1,063.2	1,729.3	6.6	6.6	70.2	113.3	947.8	1,178.6	1,542.9	1,915.7
Negros Oriental	12,440	12,782	32.7	33.3	7.8	7.8	2.5	2.6	28.5	36.9	29.0	37.6	453.7	471.3	9.3	8.8	42.0	41.3	384.6	522.8	403.3	539.3
Siquijor* ^{a/}	12,463	12,515	13.4	5.8	15.0	24.8	2.0	1.5	10.1	16.7	3.5	8.2	13.2	5.9	16.1	26.3	2.1	1.6		16.7	3.4	
Region VIII (Eastern Visayas)	12,195	13,550	37.3	36.0	3.1	3.5	1.1	1.3	35.4	39.2	33.9	38.0	1,722.8	1,728.3	3.9	3.9	67.9	66.7	1,611.0	1,834.5	1,618.6	1,837.9
Biliran*	12,039	14,348	24.9	30.7	7.2	7.1	1.8	2.2	21.9	27.8	27.1	34.2	43.9	55.4	8.2	8.3	3.6	4.6	38.0	49.8	47.9	63.0
Eastern Samar*	14,112	14,523	52.0	43.1	4.6	6.0	2.4	2.6	48.1	56.0	38.9	47.4	254.1	220.5	6.9	7.3	17.6	16.1	225.3	283.0	194.0	247.0
Leyte	11,720	13,522	35.7	36.8	6.0	6.7	2.1	2.5	32.2	39.2	32.8	40.8	735.3	794.1	7.7	7.2	56.9	57.0	641.6	828.9	700.4	887.9
Northern Samar*	12,662	13,173	36.6	31.0	6.0	6.8	2.2	2.1	33.0	40.2	27.5	34.4	239.8	209.1	7.4	7.7	17.9	16.2	210.5	269.2	182.5	235.7
Southern Leyte	12,691	14,505	29.4	31.7	7.1	6.2	2.1	2.0	26.0	32.8	28.5	35.0	128.0	142.5	8.1	7.1	10.4	10.1	110.8	145.1	125.8	159.1
Western Samar	11,243	12,593	39.9	37.0	6.5	5.9	2.6	2.2	35.6	44.2	33.4	40.6	321.7	306.7	7.8	7.7	25.0	23.5	280.5	362.8	268.0	345.3
Region IX (Zamboanga Peninsula)	12,424	14,467	39.9	37.4	3.2	3.2	1.3	1.2	37.8	42.0	35.4	39.4	1,486.3	1,425.5	3.9	3.9	58.0	55.5	1,390.9	1,581.7	1,334.2	1,516.7
Zamboanga del Norte*	13,654	17,125	49.5	62.1	5.5	4.0	2.7	2.5	45.0	53.9	58.0	66.2	511.6	654.0	6.2	5.6	31.5	36.6	459.8	563.4	593.8	714.1
Zamboanga del Sur*	11,822	12,173	31.8	24.7	5.4	6.6	1.7	1.6	28.9	34.6	22.0	27.4	605.7	478.8	6.8	7.4	41.3	35.5	537.7	673.6	420.3	537.2
Zamboanga Sibugay*	11,446	12,315	44.2	37.2	6.8	6.2	3.0	2.3	39.3	49.2	33.4	41.0	292.8	255.6	8.2	8.3	24.1	21.3	253.1	332.6	220.6	290.7
Isabela City *	12,709	12,033	62.4	28.5	5.2	10.5	3.3	3.0	57.1	67.8	23.5	33.4	76.2	37.1	12.1	14.2	9.2	5.3	61.1	91.3	28.4	45.8
Region X (Northern Mindanao)	12,259	14,302	32.0	33.8	2.9	3.5	0.9	1.2	30.4	33.5	31.9	35.7	1,564.1	1,715.6	3.5	4.3	54.6	74.3	1,474.3	1,654.0	1,593.4	1,837.8
Bukidnon	12,696	14,362	38.1	39.7	5.9	7.3	2.3	2.9	34.4	41.9	34.9	44.4	562.2	605.5	7.1	9.3	39.8	56.4	496.7	627.6	512.7	698.3
Camiguin*	12,762	14,165	30.1	24.5	7.7	7.3	2.3	1.8	26.3	33.9	21.5	27.4	27.4	22.8	8.1	9.0	2.2	2.0	23.7	31.0	19.4	26.1
Lanao del Norte*	12,088	14,163	29.9	40.3	5.5	5.6	1.7	2.3	27.2	32.7	36.6	44.0	319.2	446.8	6.4	7.6	20.4	33.7	285.7	352.7	391.3	502.3
Misamis Occidental*	12,036	14,939	41.7	30.8	5.9	7.7	2.4	2.4	37.7	45.7	26.9	34.7	257.7	194.6	7.5	9.0	19.2	17.5	226.1	289.3	165.8	223.5
Misamis Oriental	11,891	14,089	24.2	26.0	5.1	5.6	1.2	1.4	22.2	26.2	23.6	28.4	397.7	445.8	6.2	6.7	24.8	29.7	357.0	438.4	396.9	494.8
Region XI (Davao Region)*	12,718	13,324	23.8	19.4	4.0	4.1	0.9	0.8	22.2	25.3	18.0	20.7	1,220.1	1,039.6	4.6	5.2	56.4	54.4	1,127.4	1,312.9	950.1	1,129.2
Davao del Norte	12,725	13,545	18.9	17.9	10.4	10.2	2.0	1.8	15.7	22.1	14.9	20.9	196.5	190.5	12.3	12.6	24.1	23.9	156.8	236.1	151.2	229.8
Davao del Sur*	12,909	13,377	15.0	11.4	10.1	9.3	1.5	1.1	12.5	17.5	9.7	13.2	361.1	294.7	11.5	9.6	41.5	28.3	292.8	429.5	248.1	341.2
Davao Oriental*	12,636	13,788	42.0	32.7	6.2	7.8	2.6	2.6	37.7	46.3	28.5	36.9	138.8	199.0	7.5	9.6	10.4	19.1	121.8	155.8	167.6	230.4
Compostela Valley	12,532	12,942	32.5	27.9	6.9	8.1	2.2	2.2	28.8	36.2	24.2	31.6	247.0	218.1	7.8	15.1	19.3	33.0	215.3	278.7	163.8	272.3
Davao Occidental*	12,669	12,834	47.3	40.1	5.9	7.6	2.8	3.1	42.8	51.9	35.0	45.1	276.7	137.4	7.1	8.6	19.8	11.8	244.2	309.3	118.0	156.7

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		First Sem	ester Per			First S	emester P	overty Inc	cidence ar	nong Popi	ulation						First Semes	ster Magnitu	ide of Poor	Population			
	Region/Province	Capita F Thres (in P	hold	Estima	ate (%)	Coeffic Varia	cient of ation	Standa	rd Error	90	% Confide	nce Interv	<i>r</i> al	Estima	te ('000)	Coeffic Varia		Standaı	rd Error		90% Confide	ence Interval	
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		2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	Lower Limit	Upper Limit	Lower Limit	Upper Limit	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	Lower Limit	Upper Limit	Lower Limit	Upper Limit
										Lilling	Lillit	LIIII	Lilling							LIIIIL	Lillit	Lillit	LIIII
Region XII (SOCCS	SKSARGEN)	12,082	13,298	33.6	34.1	3.5	3.6	1.2	1.2	31.7	35.6	32.1	36.2	1,606.3	1,702.6	4.1	4.1	65.4	69.8	1,498.7	1,713.9	1,587.7	1,817.4
North Cotabato		11,784	13,894	31.9	36.3	7.7	7.8	2.5	2.8	27.9	36.0	31.7	41.0	469.8	564.3	8.7	9.0	40.9	50.6	402.6	537.1	481.1	647.5
Sarangani		11,139	12,238	47.2	49.6	6.7	5.4	3.2		42.0	52.4	45.2	53.9	268.5	292.8	8.2	7.2	22.0	21.2	232.3	304.7	258.0	327.6
South Cotabato		12,521	12,393	24.6	24.9	7.7	7.1	1.9	1.8	21.5	27.7	22.0	27.8	391.8	415.9	8.7	7.7	34.1	32.1	335.8	447.9	363.1	468.8
Sultan Kudarat*		11,566	12,621	39.1	31.8	6.9	8.8	2.7	2.8	34.7	43.5	27.2	36.4	328.0	274.1	8.7	9.6	28.4	26.2	281.3	374.7	231.0	317.2
Cotabato City		14,722	16,749	48.5	49.9	5.3	4.7	2.6	2.4	44.2	52.7	46.1	53.8	148.1	155.5	8.5	7.9	12.6	12.3	127.3	168.8	135.1	175.8
Region XIII (Carag	(a)*	12,346	13,613	35.2	38.3	2.9	2.8	1.0	1.1	33.6	36.9	36.6	40.1	948.9	1,065.9	3.5	3.5	33.7	36.9	893.5	1,004.3	1,005.2	1,126.6
Agusan del Norte	*	11,363	13,860	29.1	34.9	5.5	4.3	1.6		26.5	31.7	32.5	37.4	209.6	260.8	6.9	5.1	14.6	13.2	185.6	233.5	239.1	282.5
Agusan del Sur*		12,136	13,957	40.7	48.3	6.1	5.1	2.5		36.6	44.8	44.3	52.3	293.9	358.0	7.5	6.6	21.9	23.5	257.8	330.0	319.3	396.8
Surigao Del Norte	*	13,799	13,106	39.5	33.5	6.1	7.2	2.4		35.5	43.5	29.6	37.5	201.5	180.2	6.9	8.7	13.9	15.6	178.6	224.4	154.5	205.8
Surigao Del Sur		11,969	13,000	30.9	34.9	6.5	7.0	2.0	2.4	27.6	34.1	30.9	38.9	188.1	218.2	7.8	8.8	14.7	19.1	163.9	212.3	186.8	249.7
Dinagat Islands		13,177	14,380	43.1	37.1	7.0	7.2	3.0	2.7	38.2	48.0	32.7	41.5	55.7	48.7	9.7	10.0	5.4	4.9	46.8	64.6	40.7	56.7
1	ion in Muslim Mindanao/ onomous Region in Muslim Mindanao)*	13,599	14,126	63.2	45.8	2.2	3.3	1.4	1.5	60.9	65.5	43.3	48.2	2,537.4	1,954.4	3.7	4.8	94.3	93.4	2,382.2	2,692.6	1,800.7	2,108.1
Basilan*		12,715	13,731	72.3	57.6	3.0	4.7	2.2	2.7	68.7	75.9	53.1	62.1	267.4	227.9	7.4	7.8	19.8	17.7	234.7	300.0	198.8	257.1
Lanao del Sur*		14,786	14,627	73.8	15.2	2.7	10.4	2.0	1.6	70.6	77.0	12.6	17.9	814.7	178.1	6.8	11.4	55.6	20.4	723.2	906.1	144.6	211.6
Maguindanao*		12,765	12,844	55.8	44.3	6.1	7.3	3.4	3.2	50.2	61.4	39.0	49.6	702.8	600.3	6.9	9.6	48.2	57.7	623.5	782.1	505.3	695.3
Sulu*		13,929	15,363	74.8	80.4	2.6	3.0	2.0	2.4	71.6	78.1	76.4	84.4	655.5	750.0	8.4	8.5	54.8	63.6	565.4	745.6	645.5	854.6
Tawi-tawi*		9,881	13,333	24.0	47.4	7.9	7.3	1.9	3.5	20.9	27.1	41.7	53.1	97.1	198.0	9.8	12.6	9.5	25.0	81.4	112.7	157.0	239.1
Lanao del Sur* Maguindanao* Sulu*		14,786 12,765 13,929	14,627 12,844 15,363	73.8 55.8 74.8	15.2 44.3 80.4	2.7 6.1 2.6	10.4 7.3 3.0	2.0 3.4 2.0	1.6 3.2 2.4	70.6 50.2 71.6	77.0 61.4 78.1	12.6 39.0 76.4	17.9 49.6 84.4	814.7 702.8 655.5	178.1 600.3 750.0	6.8 6.9 8.4	11.4 9.6 8.5	55.6 48.2 54.8	20.4 57.7 63.6	723.2 623.5 565.4	906.1 782.1 745.6		144.6 505.3 645.5

u=updated; Back estimation of the 2018 first semester poverty statistics was made due to the adoption of the 2015 Census of Population (POPCEN 2015) results for the weights used in the Family Income and Expenditure Survey (FIES) and the urban-rural classification of barangays.

b/ Coefficient of variation of 2018^u provincial poverty incidence among population is greater than 20%.

^{*=} significant change; The increase or decrease of the poverty incidence among population between 2018^u and 2021 is significant at 10% level of significance (α = 0.10).

a/ Coefficient of variation of 2021 provincial poverty incidence among population is greater than 20%.

Table 2a. First Semester Per Capita Poverty Threshold, Poverty Incidence and Magnitude of Poor Population with Measures of Precision, by Region, Province and Highly Urbanized Cities: 2018^u and 2021

		er Per Capita			First	Semester I	Poverty Incid	dence am	ong Popula	ation						First Sem	ester Magi	nitude of P	oor Populatio	on		
Region/Province	1 '	Threshold PhP)	Estima	ite (%)	Coeffic Varia		Standard	Error	90 201		nce Interva		Estimat	e ('000)	Coeffic Varia		Standa	rd Error	20:	90% Confide		021
	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	Lower Limit	Upper Limit	Lower Limit	Upper Limit	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021		Upper Limit	Lower Limit	Upper Limit
PHILIPPINES*	12,638	14,498	21.1	23.7	1.1	1.1	0.2	0.3	20.7	21.4	23.3	24.1	22,262.4	26,136.8	1.2	1.3	265.2	335.8	21,826.2	22,698.7	25,584.4	26,689.3
National Capital Region (NCR)*	14,102	16,625	6.6	7.8	5.6	4.5	0.4	0.3	6.0	7.2	7.2	8.4	885.6	1,091.4	6.0	5.0	53.5	54.4	797.5	973.7	1,001.9	1,180.9
1st District																						
City Of Manila* ^{a/ b/}	14,102	16,625	7.5	3.5	20.6	21.9	1.5	0.8	5.0	10.0	2.2	4.7	138.7	66.4	22.3	22.6	30.9	15.0	87.8	189.5	41.7	91.1
2nd District																						
City Of Mandaluyong ^{a/ b/}	14,102	16,625	2.2	2.0	32.7	25.3	0.7	0.5	1.0	3.4	1.2	2.9	9.2	9.2	33.6	25.4	3.1	2.3	4.1	14.3	5.4	13.1
City Of Marikina	14,102	16,625	4.8	4.7	13.9	16.4	0.7	0.8	3.7	5.9	3.5	6.0	22.5	22.7	14.9	17.1	3.3	3.9	17.0	28.0	16.3	29.1
City Of Pasig*	14,102	16,625	5.1	8.1	16.4	13.7	0.8	1.1	3.7	6.5	6.2	9.9	41.1	68.6	18.3	14.8	7.5	10.2	28.7	53.5	51.9	85.4
Quezon City	14,102	16,625	5.4	6.8	19.1	13.8	1.0	0.9	3.7	7.1	5.2	8.3	164.8	210.3	19.5	14.6	32.2	30.7	111.9	217.8	159.8	260.7
City Of San Juan ^{a/ b/}	14,102	16,625	2.9	0.8	39.2	97.3	1.1	0.8	1.0	4.7	0.0	2.1	3.5	1.0	40.6	100.0	1.4	1.0	1.2	5.9	0.0	2.6
3rd District																						
City Of Caloocan*	14,102	16,625	9.9	13.1	10.4	9.8	1.0	1.3	8.2	11.6	11.0	15.2	161.3	218.6	13.2	11.9	21.4	26.1	126.2	196.4	175.7	261.5
City Of Malabon	14,102	16,625	11.0	9.0	8.8	11.0	1.0	1.0	9.4	12.6	7.4	10.6	40.9	33.7	10.1	13.0	4.1	4.4	34.1	47.7	26.5	40.9
City Of Navotas	14,102	16,625	13.8	14.2	8.6	9.8	1.2	1.4	11.8	15.7	11.9	16.4	34.3	35.4	12.7	10.8	4.4	3.8	27.1	41.4	29.1	41.7
City Of Valenzuela	14,102	16,625	8.9	6.9	10.6	11.6	0.9	0.8	7.3	10.4	5.6	8.2	57.2	45.5	12.2	14.2	7.0	6.5	45.7	68.6	34.8	56.1
4th District																						
City Of Las Piñas	14,102	16,625	6.1	8.4	14.9	14.0	0.9	1.2	4.6	7.6	6.4	10.3	37.3	52.4	16.4	15.4	6.1	8.1	27.2	47.3	39.2	65.7
City Of Makati * ^{b/}	14,102	16,625	1.5	3.8	30.8	18.6	0.5	0.7	0.8	2.3	2.6	5.0	9.4	24.6	31.8	19.5	3.0	4.8	4.5	14.4	16.7	32.5
City Of Muntinlupa	14,102	16,625	8.2	10.4	14.3	16.5	1.2	1.7	6.3	10.1	7.5	13.2	43.5	57.3	17.0	19.4	7.4	11.1	31.3	55.6	39.0	75.5
City Of Parañaque	14,102	16,625	6.5	7.6	16.3	14.5	1.1	1.1	4.8	8.2	5.8	9.4	46.2	57.4	17.5	15.4	8.1	8.9	32.9	59.5	42.9	72.0
Pasay City	14,102	16,625	8.0	10.3	12.1	13.7	1.0	1.4	6.4	9.6	7.9	12.6	34.4	44.7	12.6	15.3	4.3	6.8	27.2	41.5	33.5	55.9
Pateros ^{á/b/}	14,102	16,625	6.0	10.4	28.4	23.6	1.7	2.5	3.2	8.8	6.4	14.4	3.8	6.8	30.9	29.2	1.2	2.0	1.9	5.7	3.5	10.1
City Of Taguig *	14,102	16,625	4.1	13.6	19.7	11.7	0.8	1.6	2.8	5.5	11.0	16.2	37.6	136.8	21.5	17.5	8.1	24.0	24.3	50.8	97.3	176.2
Cordillera Administrative Region (CAR)*	12,358	14,023	17.9	16.2	4.0	4.2	0.7	0.7	16.7	19.1	15.1	17.3	317.5	295.5	4.3	4.3	13.8	12.6	294.9	340.2	274.7	316.3
Abra*	12,406	14,321	34.5	28.1	5.8	7.9	2.0	2.2	31.2	37.8	24.4	31.8	84.5	69.8	7.5	8.0	6.3	5.6	74.0	94.9	60.7	78.9
Apayao*	11,523	12,797	27.1	16.3	11.7	17.0	3.2	2.8	21.9	32.3	11.7	20.9	33.0	20.4	14.6	19.5	4.8	4.0	25.1	41.0	13.8	26.9
Benguet (w/o the City of Baguio)	11,785	13,404	12.2	14.1	12.1	9.5	1.5	1.3	9.7	14.6	11.9	16.3	56.7	69.5	12.8	9.7	7.3	6.7	44.7	68.6	58.4	80.5
City Of Baguio	12,050	13,759	3.8	4.8	18.2	15.3	0.7	0.7	2.7	5.0	3.6	6.0	13.8	17.5	19.2	16.1	2.6	2.8	9.4	18.1	12.8	22.1
Ifugao	12,948	14,432	21.5	16.9	11.1	13.3	2.4	2.3	17.6	25.4	13.2	20.6	44.6	35.7	11.8	13.3	5.3	4.7	35.9	53.3	27.9	43.6
Kalinga	11,851	12,920	15.8	15.8	10.7	11.7	1.7	1.8	13.0	18.5	12.8	18.8	34.2	35.0	11.0	12.2	3.8	4.3	28.0	40.4	28.0	42.0
Mt. Province	13,366	15,610	32.5	30.3	7.9	8.4	2.6	2.5	28.3	36.7	26.1	34.5	50.7	47.6	9.7	9.3	4.9	4.4	42.6	58.9	40.3	54.9
Region I (Ilocos Region)*	12,837	15,470	11.7	20.2	7.9	5.3	0.9	1.1	10.2	13.3	18.4	22.0	607.5	1,073.7	8.3	5.9	50.5	63.4	524.5	690.6	969.5	1,178.0
Ilocos Norte	12,776	15,566	7.6	9.0	15.0	16.7	1.1	1.5	5.8	9.5	6.5	11.4	46.3	55.2	15.0	17.3	6.9	9.6	34.9	57.8	39.5	70.9
Ilocos Sur*	11,963	16,332	11.3	22.5	10.9	7.9	1.2	1.8	9.2	13.3	19.6	25.4	79.5	161.9	11.3	8.9	9.0	14.5	64.7	94.3	138.1	185.8
La Union *	10,881	13,812	5.2	13.9	19.4	9.6	1.0	1.3	3.6	6.9	11.7	16.1	42.4	116.0	20.0	10.6	8.5	12.3	28.4	56.4	95.8	136.2
Pangasinan*	13,191	15,534	14.4	23.6	10.5	7.2	1.5	1.7	11.9	16.9	20.8	26.4	439.3	740.6	11.0	8.1	48.5	59.7	359.6	519.1	642.4	838.8
Region II (Cagayan Valley)	12,182	14,226	19.3	20.9	5.3	5.9	1.0	1.2	17.6	21.0	18.9	22.9	691.0	771.8	5.9	6.7	40.8	51.9	623.9	758.1	686.5	857.2
Batanes* ^a /	19,333	17,774	16.4	9.7	12.8	21.6	2.1	2.1	12.9	19.8	6.2	13.1	2.9	1.7	18.8	22.0	0.5	0.4	2.0	3.8	1.1	2.4
Cagayan	12,215	13,714	17.8	16.5	8.7	11.2	1.6	1.8	15.2	20.3	13.5	19.6	221.1	212.5	9.5	11.3	21.1	24.0	186.4	255.8	173.0	252.0
Isabela*	12,233	14,787	20.2	26.1	8.8	8.1	1.8	2.1	17.3	23.1	22.6	29.5	334.1	443.5	10.0	10.0	33.3	44.4	279.3	388.8	370.4	516.6
Nueva Vizcaya*	12,001	12,611	22.4	17.2	9.4	12.2	2.1	2.1	19.0	25.9	13.7	20.7	105.7	83.9	9.4	13.5	10.0	11.4	89.3	122.1	65.3	102.6
Quirino	11,239	13,879	14.0	15.1	11.2	10.1	1.6	1.5	11.4	16.6	12.6	17.7	27.2	30.2	11.7	11.6	3.2	3.5	22.0	32.4	24.4	36.0
Region III (Central Luzon)*	12,976	16,226	10.4	18.2	5.0	4.1	0.5	0.7	9.5	11.2	17.0	19.4	1,234.3	2,275.6	5.5	5.8	68.4	131.1	1,121.8	1,346.9	2,059.9	2,491.2
Aurora*	12,079	15,053	21.4	30.2	9.3	8.2	2.0	2.5	18.1	24.7	26.2	34.3	47.7	69.4	10.0	9.6	4.8	6.7	39.8	55.5	58.4	80.4
Bataan	14,522	14,776	14.2	16.0	10.0	8.2	1.4	1.3	11.9	16.6	13.8	18.2	114.9	135.8	10.5	10.0	12.1	13.5	95.1	134.7	113.5	158.1
Bulacan*	12,647	17,537	7.1	19.8	15.5	8.2	1.1	1.6	5.3	8.9	17.2	22.5	248.2	734.8	17.5	14.7	43.4	108.3	176.8	319.6	556.7	912.9
Nueva Ecija*	12,354	14,766	13.5	21.8	10.0	9.9	1.3	2.2	11.3	15.7	18.2	25.3	305.8	522.2	10.7	10.5	32.8	54.7	251.9	359.7	432.3	612.2
Pampanga (w/o the City of Angeles)* ^{D/}	12,888	16,843	5.5	10.1	22.3	13.8	1.2	1.4	3.5	7.5	7.8	12.4	127.8	243.5	23.8	14.9	30.4	36.2	77.8	177.9	184.0	303.0
City Of Angeles * ^{b/}	12,788	17,100	3.2	8.3	23.4	13.8	0.7	1.1	1.9	4.4	6.4	10.2	14.8	43.9	24.0	14.3	3.6	6.3	9.0	20.6	33.6	54.3
Tarlac*	11,994	14,612	13.2	17.8	9.2	8.3	1.2	1.5	11.2	15.2	15.3	20.2	187.5	262.1	10.2	9.2	19.2	24.2	155.9	219.1	222.4	301.9
Zambales (w/o the City of Olongapo)*	14,671	17,309	25.2	32.8	8.7	6.3	2.2	2.1	21.6	28.8	29.4	36.2	158.1	216.8	9.8	7.8	15.5	16.9	132.6	183.5	189.0	244.6
City Of Olongapo*	15,071	17,883	12.3	19.1	10.5	8.4	1.3	1.6	10.2	14.4	16.5	21.7	29.5	46.8	11.7	10.5	3.4	4.9	23.8	35.2	38.8	54.9

Table 2a. First Semester Per Capita Poverty Threshold, Poverty Incidence and Magnitude of Poor Population with Measures of Precision, by Region, Province and Highly Urbanized Cities: 2018 and 2021

	First Semeste	• 1			First	Semester I	Poverty Inc	idence am	ong Popul	ation						First Sem	ester Mag	nitude of P	oor Populatio	n		
Region/Province	Poverty T (in P		Estima	te (%)	Coeffici Varia		Standar	d Error		0% Confide	ence Interva		Estimat	e ('000)	Coeffic Varia		Standa	rd Error	201	90% Confide .8 ^u		021
	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	Lower Limit	Upper Limit	Lower Limit	Upper Limit	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	Lower Limit	Upper Limit	Lower Limit	Upper Limit
Region IV-A (CALABARZON)*	13,669	15,604	10.5	14.8	5.7	5.1	0.6	0.7	9.5	11.5	13.5	16.0	1,615.1	2,416.7	6.2	6.0	100.0	144.5	1,450.6	1,779.6	2,179.0	2,654.4
Batangas*	15,854	15,382	16.6	9.7	9.2	13.6	1.5	1.3	14.1	19.1	7.5	11.9	480.1	302.1	11.1	17.0	53.1	51.2	392.8	567.4	217.9	386.3
Cavite*	14,462	17,907	8.1	15.4	13.1	10.6	1.1	1.6	6.3	9.8	12.7	18.1	324.1	663.7	14.6	13.4	47.2	89.1	246.4	401.8	517.2	810.2
Laguna*	11,471	15,228	7.2	14.1	17.3	12.6	1.2	1.8	5.1	9.2	11.2	17.0	231.6	478.2	17.6	13.6	40.9	65.2	164.4	298.8	370.9	585.5
Quezon (w/o the City of Lucena)*	11,363	13,552	18.2	30.8	12.5	8.4	2.3	2.6	14.5	22.0	26.6	35.1	351.6	614.3	13.2	9.1	46.5	56.1	275.1	428.2	522.0	706.7
City Of Lucena *	11,707	14,161	8.0	12.8	16.0	14.7	1.3	1.9	5.9	10.2	9.7	15.9	22.4	37.2	16.2	15.9	3.6	5.9	16.4	28.3	27.4	47.0
Rizal*	13,951	15,707	6.7	9.8	15.3	14.7	1.0	1.4	5.0	8.3	7.5	12.2	205.3	321.3	16.2	16.7	33.2	53.7	150.6	259.9	232.9	409.6
MIMAROPA Region*	11,472	13,054	20.5	25.7	4.5	4.2	0.9	1.1	19.0	22.1	24.0	27.5	635.1	826.2	5.0	4.5	32.0	37.5	582.5	687.7	764.4	887.9
Marinduque*	11,672	13,658	20.0	25.4	9.0	8.3	1.8	2.1	17.0	22.9	21.9	28.8	47.6	61.5	9.9	9.6	4.7	5.9	39.8	55.3	51.8	71.2
Occidental Mindoro	10,610	13,409	29.1	32.0	9.0	7.8	2.6	2.5	24.8	33.4	27.9	36.1	146.8	166.3	10.6	9.1	15.6	15.2	121.1	172.4	141.3	191.2
Oriental Mindoro*	12,136	13,390	17.4	23.1	10.0	9.9	1.7	2.3	14.6	20.3	19.3	26.8	153.4	210.1	11.2	11.0	17.2	23.2	125.1	181.7	171.9	248.3
Palawan (w/o the City of Puerto Princesa)*	11,335	11,988	19.4	24.6	10.4	9.4	2.0	2.3	16.1	22.7	20.7	28.4	174.4	232.6	11.3	9.7	19.6	22.5	142.1	206.7	195.5	269.6
City Of Puerto Princesa *	11,503	12,463	5.6	11.0	16.6	14.1	0.9	1.6	4.1	7.2	8.5	13.6	15.5	31.8	17.8	15.8	2.8	5.0	10.9	20.0	23.6	40.1
Romblon*	11,869	13,863	32.7	40.9	6.9	5.3	2.3	2.2	29.0	36.4	37.3	44.5	97.5	123.9	8.4	6.9	8.2	8.6	84.0	111.1	109.8	138.0
Region V (Bicol Region)*	11,975	13,873	28.1	33.5	3.4	3.4	1.0	1.2	26.5	29.6	31.6	35.4	1,685.2	2,077.0	3.8	3.9	64.6	81.4	1,578.9	1,791.4	1,943.1	2,210.9
Albay	12,258	13,691	21.9	25.1	7.7	8.7	1.7	2.2	19.1	24.7	21.5	28.7	299.3	353.9	8.6	9.5	25.7	33.7	257.0	341.6	298.4	409.4
Camarines Norte*	12,147	14,083	32.6	27.3	6.1	6.8	2.0	1.9	29.3	35.8	24.2	30.4	197.8	171.8	8.1	7.4	16.0	12.8	171.6	224.1	150.8	192.9
Camarines Sur*	11,599	14,378	25.9	42.2	8.1	6.5	2.1	2.7	22.5	29.4	37.6	46.7	523.6	876.2	8.9	7.5	46.6	65.5	446.9	600.2	768.4	984.0
Catanduanes	12,152	13,915	24.7	23.8	7.9	8.1	1.9	1.9	21.5	27.9	20.6	26.9	66.3	65.4	8.7	8.7	5.8	5.7	56.8	75.8	56.0	74.7
Masbate	11,289	12,645	36.8	32.7	6.6	6.7	2.4	2.2	32.8	40.9	29.1	36.3	339.0	308.8	7.8	7.2	26.3	22.4	295.8	382.3	272.0	345.6
Sorsogon	13,131	13,744	31.4	35.2	6.4	6.6	2.0	2.3	28.1	34.7	31.4	39.0	259.1	300.9	7.3	7.4	18.9	22.3	228.0	290.3	264.2	337.5
Region VI (Western Visayas)*	11,964	13,519	20.9	25.3	4.6	4.2	1.0	1.1	19.3	22.5	23.5	27.0	1,624.4	2,015.7	5.2	4.9	84.6	99.5	1,485.2	1,763.6	1,852.0	2,179.5
Aklan*	12,079	13,542	19.8	24.9	9.8	8.2	1.9	2.1	16.6	23.0	21.5	28.3	117.7	152.3	10.2	9.3	12.1	14.1	97.9	137.5	129.0	175.6
Antique	11,704	13,249	24.8	26.8	9.4	8.7	2.3	2.3	21.0	28.6	23.0	30.6	148.9	165.7	9.9	9.0	14.8	14.8	124.6	173.3	141.3	190.1
Capiz*	10,981	13,339	8.0	14.1	12.4	11.8	1.0	1.7	6.3	9.6	11.4	16.9	62.6	114.8	12.6	13.0	7.9	14.9	49.6	75.6	90.3	139.3
Guimaras*	12,623	13,863	16.3	25.7	12.2	9.6	2.0	2.5	13.0	19.5	21.6	29.8	29.5	48.1	13.3	12.2	3.9	5.8	23.0	35.9	38.4	57.7
Iloilo (w/o the City of Iloilo)	12,593	14,056	24.4	27.3	7.4	8.2	1.8	2.2	21.5	27.4	23.6	31.0	490.9	566.7	8.6	9.6	42.2	54.5	421.5	560.4	477.1	656.3
City Of Iloilo *	13,040	14,846	6.1	11.4	13.4	11.9	0.8	1.3	4.8	7.5	9.2	13.6	28.3	53.7	13.5	13.6	3.8	7.3	22.0	34.6	41.7	65.8
Negros Occidental (w/o the City of Bacolod)	11,591	13,145	27.8	33.4	8.5	7.4	2.4	2.5	24.0	31.7	29.4	37.5	706.7	863.4	9.9	9.1	69.9	78.5	591.6	821.8	734.3	992.5
City Of Bacolod	11,760	13,384	6.7	8.3	12.7	12.7	0.9	1.1	5.3	8.1	6.6	10.1	39.8	51.0	14.3	14.0	5.7	7.2	30.4	49.1	39.3	62.8
Region VII (Central Visayas)*	12,724	15,174	24.3	33.0	4.0	3.9	1.0	1.3	22.7	25.9	30.9	35.1	1,880.7	2,661.4	4.6	4.8	87.0	126.4	1,737.7	2,023.8	2,453.4	2,869.3
Bohol*	12,624	13,359	26.1	33.1	8.2	6.7	2.1	2.2	22.5	29.6	29.4	36.8	350.5	454.8	8.4	8.3	29.6	37.9	301.9	399.2	392.5	517.2
Cebu (w/o the Cities of Cebu, Lapu-Lapu and Mandaue) *	12,830	16,148	26.5	40.9	6.8	6.4	1.8	2.6	23.6	29.5	36.6	45.3	831.4	1,358.0	8.1	8.1	67.3	110.2	720.7	942.2	1,176.6	1,539.3
City Of Cebu *	13,035	16,912	13.9	22.4	11.0	8.8	1.5	2.0	11.4	16.4	19.2	25.7	132.9	219.4	12.9	10.7	17.1	23.4	104.7	161.0	180.8	257.9
City Of Lapu-Lapu (Opon)*	13,058	16,912	11.1	17.4	13.2	9.4	1.5	1.6	8.7	13.5	14.7	20.1	49.1	82.5	13.9	10.5	6.8	8.7	37.9	60.3	68.2	96.8
City Of Mandaue*	12,855	16,912	13.1	17.6	12.0	9.0	1.6	1.6	10.5	15.6	14.9	20.2	49.8	69.4	13.8	11.0	6.9	7.7	38.5	61.1	56.8	82.0
Negros Oriental	12,440	12,782	32.7	33.3	7.8	7.8	2.5	2.6	28.5	36.9	29.0	37.6	453.7	471.3	9.3	8.8	42.0	41.3	384.6	522.8	403.3	539.3
Siquijor * ^{a/}	12,463	12,515	13.4	5.8	15.0	24.8	2.0	1.5	10.1	16.7	3.5	8.2	13.2	5.9	16.1	26.3	2.1	1.6	9.7	16.7	3.4	8.5
Region VIII (Eastern Visayas)	12,195	13,550	37.3	36.0	3.1	3.5	1.1	1.3	35.4	39.2	33.9	38.0	1,722.8	1,728.3	3.9	3.9	67.9	66.7	1,611.0	1,834.5	1,618.6	1,837.9
Biliran*	12,039	14,348	24.9	30.7	7.2	7.1	1.8	2.2	21.9	27.8	27.1	34.2	43.9	55.4	8.2	8.3	3.6	4.6	38.0	49.8	47.9	63.0
Eastern Samar*	14,112	14,523	52.0	43.1	4.6	6.0	2.4	2.6	48.1	56.0	38.9	47.4	254.1	220.5	6.9	7.3	17.6	16.1	225.3	283.0	194.0	247.0
Leyte (w/o the City of Tacloban)	11,711	13,478	38.3	39.1	6.3	7.2	2.4	2.8	34.3	42.2	34.5	43.8	690.3	741.0	8.2	7.6	56.7	56.7	596.9	783.6	647.8	834.2
City Of Tacloban	11,863	14,133	17.7	20.1	9.7	9.3	1.7	1.9	14.9	20.5	17.1	23.2	45.0	53.1	10.6	11.2	4.8	5.9	37.2	52.9	43.4	62.9
Northern Samar*	12,662	13,173	36.6	31.0	6.0	6.8	2.2	2.1	33.0	40.2	27.5	34.4	239.8	209.1	7.4	7.7	17.9	16.2	210.5	269.2	182.5	235.7
Southern Leyte	12,691	14,505	29.4	31.7	7.1	6.2	2.1	2.0	26.0	32.8	28.5	35.0	128.0	142.5	8.1	7.1	10.4	10.1	110.8	145.1	125.8	159.1
Western Samar	11,243	12,593	39.9	37.0	6.5	5.9	2.6	2.2	35.6	44.2	33.4	40.6	321.7	306.7	7.8	7.7	25.0	23.5	280.5	362.8	268.0	345.3

Table 2a. First Semester Per Capita Poverty Threshold, Poverty Incidence and Magnitude of Poor Population with Measures of Precision, by Region, Province and Highly Urbanized Cities: 2018 and 2021

		er Per Capita			First	Semester I	Poverty Inci	dence am	ong Popula	ation						First Sem	ester Magr	nitude of P	oor Populatio	on		
Region/Province	Poverty (in I	Threshold PhP)	Estima	ite (%)	Coeffic	ient of	Standard	d Frror		0% Confide			Estimate	e ('000)	Coeffic	cient of	Standar	d Frror		90% Confide		
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	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	Lower Limit	Upper Limit	Lower Limit	Upper Limit	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	Lower Limit	Upper Limit	Lower Limit	Upper Limit
Region IX (Zamboanga Peninsula)	12,424	14,467	39.9	37.4	3.2	3.2	1.3	1.2	37.8	42.0	35.4	39.4	1,486.3	1,425.5	3.9	3.9	58.0	55.5	1,390.9	1,581.7	1,334.2	1,516.7
Zamboanga del Norte*	13,654	17,125	49.5	62.1	5.5	4.0	2.7	2.5	45.0	53.9	58.0	66.2	511.6	654.0	6.2	5.6	31.5	36.6	459.8	563.4	593.8	714.1
Zamboanga del Sur (w/o the City of Zamboanga)*	11,687	12,067	44.0	35.3	6.2	7.7	2.7	2.7	39.6	48.5	30.8	39.8	446.3	368.1	8.2	8.6	36.8	31.6	385.8	506.9	316.1	420.2
City Of Zamboanga*	12,200	12,525	17.8	12.4	9.4	12.4	1.7	1.5	15.1	20.6	9.8	14.9	159.3	110.6	11.7	14.6	18.7	16.1	128.6	190.0	84.1	137.1
Zamboanga Sibugay*	11,446	12,315	44.2	37.2	6.8	6.2	3.0	2.3	39.3	49.2	33.4	41.0	292.8	255.6	8.2	8.3	24.1	21.3	253.1	332.6	220.6	290.7
Isabela City *	12,709	12,033	62.4	28.5	5.2	10.5	3.3	3.0	57.1	67.8	23.5	33.4	76.2	37.1	12.1	14.2	9.2	5.3	61.1	91.3	28.4	45.8
Region X (Northern Mindanao)	12,259	14,302	32.0	33.8	2.9	3.5	0.9	1.2	30.4	33.5	31.9	35.7	1,564.1	1,715.6	3.5	4.3	54.6	74.3	1,474.3	1,654.0	1,593.4	1,837.8
Bukidnon	12,696	14,362	38.1	39.7	5.9	7.3	2.3	2.9	34.4	41.9	34.9	44.4	562.2	605.5	7.1	9.3	39.8	56.4	496.7	627.6	512.7	698.3
Camiguin*	12,762	14,165	30.1	24.5	7.7	7.3	2.3	1.8	26.3	33.9	21.5	27.4	27.4	22.8	8.1	9.0	2.2	2.0	23.7	31.0	19.4	26.1
Lanao del Norte (w/o the City of Iligan)*	11,993	14,051	32.6	48.6	6.8	6.4	2.2	3.1	29.0	36.3	43.5	53.7	232.5	365.1	7.8	9.0	18.2	32.9	202.5	262.4	311.0	419.2
City Of Iligan	12,341	14,666	24.5	22.9	9.3	8.3	2.3	1.9	20.7	28.2	19.7	26.0	86.7	81.7	10.5	9.2	9.1	7.6	71.7	101.7	69.3	94.1
Misamis Occidental*	12,036	14,939	41.7	30.8	5.9	7.7	2.4	2.4	37.7	45.7	26.9	34.7	257.7	194.6	7.5	9.0	19.2	17.5	226.1	289.3	165.8	223.5
Misamis Oriental (w/o the City of Cagayan de Oro)	11,835	13,973	31.3	32.7	5.8	6.8	1.8	2.2	28.3	34.3	29.1	36.4	289.1	315.5	7.4	8.4	21.4	26.5	253.8	324.4	271.9	359.0
City of Cagayan De Oro	12,039	14,369	15.1	17.4	10.0	8.7	1.5	1.5	12.6	17.6	14.9	19.9	108.6	130.4	11.4	10.4	12.4	13.6	88.2	128.9	108.0	152.7
Region XI (Davao Region)*	12,718	13,324	23.8	19.4	4.0	4.1	0.9	0.8	22.2	25.3	18.0	20.7	1,220.1	1,039.6	4.6	5.2	56.4	54.4	1,127.4	1,312.9	950.1	1,129.2
Davao del Norte	12,725	13,545	18.9	17.9	10.4	10.2	2.0	1.8	15.7	22.1	14.9	20.9	196.5	190.5	12.3	12.6	24.1	23.9	156.8	236.1	151.2	229.8
Davao del Sur (w/o the City of Davao)*	12,808	13,203	24.6	18.1	7.6	9.6	1.9	1.7	21.5	27.7	15.3	21.0	164.5	128.0	8.5	10.9	13.9	14.0	141.6	187.3	105.0	150.9
City Of Davao Davao Oriental*	12,994 12,636	13,510 13,788	11.3 42.0	8.9 32.7	17.8 6.2	14.4 7.8	2.0 2.6	1.3 2.6	8.0 37.7	14.6 46.3	6.8 28.5	11.0 36.9	196.7 138.8	166.7 199.0	19.9 7.5	14.8 9.6	39.1 10.4	24.6 19.1	132.3 121.8	261.1 155.8	126.2 167.6	207.2 230.4
Compostela Valley	12,532	12,942	32.5	27.9	6.9	8.1	2.2	2.2	28.8	36.2	24.2	31.6	247.0	218.1	7.8	15.1	19.3	33.0	215.3	278.7	163.8	272.3
Davao Occidental*	12,669	12,834	47.3	40.1	5.9	7.6	2.8	3.1	42.8	51.9	35.0	45.1	276.7	137.4	7.1	8.6	19.8	11.8	244.2	309.3	118.0	156.7
Region XII (SOCCSKSARGEN)	12,082	13,298	33.6	34.1	3.5	3.6	1.2	1.2	31.7	35.6	32.1	36.2	1,606.3	1,702.6	4.1	4.1	65.4	69.8	1,498.7	1,713.9	1,587.7	1,817.4
North Cotabato	11,784	13,894	31.9	36.3	7.7	7.8	2.5	2.8	27.9	36.0	31.7	41.0	469.8	564.3	8.7	9.0	40.9	50.6	402.6	537.1	481.1	647.5
Sarangani	11,139	12,238	47.2	49.6	6.7	5.4	3.2	2.7	42.0	52.4	45.2	53.9	268.5	292.8	8.2	7.2	22.0	21.2	232.3	304.7	258.0	327.6
South Cotabato (w/o the City of Gen. Santos)	12,454	12,284	27.2	27.6	10.2	9.7	2.8	2.7	22.6	31.7	23.2	32.0	262.2	279.4	11.7	10.5	30.6	29.2	211.8	312.5	231.3	327.4
City Of General Santos (Dadiangas)	12,657	12,617	20.6	20.9	10.3	8.4	2.1	1.7	17.1	24.1	18.0	23.7	129.7	136.5	11.5	9.8	14.9	13.4	105.1	154.2	114.5	158.6
Sultan Kudarat* Cotabato City	11,566 14,722	12,621 16,749	39.1 48.5	31.8 49.9	6.9 5.3	8.8 4.7	2.7 2.6	2.8 2.4	34.7 44.2	43.5 52.7	27.2 46.1	36.4 53.8	328.0 148.1	274.1 155.5	8.7 8.5	9.6 7.9	28.4 12.6	26.2 12.3	281.3 127.3	374.7 168.8	231.0 135.1	317.2 175.8
Cotabato City	14,722	10,749		49.9	5.5	4.7	2.0	2.4	44.2	52.7	40.1	33.0	140.1	155.5	6.5	7.9	12.0		127.5	100.0	155.1	1/5.6
Region XIII (Caraga)*	12,346	13,613	35.2	38.3	2.9	2.8	1.0	1.1	33.6	36.9	36.6	40.1	948.9	1,065.9	3.5	3.5	33.7	36.9	893.5	1,004.3	1,005.2	1,126.6
Agusan del Norte (w/o the City of Butuan)	11,258	13,551	32.8	36.7	6.8	5.7	2.2	2.1	29.1	36.5	33.3	40.2	120.7	140.2	8.3	6.4	10.0	9.0	104.2	137.1	125.4	155.1
City Of Butuan*	11,504	14,220	25.2	33.0	9.0	6.5	2.3	2.1	21.5	28.9	29.5	36.5	88.9	120.5	11.9	8.0	10.6	9.6	71.6	106.3	104.7	136.4
Agusan del Sur*	12,136	13,957	40.7	48.3	6.1	5.1	2.5	2.4	36.6	44.8	44.3	52.3	293.9	358.0	7.5	6.6	21.9	23.5	257.8	330.0	319.3	396.8
Surigao Del Norte*	13,799	13,106	39.5	33.5	6.1	7.2	2.4	2.4	35.5	43.5	29.6	37.5	201.5	180.2	6.9	8.7	13.9	15.6	178.6	224.4	154.5	205.8
Surigao Del Sur	11,969	13,000	30.9	34.9	6.5	7.0	2.0	2.4	27.6	34.1	30.9	38.9	188.1	218.2	7.8	8.8	14.7	19.1	163.9	212.3	186.8	249.7
Dinagat Islands	13,177	14,380	43.1	37.1	7.0	7.2	3.0	2.7	38.2	48.0	32.7	41.5	55.7	48.7	9.7	10.0	5.4	4.9	46.8	64.6	40.7	56.7
Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao/	13,599	14,126	63.2	45.8	2.2	3.3	1.4	1.5	60.9	65.5	43.3	48.2	2,537.4	1,954.4	3.7	4.8	94.3	93.4	2,382.2	2,692.6	1,800.7	2,108.1
Bangsamoro Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao (ARMM/BARMM)*													ŕ	ŕ					·	ŕ	ŕ	ŕ
Basilan*	12,715	13,731	72.3	57.6	3.0	4.7	2.2	2.7	68.7	75.9	53.1	62.1	267.4	227.9	7.4	7.8	19.8	17.7	234.7	300.0	198.8	257.1
Lanao del Sur*	14,786	14,627	73.8	15.2	2.7	10.4	2.0	1.6	70.6	77.0	12.6	17.9	814.7	178.1	6.8	11.4	55.6	20.4	723.2	906.1	144.6	211.6
Maguindanao*	12,765	12,844	55.8	44.3	6.1	7.3	3.4	3.2	50.2	61.4	39.0	49.6	702.8	600.3	6.9	9.6	48.2	57.7	623.5	782.1	505.3	695.3
Sulu*	13,929	15,363	74.8	80.4	2.6	3.0	2.0	2.4	71.6	78.1	76.4	84.4	655.5	750.0	8.4	8.5	54.8	63.6	565.4	745.6	645.5	854.6
Tawi-tawi*	9,881	13,333	24.0	47.4	7.9	7.3	1.9	3.5	20.9	27.1	41.7	53.1	97.1	198.0	9.8	12.6	9.5	25.0	81.4	112.7	157.0	239.1
		13,333	27.0	77.7	,.5	,.5	1.5	J.J	20.5	27.1	71.7	55.1	57.1	150.0	J.0	12.0	J.J		01.7	112./		255.1

u=updated; Back estimation of the 2018 first semester poverty statistics was made due to the adoption of the 2015 Census of Population (POPCEN 2015) results for the weights used in the Family Income and Expenditure Survey (FIES) and the urban-rural classification of barangays.

^{*=} significant change; The increase or decrease of the poverty incidence among population between 2018 and 2021 is significant at 10% level of significance ($\alpha = 0.10$).

a/ Coefficient of variation of 2021 provincial poverty incidence among population is greater than 20%.

b/ Coefficient of variation of 2018^u provincial poverty incidence among population is greater than 20%.

Table 3. First Semester Per Capita Food Threshold, Subsistence Incidence and Magnitude of Subsistence Poor Families with Measures of Precision, by Region and Province: 2018 and 2021

Region/Province	Per Capit	ta Food																				
	(in P	hold	Estimat	tes (%)	Coeffici Varia		Standar	d Error	90%	6 Confide			Estimate	e ('000)	Coeffic Varia		Standaı	rd Error		90% Confide		
									201		202								201		202	
	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	Lower Limit	Upper Limit	Lower Limit	Upper Limit	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	Lower Limit	Upper Limit	Lower Limit	Upper Limit
PHILIPPINES*	8,849	10,071	6.2	7.1	1.8	1.8	0.1	0.1	6.0	6.4	6.9	7.3	1,549.1	1,868.7	1.8	1.9	27.6	35.7	1,503.6	1,594.6	1,810.0	1,927.5
National Capital Region (NCR)*	9,848	11,609	1.6	1.2	7.6	8.4	0.1	0.1	1.4	1.8	1.0	1.4	52.9	42.4	7.8	8.4	4.1	3.6	46.2	59.7	36.5	48.3
1st District* a/b/	9,848	11,609	2.1	0.1	21.3	70.6	0.4	0.1	1.4	2.8	0.0	0.3	9.5	0.6	22.0	70.4	2.1	0.4	6.0	12.9	0.0	1.3
2nd District ^{a/b/}	9,848	11,609	0.9	0.8	20.6	20.6	0.2	0.2	0.6	1.2	0.5	1.1	10.0	9.8	20.5	20.3	2.0	2.0	6.6	13.3	6.5	13.1
3rd District*	9,848	11,609	3.0	1.8	11.4	14.6	0.3	0.3	2.4	3.5	1.4	2.2	20.0	12.7	12.5	14.5	2.5	1.8	15.9	24.1	9.7	15.7
4th District	9,848	11,609	1.4	1.8	10.4	11.2	0.1	0.2	1.2	1.6	1.4	2.1	13.5	19.3	10.7	11.9	1.5	2.3	11.1	15.9	15.5	23.1
Cordillera Administrative Region (CAR)*	8,622	9,796	6.0	4.8	5.8	6.5	0.3	0.3	5.4	6.6	4.3	5.3	26.9	21.4	5.9	6.3	1.6	1.3	24.2	29.5	19.2	23.7
Abra*	8,664	10,299	15.3	8.3	8.1	12.1	1.2	1.0	13.3	17.4	6.7	10.0	9.0	4.8	9.0	10.9	0.8	0.5	7.7	10.4	4.0	5.7
Apayao* ^{a/b/}	8,047	8,936	11.2	4.2	21.5	28.8	2.4	1.2	7.2	15.1	2.2	6.2	3.3	1.2	23.8	30.4	0.8	0.4	2.0	4.6	0.6	1.8
Benguet	8,279	9,361	2.5	3.4	15.4	11.8	0.4	0.4	1.9	3.2	2.7	4.0	5.5	7.8	15.5	11.6	0.9	0.9	4.1	6.9	6.3	9.3
Ifugao	9,207	10,074	5.0	5.4	17.4	18.5	0.9	1.0	3.5	6.4	3.8	7.0	2.5	2.5	17.0	18.3	0.4	0.5	1.8	3.1	1.8	3.3
Kalinga	8,268	9,008	4.6	3.6	15.3	19.2	0.7	0.7	3.4	5.8	2.4	4.7	2.2	1.6	15.6	18.8	0.3	0.3	1.6	2.8	1.1	2.1
Mt. Province	9,336	10,925	10.1	9.1	11.0	15.6	1.1	1.4	8.3	12.0	6.8	11.5	4.4	3.5	11.4	15.3	0.5	0.5	3.5	5.2	2.6	4.4
Region I (Ilocos Region)*	9,012	10,802	1.8	5.3	17.7	10.5	0.3	0.6	1.3	2.4	4.4	6.2	22.9	67.0	17.5	10.9	4.0	7.3	16.3	29.5	55.1	79.0
Ilocos Norte ^{a/b/}	8,889	10,885	0.9	0.9	45.9	31.9	0.4	0.3	0.2	1.6	0.4	1.3	1.3	1.3	46.0	32.0	0.6	0.4	0.3	2.3	0.6	2.0
Ilocos Sur* b/	8,402	11,433	1.5	5.8	29.2	14.2	0.4	0.8	0.8	2.2	4.4	7.1	2.4	9.8	29.3	14.3	0.7	1.4	1.3	3.6	7.5	12.1
La Union* ^{b/}	7,746	9,654	0.6	2.8	36.7	16.2	0.2	0.4	0.2	1.0	2.0	3.5	1.1	5.6	36.8	16.1	0.4	0.9	0.5	1.8	4.1	7.1
Pangasinan* b/	9,198	10,812	2.4	6.7	21.9	13.4	0.5	0.9	1.6	3.3	5.2	8.2	18.1	50.3	21.5	14.1	3.9	7.1	11.7	24.5	38.6	61.9
Region II (Cagayan Valley)	8,511	9,930	5.0	6.0	8.4	10.0	0.4	0.6	4.3	5.7	5.1	7.0	43.8	54.3	8.8	10.5	3.9	5.7	37.5	50.1	44.9	63.7
Batanes* ^{a/}	13,491	12,446	6.3	2.8	16.9	36.0	1.1	1.0	4.6	8.1	1.2	4.5	0.4	0.2	26.6	35.7	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.5	0.1	0.2
Cagayan	8,531	9,562	5.3	3.9	13.3	15.9	0.7	0.6	4.2	6.5	2.9	4.9	15.4	11.6	14.1	15.9	2.2	1.8	11.8	19.0	8.6	14.7
Isabela*	8,536	10,300	4.7	8.2	15.1	14.0	0.7	1.2	3.5	5.9	6.3	10.1	18.9	34.2	15.8	15.2	3.0	5.2	14.0	23.8	25.7	42.7
Nueva Vizcaya ^{a/}	8,368	8,794	6.5	5.2	13.9	20.4	0.9	1.1	5.0	8.0	3.5	7.0	8.1	6.9	13.3	20.8	1.1	1.4	6.4	9.9	4.5	9.2
Quirino ^{b/}	7,818	9,712	2.1	3.1	24.1	16.5	0.5	0.5	1.3	3.0	2.2	3.9	1.0	1.4	24.3	17.5	0.3	0.3	0.6	1.5	1.0	1.9
Region III (Central Luzon)*	9,144	11,351	2.4	4.2	7.7	7.5	0.2	0.3	2.1	2.7	3.7	4.7	66.0	125.8	7.9	8.7	5.2	10.9	57.5	74.6	107.9	143.8
Aurora*	8,421	10,503	5.7	9.1	14.7	12.9	0.8	1.2	4.3	7.1	7.1	11.0	3.3	5.0	15.0	13.0	0.5	0.7	2.5	4.1	4.0	6.1
Bataan	10,155	10,320	4.2	3.9	15.0	14.2	0.6	0.6	3.1	5.2	3.0	4.8	7.7	8.0	14.4	15.3	1.1	1.2	5.9	9.5	5.9	10.0
Bulacan* ^{b/}	8,847	12,248	1.3	4.9	23.6	14.9	0.3	0.7	0.8	1.9	3.7	6.0	10.9	42.9	24.5	20.2	2.7	8.7	6.5	15.3	28.7	57.2
Nueva Ecija*	8,653	10,352	3.1	5.4	18.8	18.6	0.6	1.0	2.2	4.1	3.7	7.0	16.4	30.8	19.1	18.2	3.1	5.6	11.2	21.6	21.6	40.0
Pampanga ^{a/ u/}	8,970	11,723	0.8	1.2	33.6	21.9	0.3	0.3	0.4	1.2	0.8	1.7	5.0	8.4	34.0	21.5	1.7	1.8	2.2	7.8	5.4	11.4
Tarlac Zambales	8,347 10,313	10,254 12,166	2.7 6.4	3.6 7.8	17.3 12.4	14.6 10.3	0.5 0.8	0.5 0.8	2.0 5.1	3.5 7.7	2.7 6.5	4.4 9.1	9.0 13.7	12.6 18.1	17.8 12.5	15.0 10.6	1.6 1.7	1.9 1.9	6.4 10.9	11.7 16.5	9.5 14.9	15.7 21.2
Region IV-A (CALABARZON)*	9,689	10,750	2.2	3.2	0.0	0.0	0.3	0.3	1.0	2 7	2.7	3.7	84.3	131.0	10.2	9.2	0.6	12.1	70.2	98.4	111.1	150.8
- · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	11,080	10,750	2.3 4.3		9.9 16.7	8.9 24.6	0.2	0.3 0.4	1.9 3.1	2.7 5.5	1.0	2.4	84.3 27.5	12.8	17.7	26.3	8.6 4.9	3.4	19.5	35.6	7.3	18.4
Batangas* ^{a/} Cavite ^{b/}	10,080	10,599	1.9	1.7 2.8	23.2	19.9	0.7	0.4	1.2	2.7	1.0	3.7	27.5 17.8	30.0	23.6	20.6	4.9	6.2	10.9	24.7	19.8	40.2
Laguna * ^{a/ b/}	8,072	10,582	1.5	2.8	28.7	23.1	0.4	0.5	0.8	2.7	1.9	4.1	17.8	27.6	29.3	23.3	3.7	6.4	6.6	19.0	17.0	38.2
Quezon*	7,963	9,496	2.8	8.3	19.7	13.7	0.6	1.1	1.9	3.8	6.4	10.2	15.1	45.2	19.7	14.5	3.0	6.6	10.2	19.9	34.5	56.0
Rizal ^{a/ b/}	9,741	10,670	1.6	2.0	26.8	20.7	0.4	0.4	0.9	2.3	1.3	2.7	11.1	15.3	27.2	21.7	3.0	3.3	6.1	16.0	9.8	20.7
MIMAROPA Region*	7,988	9,103	5.1	7.5	8.5	7.1	0.4	0.5	4.4	5.8	6.6	8.4	39.7	58.9	8.6	7.2	3.4	4.2	34.0	45.3	51.9	65.9
Marinduque *	8,373	9,542	4.2	6.2	16.6	13.5	0.7	0.8	3.1	5.4	4.8	7.6	2.6	3.6	16.5	14.1	0.4	0.5	1.9	3.4	2.8	4.4
Occidental Mindoro	7,412	9,332	8.3	11.0	16.7	12.6	1.4	1.4	6.0	10.6	8.7	13.3	10.8	14.0	17.2	13.3	1.9	1.9	7.8	13.9	10.9	17.0
Oriental Mindoro	8,475	9,370	4.7	6.4	17.3	17.9	0.8	1.1	3.3	6.0	4.5	8.2	10.0	13.6	17.2	18.4	1.8	2.5	7.0	12.9	9.5	17.7
Palawan* b/	7,877	8,379	3.3	6.1	20.8	14.1	0.7	0.9	2.2	4.5	4.7	7.5	9.8	19.2	20.9	13.9	2.0	2.7	6.4	13.1	14.8	23.6
Romblon*		9,705													13.3		0.9					

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	First Se	mester			First Ser	nester Su	bsistence	Incidenc	e among I	Families					First S	emester Ma	gnitude o	f Subsiste	ence Poor Fa	milies		
Region/Province	Per Capi Thres (in F	shold	Estimat	tes (%)	Coeffic Varia		Standar	d Error	909	% Confide			Estimat	e ('000)	Coeffic Varia		Standar	d Error		90% Confide		
									201		202								20:		202	
	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	Lower Limit	Upper Limit	Lower Limit	Upper Limit	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	Lower Limit	Upper Limit	Lower Limit	Upper Limit
Region V (Bicol Region)*	8,340	9,750	7.3	10.5	5.9	6.5	0.4	0.7	6.6	8.0	9.4	11.6	99.2	140.1	6.2	6.5	6.1	9.1	89.1	109.3	125.1	155.0
Albay	8,524	9,557	4.4	6.3	14.2	16.1	0.6	1.0	3.4	5.4	4.6	7.9	13.4	19.0	14.4	16.1	1.9	3.1	10.2	16.5	14.0	24.0
Camarines Norte	8,493	9,835	9.1	7.1	10.8	11.7	1.0	0.8	7.5	10.8	5.7	8.5	13.3	10.4	12.1	12.2	1.6	1.3	10.7	16.0	8.3	12.5
Camarines Sur*	8,098	10,049	7.4	17.1	13.1	10.9	1.0	1.9	5.8	9.0	14.0	20.1	33.4	75.0	13.7	10.7	4.6	8.0	25.8	40.9	61.9	88.2
Catanduanes	8,484	9,724	7.1	5.2	13.7	13.7	1.0	0.7	5.5	8.7	4.0	6.4	4.4	3.1	13.5	13.6	0.6	0.4	3.4	5.4	2.4	3.8
Masbate	7,880	8,838	9.8	7.9	12.7	13.3	1.2	1.0	7.7	11.8	6.2	9.6	20.5	16.2	13.2	12.8	2.7	2.1	16.1	25.0	12.8	19.6
Sorsogon	9,171	9,602	7.5	8.9	11.2	11.1	0.8	1.0	6.2	8.9	7.3	10.5	14.2	16.3	11.5	11.0	1.6	1.8	11.5	16.9	13.4	19.3
					10.0									1000								170.0
Region VI (Western Visayas)*	8,322	9,455	4.8	6.9	10.0	7.7	0.5	0.5	4.0	5.6	6.0	7.7	91.2	133.3	10.2	7.9	9.3	10.5	75.9	106.4	116.0	150.6
Aklan*	8,417	9,445	4.1	6.1	18.9	13.6	0.8	0.8	2.8	5.4	4.8	7.5	6.1	9.5	18.8	13.6	1.2	1.3	4.2	8.0	7.3	11.6
Antique*	8,185	9,254	6.5	10.1	12.8	12.7	0.8	1.3	5.1	7.8	8.0	12.2	9.6	14.7	12.6	12.7	1.2	1.9	7.6	11.6	11.6	17.8
Capiz ^{a/ b/}	7,822	9,375	0.9	1.4	28.6	31.0	0.3	0.4	0.5	1.4	0.7	2.2	1.8	3.0	29.4	31.8	0.5	0.9	0.9	2.7	1.4	4.5
Guimaras* ^{a/ b/}	8,824	9,964	3.2	6.3	20.9	22.8	0.7	1.4	2.1	4.3	4.0	8.7	1.4	3.0	20.5	23.6	0.3	0.7	1.0	1.9	1.8	4.1
lloilo*	8,816	9,841	3.9	7.3	16.0	14.3	0.6	1.0	2.9	4.9	5.6	9.0	22.5	44.4	15.8	14.4	3.5	6.4	16.6	28.3	33.9	54.9
Negros Occidental	8,110	9,190	6.3	7.5	16.4	13.0	1.0	1.0	4.6	8.0	5.9	9.1	49.7	58.8	16.9	13.6	8.4	8.0	35.9	63.5	45.6	71.9
Region VII (Central Visayas)*	8,847	10,578	7.2	12.8	7.1	6.2	0.5	0.8	6.4	8.0	11.5	14.1	133.4	251.6	7.1	6.8	9.5	17.2	117.8	149.1	223.4	279.9
Bohol*	8,807	9,319	8.4	12.1	12.7	10.2	1.1	1.2	6.6	10.1	10.1	14.2	27.9	39.0	12.9	11.0	3.6	4.3	22.0	33.9	32.0	46.1
Cebu*	8,984	11,332	5.2	13.1	11.3	8.4	0.6	1.1	4.2	6.2	11.3	14.9	60.0	167.9	11.3	9.4	6.8	15.7	48.8	71.2	142.0	193.8
Negros Oriental	8,672	8,927	13.0	13.2	12.3	12.0	1.6	1.6	10.4	15.6	10.6	15.8	44.7	44.6	12.5	12.1	5.6	5.4	35.6	53.9	35.7	53.5
Siquijor* ^{a/ b/}	8,898	8,855	3.1	0.7	24.4	48.6	0.8	0.3	1.9	4.4	0.1	1.3	0.8	0.2	25.1	49.2	0.2	0.1	0.5	1.1	0.0	0.3
Region VIII (Eastern Visayas)	8,527	9,484	13.1	13.2	5.5	6.1	0.7	0.8	11.9	14.3	11.9	14.5	143.7	149.8	5.9	6.1	8.4	9.2	129.9	157.6	134.7	164.9
Biliran*	8,396	10,022	5.7	8.7	12.6	11.8	0.7	1.0	4.5	6.9	7.0	10.4	2.6	3.8	12.3	11.8	0.3	0.4	2.1	3.1	3.1	4.5
Eastern Samar	9,996	10,141	20.5	18.7	8.1	9.6	1.7	1.8	17.8	23.2	15.8	21.7	24.9	24.0	9.1	10.3	2.3	2.5	21.2	28.6	19.9	28.0
Leyte	8,180	9,424	13.1	14.9	10.3	10.4	1.3	1.5	10.9	15.3	12.4	17.4	65.1	79.9	11.1	10.4	7.2	8.3	53.1	77.0	66.3	93.5
Northern Samar*	8,840	9,192	12.2	7.1	11.1	11.2	1.4	0.8	9.9	14.4	5.8	8.4	17.6	10.0	11.3	11.5	2.0	1.1	14.3	20.9	8.1	11.9
Southern Leyte*	8,866	10,134	7.9	10.4	11.5	10.7	0.9	1.1	6.4	9.4	8.5	12.2	7.9	10.1	11.9	11.2	0.9	1.1	6.4	9.5	8.2	11.9
Western Samar	7,843	8,782	13.6	11.7	11.4	11.7	1.6	1.4	11.0	16.1	9.5	14.0	25.7	22.1	11.2	12.1	2.9	2.7	20.9	30.4	17.7	26.5
Region IX (Zamboanga Peninsula)	8,725	10,468	14.8	15.1	5.6	5.3	0.8	0.8	13.4	16.2	13.8	16.4	132.3	132.0	5.7	5.4	7.6	7.1	119.9	144.8	120.3	143.6
Zamboanga del Norte*	9,525	11,944	21.2	32.1	9.9	7.2	2.1	2.3	17.8	24.6	28.3	35.9	53.3	78.6	9.4	7.2	5.0	5.7	45.0	61.6	69.3	88.0
Zamboanga del Sur*	8,218	8,444	9.8	7.3	10.1	11.2	1.0	0.8	8.2	11.5	6.0	8.7	45.1	32.1	10.6	11.4	4.8	3.7	37.3	53.0	26.1	38.1
Zamboanga Sibugay*	7,982	8,622	16.8	11.8	10.1	9.9	1.7	1.2	14.0	19.6	9.9	13.8	27.1	19.4	10.6	11.1	2.9	2.2	22.3	31.8	15.9	22.9
Isabela City * a/	8,867	8,446	29.3	7.0	10.0	21.6	2.9	1.5	24.4	34.1	4.5	9.5	6.8	1.8	14.5	23.0	1.0	0.4	5.2	8.5	1.1	2.5
Region X (Northern Mindanao)*	8,559	9,964	9.4	10.9	5.0	6.6	0.5	0.7	8.6	10.2	9.7	12.1	105.9	129.5	5.0	7.2	5.3	9.4	97.1	114.7	114.1	144.9
Bukidnon	8,861	10,031	12.0	15.5	9.9	12.3	1.2	1.9	10.0	13.9	12.3	18.6	39.3	54.3	10.0	14.1	3.9	7.6		45.8	41.7	66.8
Camiguin	8,909	9,935	8.7	7.0	15.2	14.0	1.3	1.0	6.5	10.8	5.4	8.6	2.0	1.6	15.0	15.2	0.3	0.2	1.5	2.4	1.2	1.9
Lanao del Norte*	8,439	9,850	8.1	14.2	9.9	11.6	0.8	1.6	6.7	9.4	11.5	16.9	19.1	35.2	10.0	12.1	1.9	4.3	16.0	22.2	28.2	42.2
Misamis Occidental*	8,393	10,436	12.9	6.5	10.5	14.4	1.4	0.9	10.7	15.2	4.9	8.0	19.0	9.4	10.9	15.7	2.1	1.5	15.6	22.4	7.0	11.8
Misamis Oriental	8,306	9,829	6.8	6.8	8.2	9.4	0.6	0.6	5.9	7.7	5.8	7.9	26.6	29.1	8.5	10.1	2.3	2.9	22.9	30.3	24.3	33.9
Region XI (Davao Region)*	8,880	9,289	6.4	4.7	7.5	7.2	0.5	0.3	5.6	7.2	4.1	5.2	84.2	65.0	8.0	7.3	6.7	4.8	73.1	95.3	57.2	72.8
Davao del Norte ^{a/}	8,917	9,440	4.3	4.7	18.2	21.7	0.8	0.9	3.0	5.6	2.7	5.6	11.1	10.6	19.0	22.8	2.1	2.4	7.6	14.6	6.6	14.6
Davao del Norte Davao del Sur* b/	9,027	9,352	3.8	2.3		15.4	0.8	0.3	2.4	5.1	1.7	2.8	24.1	16.2	22.8	15.3	5.5	2.4	15.1	33.1	12.1	20.3
Davao Oriental	8,823	9,589	11.5	8.7		14.5	1.3	1.3	2.4 9.4	13.6	6.6	10.7	16.5	10.2	11.1	14.6	1.8	1.9	13.1	19.5	9.8	16.0
Compostela Valley*	8,756	9,076	10.0	7.2	11.1	17.1	1.1	1.2	8.2	11.9	5.2	9.2	19.1	13.6	11.1	15.3	2.3	2.1	15.4	22.8	10.2	17.0
Davao Occidental	8,831	8,962	16.2	14.0	11.2	14.5	1.1	2.0	13.1	19.2	10.6	17.3	13.4	11.7	11.6	14.4	1.6	1.7	10.9	16.0	9.0	14.5
Davao Occidentai	0,031	0,302	10.2	14.0	11.4	14.3	1.0	2.0	13.1	13.2	10.0	17.3	13.4	11./	11.0	14.4	1.0	1./	10.9	10.0	3.0	14.3

Table 3. First Semester Per Capita Food Threshold, Subsistence Incidence and Magnitude of Subsistence Poor Families with Measures of Precision, by Region and Province: 2018 and 2021

	First Se	mester			First Sen	nester Su	bsistence	Incidence	e among F	amilies					First S	emester Ma	gnitude c	of Subsiste	nce Poor Fa	milies		
Region/Province	Per Capi Thres (in F	shold	Estima	tes (%)	Coeffici Varia		Standar	d Error	90%	6 Confide	nce Inter	val	Estimat	e ('000)	Coeffic Varia		Standa	rd Error	,	90% Confide	nce Interval	I
									201	8 ^u	20	21							20:	L8 ^u	20	21
	2018 ^u	2018 ^u 2021		2021	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	Lower	Upper	Lower	Upper	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	Lower	Upper	Lower	Upper
									Limit	Limit	Limit	Limit							Limit	Limit	Limit	Limit
Region XII (SOCCSKSARGEN)	8,392	9,254	13.7	12.5	5.8	5.7	0.8	0.7	12.3	15.0	11.4	13.7	157.2	151.0	6.1	5.8	9.5	8.7	141.5	172.9	136.7	165.4
North Cotabato	8,229	9,721	13.6	10.7	12.1	13.2	1.7	1.4	10.9	16.4	8.4	13.1	47.8	40.9	12.4	13.5	5.9	5.5	38.1	57.5	31.8	50.1
Sarangani	7,796	8,553	22.4	23.9	11.9	9.2	2.7	2.2	18.0	26.8	20.3	27.6	31.1	34.0	12.8	10.0	4.0	3.4	24.5	37.6	28.4	39.6
South Cotabato	8,740	8,635	7.5	9.8	15.7	11.8	1.2	1.2	5.6	9.4	7.9	11.7	29.8	41.3	16.2	11.7	4.8	4.8	21.9	37.7	33.4	49.3
Sultan Kudarat*	8,071	8,800	17.8	11.5	9.5	12.9	1.7	1.5	15.0	20.6	9.0	13.9	35.9	22.6	10.7	12.9	3.8	2.9	29.6	42.3	17.8	27.4
Cotabato City	10,262	11,696	20.0	19.8	10.7	9.9	2.1	2.0	16.5	23.5	16.6	23.1	12.6	12.1	12.5	11.8	1.6	1.4	10.0	15.2	9.8	14.5
Region XIII (Caraga)*	8,643	9,520	11.0	14.7	5.3	4.9	0.6	0.7	10.0	12.0	13.5	15.8	73.0	97.3	5.5	5.1	4.0	5.0	66.4	79.6	89.1	105.6
Agusan del Norte*	7,911	9,679	8.1	12.6	9.3	7.8	0.7	1.0	6.8	9.3	11.0	14.2	14.3	22.6	10.2	8.1	1.5	1.8	11.9	16.7	19.6	25.7
Agusan del Sur*	8,471	9,738	13.3	21.0	11.2	8.7	1.5	1.8	10.9	15.8	18.0	24.0	24.6	37.1	11.4	9.2	2.8	3.4	20.0	29.2	31.4	42.7
Surigao Del Norte	9,636	9,144	13.5	12.9	10.9	12.7	1.5	1.6	11.1	15.9	10.2	15.6	16.2	16.6	11.0	13.0	1.8	2.2	13.3	19.1	13.1	20.2
Surigao Del Sur*	8,328	9,063	8.3	11.5	12.5	12.0	1.0	1.4	6.6	10.0	9.3	13.8	12.4	17.0	12.8	13.0	1.6	2.2	9.8	15.0	13.4	20.7
Dinagat Islands	9,198	10,028	16.2	12.9	12.1	15.0	2.0	1.9	13.0	19.4	9.7	16.1	5.6	4.0	13.2	16.0	0.7	0.6	4.4	6.8	2.9	5.0
Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao/ Bangsamoro Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao																						
(ARMM/BARMM)*	9,577	9,956	29.4	17.0	3.7	6.0	1.1	1.0	27.6	31.2	15.3	18.7	192.4	118.2	4.6	6.5	8.8	7.7	177.8	206.9	105.5	130.8
Basilan*	8,877	9,585	39.0	21.5	5.6	10.2	2.2	2.2	35.4	42.6	17.9	25.1	24.4	14.4	8.8	10.2	2.1	1.5	20.9	27.9	12.0	16.8
Lanao del Sur* ^{a/}	10,324	10,227	41.7	0.9	5.7	30.5	2.4	0.3	37.7	45.6	0.5	1.4	74.2	1.7	7.9	31.0	5.9	0.5	64.6	83.9	0.8	2.5
Maguindanao*	8,919	8,952	23.9	13.7	9.3	12.1	2.2	1.7	20.2	27.6	11.0	16.5	45.5	30.7	10.4	12.5	4.7	3.8	37.7	53.3	24.4	36.9
Sulu*	9,733	10,732	29.8	38.8	6.0	9.1	1.8	3.5	26.9	32.8	33.0	44.6	43.7	60.0	9.2	10.4	4.0	6.3	37.1	50.3	49.7	70.3
Tawi-tawi*	6,911	9,314	5.8	15.9	15.8	11.3	0.9	1.8	4.3	7.4	12.9	18.9	4.5	11.4	16.2	14.8	0.7	1.7	3.3	5.7	8.6	14.2

u=updated; Back estimation of the 2018 first semester poverty statistics was made due to the adoption of the 2015 Census of Population (POPCEN 2015) results for the weights used in the Family Income and Expenditure Survey (FIES) and the urban-rural classification of barangays.

b/ Coefficient of variation of 2018^u provincial subsistence incidence among families is greater than 20%.

^{*=} significant change; The increase or decrease of the subsistence incidence among families between 2018 and 2021 is significant at 10% level of significance (α = 0.10).

a/ Coefficient of variation of 2021 provincial subsistence incidence among families is greater than 20%.

Table 3a. First Semester Per Capita Food Threshold, Subsistence Incidence among Families with Measures of Precision, by Region, Province and Highly Urbanized Cities: 2018 and 2021

	First Semest	er Per Capita			First	Semester S	<u>ubsistence</u>	Incidence	among Fan	nilies					First S	emester M	lagnitude o	f Subsister				
		reshold		. (0()	Coeffic	ient of			90	0% Confide	nce Interv	al		(1000)	Coeffic	ient of			9	00% Confide	nce Interv	al
Region/Province	(in F		Estima	ate (%)	Varia	ation	Standa	rd Error	201	18 ^u	20	21	Estimat	te ('000)	Varia	ation	Standa	rd Error	20	18 ^u	20	21
	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	Lower Limit	Upper Limit	Lower Limit	Upper Limit	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	Lower Limit	Upper Limit	Lower Limit	Upper Limit
PHILIPPINES*	8,849	10,071	6.2	7.1	1.8	1.8	0.1	0.1	6.0	6.4	6.9	7.3	1,549.1	1,868.7	1.8	1.9	27.6	35.7	1,503.6	1,594.6	1,810.0	1,927.5
National Capital Region (NCR)*	9,848	11,609	1.6	1.2	7.6	8.4	0.1	0.1	1.4	1.8	1.0	1.4	52.9	42.4	7.8	8.4	4.1	3.6	46.2	59.7	36.5	48.3
1st District																						
City Of Manila * a/b/ 2nd District	9,848	11,609	2.1	0.1	21.3	70.6	0.4	0.1	1.4	2.8	0.0	0.3	9.5	0.6	22.0	70.4	2.1	0.4	6.0	12.9	0.0	1.3
City Of Mandaluyong ^{a/b/}	9,848	11,609	0.3	0.0	50.2	100.2	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.5	0.0	0.1	0.3	0.1	49.7	100.0	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.6	0.0	0.2
City Of Marikina a/b/	9,848	11,609	0.8	0.3	30.8	45.6	0.2	0.2	0.4	1.1	0.1	0.6	0.8	0.4	31.1	45.4	0.2	0.2	0.4	1.1	0.1	0.6
City Of Pasig * ^{a/b/}	9,848	11,609	0.8	1.8	35.6	24.1	0.3	0.4	0.3	1.3	1.1	2.6	1.6	3.9		24.0	0.6	0.9	0.6	2.5	2.4	5.4
Quezon City a/b/	9,848	11,609	1.0	0.8	27.2	32.3	0.3	0.2	0.6	1.5	0.4	1.2	7.2	5.5	26.8	31.8	1.9	1.8	4.0	10.4	2.6	8.4
City Of San Juan ^{b/}	9,848	11,609	0.4	0.0	70.4	0.0	0.3	0.0	0.0	0.8	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	70.6	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.2	0.0	0.0
3rd District																						
City Of Caloocan ^{a/}	9,848	11,609	3.2	2.3	17.6	20.5	0.6	0.5	2.3	4.2	1.5	3.0	12.0	8.8	19.6	19.9	2.4	1.7	8.1	15.9	5.9	11.6
City Of Malabon * ^{a/}	9,848	11,609	3.0	1.5	16.9	22.8	0.5	0.3	2.2	3.9	0.9	2.0	2.6	1.3	17.3	23.1	0.5	0.3	1.9	3.4	0.8	1.8
City Of Navotas * ^{a/}	9,848	11,609	3.1	1.9	14.4	23.0	0.5	0.4	2.4	3.9	1.2	2.6	1.9	1.2	15.1	22.8	0.3	0.3	1.4	2.3	0.7	1.6
City Of Valenzuela* ^{a/}	9,848	11,609	2.2	0.8	18.1	26.1	0.4	0.2	1.5	2.9	0.5	1.2	3.5	1.4	18.7	27.9	0.7	0.4	2.4	4.6	0.8	2.1
4th District																						
City Of Las Piñas ^{a/b/}	9,848	11,609	1.0	1.3	25.6	27.6	0.3	0.4	0.6	1.5	0.7	1.9	1.5	2.0	25.7	27.9	0.4	0.6	0.9	2.1	1.1	3.0
City Of Makati ^{a/b/}	9,848	11,609	0.4	0.6	52.0	40.5	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.7	0.2	0.9	0.6	1.1	52.5	39.9	0.3	0.4	0.1	1.1	0.4	1.8
City Of Muntinlupa ^{a/}	9,848	11,609	2.1	1.7	18.5	27.9	0.4	0.5	1.5	2.7	0.9	2.5	2.8	2.6		29.3	0.6	0.8	1.9	3.8	1.4	3.9
City Of Parañaque a/b/	9,848	11,609	1.7	1.5	25.9	27.8	0.4	0.4	1.0	2.4	0.8	2.1	2.9	2.9		27.3	0.8	0.8	1.6	4.2	1.6	4.2
Pasay City ^{a/}	9,848	11,609	2.7	2.4	17.5	24.6	0.5	0.6	1.9	3.5	1.4	3.4	3.0	2.9		24.7	0.5	0.7	2.1	3.9	1.7	4.1
Pateros ^{a/b/}	9,848	11,609	1.7	2.1	38.1	35.3	0.7	0.7	0.6	2.8	0.9	3.3	0.2	0.3		37.4	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.4	0.1	0.5
City Of Taguig* b/	9.848	11,609		2.8	32.0	19.6	0.7	0.6	0.5	1.6	1.0	3.5	2.4	7.5		23.3	0.1	1.7	1 1	3.7	4.6	10.3
	3,5 15				02.0		0.5	0.0	0.5	1.0	1.9	3.7		7.5	02.0			1.,	1.1		4.0	10.5
Cordillera Administrative Region (CAR)*	8,622	9,796	6.0	4.8	5.8	6.5	0.3	0.3	5.4	6.6	4.3		26.9	21.4	5.9	6.3	1.6	1.3	24.2	29.5	19.2	23.7
Abra*	8,664	10,299	15.3	8.3	8.1	12.1	1.2	1.0	13.3	17.4	6.7	10.0	9.0	4.8		10.9	0.8	0.5	7.7	10.4	4.0	5.7
Apayao	8,047	8,936	11.2	4.2	21.5	28.8	2.4	1.2	7.2	15.1	2.2	6.2	3.3	1.2	23.8	30.4	0.8	0.4	2.0	4.6	0.6	1.8
Benguet (w/o the City of Baguio)	8,239	9,312	3.9	5.0	17.2	13.8	0.7	0.7	2.8	5.0	3.9	6.1	4.6	6.4	17.3	13.2	0.8	0.8	3.3	6.0	5.0	7.7
City Of Baguio ^{a/b/}	8,478	9,361	0.9	1.4	32.8	23.2	0.3	0.3	0.4	1.3	0.8	1.9	0.8	1.4	32.6	23.8	0.3	0.3	0.4	1.3	0.9	2.0
Ifugao	9,207	10,074	5.0	5.4	17.4	18.5	0.9	1.0	3.5	6.4	3.8	7.0	2.5	2.5		18.3	0.4	0.5	1.8	3.1	1.8	3.3
Kalinga	8,268	9,008	4.6	3.6	15.3	19.2	0.7	0.7	3.4	5.8	2.4	4.7	2.2	1.6		18.8	0.3	0.3	1.6	2.8	1.1	2.1
Mt. Province	9,336	10,925	10.1	9.1	11.0	15.6	1.1	1.4	8.3	12.0	6.8	11.5	4.4	3.5	11.4	15.3	0.5	0.5	3.5	5.2	2.6	4.4
Region I (Ilocos Region)*	9,012	10,802	1.8	5.3	17.7	10.5	0.3	0.6	1.3	2.4	4.4	6.2	22.9	67.0	17.5	10.9	4.0	7.3	16.3	29.5	55.1	79.0
Ilocos Norte ^{a/b/}	8,889	10,885	0.9	0.9	45.9	31.9	0.4	0.3	0.2	1.6	0.4	1.3	1.3	1.3		32.0	0.6	0.4	0.3	2.3	0.6	2.0
Ilocos Sur * b/	8,402	11,433	1.5	5.8	29.2	14.2	0.4	0.8	0.2	2.2	4.4	7 1	2.4	9.8		14.3	0.7	1.4	1.3	3.6	7.5	12.1
La Union * b/	7,746	9,654	0.6	2.8	36.7	16.2	0.2	0.4	0.2	1.0	2.0	3.5	1.1	5.6		16.1	0.4	0.9	0.5	1.8	4.1	7.1
Pangasinan * b/	9,198	10,812	2.4	6.7	21.9	13.4	0.5	0.9	1.6	3.3	5.2	8.2	18.1	50.3		14.1	3.9	7.1	11.7	24.5	38.6	61.9
Region II (Cagayan Valley)	8,511	9,930	5.0	6.0	8.4	10.0	0.4	0.6	4.3	5.7	5.1	7.0	43.8	54.3	8.8	10.5	3.9	5.7	37.5	50.1	44.9	63.7
Batanes * a/	13,491	12,446	6.3	2.8	16.9	36.0	1.1	1.0	4.6	8.1	1.2	4.5	0.4	0.2	26.6	35.7	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.5	0.1	0.2
Cagayan	8,531	9,562	5.3	3.9	13.3	15.9	0.7	0.6	4.2	6.5	2.9	4.9	15.4	11.6	14.1	15.9	2.2	1.8	11.8	19.0	8.6	14.7
Isabela *	8,536	10,300	4.7	8.2	15.1	14.0	0.7	1.2	3.5	5.9	6.3	10.1	18.9	34.2	15.8	15.2	3.0	5.2	14.0	23.8	25.7	42.7
Nueva Vizcaya ^{a/}	8,368	8,794	6.5	5.2	13.9	20.4	0.9	1.1	5.0	8.0	3.5	7.0	8.1	6.9	13.3	20.8	1.1	1.4	6.4	9.9	4.5	9.2
Quirino ^{b/}	7,818	9,712	2.1	3.1	24.1	16.5	0.5	0.5	1.3	3.0	2.2	3.9	1.0	1.4	24.3	17.5	0.3	0.3	0.6	1.5	1.0	1.9
Region III (Central Luzon)*	9,144	11,351	2.4	4.2	7.7	7.5	0.2	0.3	2.1	2.7	3.7	4.7	66.0	125.8		8.7	5.2	10.9	57.5	74.6	107.9	143.8
Aurora *	8,421	10,503	5.7	9.1	14.7	12.9	0.8	1.2	4.3	7.1	7.1	11.0	3.3	5.0		13.0	0.5	0.7	2.5	4.1	4.0	6.1
Bataan	10,155	10,320	4.2	3.9	15.0	14.2	0.6	0.6	3.1	5.2	3.0	4.8	7.7	8.0		15.3	1.1	1.2	5.9	9.5	5.9	10.0
Bulacan * ^{b/}	8,847	12,248	1.3	4.9	23.6	14.9	0.3	0.7	0.8	1.9	3.7	6.0	10.9	42.9	24.5	20.2	2.7	8.7	6.5	15.3	28.7	57.2
Nueva Ecija *	8,653	10,352	3.1	5.4	18.8	18.6	0.6	1.0	2.2	4.1	3.7	7.0	16.4	30.8		18.2	3.1	5.6	11.2	21.6	21.6	40.0
Pampanga (w/o the City of Angeles) a/b/	8,955	11,668	0.9	1.2	36.4	26.7	0.3	0.3	0.3	1.4	0.7	1.7	4.6	6.7	37.0	26.2	1.7	1.8	1.8	7.4	3.8	9.6
City Of Angeles* ^{a/b/}	8,930	11,941	0.4	1.3	40.3	25.0	0.2	0.3	0.1	0.7	0.8	1.9	0.4	1.7	40.6	24.6	0.2	0.4	0.1	0.7	1.0	2.4
Tarlac	8,347	10,254	2.7	3.6	17.3	14.6	0.5	0.5	2.0	3.5	2.7	4.4	9.0	12.6	17.8	15.0	1.6	1.9	6.4	11.7	9.5	15.7
Zambales (w/o City of Olongapo)	10,284	12,110		9.2	14.0	11.7	1.1	1.1	5.9	9.5	7.5			15.7	14.0	12.0	1.7	1.9	9.2	14.7	12.6	18.8
City Of Olongapo ^{b/}	10,513	12,488	3.0	3.9	20.5	15.4	0.6	0.6	2.0	3.9	2.9	4.8	1.7	2.4	21.3	16.1	0.4	0.4	1.1	2.4	1.7	3.0

Table 3a. First Semester Per Capita Food Threshold, Subsistence Incidence among Families with Measures of Precision, by Region, Province and Highly Urbanized Cities: 2018 and 2021

	First Semest	er Per Capita			First S	Semester S	ubsistence	Incidence	among Far	milies					First S	emester M	lagnitude o	of Subsister	ce Poor Fa	amilies		
	Food Th	•	F	(0/)	Coeffic	ient of	Ci a cala		9	0% Confide	nce Interva	al	F . 1	- (1000)	Coeffic	cient of	61 1 -		9	0% Confide	ence Interva	<u>l </u>
Region/Province	(in F	PhP)	Estima	ate (%)	Varia	tion	Standa	rd Error	20:	18 ^u	202	21	Estimate	e ('000)	Varia	ation	Standa	ra Error	20:	18 ^u	202	21
	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	Lower Limit	Upper Limit	Lower Limit	Upper Limit	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	Lower Limit	Upper Limit	Lower Limit	Upper Limit
Region IV-A (CALABARZON)*	9,689	10,750	2.3	2.2	9.9	8.9	0.2	0.2	1 0	2.7	2.7	3.7	84.3	131.0	10.2	9.2	8.6	12.1	70.2	98.4	111.1	150.8
,;	•	•	4.3	3.2 1.7		24.6		0.3	1.9	5.5	1.0	2.4			17.7		4.9			35.6	7.3	18.4
Batangas * ^{a/} Cavite ^{b/}	11,080 10,080	10,599 12,460	1.9	2.8	16.7 23.2	19.9	0.7 0.4	0.4 0.5	3.1 1.2	2.7	1.0	3.7	17.8	12.8 30.0	23.6	26.3 20.6	4.9	6.2	19.5 10.9	24.7	19.8	40.2
Laguna * ^{a/b/}	8,072	10,582	1.5	2.8	28.7	23.1	0.4	0.3	0.8	2.7	1.8	4.1		27.6	29.3	23.3	3.7	6.4	6.6	19.0	17.0	38.2
Quezon (w/o the City of Lucena)* b/		9,481		9.2	20.7	14.0	0.4			3.9	7.0		13.6	43.9	29.5	14.9	2.9		8.7	18.4	33.1	54.6
City Of Lucena	7,941	9,481	2.9 2.4	2.1	27.9			1.3	1.9		1.2	11.3 2.9				25.4	0.4					
Rizal ^{a/b/}	8,165					24.6	0.7	0.5	1.3	3.5			1.5	1.4	27.4		3.0	0.3 3.3	0.8	2.2 16.0	0.8 9.8	1.9
Rizai	9,741	10,670	1.6	2.0	26.8	20.7	0.4	0.4	0.9	2.3	1.3	2.7	11.1	15.3	27.2	21.7	3.0	3.3	6.1	16.0	9.8	20.7
MIMAROPA Region*	7,988	9,103	5.1	7.5	8.5	7.1	0.4	0.5	4.4	5.8	6.6	8.4	39.7	58.9	8.6	7.2	3.4	4.2	34.0	45.3	51.9	65.9
Marinduque *	8,373	9,542	4.2	6.2	16.6	13.5	0.7	0.8	3.1	5.4	4.8	7.6	2.6	3.6	16.5	14.1	0.4	0.5	1.9	3.4	2.8	4.4
Occidental Mindoro	7,412	9,332	8.3	11.0	16.7	12.6	1.4	1.4	6.0	10.6	8.7	13.3	10.8	14.0	17.2	13.3	1.9	1.9	7.8	13.9	10.9	17.0
Oriental Mindoro	8,475	9,370	4.7	6.4	17.3	17.9	0.8	1.1	3.3	6.0	4.5	8.2	10.0	13.6	17.6	18.4	1.8	2.5	7.1	12.9	9.5	17.7
Palawan (w/o the City of Puerto Princesa)* b/	7,867	8,358	4.1	7.7	22.0	14.9	0.9	1.1	2.6	5.6	5.8	9.6	9.2	18.1	22.0	14.6	2.0		5.9	12.6	13.8	22.5
City Of Puerto Princesa a/b/	8,042	8,703	0.8	1.4	42.1	25.8	0.3	0.4	0.2	1.3	0.8	2.0	0.6	1.1	43.5	26.7	0.2	0.3	0.2	1.0	0.6	1.5
Romblon*	8,283	9,705	8.0	11.3	13.0	11.2	1.0	1.3	6.3	9.7	9.2	13.4	6.4	8.6	13.3	11.6	0.9	1.0	5.0	7.8	6.9	10.2
Region V (Bicol Region)*	8,340	9,750	7.3	10.5	5.9	6.5	0.4	0.7	6.6	8.0	9.4	11.6	99.2	140.1	6.2	6.5	6.1	9.1	89.1	109.3	125.1	155.0
Albay	8,524	9,557	4.4	6.3	14.2	16.1	0.6	1.0	3.4	5.4	4.6	7.9		19.0	14.4	16.1	1.9		10.2	16.5	14.0	24.0
Camarines Norte	8,493	9,835	9.1	7.1	10.8	11.7	1.0	0.8	7.5	10.8	5.7	8.5	13.3	10.4	12.1	12.2	1.6		10.7	16.0	8.3	12.5
Camarines Sur*	8,098	10,049	7.4	17.1	13.1	10.9	1.0	1.9	5.8	9.0	14.0	20.1		75.0	13.7	10.7	4.6		25.8	40.9	61.9	88.2
Catanduanes	8,484	9,724	7.1	5.2	13.7	13.7	1.0	0.7	5.5	8.7	4.0	6.4	4.4	3.1	13.5	13.6	0.6		3.4	5.4	2.4	3.8
Masbate	7,880	8,838	9.8	7.9	12.7	13.3	1.2	1.0	7.7	11.8	6.2	9.6		16.2	13.2	12.8	2.7	2.1	16.1	25.0	12.8	19.6
Sorsogon	9,171	9,602	7.5	8.9	11.2	11.1	0.8	1.0	6.2	8.9	7.3	10.5	14.2	16.3	11.5	11.0	1.6		11.5	16.9	13.4	19.3
Degion VI (Mestown Viscoup)*	0 222	0.455	4.0	6.0	10.0	77	0.5	0.5	4.0	Г.6	6.0	77	01.2	122.2	10.2	7.0	0.2	10.5	75.0	106.4	116.0	150.6
Region VI (Western Visayas)* Aklan *	8,322 8,417	9,455 9,445	4.8	6.9 6.1	10.0 18.9	7.7	0.5	0.5	4.0	5.6 5.4	6.0 4.8	7.7 7.5		133.3	10.2 18.8	7.9 13.6	9.3 1.2	10.5	75.9	106.4	116.0	150.6 11.6
	· ·	-	4.1			13.6	0.8	0.8	2.8				6.1	9.5 14.7	12.6	12.7		1.3 1.9	4.2	8.0	7.3	17.8
Antique* Capiz ^{a/b/}	8,185 7,822	9,254 9,375	6.5	10.1 1.4	12.8	12.7 31.0	0.8	1.3	5.1	7.8 1.4	8.0	12.2 2.2			29.4		1.2 0.5		7.6	11.6	11.6	4.5
Guimaras * ^{a/b/}		9,373	0.9	6.3	28.6 20.9	22.8	0.3	0.4	0.5		0.7 4.0	8.7		3.0		31.8 23.6		0.9	0.9 1.0	2.7	1.4 1.8	
Iloilo (w/o the City of Iloilo)*	8,824	9,809	3.2 4.5	8.3	16.7		0.7	1.4 1.3	2.1	4.3 5.8	6.2	10.4	1.4	3.0	20.5 16.3	15.1	0.3 3.5		15.9	1.9 27.5	31.6	4.1
City Of Iloilo * b/	8,802	·			32.7	15.1 18.2			3.3					42.1	32.8			0.4				52.6 3.0
Negros Occidental (w/o the City of Bacolod)	8,986	10,367	0.8 7.5	2.3 9.0	16.8	13.3	0.3 1.3	0.4 1.2	0.4	1.3 9.6	1.6 7.0	3.0 10.9		2.3 57.4	17.2	18.8 13.9	0.3 8.4	8.0	0.4 34.9	1.2 62.5	1.6 44.2	70.5
City Of Bacolod a/b/	8,107 8,071	9,186 9,346	0.8	1.0	33.2	26.1	0.3	0.3	5.4 0.3	1.2	7.0 0.6	10.9		1.4	34.2	26.2	0.4		0.5	1.6		2.0
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Region VII (Central Visayas)*	8,847	10,578	7.2	12.8	7.1	6.2	0.5	0.8	6.4	8.0	11.5	14.1		251.6	7.1	6.8	9.5	17.2	117.8	149.1	223.4	279.9
Bohol*	8,807	9,319	8.4	12.1	12.7	10.2	1.1	1.2	6.6	10.1	10.1	14.2		39.0	12.9	11.0	3.6		22.0	33.9	32.0	46.1
Cebu (w/o Cities of Cebu, Lapu-Lapu and Mandaue)*	8,944	11,242	6.5	17.9	14.5	9.4	0.9	1.7	4.9	8.0	15.1	20.6		143.9	14.3	10.8	6.5		34.9	56.3	118.4	169.5
City Of Cebu *	9,087	11,810	3.5	6.0	19.9	15.0	0.7	0.9	2.4	4.7	4.5	7.5		14.3	21.0	16.3	1.7	2.3	5.3	10.9	10.4	18.1
City Of Lapu-Lapu (Opon) * b/	9,111	11,810	2.5	4.2	21.0	15.5	0.5	0.6	1.6	3.4	3.1	5.2		5.2	20.9	16.2	0.6		1.8	3.8	3.8	6.6
City Of Mandaue	8,977	11,810	3.3	3.8	19.2	14.2	0.6	0.5	2.2	4.3	2.9	4.7		4.5	20.1	15.0	0.7		2.3	4.6	3.4	5.6
Negros Oriental	8,672	8,927	13.0	13.2	12.3	12.0	1.6	1.6	10.4	15.6	10.6	15.8		44.6	12.5	12.1	5.6		35.6	53.9	35.7	53.5
Siquijor * ^{a/ b/}	8,898	8,855	3.1	0.7	24.4	48.6	0.8	0.3	1.9	4.4	0.1	1.3	0.8	0.2	25.1	49.2	0.2	0.1	0.5	1.1	0.0	0.3
Region VIII (Eastern Visayas)	8,527	9,484	13.1	13.2	5.5	6.1	0.7	0.8	11.9	14.3	11.9	14.5	143.7	149.8	5.9	6.1	8.4	9.2	129.9	157.6	134.7	164.9
Biliran *	8,396	10,022	5.7	8.7	12.6	11.8	0.7	1.0	4.5	6.9	7.0	10.4	2.6	3.8	12.3	11.8	0.3	0.4	2.1	3.1	3.1	4.5
Eastern Samar	9,996	10,141	20.5	18.7	8.1	9.6	1.7	1.8	17.8	23.2	15.8	21.7	24.9	24.0	9.1	10.3	2.3	2.5	21.2	28.6	19.9	28.0
Leyte (w/o the City of Tacloban)	8,175	9,402	14.1	16.0	10.7	10.8	1.5	1.7	11.6	16.6	13.2	18.9	62.4	76.9	11.6	10.7	7.2	8.3	50.5	74.3	63.3	90.5
City Of Tacloban	8,275	9,869	5.0	5.3	13.9	14.5	0.7	0.8	3.8	6.1	4.0	6.5	2.7	3.0	14.2	14.9	0.4	0.4	2.1	3.3	2.2	3.7
Northern Samar*	8,840	9,192	12.2	7.1	11.1	11.2	1.4	0.8	9.9	14.4	5.8	8.4	17.6	10.0	11.3	11.5	2.0	1.1	14.3	20.9	8.1	11.9
Southern Leyte*	8,866	10,134	7.9	10.4	11.5	10.7	0.9	1.1	6.4	9.4	8.5	12.2	7.9	10.1	11.9	11.2	0.9	1.1	6.4	9.5	8.2	11.9
Western Samar	7,843	8,782	13.6	11.7	11.4	11.7	1.6	1.4	11.0	16.1	9.5	14.0	25.7	22.1	11.2	12.1	2.9	2.7	20.9	30.4	17.7	26.5

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	First Semeste	er Per Canita			First S	Semester S	ubsistence	Incidence	among Far	milies					First S	emester M	agnitude o	of Subsisten	ce Poor Fa	milies		
	Food Th	•			Coeffic					0% Confide	nce Interv	al			Coeffic	ient of			90	0% Confide	nce Interva	al
Region/Province	(in F		Estima	ite (%)	Varia		Standar	d Error	20:	18 ^u	20	21	Estimat	e ('000)	Varia		Standa	rd Error	201	18 ^u	202	21
	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	Lower Limit	Upper Limit	Lower Limit	Upper Limit	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	Lower Limit	Upper Limit	Lower Limit	Upper Limit
Region IX (Zamboanga Peninsula)	8,725	10,468	14.8	15.1	F 6	E 2	0.0	0.0	13.4	16.2	13.8	16.4	132.3	132.0	F 7	E 4	7.6	7.1	119.9	144.8	120.3	143.6
Zamboanga del Norte*	9,525			32.1	5.6 9.9	5.3 7.2	0.8 2.1	0.8	17.8	24.6	28.3	35.9	53.3	78.6	5.7 9.4	5.4	7.6			61.6	69.3	88.0
Zamboanga del Sur (w/o the City of Zambaoanga)	8,145	11,944 8,415	21.2 15.1	13.1	11.5	11.8	1.7	2.3 1.5	12.3	18.0	10.5	15.6	37.9	29.7	12.1	7.2 12.1	5.0 4.6	5.7 3.6	45.0 30.4	45.5	23.8	35.6
City Of Zamboanga * a/	8,530	8,746	3.5	1.1	16.4	27.9	0.6	0.3	2.5	4.4	0.6	1.6	7.2	2.4	17.8	28.4	1.3	0.7	5.1	9.3	1.3	3.5
Zamboanga Sibugay*	7,982	8,622	16.8	11.8	10.4	9.9	1.7	1.2	14.0	19.6	9.9	13.8	27.1	19.4	10.6	11.1	2.9	2.2	22.3	31.8	15.9	22.9
Isabela City * a/	8,867	8,446	29.3	7.0	10.0	21.6	2.9	1.5	24.4	34.1	4.5	9.5	6.8	1.8	14.5	23.0	1.0	0.4	5.2	8.5	1.1	2.5
Region X (Northern Mindanao)*	8,559	9,964	9.4	10.9	5.0	6.6	0.5	0.7	8.6	10.2	9.7	12.1	105.9	129.5	5.0	7.2	5.3	9.4	97.1	114.7	114.1	144.9
Bukidnon	8,861	10,031	12.0	15.5	9.9	12.3	1.2	1.9	10.0	13.9	12.3	18.6	39.3	54.3	10.0	14.1	3.9	7.6	32.8	45.8	41.7	66.8
Camiguin	8,909	9,935	8.7	7.0	15.2	14.0	1.3	1.0	6.5	10.8	5.4	8.6	2.0	1.6	15.0	15.2	0.3	0.2	1.5	2.4	1.2	1.9
Lanao del Norte (w/o the City of Iligan)*	8,384	9,790	8.2 7.8	18.8 5.6	11.5	13.2	0.9 1.5	2.5	6.7	9.8	14.8	22.9 7.0	12.7	30.3	11.3	13.8	1.4	4.2	10.3	15.1	23.4	37.2
City Of Iligan Misamis Occidental*	8,575 8,393	10,241 10,436	12.9	6.5	19.0 10.5	14.9 14.4	1.5	0.8 0.9	5.3 10.7	10.2 15.2	4.2 4.9	8.0	6.4 19.0	4.8 9.4	19.5 10.9	15.3 15.7	1.2 2.1	0.7 1.5	4.4 15.6	8.5 22.4	3.6 7.0	6.1 11.8
Misamis Occidental (w/o the City of Cagayan de Oro)	8,270	9,765	9.5	9.8	9.9	10.5	0.9	1.0	7.9	11.0	4.9 8.1	11.5	19.0	22.7	10.9	12.1	2.1	2.7	16.6	23.2	18.2	27.2
City of Cagayan De Oro	8,402	10,034	3.7	3.3	15.0	16.4	0.5	0.5	2.8	4.6	2.4	4.2	6.7	6.4	15.5	16.5	1.0	1 1	5.0	23.2 8.4	4.7	8.2
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Region XI (Davao Region)*	8,880	9,289	6.4	4.7	7.5	7.2	0.5	0.3	5.6	7.2	4.1	5.2	84.2	65.0	8.0	7.3	6.7	4.8	73.1	95.3	57.2	72.8
Davao del Norte ^{a/}	8,917	9,440	4.3	4.2	18.2	21.7	0.8	0.9	3.0	5.6	2.7	5.6	11.1	10.6	19.0	22.8	2.1	2.4	7.6	14.6	6.6	14.6
Davao del Sur (w/o the City of Davao)*	8,934	9,247	5.8	3.9	13.2	17.4	0.8	0.7	4.5	7.1	2.8	5.0	10.0	7.5	13.2	17.9	1.3	1.4	7.9	12.2	5.3	9.8
City Of Davao a/ b/	9,089	9,434	3.0	1.7	36.1	24.1	1.1	0.4	1.2	4.9	1.0	2.3	14.1	8.7	37.9	24.0	5.3	2.1	5.3	22.8	5.3	12.1
Davao Oriental	8,823	9,589	11.5	8.7	11.1	14.5	1.3	1.3	9.4	13.6	6.6	10.7	16.5	12.9	11.1	14.6	1.8	1.9	13.5	19.5	9.8	16.0
Compostela Valley*	8,756	9,076	10.0	7.2	11.2	17.1	1.1	1.2	8.2	11.9	5.2	9.2	19.1	13.6	11.8	15.3	2.3	2.1	15.4	22.8	10.2	17.0
Davao Occidental	8,831	8,962	16.2	14.0	11.4	14.5	1.8	2.0	13.1	19.2	10.6	17.3	13.4	11.7	11.6	14.4	1.6	1.7	10.9	16.0	9.0	14.5
Region XII (SOCCSKSARGEN)	8,392	9,254	13.7	12.5	5.8	5.7	0.8	0.7	12.3	15.0	11.4	13.7	157.2	151.0	6.1	5.8	9.5	8.7	141.5	172.9	136.7	165.4
North Cotabato	8,229	9,721	13.6	10.7	12.1	13.2	1.7	1.4	10.9	16.4	8.4	13.1	47.8	40.9	12.4	13.5	5.9	5.5	38.1	57.5	31.8	50.1
Sarangani	7,796	8,553	22.4	23.9	11.9	9.2	2.7	2.2	18.0	26.8	20.3	27.6	31.1	34.0	12.8	10.0	4.0	3.4	24.5	37.6	28.4	39.6
South Cotabato (w/o the City of Gen. Santos) b/	8,705	8,555	9.2	11.3	20.2	16.1	1.9	1.8	6.2	12.3	8.3	14.3	22.2	29.1	21.0	15.7	4.7	4.6	14.5	29.8	21.6	36.6
City Of General Santos (Dadiangas) *	8,837	8,810	4.9	7.4	16.3	12.4	0.8	0.9	3.6	6.2	5.9	8.9	7.6	12.2	16.3	12.7	1.2	1.5	5.6	9.7	9.7	14.8
Sultan Kudarat*	8,071	8,800	17.8	11.5	9.5	12.9	1.7	1.5	15.0	20.6	9.0	13.9	35.9	22.6	10.7	12.9	3.8	2.9	29.6	42.3	17.8	27.4
Cotabato City	10,262	11,696	20.0	19.8	10.7	9.9	2.1	2.0	16.5	23.5	16.6	23.1	12.6	12.1	12.5	11.8	1.6	1.4	10.0	15.2	9.8	14.5
Region XIII (Caraga)*	8,643	9,520	11.0	14.7	5.3	4.9	0.6	0.7	10.0	12.0	13.5	15.8	73.0	97.3	5.5	5.1	4.0	5.0	66.4	79.6	89.1	105.6
Agusan del Norte (w/o the City of Butuan)*	7,838	9,457	9.5	12.9	12.5	10.3	1.2	1.3	7.5	11.4	10.7	15.0	8.9	11.7	13.4	10.4	1.2	1.2	6.9	10.8	9.7	13.7
City Of Butuan*	8,013	9,930	6.5	12.3	13.5	11.7	0.9	1.4	5.1	7.9	9.9	14.6	5.4	11.0	15.7	12.6	0.9	1.4	4.0	6.8	8.7	13.3
Agusan del Sur*	8,471	9,738	13.3	21.0	11.2	8.7	1.5	1.8	10.9	15.8	18.0	24.0	24.6	37.1	11.4	9.2	2.8	3.4	20.0	29.2	31.4	42.7
Surigao Del Norte	9,636	9,144	13.5	12.9	10.9	12.7	1.5	1.6	11.1	15.9	10.2	15.6	16.2	16.6	11.0	13.0	1.8	2.2	13.3	19.1	13.1	20.2
Surigao Del Sur*	8,328	9,063	8.3	11.5	12.5	12.0	1.0	1.4	6.6	10.0	9.3	13.8	12.4	17.0	12.8	13.0	1.6	2.2	9.8	15.0	13.4	20.7
Dinagat Islands	9,198	10,028	16.2	12.9	12.1	15.0	2.0	1.9	13.0	19.4	9.7	16.1	5.6	4.0	13.2	16.0	0.7	0.6	4.4	6.8	2.9	5.0
Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao/	9,577	9,956	29.4	17.0	3.7	6.0	1.1	1.0	27.6	31.2	15.3	18.7	192.4	118.2	4.6	6.5	8.8	7.7	177.8	206.9	105.5	130.8
Bangsamoro Autonomous Region in Muslim				_,		3.0					_3.0					3.0	2.3	"				
Mindanao (ARMM/BARMM)*																						ı
Basilan*	8,877	9,585	39.0	21.5	5.6	10.2	2.2	2.2	35.4	42.6	17.9	25.1	24.4	14.4	8.8	10.2	2.1	1.5	20.9	27.9	12.0	16.8
Lanao del Sur* ^{a/}	10,324	10,227	41.7	0.9	5.7	30.5	2.4	0.3	37.7	45.6	0.5	1.4	74.2	1.7	7.9	31.0	5.9	0.5	64.6	83.9	0.8	2.5
Maguindanao*	8,919	8,952	23.9	13.7	9.3	12.1	2.2	1.7	20.2	27.6	11.0	16.5	45.5	30.7	10.4	12.5	4.7	3.8	37.7	53.3	24.4	36.9
Sulu*	9,733	10,732	29.8	38.8	6.0	9.1	1.8	3.5	26.9	32.8	33.0	44.6	43.7	60.0	9.2	10.4	4.0	6.3	37.1	50.3	49.7	70.3
Tawi-tawi*	6,911	9,314	5.8	15.9	15.8	11.3	0.9	1.8	4.3	7.4	12.9	18.9	4.5	11.4	16.2	14.8	0.7	1.7	3.3	5.7	8.6	14.2
Notes:																						

b/ Coefficient of variation of 2018^u provincial subsistence incidence among families is greater than 20%.

u=updated; Back estimation of the 2018 first semester poverty statistics was made due to the adoption of the 2015 Census of Population (POPCEN 2015) results for the weights used in the Family Income and Expenditure Survey (FIES) and the urban-rural classification of barangays.

^{*=} significant change; The increase or decrease of the subsistence incidence among families between 2018^u and 2021 is significant at 10% level of significance (α = 0.10).

a/ Coefficient of variation of 2021 provincial subsistence incidence among families is greater than 20%.

Table 4. First Semester Per Capita Food Threshold, Subsistence Incidence and Magnitude of Subsistence Poor Population with Measures of Precision, by Region and Province: 2018 and 2021

First Semester Per Capita Food					First Sem	ester Sub	sistence	Incidence	among Po	pulation					First Sen	nester Mag	nitude of	Subsisten	ce Poor Pop	ulation		
Region/Province	Per Capit Thres (in P	hold	Estima	tes (%)	Coeffic Varia		Standa	rd Error	90%	% Confide	nce Interv	val	Estima	ite ('000)	Coeffic Varia	cient of ation	Standa	rd Error	,	90% Confid	ence Interva	I
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	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	Lower Limit	Upper Limit	Lower Limit	Upper Limit	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	Lower Limit	Upper Limit	Lower Limit	Upper Limit
PHILIPPINES*	8,849	10,071	8.5	9.9	1.7	1.8	0.1	0.2	8.3	8.8	9.6	10.2	9,030.7	10,944.9	1.8	1.9	164.0	206.9	8,760.9	9,300.5	10,604.6	11,285.3
National Capital Region (NCR)	9,848	11,609	2.0	1.9	8.1	8.7	0.2	0.2	1.7	2.3	1.6	2.1	271.4	262.6	8.4	8.9	22.7	23.3	234.0	308.8	224.2	300.9
1st District* a/b/	9,848	11,609	2.3	0.2	22.0	77.9	0.5	0.2	1.5	3.2	0.0	0.5	43.2	4.5	22.9	78.0		3.5	26.9	59.5	0.0	10.2
2nd District ^{a/b/}	9,848	11,609	1.1	1.3	25.0	21.8	0.3	0.3	0.6	1.5	0.8	1.8	52.0	66.2	24.8	22.0		14.6		73.3	42.2	90.2
3rd District*	9,848	11,609	3.6	2.6	11.8	14.3	0.4	0.4	2.9	4.3	2.0	3.2	103.4	77.1	13.2	14.4		11.1	81.0	125.7	58.9	95.4
4th District*	9,848	11,609	1.9	2.8	10.9	11.2	0.2	0.3	1.5	2.2	2.3	3.3	72.8	114.7	11.3	12.2		14.0	59.3	86.3	91.7	137.8
Cordillera Administrative Region (CAR)*	8,622	9,796	7.9	6.7	5.9	6.3	0.5	0.4	7.1	8.7	6.0	7.4	140.4	122.4	6.1	6.3	8.6	7.7	126.2	154.5	109.7	135.1
Abra*	8,664	10,299	18.5	11.7	8.5	11.7	1.6	1.4	15.9	21.1	9.5	14.0	45.3	29.2	9.5	11.1	4.3	3.2	38.2	52.4	23.9	34.5
Apayao* ^{a/}	8,047	8,936	13.1	6.2	19.4	27.9	2.5	1.7	8.9	17.3	3.3	9.0	16.0	7.7	22.0	30.2	3.5	2.3	10.2	21.8	3.9	11.5
Benguet	8,279	9,361	3.5	4.6	16.1	12.0	0.6	0.6	2.6	4.4	3.7	5.6	28.9	39.9	16.5	12.0	4.8	4.8	21.1	36.7	32.0	47.7
Ifugao	9,207	10,074	7.2	6.9	18.7	17.9	1.4	1.2	5.0	9.4	4.9	9.0	15.0	14.7	19.0	17.5	2.8	2.6	10.3	19.7	10.5	19.0
Kalinga ^{a/}	8,268	9,008	6.1	4.9	15.7	20.3	1.0	1.0	4.5	7.6	3.3	6.6	13.2	10.9	16.1	20.2	2.1	2.2	9.7	16.7	7.3	14.6
Mt. Province	9,336	10,925	14.1	12.7	11.0	14.5	1.6	1.8	11.5	16.6	9.7	15.7	22.0	20.0	12.5	15.1	2.7	3.0	17.5	26.5	15.0	25.0
Region I (Ilocos Region)*	9,012	10,802	2.8	7.1	17.4	10.5	0.5	0.7	2.0	3.6	5.9	8.3	144.2	375.9	17.3	11.0	25.0	41.3	103.1	185.3	308.0	443.8
Ilocos Norte ^{a/b/}	8,889	10,885	1.2	1.2	39.6	32.9	0.5	0.4	0.4	1.9	0.6	1.9	7.1	7.5	39.4	33.2	2.8	2.5	2.5	11.7	3.4	11.6
Ilocos Sur* b/	8,402	11,433	2.0	7.4	26.9	14.7	0.5	1.1	1.1	2.8	5.6	9.2	13.8	53.4	27.1	14.6	3.8	7.8	7.7	20.0	40.6	66.2
La Union* b/	7,746	9,654	1.0	3.9	37.6	16.3	0.4	0.6	0.4	1.7	2.8	4.9	8.4	32.3	38.0	16.4	3.2	5.3	3.2	13.7	23.6	41.0
Pangasinan* b/	9,198	10,812	3.8	9.0	21.4	13.5	0.8	1.2	2.4	5.1	7.0	11.0	114.8	282.7	21.2	14.2	24.3	40.1	74.8	154.8	216.7	348.6
Region II (Cagayan Valley)	8,511	9,930	6.7	8.1	8.1	9.8	0.5	0.8	5.8	7.6	6.8	9.4	240.7	297.8	8.6	10.6	20.6	31.5	206.8	274.6	246.0	349.7
Batanes* ^{a/}	13,491	12,446	7.3	3.8	15.1	40.5	1.1	1.6	5.5	9.2	1.3	6.4	1.3	0.7	24.3	40.5	0.3	0.3	0.8	1.8	0.2	1.2
Cagayan	8,531	9,562	6.6	5.6	12.8	16.2	0.8	0.9	5.2	8.0	4.1	7.0	82.0	71.6	13.8	16.1	11.3	11.6	63.3	100.6	52.6	90.6
Isabela*	8,536	10,300	6.5	10.6	14.2	13.9	0.9	1.5	5.0	8.0	8.2	13.1	107.0	181.2	15.0	15.6	16.1	28.3	80.6	133.4	134.7	227.7
Nueva Vizcaya ^{a/}	8,368	8,794	9.4	7.3	13.6	20.1	1.3	1.5	7.3	11.4	4.9	9.7	44.1	35.8	13.7	21.2	6.0	7.6	34.2	54.0	23.3	48.2
Quirino b/	7,818	9,712	3.3	4.3	23.8	17.0	0.8	0.7	2.0	4.5	3.1	5.5	6.3	8.6	24.2	18.1	1.5	1.6	3.8	8.9	6.0	11.1
Region III (Central Luzon)*	9,144	11,351	3.3	6.0	8.2	7.4	0.3	0.4	2.8	3.7	5.2	6.7	386.9	745.3	8.6	8.6		64.2	332.1	441.7	639.6	851.0
Aurora*	8,421	10,503	7.9	12.4	15.0	12.8	1.2	1.6	6.0	9.9	9.8	15.0	17.6	28.5	15.5	13.4		3.8	13.1	22.1	22.2	34.7
Bataan h/	10,155	10,320	5.0	5.3	15.7	15.2	0.8	0.8	3.7	6.3	3.9	6.6	40.5	44.7	15.5	16.1	6.3	7.2		50.8	32.8	56.5
Bulacan * b/	8,847	12,248	2.3	6.7	25.0	15.1	0.6	1.0	1.4	3.3	5.1	8.4	81.3	249.7	26.6	20.5		51.2	45.7	116.9	165.5	333.8
Nueva Ecija*	8,653	10,352	4.1	7.3	17.8	17.6	0.7	1.3	2.9	5.3	5.2	9.4	92.7	174.3	18.1	17.5		30.6		120.3	124.1	224.6
Pampanga * ^{a/b/}	8,970	11,723	1.1	2.1	36.5	22.6	0.4	0.5	0.4	1./	1.3	2.9	29.6	62.4	37.2	22.5		14.1	11.4	47.7	39.2	85.5
Tarlac* Zambales*	8,347 10,313	10,254 12,166	3.6 8.6	5.5 11.6	18.4 12.9	16.0 10.3	0.7 1.1	0.9	2.5 6.8	4.6 10.4	4.0 9.6	6.9 13.6	50.8 74.5	80.7 105.1	18.6 13.5	16.6 11.0		13.4 11.5	35.3 57.9	66.4 91.1	58.7 86.1	102.7 124.1
Region IV-A (CALABARZON)*	9,689	10,750	3.1	4.9	9.7	9.0	0.2	0.4	2.6	3.6	4.1	5.6	472.1	795.8	10.1	9.5	47.7	75.5	393.7	550.5	671.7	919.9
- · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·			5.4	2.4	15.9	25.4	0.3		4.0			3.4	156.0	74.6	17.3	27.7		20.7	111.7	200.3	40.6	108.6
Batangas* ^{a/} Cavite* ^{a/b/}	11,080 10,080	10,599 12,460	2.6	4.5	23.6	23.4	0.9	0.6 1.0	1.6	6.8 3.6	1.4 2.9	6.1	102.8	195.1	24.3	22.8		44.4	61.7	143.9	122.1	268.1
Laguna * ^{a/b/}	8,072	10,582	2.0	4.5	27.3	22.9	0.6	1.0	1.0	2.8	2.9	6.1	63.1	150.6	28.0	23.4		35.3	34.0	92.2	92.5	208.1
Quezon*	7,963	9,496	4.1	11.3	19.5	13.2	0.3	1.5	2.8	5.5	8.9	13.8	91.6	258.9	19.8	14.3		36.9	61.7	121.5	198.2	319.7
Rizal* a/b/	9,741	10,670	1.9	3.6	27.8	20.9	0.5	0.7	1.0	2.8	2.3	4.8	58.5	116.6	28.5	22.4		26.2	31.1	86.0	73.5	159.6
MIMAROPA Region*	7,988	9,103	7.1	10.6	8.6	6.8	0.6	0.7	6.1	8.1	9.4	11.8	220.3	341.0	8.9	7.1	19.6	24.1	188.1	252.5	301.3	380.7
Marinduque *	8,373	9,542	6.4	9.2	16.6	12.9	1.1	1.2	4.7	8.2	7.3	11.2	15.4	22.4	17.0	13.6		3.0	11.1	19.7	17.4	27.4
Occidental Mindoro	7,412	9,332	11.4	14.9	16.4	11.7	1.9	1.7	8.3	14.5	12.1	17.8	57.8	77.6	17.3	12.9		10.0	41.3	74.2	61.2	94.1
Oriental Mindoro	8,475	9,370	6.3	9.1	17 A	16.0	1.1	1.5	4.4	8.1	6.7	11.5	55.0	83.1	18.3	16.9		14.0	38.4	74.2	60.1	106.2
Palawan* b/	7,877	8,379	4.9	8.8	21.3	14.1	1.0	1.2	3.2	6.6	6.8	10.9	57.0	109.2	21.7	14.3		15.6		71.3	83.5	134.9
Romblon*	8,283	-		16.1							13.2											

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	First Sei	ŀ			First Sem	ester Sub	sistence I	ncidence	among Po	opulation					First Sen	nester Mag	nitude of	Subsisten	ce Poor Popi	ulation		
Region/Province	Per Capi Thres (in P	hold	Estima	tes (%)	Coeffic Varia		Standaı	rd Error	90	% Confide	nce Inter	val	Estima	te ('000)	Coeffic Varia	cient of ation	Standa	rd Error	!	90% Confide	ence Interval	i
									20	18 ^u	20	21							20:	18 ^u	20	21
	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	Lower Limit	Upper Limit	Lower Limit	Upper Limit	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	Lower Limit	Upper Limit	Lower Limit	Upper Limit
Region V (Bicol Region)*	8,340	9,750	10.0	14.4	6.0	6.2	0.6	0.9	9.0	11.0	12.9	15.9	600.0	892.7	6.3	6.5	37.8	58.0	537.8	662.3	797.3	988.2
Albay*	8,524	9,557	6.2	9.3	14.4	16.9	0.9	1.6	4.8	7.7	6.7	11.8	85.3	130.6	15.1	17.5		22.8	64.1	106.6	93.0	168.2
Camarines Norte	8,493	9,835	12.7	10.1	10.7	10.8	1.4	1.1	10.5	15.0	8.3	11.9	77.4	63.4	12.3	11.4		7.2	61.8	93.0	51.5	75.3
Camarines Sur*	8,098	10,049	10.1	22.1	13.2	10.3	1.3	2.3	7.9	12.3	18.4	25.8	204.3	458.8	13.8	10.7	28.2	49.3	157.9	250.7	377.7	539.9
Catanduanes	8,484	9,724	9.5	7.5	13.1	14.2	1.2	1.1	7.5	11.5	5.7	9.2	25.5	20.6	13.3	14.3		2.9	19.9	31.1	15.7	25.4
Masbate	7,880	8,838	13.0	11.7	12.9	13.1	1.7	1.5	10.2	15.7	9.2	14.2	119.4	110.7	13.9	13.0		14.4	92.1	146.7	87.0	134.3
Sorsogon	9,171	9,602	10.7	12.7	10.6	10.5	1.1	1.3	8.8	12.5	10.5	14.9	88.1	108.8	11.0	11.1	9.7	12.0	72.1	104.1	89.0	128.6
Region VI (Western Visayas)*	8,322	9,455	6.9	9.8	9.8	7.6	0.7	0.7	5.8	8.0	8.6	11.0	534.3	780.1	10.2	8.1	54.4	62.9	444.8	623.8	676.6	883.7
Aklan*	8,417	9,445	6.0	9.2	19.0	14.1	1.1	1.3	4.1	7.9	7.1	11.4	35.7	56.4	19.0	14.7	6.8	8.3	24.5	46.9	42.7	70.0
Antique*	8,185	9,254	9.5	13.2	13.2	12.7	1.3	1.7	7.5	11.6	10.5	16.0	57.2	81.6	13.5	12.7	7.7	10.4	44.5	69.9	64.5	98.7
Capiz a/b/	7,822	9,375	1.5	2.5	28.4	30.9	0.4	0.8	0.8	2.2	1.2	3.7	11.6	20.0	28.9	31.9		6.4	6.1	17.2	9.5	30.6
Guimaras* ^{a/b/}	8,824	9,964	4.2	8.8	24.0	21.6	1.0	1.9	2.5	5.8	5.7	11.9	7.6	16.4	24.2	23.1	1.8	3.8	4.6	10.6	10.2	22.7
Iloilo*	8,816	9,841	5.6	10.6	16.7	14.4	0.9	1.5	4.1	7.2	8.1	13.1	139.2	269.4	16.8	15.2		40.9	100.8	177.5	202.2	336.7
Negros Occidental	8,110	9,190	9.0	10.5	16.0	12.4	1.4	1.3	6.7	11.4	8.4	12.7	283.0	336.3	16.9	13.5		45.4	204.2	361.8	261.7	411.0
Region VII (Central Visayas)*	8,847	10,578	9.2	16.4	7.5	5.9	0.7	1.0	8.1	10.4	14.8	18.0	715.1	1,319.3	7.7	6.6	55.4	87.2	624.0	806.1	1,175.9	1,462.8
Bohol*	8,807	9,319	10.2	15.8	13.1	9.6	1.3	1.5	8.0	12.4	13.3	18.3	137.6	217.7	13.6	10.6		23.1	106.8	168.5	179.7	255.7
Cebu*	8,984	11,332	6.9	16.8	11.7	8.0	0.8	1.4	5.6	8.3	14.6	19.1	341.3	869.9	11.9	9.1	40.6	79.3	274.5	408.0	739.4	1,000.4
Negros Oriental	8,672	8,927	16.7	16.3	12.8	11.6	2.1	1.9	13.2	20.2	13.2	19.4	231.6	230.7	14.1	12.1	32.6	27.9	177.9	285.2	184.8	276.6
Siquijor* ^{a/b/}	8,898	8,855	4.6	1.0	29.0	49.2	1.3	0.5	2.4	6.8	0.2	1.8	4.6	1.0	30.3	50.2		0.5	2.3	6.9	0.2	1.8
Region VIII (Eastern Visayas)	8,527	9,484	16.9	17.3	5.2	6.0	0.9	1.0	15.5	18.4	15.6	19.0	781.9	830.8	5.7	6.3	44.3	52.0	708.9	854.8	745.2	916.5
Biliran*	8,396	10,022	7.8	13.1	12.5	11.5	1.0	1.5	6.2	9.4	10.6	15.6	13.7	23.7	12.6	12.0	1.7	2.8	10.9	16.6	19.0	28.4
Eastern Samar	9,996	10,141	26.5	24.6	8.0	9.4	2.1	2.3	23.0	30.0	20.8	28.3	129.3	125.6	9.4	10.3	12.1	13.0	109.3	149.2	104.3	146.9
Leyte	8,180	9,424	16.7	19.5	9.7	10.7	1.6	2.1	14.0	19.4	16.0	22.9	343.9	419.8	10.6	11.0	36.6	46.3	283.8	404.1	343.6	496.0
Northern Samar*	8,840	9,192	16.1	10.6	10.8	12.1	1.7	1.3	13.3	19.0	8.5	12.7	105.7	71.3	11.6	12.7	12.3	9.1	85.6	125.9	56.3	86.2
Southern Leyte*	8,866	10,134	10.3	13.9	11.8	10.9	1.2	1.5	8.3	12.3	11.4	16.4	44.9	62.4	12.4	11.8	5.6	7.4	35.7	54.0	50.3	74.6
Western Samar	7,843	8,782	17.9	15.4	11.9	11.4	2.1	1.8	14.4	21.4	12.6	18.3	144.3	128.1	12.0	12.3	17.3	15.8	115.9	172.8	102.1	154.0
Region IX (Zamboanga Peninsula)	8,725	10,468	19.6	19.5	5.3	5.0	1.0	1.0	17.8	21.3	17.9	21.0	728.3	741.0	5.7	5.3	41.6	39.2	659.9	796.7	676.5	805.5
Zamboanga del Norte*	9,525	11,944	27.7	40.1	9.1	6.5	2.5	2.6	23.6	31.9	35.8	44.4	286.8	422.6	9.1	6.9	26.1	29.3	243.9	329.7	374.4	470.9
Zamboanga del Sur*	8,218	8,444	12.9	10.0	9.9	11.0	1.3	1.1	10.8	15.0	8.2	11.8	246.8	193.2	10.7	11.4	26.4	22.0	203.4	290.2	157.0	229.4
Zamboanga Sibugay*	7,982	8,622	22.6	16.6	10.1	9.8	2.3	1.6	18.8	26.3	13.9	19.3	149.4	114.2	11.5	11.9	17.2	13.6	121.1	177.8	91.8	136.7
Isabela City * ^{a/}	8,867	8,446	37.1	8.3	9.8	20.6	3.6	1.7	31.1	43.1	5.5	11.2	45.2	10.9	16.3	22.3	7.4	2.4	33.1	57.4	6.9	14.9
Region X (Northern Mindanao)*	8,559	9,964	12.7	15.0	4.9	6.1	0.6	0.9	11.7	13.7	13.5	16.5	620.7	762.1	5.2	6.9	32.4	52.3	567.4	674.0	676.1	848.1
Bukidnon*	8,861	10,031	15.3	19.9	9.6	11.4	1.5	2.3	12.9	17.8	16.2	23.6	226.2	303.7	10.4	13.2	23.4	40.0	187.7	264.7	237.8	369.5
Camiguin	8,909	9,935	11.4	10.1	15.0	14.0	1.7	1.4	8.6	14.2	7.8	12.5	10.3	9.4	15.2	14.9	1.6	1.4	7.8	12.9	7.1	11.8
Lanao del Norte*	8,439	9,850	11.1	19.5	9.8	11.1	1.1	2.2	9.3	12.9	15.9	23.1	118.8	216.3	10.2	12.5	12.1	27.1	98.8	138.7	171.7	260.9
Misamis Occidental*	8,393	10,436	18.1	9.5	10.4	14.6	1.9	1.4	15.0	21.2	7.2	11.8	111.7	59.9	11.4	16.5	12.7	9.9	90.7	132.6	43.6	76.1
Misamis Oriental	8,306	9,829	9.4	10.1	8.5	9.0	0.8	0.9	8.0	10.7	8.6	11.6	153.7	172.8	9.0	10.0	13.8	17.3	131.0	176.4	144.4	201.2
Region XI (Davao Region)*	8,880	9,289	9.5	7.1	7.6	7.2	0.7	0.5	8.3	10.7	6.2	7.9	489.6	379.2	8.2	7.6	40.3	28.7	423.3	556.0	332.0	426.4
Davao del Norte ^{a/}	8,917	9,440	5.8	6.2	18.1	20.7	1.1	1.3	4.1	7.6	4.1	8.3	60.7	65.5	19.0	22.2		14.5	41.7	79.7	41.6	89.4
Davao del Sur ^{b/}	9,027	9,352	5.7	3.6	22.1	15.7	1.3	0.6	3.6	7.8	2.6	4.5	137.4	91.9	23.6	15.9		14.6	84.1	190.7	67.8	116.0
Davao Oriental	8,823	9,589	16.6	12.6	11.1	15.0	1.8	1.9	13.6	19.6	9.5	15.7	54.8	76.4	11.6	15.8		12.1	44.3	65.2	56.5	96.3
Compostela Valley	8,756	9,076	13.6	10.1	11.4	16.1	1.5	1.6	11.1	16.2	7.4	12.8	103.5	78.8	12.1	16.1	12.5	12.7	82.9	124.1	57.9	99.7
Davao Occidental	8,831	8,962	22.8	19.4	11.0	13.7	2.5	2.7	18.7	26.9	15.1	23.8	133.3	66.6	11.8	14.3		9.5	107.4	159.1	51.0	82.2

Table 4. First Semester Per Capita Food Threshold, Subsistence Incidence and Magnitude of Subsistence Poor Population with Measures of Precision, by Region and Province: 2018 and 2021

	First Sen	nester			First Sem	ester Sub	sistence I	ncidence	among Po	pulation					First Sem	ester Magn	nitude of S	Subsistenc	e Poor Popı	Poor Population					
Region/Province	Per Capit Thresl (in Pl	hold	Estima	tes (%)	Coefficient of Variation		Standa	rd Error	909	% Confide	nce Inter	val	Estimat	te ('000)	Coeffici Varia		Standa	rd Error	!	90% Confide	nce Interva	I			
									20:	18 ^u	20	21							20:	18 ^u	20	21			
	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	Lower Limit	Upper Limit	Lower Limit	Upper Limit	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	Lower Limit	Upper Limit	Lower Limit	Upper Limit			
Region XII (SOCCSKSARGEN)	8,392	9,254	17.6	17.1	5.6	5.5	1.0	0.9	16.0	19.2	15.5	18.6	840.2	850.2	6.1	6.0	51.5	50.6	755.6	924.9	767.0	933.4			
North Cotabato	8,229	9,721	17.5	16.0	11.6	12.7	2.0	2.0	14.2	20.9	12.7	19.4	257.6	249.2	12.5	14.0	32.1	34.8	204.8	310.5	191.9	306.5			
Sarangani	7,796	8,553	27.3	29.8	11.6	8.9	3.2	2.6	22.1	32.5	25.5	34.2	155.2	176.2	12.9	10.3	20.0	18.2	122.2	188.1	146.3	206.1			
South Cotabato	8,740	8,635	10.1	12.8	14.9	11.6	1.5	1.5	7.6	12.5	10.3	15.2	160.1	212.7	15.8	11.8	25.3	25.1	118.5	201.7	171.4	254.0			
Sultan Kudarat*	8,071	8,800	22.9	15.2	9.6	13.0	2.2	2.0	19.3	26.5	11.9	18.4	192.3	131.0	11.4	13.3	21.9	17.4	156.3	228.4	102.4	159.6			
Cotabato City	10,262	11,696	24.5	26.1	10.7	8.6	2.6	2.2	20.2	28.9	22.4	29.7	74.9	81.1	13.0	11.3	9.8	9.1	58.9	91.0	66.1	96.1			
Region XIII (Caraga)*	8,643	9,520	14.7	19.1	5.1	4.6	0.8	0.9	13.5	16.0	17.7	20.6	396.7	532.4	5.5	5.0	21.9	26.8	360.7	432.6	488.2	576.6			
Agusan del Norte*	7,911	9,679	11.3	16.8	9.1	7.5	1.0	1.3	9.6	13.0	14.8	18.9	81.2	125.7	10.3	8.0	8.3	10.1	67.5	95.0	109.0	142.3			
Agusan del Sur*	8,471	9,738	18.0	27.4	10.8	8.4	1.9	2.3	14.9	21.2	23.6	31.1	130.3	202.7	11.5	9.0	15.0	18.3	105.6	154.9	172.6	232.9			
Surigao Del Norte	9,636	9,144	17.7	15.9	10.0	12.4	1.8	2.0	14.8	20.6	12.7	19.2	90.2	85.6	10.5	13.0	9.5	11.1	74.7	105.8	67.2	103.9			
Surigao Del Sur*	8,328	9,063	11.4	15.3	12.2	11.1	1.4	1.7	9.1	13.7	12.5	18.1	69.5	95.7	12.9	12.5	9.0	11.9	54.7	84.2	76.1	115.4			
Dinagat Islands	9,198	10,028	19.7	17.3	12.5	15.3	2.5	2.7	15.6	23.7	12.9	21.7	25.4	22.7	14.7	17.1	3.7	3.9	19.3	31.6	16.3	29.1			
Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao/ Bangsamoro Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao (ARMM/BARMM)*	9,577	9,956	36.1	21.5	3.5	5.4	1.3	1.2	34.0	38.1	19.6	23.4	1,448.1	916.3	4.7	6.1	67.4	55.7	1,337.3	1,559.0	824.8	1,007.9			
Basilan*	8,877	9,585	46.5	29.8	5.5	9.7	2.6	2.9	42.2	50.7	25.0	34.5	171.8	117.8	9.0	10.5	15.5	12.4	146.3	197.3	97.4	138.2			
Lanao del Sur* ^{a/}	10,324	10,227	48.6	1.4	5.1	33.4	2.5	0.5	44.5	52.7	0.6	2.2	536.6	16.5	8.3	33.9	44.5	5.6	463.4	609.9	7.3	25.7			
Maguindanao*	8,919	8,952	29.7	18.3	8.9	11.4	2.6	2.1	25.3	34.0	14.9	21.7	373.5	248.2	9.8	12.1	36.5	30.0	313.5	433.5	198.8	297.5			
Sulu*	9,733	10,732	38.1	47.7	5.5	7.5	2.1	3.6	34.6	41.5	41.8	53.6	333.6	444.8	9.3	9.7	31.0	42.9	282.7	384.5	374.2	515.5			
Tawi-tawi*	6,911	9,314	8.0	21.3	14.8	10.1	1.2	2.2	6.1	10.0	17.8	24.9	32.6	89.0	15.5	14.6	5.0	13.0	24.3	40.8	67.6	110.5			

u=updated; Back estimation of the 2018 first semester poverty statistics was made due to the adoption of the 2015 Census of Population (POPCEN 2015) results for the weights used in the Family Income and Expenditure Survey (FIES) and the urban-rural classification of barangays.

^{*=} significant change; The increase or decrease of the subsistence incidence among population between 2018^u and 2021 is significant at 10% level of significance (α = 0.10).

a/ Coefficient of variation of 2021 provincial subsistence incidence among population is greater than 20%.

b/ Coefficient of variation of 2018^u provincial subsistence incidence among population is greater than 20%.

Table 4a. First Semester Per Capita Food Threshold, Subsistence Incidence among Population with Measures of Precision, by Region, Province and Highly Urbanized Cities: 2018 and 2021

	First Se	mostor	First Semester Subsistence Incidence among Population										First Semester Magnitude of Subsistence Poor Population									
Region/Province	Per Capita Foo	od Threshold	Estima	ate (%)	Coeffic Varia	ı	Standar	d Error	90	% Confide	nce Interva	al	Estima	te ('000)	Coeffic Varia		Standar	d Error	ġ	90% Confi	dence Interv	al
							[201		202								201		20	
	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	Lower Limit	Upper Limit	Lower Limit	Upper Limit	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	Lower Limit	Upper Limit	Lower Limit	Upper Limit
PHILIPPINES*	8,849	10,071	8.5	9.9	1.7	1.8	0.1	0.2	8.3	8.8	9.6	10.2	9,030.7	10,944.9	1.8	1.9	164.0	206.9	8,760.9	9,300.5	10,604.6	11,285.3
National Capital Region (NCR)	9,848	11,609	2.0	1.9	8.1	8.7	0.2	0.2	1.7	2.3	1.6	2.1	271.4	262.6	8.4	8.9	22.7	23.3	234.0	308.8	224.2	300.9
1st District	,	,																				
City Of Manila * ^{a/b/}	9,848	11,609	2.3	0.2	22.0	77.9	0.5	0.2	1.5	3.2	0.0	0.5	43.2	4.5	22.9	78.0	9.9	3.5	26.9	59.5	0.0	10.2
2nd District																						
City Of Mandaluyong ^{a/b/}	9,848	11,609	0.4	0.1	55.3	100.0	0.2	0.1	0.0	0.7	0.0	0.2	1.6	0.3	55.4	100.0	0.9	0.3	0.1	3.0	0.0	0.8
City Of Marikina ^{a/b/}	9,848	11,609	0.9	0.5	31.8	48.0	0.3	0.2	0.4	1.3	0.1	0.9	4.1	2.4	32.4	48.1	1.3	1.2	1.9	6.2	0.5	4.4
City Of Pasig * ^{a/b/}	9,848	11,609	1.0	2.5	36.6	23.1	0.4	0.6	0.4	1.6	1.5	3.4	7.8	21.1	37.3	23.4	2.9	5.0	3.0	12.7	13.0	29.3
Quezon City ^{a/b/}	9,848	11,609	1.2	1.4	33.3	31.9	0.4	0.4	0.6	1.9	0.6	2.1	37.8	42.3	32.9	32.2	12.5	13.7	17.3	58.3	19.9	64.8
City Of San Juan ^{b/}	9,848	11,609	0.6	0.0	73.3	0.0	0.5	0.0	0.0	1.4	0.0	0.0	0.8	0.0	74.4	0.0	0.6	0.0	0.0	1.7	0.0	0.0
3rd District																						
City Of Caloocan	9,848	11,609	3.9	3.2	17.7	19.7	0.7	0.6	2.8	5.1	2.2	4.3	64.4	54.1	20.0	19.5	12.9	10.5	43.2	85.6	36.8	71.5
City Of Malabon * ^{a/}	9,848	11,609	3.7	2.2	18.1	23.8	0.7	0.5	2.6	4.7	1.4	3.1	13.6	8.4	18.4	24.1	2.5	2.0	9.4	17.7	5.0	11.7
City Of Navotas ^{a/}	9,848	11,609	3.7	3.2	15.0	23.8	0.6	0.8	2.8	4.6	1.9	4.4	9.2	7.9	15.6	24.2	1.4	1.9	6.9	11.6	4.7	11.0
City Of Valenzuela* ^{a/}	9,848	11,609	2.5	1.0	19.6	27.1	0.5	0.3	1.7	3.3	0.6	1.5	16.2	6.7	20.2	29.4	3.3	2.0	10.8	21.6	3.5	10.0
4th District																						
City Of Las Piñas ^{a/b/}	9,848	11,609	1.3	1.9	26.5	28.4	0.3	0.5	0.7	1.8	1.0	2.8	7.7	12.0	27.1	29.0	2.1	3.5	4.3	11.2	6.3	17.8
City Of Makati ^{a/b/}	9,848	11,609	0.6	1.1	52.3	44.0	0.3	0.5	0.1	1.2	0.3	1.9	3.9	7.2	53.1	44.1	2.1	3.2	0.5	7.3	2.0	12.4
City Of Muntinlupa a/b/	9,848	11,609	3.2	2.9	21.3	31.8	0.7	0.9	2.1	4.3	1.4	4.3	17.0	15.8	23.9	33.9	4.1	5.3	10.3	23.7	7.0	24.6
City Of Parañaque ^{a/b/}	9,848	11,609	2.1	2.5	27.4	26.7	0.6	0.7	1.2	3.1	1.4	3.6	15.1	19.0	28.5	27.1	4.3	5.2	8.0	22.2	10.5	27.5
Pasay City ^{a/}	9,848	11,609	3.7	4.1	17.7	23.3	0.7	1.0	2.6	4.7	2.5	5.6	15.8	17.8	18.3	24.3	2.9	0.0	11.0	20.5	10.7	24.9
Pateros ^{a/b/}	9,848	11,609	2.4	2.7	40.1	37.7	1.0	1.0	0.8	3.9	1.0	4.4	1.5	1.8	40.1	40.1	0.6	0.7	0.5	2.5	0.6	2.9
City Of Taguig* ^{b/}	9,848	11,609	1.3	4.1	32.5	19.9	0.4	0.8	0.6	2.0	2.7	5.4	11.8	41.2	33.3	24.3	3.9	10.0	5.3	18.3	24.7	57.6
Cordillera Administrative Region (CAR)*	8,622	9,796	7.9	6.7	5.9	6.3	0.5	0.4	7.1	8.7	6.0	7.4	140.4	122.4	6.1	6.3	8.6	7.7	126.2	154.5	109.7	135.1
Abra*	8,664	10,299	18.5	11.7	8.5	11.7	1.6	1.4	15.9	21.1	9.5	14.0	45.3	29.2	9.5	11.1	4.3	3.2	38.2	52.4	23.9	34.5
Apayao* ^{a/}	8,047	8,936	13.1	6.2	19.4	27.9	2.5	1.7	8.9	17.3	3.3	9.0	16.0	7.7	22.0	30.2	3.5	2.3	10.2	21.8	3.9	11.5
Benguet (w/o the City of Baguio)	8,239	9,312	5.2	6.8	18.1	13.9	0.9	0.9	3.6	6.7	5.2	8.3	24.1	33.2	18.6	13.6	4.5	4.5	16.7	31.5	25.8	40.6
City Of Baguio a/b/	8,478	9,361	1.3	1.8	33.4	23.2	0.4	0.4	0.6	2.0	1.1	2.5	4.8	6.6	33.7	23.6	1.6	1.6	2.1	7.4	4.1	9.2
Ifugao	9,207	10,074	7.2	6.9	18.7	17.9	1.4	1.2	5.0	9.4	4.9	9.0	15.0	14.7	19.0	17.5	2.8	2.6	10.3	19.7	10.5	19.0
Kalinga ^{a/}	8,268	9,008	6.1	4.9	15.7	20.3	1.0	1.0	4.5	7.6	3.3	6.6	13.2	10.9	16.1	20.2	2.1	2.2	9.7	16.7	7.3	14.6
Mt. Province	9,336	10,925	14.1	12.7	11.0	14.5	1.6	1.8	11.5	16.6	9.7	15.7	22.0	20.0	12.5	15.1	2.7	3.0	17.5	26.5	15.0	25.0
Region I (Ilocos Region)*	9,012	10,802	2.8	7.1	17.4	10.5	0.5	0.7	2.0	3.6	5.9	8.3	144.2	375.9	17.3	11.0	25.0	41.3	103.1	185.3	308.0	443.8
llocos Norte ^{a/b/}	8,889	10,885	1.2	1.2	39.6	32.9	0.5	0.4	0.4	1.9	0.6	1.9	7.1	7.5	39.4	33.2	2.8	2.5	2.5	11.7	3.4	11.6
Ilocos Sur * ^{b/}	8,402	11,433	2.0	7.4	26.9	14.7	0.5	1.1	1.1	2.8	5.6	9.2	13.8	53.4	27.1	14.6	3.8	7.8	7.7	20.0	40.6	66.2
La Union * ^{D/}	7,746	9,654	1.0	3.9	37.6	16.3	0.4	0.6	0.4	1.7	2.8	4.9	8.4	32.3	38.0	16.4	3.2	5.3	3.2	13.7	23.6	41.0
Pangasinan * ^{b/}	9,198	10,812	3.8	9.0	21.4	13.5	0.8	1.2	2.4	5.1	7.0	11.0	114.8	282.7	21.2	14.2	24.3	40.1	74.8	154.8	216.7	348.6
Region II (Cagayan Valley)	8,511	9,930	6.7	8.1	8.1	9.8	0.5	0.8	5.8	7.6	6.8	9.4	240.7	297.8	8.6	10.6	20.6	31.5	206.8	274.6	246.0	349.7
Batanes * a/	13,491	12,446	7.3	3.8	15.1	40.5	1.1	1.6	5.5	9.2	1.3	6.4	1.3	0.7	24.3	40.5	0.3	0.3	0.8	1.8	0.2	1.2
Cagayan	8,531	9,562	6.6	5.6	12.8	16.2	0.8	0.9	5.2	8.0	4.1	7.0	82.0	71.6	13.8	16.1	11.3	11.6	63.3	100.6	52.6	90.6
Isabela*	8,536	10,300	6.5	10.6	14.2	13.9	0.9	1.5	5.0	8.0	8.2	13.1	107.0	181.2	15.0	15.6	16.1	28.3	80.6	133.4	134.7	227.7
Nueva Vizcaya ^{a/}	8,368	8,794	9.4	7.3	13.6	20.1	1.3	1.5	7.3	11.4	4.9	9.7	44.1	35.8	13.7	21.2	6.0	7.6	34.2	54.0	23.3	48.2
Quirino b/	7,818	9,712	3.3	4.3	23.8	17.0	0.8	0.7	2.0	4.5	3.1	5.5	6.3	8.6	24.2	18.1	1.5	1.6	3.8	8.9	6.0	11.1
/a																						
Region III (Central Luzon)*	9,144	11,351	3.3	6.0	8.2	7.4	0.3	0.4	2.8	3.7	5.2	6.7	386.9	745.3	8.6	8.6	33.3	64.2	332.1	441.7	639.6	851.0
Aurora *	8,421	10,503	7.9	12.4	15.0	12.8	1.2	1.6	6.0	9.9	9.8	15.0	17.6	28.5	15.5	13.4	2.7	3.8	13.1	22.1	22.2	34.7
Bataan	10,155	10,320	5.0	5.3	15.7	15.2	0.8	0.8	3.7	6.3	3.9	6.6	40.5	44.7	15.5	16.1	6.3	7.2	30.2	50.8	32.8	56.5
Bulacan * ⁰ /	8,847	12,248	2.3	6.7	25.0	15.1	0.6	1.0	1.4	3.3	5.1	8.4	81.3	249.7	26.6	20.5	21.6	51.2	45.7	116.9	165.5	333.8
Nueva Ecija *	8,653	10,352	4.1	7.3	17.8	17.6	0.7	1.3	2.9	5.3	5.2	9.4	92.7	174.3	18.1	17.5	16.8	30.6	65.0	120.3	124.1	224.6
Pampanga (w/o the City of Angeles) a/b/	8,955	11,668	1.2	2.1	39.1	27.5	0.5	0.6	0.4	1.9	1.1	3.0	27.4	49.8	40.0	27.5	11.0	13.7	9.4	45.5	27.3	72.4
City Of Angeles* a/b/	8,930	11,941	0.5	2.4	43.2	25.9	0.2	0.6	0.1	0.8	1.4	3.4	2.1	12.5	43.7	25.7	0.9	3.2	0.6	3.7	7.2	17.8
Tarlac *	8,347	10,254	3.6	5.5	18.4	16.0	0.7	0.9	2.5	4.6	4.0	6.9	50.8	80.7	18.6	16.6	9.4	13.4	35.3	66.4	58.7	102.7
Zambales (w/o the City of Olongapo)	10,284	12,110	10.4	13.5	14.4	11.8	1.5	1.6	7.9	12.8	10.9	16.1	65.0	89.3	15.2	12.6	9.9	11.2	48.8	81.3	70.8	107.8
City Of Olongapo *	10,513	12,488	3.9	6.4	19.6	15.4	0.8	1.0	2.7	5.2	4.8	8.1	9.5	15.8	20.7	16.6	2.0	2.6	6.3	12.7	11.5	20.1

Table 4a. First Semester Per Capita Food Threshold, Subsistence Incidence among Population with Measures of Precision, by Region, Province and Highly Urbanized Cities: 2018 and 2021

	First Se	mester			First Se	mester Su	bsistence Ir	ncidence a	mong Popu	ılation					First Se	mester M	agnitude of	Subsisten	ce Poor Pop	ulation		
Region/Province	Per Capita Fo	od Threshold	Estima	nte (%)	Coeffic Varia		Standar	d Error	90)% Confide	nce Interva	al	Estimat	te ('000)	Coeffici Varia		Standar	d Error	9	90% Confi	dence Interv	al
									201		20								201			21
	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	Lower Limit	Upper Limit	Lower Limit	Upper Limit	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	Lower Limit	Upper Limit	Lower Limit	Upper Limit
Docion IV A (CALABABZON)*	0.000	10.750	2.4	4.0	0.7	0.0	0.2	0.4	2.6	2.6	4.1	F.C	472.4	705.0	10.1	0.5	47.7	75.5	202.7	550.5	674.7	010.0
Region IV-A (CALABARZON)*	9,689	10,750	3.1	4.9	9.7	9.0	0.3	0.4	2.6	3.6	4.1	5.6	472.1	795.8	10.1	9.5	47.7	75.5	393.7	550.5	671.7	919.9
Batangas * ^{a/} Cavite * ^{a/b/}	11,080	10,599	5.4	2.4	15.9	25.4	0.9	0.6	4.0	6.8	1.4	3.4	156.0	74.6	17.3	27.7	26.9	20.7	111.7	200.3	40.6	108.6
	10,080	12,460	2.6	4.5	23.6	21.6	0.6	1.0	1.6	3.6	2.9	6.1	102.8	195.1	24.3	22.8	25.0	44.4	61.7	143.9	122.1	268.1
Laguna * a/b/	8,072	10,582	2.0	4.4	27.3	22.9	0.5	1.0	1.1	2.8	2.8	6.1	63.1	150.6	28.0	23.4	17.7	35.3	34.0	92.2	92.5	208.7
Quezon (w/o the City of Lucena)* ^{b/}	7,941	9,481	4.3	12.5	21.4	13.6	0.9	1.7	2.8	5.8	9.7	15.3	82.4	249.9	21.8	14.8	18.0	36.9	52.9	112.0	189.2	310.5
City Of Lucena a/b/	8,165	9,889	3.3	3.1	29.7	25.1	1.0	0.8	1.7	4.9	1.8	4.4	9.2	9.0	29.5	25.8	2.7	2.3	4.7	13.7	5.2	12.9
Rizal * ^{a/b/}	9,741	10,670	1.9	3.6	27.8	20.9	0.5	0.7	1.0	2.8	2.3	4.8	58.5	116.6	28.5	22.4	16.7	26.2	31.1	86.0	73.5	159.6
MIMAROPA Region*	7,988	9,103	7.1	10.6	8.6	6.8	0.6	0.7	6.1	8.1	9.4	11.8	220.3	341.0	8.9	7.1	19.6	24.1	188.1	252.5	301.3	380.7
Marinduque *	8,373	9,542	6.4	9.2	16.6	12.9	1.1	1.2	4.7	8.2	7.3	11.2	15.4	22.4	17.0	13.6	2.6	3.0	11.1	19.7	17.4	27.4
Occidental Mindoro	7,412	9,332	11.4	14.9	16.4	11.7	1.9	1.7	8.3	14.5	12.1	17.8	57.8	77.6	17.3	12.9	10.0	10.0	41.3	74.2	61.2	94.1
Oriental Mindoro	8,475	9,370	6.3	9.1	17.8	16.0	1.1	1.5	4.4	8.1	6.7	11.5	55.0	83.1	18.3	16.9	10.1	14.0	38.4	71.5	60.1	106.2
Palawan (w/o the City of Puerto Princesa)* b/	7,867	8,358	6.0	10.8	22.4	15.0	1.3	1.6	3.8	8.2	8.1	13.5	53.8	102.5	22.9	15.1	12.3	15.5	33.6	74.1	77.0	128.0
City Of Puerto Princesa a/b/	8,042	8,703	1.1	2.3	38.3	27.6	0.4	0.6	0.4	1.9	1.3	3.4	3.1	6.7	39.3	28.7	1.2	1.9	1.1	5.2	3.6	9.9
Romblon*	8,283	9,705	11.8	16.1	12.3	10.7	1.5	1.7	9.4	14.2	13.2	18.9	35.2	48.7	13.2	11.6	4.6	5.6	27.5	42.8	39.4	58.0
Region V (Bicol Region)*	8,340	9,750	10.0	14.4	6.0	6.2	0.6	0.9	9.0	11.0	12.9	15.9	600.0	892.7	6.3	6.5	37.8	58.0	537.8	662.3	797.3	988.2
Albay*	8,524	9,557	6.2	9.3	14.4	16.9	0.9	1.6	4.8	7.7	6.7	11.8	85.3	130.6	15.1	17.5	12.9	22.8	64.1	106.6	93.0	168.2
Camarines Norte	8,493	9,835	12.7	10.1	10.7	10.8	1.4	1.1	10.5	15.0	8.3	11.9	77.4	63.4	12.3	11.4	9.5	7.2	61.8	93.0	51.5	75.3
Camarines Sur*	8,098	10,049	10.1	22.1	13.2	10.3	1.3	2.3	7.9	12.3	18.4	25.8	204.3	458.8	13.8	10.7	28.2	49.3	157.9	250.7	377.7	539.9
Catanduanes	8,484	9,724	9.5	7.5	13.1	14.2	1.2	1.1	7.5	11.5	5.7	9.2	25.5	20.6	13.3	14.3	3.4	2.9	19.9	31.1	15.7	25.4
Masbate	7,880	8,838	13.0	11.7	12.9	13.1	1.7	1.5	10.2	15.7	9.2	14.2	119.4	110.7	13.9	13.0	16.6	14.4	92.1	146.7	87.0	134.3
Sorsogon	9,171	9,602	10.7	12.7	10.6	10.5	1.1	1.3	8.8	12.5	10.5	14.9	88.1	108.8	11.0	11.1	9.7	12.0	72.1	104.1	89.0	128.6
Region VI (Western Visayas)*	8,322	9,455	6.9	9.8	9.8	7.6	0.7	0.7	5.8	8.0	8.6	11.0	534.3	780.1	10.2	8.1	54.4	62.9	444.8	623.8	676.6	883.7
Aklan *	8,417	9,445	6.0	9.2	19.0	14.1	1.1	1.3	4.1	7.9	7.1	11.4	35.7	56.4	19.0	14.7	6.8	8.3	24.5	46.9	42.7	70.0
Antique*	8,185	9,254	9.5	13.2	13.2	12.7	1.3	1.7	7.5	11.6	10.5	16.0	57.2	81.6	13.5	12.7	7.7	10.4	44.5	69.9	64.5	98.7
Capiz ^{a/b/}	7,822	9,375	1.5	2.5	28.4	30.9	0.4	0.8	0.8	2.2	1.2	3.7	11.6	20.0	28.9	31.9	3.4	6.4	6.1	17.2	9.5	30.6
Guimaras * ^{a/b/}	8,824	9,964	4.2	8.8	24.0	21.6	1.0	1.9	2.5	5.8	5.7	11.9	7.6	16.4	24.2	23.1	1.8	3.8	4.6	10.6	10.2	22.7
Iloilo (w/o the City of Iloilo)*	8,802	9,809	6.7	12.2	17.3	15.2	1.2	1.9	4.8	8.6	9.2	15.3	134.4	254.3	17.3	16.0	23.3	40.8	96.2	172.6	187.2	321.3
City Of Iloilo * b/	8,986	10,367	1.0	3.2	40.0	19.1	0.4	0.6	0.4	1.7	2.2	4.2	4.8	15.2	40.3	20.1	1.9	3.1	1.6	7.9	10.2	20.2
Negros Occidental (w/o the City of Bacolod)	8,107	9,186	10.8	12.7	16.4	12.6	1.8	1.6	7.9	13.8	10.1	15.3	275.2	327.8	17.4	13.8	47.8	45.3	196.5	353.9	253.3	402.4
City Of Bacolod ^{a/b/}	8,071	9,346	1.3	1.4	33.2	27.9	0.4	0.4	0.6	2.0	0.8	2.0	7.8	8.5	34.3	28.3	2.7	2.4	3.4	12.2	4.5	12.4
Region VII (Central Visayas)*	8,847	10,578	9.2	16.4	7.5	5.9	0.7	1.0	8.1	10.4	14.8	18.0	715.1	1,319.3	7.7	6.6	55.4	87.2	624.0	806.1	1,175.9	1,462.8
Bohol*	8,807	9,319	10.2	15.8	13.1	9.6	1.3	1.5	8.0	12.4	13.3	18.3	137.6	217.7	13.6	10.6	18.8	23.1	106.8	168.5	179.7	255.7
Cebu (w/o the Cities of Cebu, Lapu-Lapu and Mandaue)*	8,944	11,242	8.3	22.1	14.8	9.2	1.2	2.0	6.3	10.3	18.7	25.4	260.0	731.9	14.9	10.6	38.8	77.9	196.1	323.8	603.9	860.0
City Of Cebu * b/	9,087	11,810	5.0	8.7	20.4	14.8	1.0	1.3	3.3	6.6	6.6	10.8	47.5	84.8	22.0	16.3	10.5	13.8	30.3	64.7	62.0	107.5
City Of Lapu-Lapu (Opon) * b/	9,111	11,810	3.5	6.1	21.3	15.3	0.8	0.9	2.3	4.8	4.6	7.6	15.7	28.8	21.7	16.5	3.4	4.8	10.1	21.3	21.0	36.6
City Of Mandaue by	8,977	11,810	4.7	6.2	21.5	15.4	1.0	0.9	3.1	6.4	4.6	7.7	18.1	24.4	23.0	17.0	4.2	4.1	11.3	24.9	17.6	31.1
Negros Oriental	8,672	8,927	16.7	16.3	12.8	11.6	2.1	1.9	13.2	20.2	13.2	19.4	231.6	230.7	14.1	12.1	32.6	27.9	177.9	285.2	184.8	276.6
Siquijor * ^{a/b/}	8,898	8,855	4.6	1.0	29.0	49.2	1.3	0.5	2.4	6.8	0.2	1.8	4.6	1.0	30.3	50.2	1.4	0.5	2.3	6.9	0.2	1.8
Region VIII (Eastern Visayas)	8,527	9,484	16.9	17.3	5.2	6.0	0.9	1.0	15.5	18.4	15.6	19.0	781.9	830.8	5.7	6.3	44.3	52.0	708.9	854.8	745.2	916.5
Biliran *	8,396	10,022	7.8	13.1	12.5	11.5	1.0	1.5	6.2	9.4	10.6	15.6	13.7	23.7	12.6	12.0	1.7	2.8	10.9	16.6	19.0	28.4
Eastern Samar	9,996	10,141	26.5	24.6	8.0	9.4	2.1	2.3	23.0	30.0	20.8	28.3	129.3	125.6	9.4	10.3	12.1	13.0	109.3	149.2	104.3	146.9
Leyte (w/o the City of Tacloban)	8,175	9,402	18.1	21.1	10.1	11.2	1.8	2.4	15.1	21.1	17.2	25.0	326.8	399.8	11.2	11.6	36.5	46.2	266.8	386.8	323.7	475.8
City Of Tacloban	8,275	9,869	6.7	7.6	14.7	14.3	1.0	1.1	5.1	8.3	5.8	9.4	17.1	20.0	15.4	15.6	2.6	3.1	12.8	21.4	14.9	25.1
Northern Samar*	8,840	9,192	16.1	10.6	10.8	12.1	1.7	1.3	13.3	19.0	8.5	12.7	105.7	71.3	11.6	12.7	12.3	9.1	85.6	125.9	56.3	86.2
Southern Leyte*	8,866	10,134	10.3	13.9	11.8	10.9	1.2	1.5	8.3	12.3	11.4	16.4	44.9	62.4	12.4	11.8	5.6	7.4	35.7	54.0	50.3	74.6
Western Samar	7,843	8,782	17.9	15.4	11.9	11.4	2.1	1.8	14.4	21.4	12.6	18.3	144.3	128.1	12.0	12.3	17.3	15.8	115.9	172.8	102.1	154.0

Table 4a. First Semester Per Capita Food Threshold, Subsistence Incidence among Population with Measures of Precision, by Region, Province and Highly Urbanized Cities: 2018 and 2021

	First So	mester	rester d Threshold Coefficient of Coefficient of											First Sei	mester M	agnitude of	Subsisten	ce Poor Pop	ulation			
Region/Province	Per Capita Foo	od Threshold	Estima	ite (%)	Coeffici Varia		Standar	d Error	90)% Confide	nce Interva	al	Estima	te ('000)	Coeffici Varia		Standar	d Error	g	00% Confi	dence Interv	al
	22124	2024	2212U	2024	22424	2024	22124	2024	201		20		2010	2024	22124	2024	22124	2024	201	_)21
	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	Lower Limit	Upper Limit	Lower Limit	Upper Limit	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	Lower Limit	Upper Limit	Lower Limit	Upper Limit
Region IX (Zamboanga Peninsula)	8,725	10,468	19.6	19.5	5.3	5.0	1.0	1.0	17.8	21.3	17.9	21.0	728.3	741.0	5.7	5.3	41.6	39.2	659.9	796.7	676.5	805.5
Zamboanga del Norte*	9,525	11,944	27.7	40.1	9.1	6.5	2.5	2.6	23.6	31.9	35.8	44.4	286.8	422.6	9.1	6.9	26.1	29.3	243.9	329.7	374.4	470.9
Zamboanga del Sur (w/o the City of Zamboanga)	8,145	8,415	19.7	16.9	11.2	11.5	2.2	1.9	16.1	23.4	13.7	20.1	199.9	176.1	12.5	12.2	25.0	21.5	158.8	241.1	140.8	211.5
City Of Zamboanga * ^{a/} Zamboanga Sibugay*	8,530 7,982	8,746 8,622	5.2 22.6	1.9	16.4 10.1	27.0 9.8	0.9	0.5	3.8 18.8	6.7 26.3	1.1	2.8	46.9 149.4	17.1 114.2	17.9 11.5	27.8 11.9	8.4 17.2	4.7 13.6	33.1 121.1	60.7 177.8	9.3 91.8	24.9 136.7
Isabela City * a/	8,867	8,446	37.1	16.6 8.3	9.8	20.6	2.3	1.6 1.7	31.1	43.1	13.9 5.5	19.3 11.2	45.2	10.9	16.3	22.3	7.4	2.4	33.1	57.4	6.9	14.9
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Region X (Northern Mindanao)*	8,559	9,964	12.7	15.0	4.9	6.1	0.6	0.9	11.7	13.7	13.5	16.5	620.7	762.1	5.2	6.9	32.4	52.3	567.4	674.0	676.1	848.1
Bukidnon* Camiguin	8,861 8,909	10,031 9,935	15.3 11.4	19.9 10.1	9.6 15.0	11.4 14.0	1.5 1.7	2.3 1.4	12.9 8.6	17.8 14.2	16.2 7.8	23.6 12.5	226.2 10.3	303.7 9.4	10.4 15.2	13.2 14.9	23.4 1.6	40.0 1.4	187.7 7.8	264.7 12.9	237.8 7.1	369.5 11.8
Lanao del Norte (w/o the City of Iligan)*	8,384	9,790	11.4	25.0	11.4	12.4	1.4	3.1	9.6	14.2	19.9	30.1	84.2	187.7	11.8	14.2	9.9	26.7	67.9	100.5	143.8	231.7
City Of Iligan	8,575	10,241	9.8	8.0	19.1	15.0	1.9	1.2	6.7	12.8	6.0	10.0	34.6	28.6	20.2	15.7	7.0	4.5	23.1	46.0	21.2	35.9
Misamis Occidental *	8,393	10,436	18.1	9.5	10.4	14.6	1.9	1.4	15.0	21.2	7.2	11.8	111.7	59.9	11.4	16.5	12.7	9.9	90.7	132.6	43.6	76.1
Misamis Oriental (w/o the City of Cagayan de Oro)	8,270	9,765	12.2	13.7	10.1	10.4	1.2	1.4	10.2	14.2	11.3	16.0	112.6	131.8	10.6	12.0	12.0	15.8	92.9	132.4	105.8	157.8
City of Cagayan De Oro	8,402	10,034	5.7	5.5	15.8	16.0	0.9	0.9	4.2	7.2	4.0	6.9	41.1	41.0	16.6	16.8	6.8	6.9	29.9	52.2	29.6	52.3
Region XI (Davao Region)*	8,880	9,289	9.5	7.1	7.6	7.2	0.7	0.5	8.3	10.7	6.2	7.9	489.6	379.2	8.2	7.6	40.3	28.7	423.3	556.0	332.0	426.4
Davao del Norte ^{a/}	8,917	9,440	5.8	6.2	18.1	20.7	1.1	1.3	4.1	7.6	4.1	8.3	60.7	65.5	19.0	22.2	11.6	14.5	41.7	79.7	41.6	89.4
Davao del Sur (w/o the City of Davao)*	8,934	9,247	8.2	5.7	13.9	16.9	1.1	1.0	6.3	10.1	4.1	7.3	54.9	40.3	14.1	17.9	7.7	7.2	42.2	67.6	28.5	52.1
City Of Davao a/b/	9,089	9,434	4.7	2.8	36.1	24.4	1.7	0.7	1.9	7.5	1.7	3.9	82.5	51.6	38.1	24.7	31.4	12.7	30.8	134.2	30.6	72.6
Davao Oriental	8,823	9,589	16.6	12.6	11.1	15.0	1.8	1.9	13.6	19.6	9.5	15.7	54.8	76.4	11.6	15.8	6.3	12.1	44.3	65.2	56.5	96.3
Compostela Valley	8,756	9,076	13.6	10.1	11.4	16.1	1.5	1.6	11.1	16.2	7.4	12.8	103.5	78.8	12.1	16.1	12.5	12.7	82.9	124.1	57.9	99.7
Davao Occidental	8,831	8,962	22.8	19.4	11.0	13.7	2.5	2.7	18.7	26.9	15.1	23.8	133.3	66.6	11.8	14.3	15.7	9.5	107.4	159.1	51.0	82.2
Region XII (SOCCSKSARGEN)	8,392	9,254	17.6	17.1	5.6	5.5	1.0	0.9	16.0	19.2	15.5	18.6	840.2	850.2	6.1	6.0	51.5	50.6	755.6	924.9	767.0	933.4
North Cotabato	8,229	9,721	17.5	16.0	11.6	12.7	2.0	2.0	14.2	20.9	12.7	19.4	257.6	249.2	12.5	14.0	32.1	34.8	204.8	310.5	191.9	306.5
Sarangani	7,796	8,553	27.3	29.8	11.6	8.9	3.2	2.6	22.1	32.5	25.5	34.2	155.2	176.2	12.9	10.3	20.0	18.2	122.2	188.1	146.3	206.1
South Cotabato (w/o the City of Gen. Santos)	8,705	8,555	12.2	14.5	19.1	15.7	2.3	2.3	8.3	16.0	10.7	18.2	117.5	146.6	20.4	15.8	24.0	23.1	78.0	157.0	108.6	184.7
City Of General Santos (Dadiangas) *	8,837	8,810	6.8	10.1	17.5	13.9	1.2	1.4	4.8	8.7	7.8	12.4	42.6	66.1	18.5	14.9	7.9	9.8	29.7	55.6	49.9	82.2
Sultan Kudarat*	8,071	8,800	22.9	15.2	9.6	13.0	2.2	2.0	19.3	26.5	11.9	18.4	192.3	131.0	11.4	13.3	21.9	17.4	156.3	228.4	102.4	159.6
Cotabato City	10,262	11,696	24.5	26.1	10.7	8.6	2.6	2.2	20.2	28.9	22.4	29.7	74.9	81.1	13.0	11.3	9.8	9.1	58.9	91.0	66.1	96.1
Region XIII (Caraga)*	8,643	9,520	14.7	19.1	5.1	4.6	0.8	0.9	13.5	16.0	17.7	20.6	396.7	532.4	5.5	5.0	21.9	26.8	360.7	432.6	488.2	576.6
Agusan del Norte (w/o the City of Butuan)* City Of Butuan*	7,838 8,013	9,457 9,930	12.9 9.6	17.4 16.2	12.5 13.1	10.0 11.2	1.6 1.2	1.8 1.8	10.3 7.5	15.6 11.6	14.6 13.2	20.3 19.2	47.5 33.8	66.6 59.1	13.7 15.5	10.4 12.5	6.5 5.2	6.9 7.4	36.8 25.1	58.2 42.4	55.2 46.9	77.9 71.3
Agusan del Sur*	8,471	9,738	18.0	27.4	10.8	8.4	1.9	2.3	14.9	21.2	23.6	31.1	130.3	202.7	11.5	9.0	15.0	18.3	105.6	154.9	172.6	232.9
Surigao Del Norte	9,636	9,144	17.7	15.9	10.0	12.4	1.8	2.0	14.8	20.6	12.7	19.2	90.2	85.6	10.5	13.0	9.5	11.1	74.7	105.8	67.2	103.9
Surigao Del Sur*	8,328	9,063	11.4	15.3	12.2	11.1	1.4	1.7	9.1	13.7	12.5	18.1	69.5	95.7	12.9	12.5	9.0	11.9	54.7	84.2	76.1	115.4
Dinagat Islands	9,198	10,028	19.7	17.3	12.5	15.3	2.5	2.7	15.6	23.7	12.9	21.7	25.4	22.7	14.7	17.1	3.7	3.9	19.3	31.6	16.3	29.1
Dillagat islanus	,			17.5	12.5	13.3	2.5	2.7	15.0				25.4		14.7	17.1			19.5	31.0	10.3	
Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao/ Bangsamoro Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao (ARMM/BARMM)*	9,577	9,956	36.1	21.5	3.5	5.4	1.3	1.2	34.0	38.1	19.6	23.4	1,448.1	916.3	4.7	6.1	67.4	55.7	1,337.3	1,559.0	824.8	1,007.9
Basilan*	8,877	9,585	46.5	29.8	5.5	9.7	2.6	2.9	42.2	50.7	25.0	34.5	171.8	117.8	9.0	10.5	15.5	12.4	146.3	197.3	97.4	138.2
Lanao del Sur* ^{a/}	10,324	10,227	48.6	1.4	5.1	33.4	2.5	0.5	44.5	52.7	0.6	2.2	536.6	16.5	8.3	33.9	44.5	5.6	463.4	609.9	7.3	25.7
Maguindanao*	8,919	8,952	29.7	18.3	8.9	11.4	2.6	2.1	25.3	34.0	14.9	21.7	373.5	248.2	9.8	12.1	36.5	30.0	313.5	433.5	198.8	297.5
Sulu*	9,733	10,732	38.1	47.7	5.5	7.5	2.1	3.6	34.6	41.5	41.8	53.6	333.6	444.8	9.3	9.7	31.0	42.9	282.7	384.5	374.2	515.5
Tawi-tawi*	6,911	9,314	8.0	21.3	14.8	10.1	1.2	2.2	6.1	10.0	17.8	24.9	32.6	89.0	15.5	14.6	5.0	13.0	24.3	40.8	67.6	110.5

u=updated; Back estimation of the 2018 first semester poverty statistics was made due to the adoption of the 2015 Census of Population (POPCEN 2015) results for the weights used in the Family Income and Expenditure Survey (FIES) and the urban-rural classification of barangays.

^{*=} significant change; The increase or decrease of the subsistence incidence among population between 2018 and 2021 is significant at 10% level of significance (α = 0.10).

a/ Coefficient of variation of 2021 provincial subsistence incidence among population is greater than 20%.

b/ Coefficient of variation of 2018^u provincial subsistence incidence among population is greater than 20%.

Table 5. Distribution of the Coefficients of Variation (CVs) of the Poverty Incidence among Families: 2018^u and 2021

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2018 ^u	2021
1.1	1.2
3.3 5.7 5.9 5.8 7.4 6.7 3.4 7.3 7.7 5.9 5.1 7.2 6.0 7.1 5.0 6.5 6.5 6.6 6.6 7.0 6.7 6.5 5.8	4.2 4.7 4.7 5.5 5.6 5.8 5.9 5.9 6.1 6.3 6.3 6.4 6.5 6.6 6.7 6.9 7.0 7.1 7.1
	7.1 5.0 6.5 6.5 6.6 6.6 7.0 6.7

Source: Philippine Statistics Authority

Table 5. Distribution of the Coefficients of Variation (CVs) of the Poverty Incidence among Families: 2018^u and 2021

Range of CV			
(based on the computed CV for the	Province	Coefficient of	of Variation
2021 First Semester Poverty	Province	1	
Incidence among Families)		2018 ^u	2021
	26 Camarines Sur	8.8	7.3
	27 Surigao Del Sur	7.4	7.4
	28 Dinagat Islands	6.8	7.6
	29 Camiguin	8.6	7.6
	30 Negros Occidental	8.5	7.6
	31 Bukidnon	6.2	7.7
	32 Pangasinan	10.5	7.7
	33 Negros Oriental	8.3	7.7
	34 Biliran	7.9	7.8
	35 Surigao Del Norte	6.7	7.8
	36 Maguindanao	6.5	7.8
	37 Iloilo	7.4	7.9
	38 Camarines Norte	6.9	8.0
	39 Benguet	10.5	8.1
	40 Compostela Valley	6.7	8.2
	41 Catanduanes	8.2	8.2
	42 Misamis Occidental	6.3	8.2
	43 Ilocos Sur	11.0	8.2
	44 Davao Occidental	6.5	8.4
	45 North Cotabato	8.3	8.4
	46 Bataan	9.8	8.4
	47 Marinduque	9.2	8.4
	48 Tawi-tawi	8.9	8.5
	49 Aklan	10.2	8.5
	50 Aurora	9.9	8.5
	51 Quezon	12.8	8.6
	52 Occidental Mindoro	9.7	8.6

Source: Philippine Statistics Authority

Table 5. Distribution of the Coefficients of Variation (CVs) of the Poverty Incidence among Families: 2018^u and 2021

Range of CV (based on the computed CV for the		Coefficient	of Variation
2021 First Semester Poverty	Province		1
Incidence among Families)		2018 ^u	2021
	53 Tarlac	9.1	8.7
	54 Palawan	10.0	8.7
	55 Abra	6.1	8.8
	56 Davao Oriental	6.6	8.8
	57 Isabela	9.2	8.8
	58 Bulacan	14.9	8.9
	59 Antique	9.6	9.0
	60 Albay	8.0	9.0
	61 Sultan Kudarat	7.1	9.3
	62 Davao del Sur	10.2	9.6
	63 Mt. Province	8.1	9.6
> 10 but <=20	1 2nd District of NCR	12.6	
	2 Davao del Norte	10.3	10.3
	3 Quirino	11.2	10.4
	4 Guimaras	11.5	10.6
	5 Cavite	12.8	10.6
	6 Nueva Ecija	10.1	10.7
	7 Isabela City	6.0	10.8
	8 Oriental Mindoro	10.6	10.8
	9 La Union	18.7	10.9
	10 Pampanga	20.4	
	11 Cagayan	8.9	11.6
	12 Lanao del Sur	3.2	12.0
	13 Kalinga	10.2	12.1
	14 Capiz	13.3	12.4
	15 Nueva Vizcaya	9.9	12.6
	16 Laguna	16.8	13.4

Source: Philippine Statistics Authority

Table 5. Distribution of the Coefficients of Variation (CVs) of the Poverty Incidence among Families: 2018^u and 2021

Range of CV (based on the computed CV for the	Province	Coefficient	of Variation
2021 First Semester Poverty Incidence among Families)		2018 ^u	2021
incidence among ramines)	17.15		
	17 Ifugao	11.4	
	18 Batangas	9.6	14.1
	19 Rizal	15.4	14.4
	20 Ilocos Norte	16.5	17.7
	21 Apayao	12.6	18.4
> 20	1 Batanes	11.6	20.9
	2 1st District of NCR	19.0	20.9
	3 Siquijor	15.8	24.7

Notes:

Table 6. First Semester Income Gap, Poverty Gap and Severity of Poverty with Measures of Precision, by Region and Province: 2018 and 2021

			Firs	st Semest	er Income	Gap					Firs	t Semes	ter Povert	y Gap					First Se	emester Se	verity of F	overty		
	Estima	ate (%)	Standa	rd Error	909	% Confide			Estimat	te (%)	Standar	d Error	90%	% Confide	nce Inter	val	Estima	te (%)	Standa	rd Error	9(0% Confide	nce Interv	al
Region/Province					201		20						201	.8 ^u		21					20	18 ^u	20	
	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	Lower	Upper	Lower	Upper	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	Lower	Upper	Lower	Upper	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	Lower	Upper	Lower	Upper
					Limit	Limit	Limit	Limit					Limit	Limit	Limit	Limit					Limit	Limit	Limit	Limit
PHILIPPINES	27.0	27.0	0.2	0.2	26.7	27.3	26.7	27.3	4.4	4.9	0.1	0.1	4.3	4.5	4.7	5.0	1.8	1.9	0.0	0.0	1.7	1.9	1.9	2.0
National Capital Region (NCR)	27.0	20.0	0.9	0.6	25.5	28.5	19.0	21.1	1.3	1.0	0.1	0.1	1.2	1.5	0.9	1.1	0.6	0.4	0.0	0.0	0.5	0.7	0.3	0.4
1st District	30.3	11.5	2.3	2.0		34.0	8.2	14.8	1.7	0.2	0.3	0.1	1.2	2.3	0.1	0.3	0.9	0.0	0.2	0.0	0.6	1.2	0.0	0.1
2nd District	24.7	18.2	2.3	1.4	20.9	28.4	15.9	20.6	0.9	0.7	0.1	0.1	0.6	1.1	0.6	0.8	0.4	0.2	0.1	0.0	0.2	0.5	0.2	0.3
3rd District	27.6	19.7	1.3	1.0	25.4	29.7	18.0	21.3	2.2	1.6	0.2	0.2	1.9	2.6	1.3	1.8	1.0	0.5	0.1	0.1	0.8	1.2	0.4	0.6
4th District	26.3	22.8	1.5	0.9	23.8	28.8	21.3	24.3	1.0	1.4	0.1	0.1	0.9	1.2	1.2	1.6	0.5	0.5	0.1	0.1	0.4	0.6	0.4	0.6
Cordillera Administrative Region (CAR)	29.3	26.8	0.6	0.7	28.3	30.4	25.7	27.9	4.0	3.2	0.2	0.2	3.7	4.4	2.9	3.5	1.7	1.3	0.1	0.1	1.6	1.9	1.1	1.4
Abra	33.8	26.3	1.2			35.8	24.2	28.5	10.0	5.7	0.7	0.6	8.8	11.2	4.7	6.6	4.8	2.3	0.4	0.3	4.1	5.5	1.8	2.8
Apayao	33.0	24.5	2.2			36.7	21.1	27.9	7.7	3.1	1.3	0.0	5.5	9.8	1.9	4.2	3.4	1.1	0.4	0.3	2.2		0.7	1.6
	27.8	24.3	1.7			30.7	26.1	31.3	1.7	2.2	0.2	0.7	1.3	2.0	1.8	2.5	0.7	0.9		0.3	0.5	0.9	0.7	1.1
Benguet	23.8	26.7	1.7			26.0	24.0	29.1	1.7 3.7	3.6	0.2	0.2	2.8	4.6	2.6	4.7	1.3	1.5	0.1	0.1	0.9		1.0	1.1
Ifugao Kalinga			1.5				20.2	24.5				0.6		3.5	2.0		1.0	0.9	0.2	0.3		1.3		
Mt. Province	23.9 28.3	22.3 27.6	1.5			26.4 30.1	25.3	24.5	2.9 6.9	2.7	0.4 0.7	0.4	2.3 5.8	8.0	4.9	3.4 7.6	2.9	2.5	0.2 0.3	0.2	0.7 2.4		0.6 1.8	1.2 3.2
IVIC. PTOVITICE	20.3	27.0	1.1	1.4	20.5	30.1	25.5	29.9	0.9	6.3	0.7	0.8	5.6	8.0	4.5	7.6	2.9	2.5	0.5	0.4	2.4	5.4	1.0	5.2
Region I (Ilocos Region)	19.5	23.4	0.9	0.9	18.0	21.0	21.9	24.9	1.7	3.7	0.2	0.3	1.4	2.0	3.2	4.2	0.5	1.4	0.1	0.1	0.4	0.6	1.2	1.6
Ilocos Norte	17.4	17.3	2.9			22.2	15.5	19.0	1.0	1.1	0.3	0.2	0.5	1.4	0.7	1.5	0.3	0.3		0.1	0.1	0.5	0.2	0.4
Ilocos Sur	17.8	24.1	1.4			20.0	22.5	25.8	1.6	4.3	0.2	0.4	1.2	2.0	3.6	5.0	0.5	1.5		0.2	0.3		1.2	1.8
La Union	18.3	20.0	1.8			21.3	18.2	21.7	0.7	2.1	0.2	0.3	0.4	0.9	1.7	2.6	0.2	0.7	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.3	0.5	0.9
Pangasinan	20.1	24.2	1.2			22.0	22.1	26.3	2.1	4.5	0.3	0.5	1.7	2.6	3.7	5.3	0.7	1.8		0.2	0.5	0.9	1.4	2.1
Region II (Cagayan Valley)	24.4	26.0	0.7	0.9	23.2	25.6	24.6	27.4	3.7	4.3	0.2	0.4	3.3	4.1	3.7	4.8	1.4	1.6	0.1	0.2	1.2	1.6	1.3	1.9
Batanes	29.1	26.4	3.8	3.1	22.8	35.4	21.3	31.5	3.9	2.0	0.6	0.6	2.9	4.9	1.0	2.9	1.8	0.7	0.4	0.3	1.1	2.4	0.3	1.1
Cagayan	25.6	22.8	1.3	1.1	23.4	27.7	21.1	24.5	3.9	2.9	0.4	0.4	3.2	4.5	2.3	3.6	1.5	1.0	0.2	0.1	1.2	1.8	0.7	1.2
Isabela	23.3	27.2	1.2	1.3	21.3	25.3	25.1	29.2	3.6	5.6	0.4	0.7	3.0	4.3	4.5	6.8	1.3	2.3	0.2	0.4	1.0	1.6	1.7	2.9
Nueva Vizcaya	26.4	28.4	1.3	2.1	24.3	28.5	24.9	31.9	4.5	3.6	0.5	0.7	3.6	5.4	2.6	4.7	1.8	1.5		0.3	1.4	2.3	1.0	2.1
Quirino	18.8	22.0	1.5			21.3	19.8	24.2	1.9	2.5	0.3	0.3	1.4	2.3	2.0	3.0	0.5	0.9	0.1	0.1	0.4		0.6	1.1
Region III (Central Luzon)	23.8	23.4	0.7	0.6	22.6	25.0	22.4	24.3	1.9	3.2	0.1	0.2	1.7	2.1	2.9	3.5	0.7	1.2	0.1	0.1	0.7	0.8	1.0	1.3
Aurora	25.1	25.9	1.2			27.1	24.1	27.6	4.2	6.2	0.5	0.7	3.4	5.0	5.1	7.3	1.7	2.3	0.2	0.3	1.3		1.8	2.8
Bataan	26.9	23.5	1.8			29.8	21.3	25.7	3.1	3.0	0.4	0.3	2.5	3.7	2.5	3.5	1.3	1.1		0.2	1.0		0.9	1.4
Bulacan	23.2	24.6	2.6			27.4	22.7	26.6	1 1	3.7	0.2	0.4	0.8	1.5	3.0	4.4	0.5	1.4	0.2	0.2	0.3		1.0	1.7
Nueva Ecija	22.7	23.2	1.5			25.1	20.7	25.8	2.4	4.0	0.3	0.6	1.8	2.9	3.0	4.9	0.9	1.4	0.1	0.3	0.6		0.9	1.8
Pampanga	20.3	17.2	1.9			23.4	15.2	19.3	0.7	1 1	0.2	0.1	0.4	1.0	0.8	1.3	0.3	0.3		0.1	0.1		0.2	0.4
Tarlac	22.8	23.0	1.7			25.6	21.1	25.0	2.4	3.0	0.3	0.3	1.9	2.8	2.5	3.5	0.8	1.1	0.1	0.1	0.6		0.9	1.3
Zambales	27.2	25.0	1.2			29.2	23.2	26.8	4.5	5.5	0.5	0.4	3.8	5.3	4.8	6.2	1.9	2.1	0.1	0.1	1.5		1.8	2.4
Zambares	27.2	25.0	1.2	1.1	23.2	23.2	25.2	20.0	4.5	3.3	0.5	0.4	3.0	3.3	7.0	0.2	1.5	2.1	0.5	0.2	1.5	2.7	1.0	2.7
Region IV-A (CALABARZON)	23.6	22.6	1.0	0.7	22.0	25.2	21.4	23.8	1.8	2.4	0.1	0.2	1.6	2.1	2.1	2.7	0.7	0.8	0.1	0.1	0.6	0.8	0.7	1.0
Batangas	22.9		1.3			25.0	16.6	21.8	3.0	1.3	0.4	0.2	2.4	3.6	1.0	1.7	1.0	0.4	0.2	0.1	0.8		0.3	0.5
Cavite	24.4	20.7	2.2			28.0	18.4	23.0	1.5	2.2	0.3	0.3	1.1	1.9	1.8	2.7	0.6	0.7		0.1	0.4		0.5	1.0
Laguna	25.0	23.1	4.1			31.7	20.0	26.2	1.3	2.3	0.3	0.4	0.7	1.8	1.6	3.0	0.6	0.9		0.2	0.2		0.5	1.2
Quezon	22.2	25.4	1.3			24.4	23.5	27.4	2.8	5.6	0.4	0.6	2.1	3.4	4.6	6.6	1.0	2.1	0.2	0.3	0.8		1.6	2.5
Rizal	25.1		2.9			29.9	20.4	26.1	1.2	1.4	0.3	0.2	0.8	1.6	1.0	1.8	0.5	0.5		0.1	0.3		0.3	0.7
MIMAROPA Region	24.3		0.8			25.6	25.3	27.4	3.7	5.1	0.2	0.3	3.3	4.1	4.6	5.6	1.4	1.9			1.2		1.7	2.2
Marinduque	23.2	23.7	1.2			25.2	21.9	25.5	3.3	4.4	0.4	0.4	2.7	3.9	3.7	5.2	1.2	1.5		0.2	0.9		1.2	1.8
Occidental Mindoro	25.7	28.8	1.7			28.4	27.1	30.6	5.7	7.2	0.7	0.8	4.5	6.9	5.9	8.4	2.3	2.9		0.3	1.6	2.9	2.3	3.5
Oriental Mindoro	25.5		1.7			28.4	23.7	29.7	3.3	4.4	0.5	0.7	2.5	4.1	3.3	5.5	1.4	1.7		0.3	1.0		1.2	2.3
Palawan	22.6	26.0	1.8	1.3		25.6	23.9	28.1	2.6	4.2	0.4	0.5	1.9	3.2	3.3	5.0	1.0	1.6	0.2	0.2	0.6	1.3	1.2	2.0
Romblon	24.0	24.6	1.1	1.0	22.3	25.7	23.0	26.2	5.8	7.9	0.6	0.6	4.9	6.8	6.9	8.9	2.1	2.7	0.3	0.3	1.6	2.5	2.3	3.2

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			Firs	t Semest	er Income	Gap					Fir	st Semes	ter Povert	y Gap					First Se	emester Se	verity of P	overty		
	Estima	ite (%)	Standa	rd Error		% Confide			Estima	te (%)	Standa	rd Error		6 Confide			Estimat	te (%)	Standa	rd Error			nce Interv	
Region/Province					201		20						201)21					20:		20	
	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	Lower	Upper	Lower	Upper	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	Lower	Upper	Lower	Upper	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	Lower	Upper	Lower	Upper
					Limit	Limit	Limit	Limit					Limit	Limit	Limit	Limit					Limit	Limit	Limit	Limit
Region V (Bicol Region)	24.2	27.7	0.5	0.7	23.3	25.0	26.5	28.8	5.2	7.2	0.2	0.4	4.8	5.6	6.6	7.9	1.9	2.9	0.1	0.2	1.7	2.1	2.6	3.3
Albay	21.7	25.2	1.1	1.2		23.5	23.2	27.2	3.5	4.7	0.4	0.5	2.9	4.1	3.8	5.6	1.2	1.7	0.2	0.2	0.9	1.4	1.3	2.1
Camarines Norte	25.6	24.1	1.2	1.0	23.6	27.6	22.5	25.8	6.4	5.1	0.6	0.5	5.5	7.3	4.2	5.9	2.5	1.9	0.3	0.2	2.0	2.9	1.5	2.2
Camarines Sur	25.4	32.3	1.2	1.3	23.5	27.4	30.2	34.5	4.9	11.2	0.5	1.1	4.0	5.8	9.4	13.0	1.9	5.0	0.2	0.6	1.5	2.3	4.0	6.0
Catanduanes	26.7	23.6	1.3	1.2	24.5	28.9	21.6	25.5	5.2	4.1	0.6	0.4	4.3	6.1	3.4	4.8	2.0	1.4	0.3	0.2	1.6	2.5	1.1	1.7
Masbate	23.9	23.3	1.0	1.1	22.3	25.5	21.6	25.1	7.0	5.8	0.6	0.5	6.0	8.1	4.9	6.7	2.5	2.0	0.3	0.2	2.0	2.9	1.6	2.4
Sorsogon	22.9	23.6	1.0	0.9	21.3	24.6	22.0	25.1	5.6	6.2	0.5	0.5	4.9	6.4	5.3	7.1	2.0	2.2	0.2	0.2	1.7	2.3	1.8	2.5
Region VI (Western Visayas)	23.0	25.3	0.8	0.7	21.7	24.3	24.2	26.4	3.7	4.9	0.3	0.3	3.2	4.1	4.4	5.4	1.3	1.8	0.1	0.1	1.1	1.5	1.6	2.0
Aklan	21.1	24.7	1.6	1.0	18.5	23.8	23.0	26.5	3.1	4.5	0.4	0.5	2.4	3.8	3.8	5.3	1.1	1.6	0.2	0.2	0.7	1.4	1.3	2.0
Antique	25.7	29.1	1.2			27.7	27.0	31.1	4.7	6.4	0.5	0.7	3.9	5.5	5.2	7.5	1.9	2.5	0.3	0.3	1.5	2.3	2.0	3.1
Capiz	18.0	16.4	1.7	1.7	15.1	20.9	13.7	19.1	1.0	1.6	0.2	0.3	0.7	1.3	1.1	2.0	0.3	0.4	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.5	0.3	0.6
Guimaras	19.7	22.7	1.6	1.8		22.3	19.6	25.7	2.5	4.3	0.3	0.7	1.9	3.1	3.2	5.4	0.8	1.5	0.1	0.3	0.5	1.0	1.0	1.9
Iloilo	20.7	26.5	1.1	1.5		22.6	24.1	29.0	3.3	4.9	0.3	0.6	2.7	3.8	3.9	5.8	1.1	1.9	0.1	0.3	0.8	1.3	1.4	2.4
Negros Occidental	24.8	25.1	1.4	0.9	22.4	27.1	23.5	26.6	4.6	5.6	0.5	0.5	3.7	5.5	4.7	6.5	1.7	2.0	0.3	0.2	1.3	2.1	1.6	2.4
Region VII (Central Visayas)	26.6	30.9	0.8	0.6	25.3	27.8	29.9	32.0	5.1	8.3	0.3	0.5	4.6	5.5	7.5	9.0	2.1	3.6	0.1	0.2	1.8	2.3	3.2	4.0
Bohol	27.4	29.9	1.2			29.4	27.8	32.0	5.8	7.9	0.6	0.7	4.8	6.8	6.7	9.1	2.3	3.4	0.3	0.4	1.9	2.8	2.8	4.1
Cebu	24.2	31.1	1.1	0.8	22.4	26.0	29.7	32.5	4.0	8.4	0.3	0.6	3.5	4.5	7.3	9.4	1.5	3.7	0.2	0.3	1.3	1.8	3.2	4.2
Negros Oriental	31.1	31.3	1.4	1.4		33.4	29.1	33.6	8.2	8.8	0.9	0.9	6.7	9.7	7.3	10.2	3.8	3.9	0.5	0.5	3.0	4.6	3.1	4.7
Siquijor	21.2	17.0	1.8	3.0	18.3	24.1	12.1	22.0	2.1	0.7	0.4	0.3	1.5	2.8	0.3	1.1	0.7	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.4	0.9	0.1	0.4
Region VIII (Eastern Visayas)	29.7	29.7	0.7	0.7	28.6	30.7	28.6	30.7	9.0	8.6	0.4	0.5	8.3	9.7	7.8	9.3	4.0	3.6	0.2	0.2	3.6	4.4	3.2	4.0
Biliran	22.8	26.4	1.1	1.1		24.7	24.6	28.2	4.1	5.9	0.4	0.6	3.5	4.8	5.0	6.9	1.4	2.2	0.2	0.3	1.2	1.7	1.8	2.7
Eastern Samar	31.2	30.2	1.0	0.8	20.5	32.8	28.8	31.6	13.4	10.9	0.9	0.9	11.9	14.9	9.4	12.3	6.0	4.2	0.5	0.4	5.2	6.8	3.6	4.9
Leyte	30.4	32.4	1.2			32.4	30.5	34.2	8.9	9.6	0.8	0.9	7.6	10.2	8.1	11.0	4.0	4.3	0.5	0.5	3.2	4.8	3.5	5.1
Northern Samar	28.0	23.0	1.1	1.0		29.8	21.4	24.6	8.4	5.3	0.7	0.5	7.3	9.6	4.6	6.1	3.5	1.8	0.3	0.2	2.9	4.0	1.5	2.1
Southern Leyte	26.0	26.9	1.3	1.1	23.8	28.1	25.1	28.8	5.9	6.9	0.6	0.6	5.0	6.9	5.9	7.8	2.6	2.7	0.3	0.3	2.0	3.1	2.3	3.2
Western Samar	30.3	27.2	1.5	1.2	27.8	32.8	25.3	29.2	9.8	8.2	0.9	0.8	8.2	11.3	6.9	9.4	4.5	3.2	0.5	0.4	3.6	5.4	2.6	3.9
Region IX (Zamboanga Peninsula)	30.4	32.0	0.7	0.8	29.3	31.5	30.7	33.3	9.8	9.9	0.5	0.5	9.1	10.6	9.1	10.7	4.4	4.5	0.3	0.3	3.9	4.8	4.1	5.0
Zamboanga del Norte	31.5	37.6	1.2	1.3	29.5	33.4	35.4	39.8	13.1	20.2	1.1	1.4	11.3	14.9	17.9	22.5	5.8	10.2	0.6	0.9	4.8	6.8	8.7	11.8
Zamboanga del Sur	28.0	27.0	1.1	1.3	26.1	29.8	24.9	29.1	7.0	5.2	0.6	0.5	6.1	8.0	4.3	6.0	3.0	2.1	0.3	0.3	2.5	3.5	1.6	2.5
Zamboanga Sibugay	32.1	26.5	1.2	0.9	30.2	34.0	25.1	28.0	11.6	7.9	1.0	0.6	9.9	13.3	6.8	8.9	5.3	3.0	0.6	0.3	4.3	6.2	2.5	3.5
Isabela City	34.9	24.4	1.8	1.6	31.9	37.9	21.8	27.0	18.6	5.8	1.6	8.0	15.9	21.2	4.5	7.0	9.1	2.1	1.0	0.4	7.4	10.8	1.5	2.7
Region X (Northern Mindanao)	26.5	27.9	0.5	0.7	25.7	27.3	26.7	29.1	6.8	7.3	0.3	0.4	6.3	7.2	6.6	8.0	2.7	2.9	0.1	0.2	2.5	2.9	2.6	3.3
Bukidnon	26.0	31.0	0.8			27.4	28.6	33.3	8.4	10.2	0.7	1.1	7.3	9.5	8.4	12.0	3.2	4.4	0.3	0.6	2.7	3.7	3.4	5.4
Camiguin	25.0	26.1	1.4	1.8		27.2	23.2	29.0	5.9	4.6	0.7	0.5	4.8	7.1	3.8	5.4	2.3	1.8		0.3	1.7	2.8	1.3	2.2
Lanao del Norte	25.0	30.0	0.9	1.4		26.5	27.8	32.3	5.9	9.4	0.4	0.9	5.1	6.6	7.9	10.9	2.2	4.0	0.2	0.5	1.9	2.6	3.2	4.8
Misamis Occidental	28.8	21.2	1.4	0.9		31.0	19.8	22.7	9.4	5.0	0.8	0.5	8.1	10.7	4.1	5.8	4.0	1.6	0.5	0.2	3.2	4.8	1.3	1.9
Misamis Oriental	26.9	24.4	0.9	0.7	25.4	28.4	23.3	25.6	5.0	4.7	0.3	0.3	4.5	5.5	4.1	5.2	2.0	1.6	0.2	0.1	1.8	2.3	1.4	1.9
Region XI (Davao Region)	25.1	24.3	0.7	0.7	23.9	26.3	23.3	25.4	4.5	3.4	0.3	0.2	4.0	4.9	3.1	3.7	1.7	1.3	0.1	0.1	1.5	1.9	1.1	1.4
Davao del Norte	22.5	22.5	1.7	1.9	19.7	25.2	19.4	25.6	3.3	3.0	0.5	0.5	2.5	4.0	2.2	3.9	1.2	1.1	0.2	0.3	0.9	1.6	0.7	1.5
Davao del Sur	24.3	22.6	2.1	1.2	20.9	27.7	20.6	24.7	2.6	1.8	0.4	0.2	1.9	3.3	1.4	2.2	1.0	0.6	0.2	0.1	0.6	1.3	0.5	0.8
Davao Oriental	25.3	24.5	0.9	1.3	23.7	26.8	22.4	26.7	8.2	6.0	0.7	0.7	7.1	9.3	4.8	7.2	2.9	2.1	0.3	0.3	2.5	3.4	1.6	2.7
Compostela Valley	26.3	24.6	0.9	1.4	24.9	27.8	22.3	26.8	6.8	5.3	0.6	0.7	5.9	7.7	4.2	6.5	2.6	2.0	0.3	0.3	2.2	3.1	1.5	2.5
Davao Occidental	27.9	29.9	1.3	1.8	25.7	30.1	26.8	32.9	10.5	9.5	1.0	1.2	8.9	12.2	7.5	11.4	4.2	4.1	0.5	0.7	3.3	5.1	3.0	5.2

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			Firs	t Semeste	er Income	Gap					Firs	t Semest	ter Povert	y Gap					First Se	emester Se	verity of P	overty		
	Estima	ate (%)	Standa	rd Error	90	% Confide	nce Interv		Estima	te (%)	Standar	d Error	909	% Confide			Estima	ite (%)	Standar	d Error	90	% Confide		
Region/Province				<u> </u>	202	L8 ^u	202	21					201		20	21					201		202	
	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	Lower	Upper	Lower	Upper	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	Lower	Upper	Lower	Upper	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	Lower	Upper	Lower	Upper
					Limit	Limit	Limit	Limit					Limit	Limit	Limit	Limit					Limit	Limit	Limit	Limit
Region XII (SOCCSKSARGEN)	32.2	30.2		0.6	31.0	33.5	29.2	31.2	8.8	8.2		0.4	8.0	9.5	7.5	8.8	4.0	3.5	0.3	0.2	3.6	4.5	3.2	3.9
North Cotabato	32.5	27.2	1.3	1.1	30.4	34.7	25.3	29.0	8.3	7.6	0.9	0.8	6.9	9.8	6.2	8.9	3.7	3.0	0.5	0.4	2.9	4.5	2.4	3.7
Sarangani	35.2	35.8	1.7	1.3	32.3	38.1	33.6	37.9	14.4	15.1	1.6	1.2	11.8	16.9	13.0	17.1	7.0	7.4	1.0	0.7	5.4	8.6	6.2	8.6
South Cotabato	28.6	32.1	2.2	1.4	25.0	32.1	29.8	34.4	5.4	6.3	0.7	0.6	4.2	6.6	5.3	7.4	2.4	2.9	0.5	0.4	1.7	3.2	2.3	3.5
Sultan Kudarat	33.9	27.4	1.3	1.1	31.8	36.1	25.7	29.2	11.1	7.1	1.0	0.8	9.4	12.7	5.8	8.4	5.2	2.7	0.6	0.3	4.2	6.1	2.2	3.3
Cotabato City	31.2	28.8	1.4	1.2	29.0	33.4	26.8	30.8	13.1	12.1	1.1	1.0	11.3	15.0	10.4	13.7	5.9	4.7	0.7	0.5	4.7	7.0	3.9	5.6
Region XIII (Caraga)	26.8	29.9	0.5	0.6	26.0	27.6	29.0	30.8	7.6	9.3	0.3	0.4	7.1	8.1	8.6	9.9	2.9	3.9	0.1	0.2	2.7	3.2	3.6	4.2
Agusan del Norte	25.1	28.8	0.8	0.8	23.7	26.5	27.5	30.1	5.8	8.0	0.3	0.5	5.1	6.5	7.2	8.8	2.2	3.2	0.1	0.2	1.9	2.5	2.8	3.6
Agusan del Sur	27.4	31.2	1.0		25.7	29.1	29.6	32.8	8.9	12.4	0.4	0.9	7.6	10.2	10.8	13.9	3.4	5.2	0.2	0.2	2.8	4.1	4.5	6.0
				1.0							0.8							3.2						
Surigao Del Norte	28.2	32.2	0.9	1.7	26.7	29.8	29.4	35.0	9.1	8.8		1.0	7.8	10.5	7.2	10.5	3.6	4.1	0.4	0.6	3.0	4.2	3.1	5.2
Surigao Del Sur	25.4	27.3	1.0	1.2	23.7	27.2	25.4	29.2	6.1	7.6		0.8	5.1	7.1	6.4	8.9	2.2	3.0	0.3	0.4	1.8	2.7	2.4	3.6
Dinagat Islands	28.9	28.1	1.5	1.7	26.4	31.4	25.4	30.9	10.6	8.5	1.1	0.9	8.9	12.3	7.0	10.1	4.5	3.4	0.6	0.5	3.5	5.4	2.6	4.3
Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao/	33.0	28.8	0.6	0.7	32.1	33.9	27.6	30.1	18.4	11.4	0.6	0.5	17.5	19.4	10.5	12.3	8.4	4.6	0.4	0.3	7.8	9.0	4.2	5.1
Bangsamoro Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao																								
(ARMM/BARMM)																								
Basilan	35.3	29.5	0.9	1.2	33.8	36.8	27.6	31.5	23.1	13.8	1.1	1.2	21.2	25.0	11.9	15.7	10.6	5.7	0.7	0.6	9.5	11.7	4.7	6.6
Lanao del Sur	36.9	14.1	1.1	1.2	35.1	38.7	12.2	16.1	25.1	1.6	1.3	0.2	23.1	27.2	1.2	2.0	12.2	0.4	0.8	0.1	10.8	13.5	0.3	0.5
Maguindanao	31.3	26.1	1.2	1.2	29.4	33.2	24.2	28.0	15.2	9.7	1.3	1.0	13.1	17.3	8.1	11.3	6.8	3.7	0.7	0.5	5.6	8.0	2.9	4.4
Sulu	29.5	33.9	1.0	1.5	28.0	31.1	31.4	36.4	19.7	24.4	0.9	1.7	18.2	21.2	21.6	27.2	8.3	10.9	0.6	1.1	7.3	9.2	9.1	12.6
Tawi-tawi	27.3	26.6		0.9	23.6	31.0	25.1	28.1	4.8	10.5	0.6	1.1	3.8	5.8	8.8	12.3	2.3	3.8	0.5	0.4	1.6	3.1	3.1	4.6

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Table 6a. First Semester Income Gap, Poverty Gap and Severity of Poverty with Measures of Precision, by Region, Province and Highly Urbanized Cities: 2018^u and 2021

			First	Semester I	ncome Ga	D					First	Semeste	r Poverty (Gap					First	Semester S	Severity of	Poverty		
						•	nce Interv	<i>r</i> al		_				0% Confide	nce Interv	ral		_ [nfidence	90% Cor	nfidence
Region/Province	Estir	mate	Standa	rd Error	20:		20		Estim	ate	Standar	d Error	201		20		Estin	nate	Standa	rd Error		18 ^u	20	
negion, rounes					Lower	Upper	Lower	Upper			[Lower	Upper	Lower	Upper				I	Lower	Upper	Lower	Upper
	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	Limit	Limit	Limit	Limit	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	Limit	Limit	Limit	Limit	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	Limit	Limit	Limit	Limit
PHILIPPINES	27.0	27.0	0.2	0.2	26.7	27.3	26.7	27.3	4.4	4.9	0.1	0.1	4.3	4.5	4.7	5.0	1.8	1.9	0.0	0.0	1.7	1.9	1.9	2.0
National Capital Region (NCR)	27.0	20.0	0.9	0.6	25.5	28.5	19.0	21.1	1.3	1.0	0.1	0.1	1.2	1.5	0.9	1.1	0.6	0.4	0.0	0.0	0.5	0.7	0.3	0.4
1st District																								
City Of Manila	30.3	11.5	2.3	2.0	26.6	34.0	8.2	14.8	1.7	0.2	0.3	0.1	1.2	2.3	0.1	0.3	0.9	0.0	0.2	0.0	0.6	1.2	0.0	0.1
2nd District	00.0										0.0													
City Of Mandaluyong	20.7	10.6	2.7	2.4	16.3	25.1	6.7	14.6	0.3	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.5	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.2	0.0	0.0
City Of Marikina	19.9	16.0	2.6	2.1	15.6	24.2	12.5	19.5	0.8	0.5	0.2	0.1	0.6	1.1	0.4	0.7	0.3	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.5	0.1	0.3
City Of Pasig	24.3	24.6	3.6	2.9	18.3	30.2	19.8	29.5	0.9	1.3	0.2	0.3	0.6	1.2	0.8	1.8	0.4	0.5	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.6	0.3	0.8
Quezon City	25.8	16.5	3.3	1.8	20.4	31.2	13.5	19.4	1.0	0.7	0.2	0.1	0.6	1.3	0.5	0.9	0.4	0.2	0.1	0.0	0.2	0.6	0.1	0.3
City Of San Juan	23.5	22.0	5.3	0.0	14.8	32.2	0.0	0.0	0.4	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.6	0.0	0.2	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.3	0.0	0.0
3rd District																								
City Of Caloocan	30.0	20.7	2.1	1.4	26.5	33.4	18.4	23.1	2.3	2.0	0.3	0.3	1.8	2.9	1.6	2.4	1.1	0.7	0.2	0.1	0.8	1.4	0.5	0.9
City Of Malabon	25.3	19.3	2.3	1.8	21.5	29.1	16.2	22.3	2.3	1.2	0.3	0.2	1.8	2.8	0.9	1.5	1.0	0.4	0.2	0.1	0.7	1.4	0.2	0.5
City Of Navotas	23.3	18.4	1.8	1.2	20.4	26.3	16.5	20.4	2.6	1.8	0.3	0.2	2.2	3.0	1.4	2.2	1.1	0.5	0.2	0.1	0.8	1.3	0.4	0.7
City Of Valenzuela	25.7	16.0	2.2	1.3	22.1	29.2	13.8	18.2	1.8	0.8	0.3	0.1	1.4	2.3	0.6	1.0	0.8	0.2	0.2	0.0	0.5	1.1	0.1	0.3
4th District																								
City Of Las Piñas	22.2	18.9	2.3	1.8	18.4	26.1	15.9	21.9	0.9	1.0	0.2	0.2	0.6	1.1	0.7	1.3	0.3	0.3	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.5	0.2	0.4
City Of Makati	25.6	18.1	8.4	3.7	11.9	39.4	12.0	24.2	0.2	0.4	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.4	0.2	0.6	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.2	0.1	0.2
City Of Muntinlupa	24.2	22.0	1.7	2.4	21.4	27.0	18.1	26.0	1.4	1.5	0.2	0.3	1.0	1.7	1.0	2.1	0.5	0.6	0.1	0.2	0.4	0.7	0.3	0.8
City Of Parañaque	27.8	23.6	2.8	2.4	23.1	32.4	19.5	27.6	1.3	1.2	0.3	0.2	0.9	1.8	0.8	1.6	0.6	0.5	0.2	0.1	0.3	0.9	0.3	0.7
Pasay City	31.0	26.2	2.6	2.6	26.7	35.3	22.0	30.4	1.9	1.8	0.3	0.3	1.4	2.3	1.2	2.4	0.9	0.7	0.2	0.2	0.6	1.1	0.4	1.0
Pateros	29.8	21.9	4.6	2.8	22.2	37.4	17.3	26.5	1.2	1.6	0.3	0.4	0.6	1.8	0.9	2.3	0.6	0.6	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.9	0.3	0.9
City Of Taguig	25.7	24.0	5.7	1.5	16.2	35.1	21.5	26.5	0.8	2.3	0.2	0.4	0.5	1.2	1.7	2.9	0.4	0.9	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.7	0.6	1.1
Cordillera Administrative Region (CAR)	29.3	26.8	0.6	0.7	28.3	30.4	25.7	27.9	4.0	3.2	0.2	0.2	3.7	4.4	2.9	3.5	1.7	1.3	0.1	0.1	1.6	1.9	1.1	1.4
Abra	33.8	26.3	1.2	1.3	31.9	35.8	24.2	28.5	10.0	5.7	0.7	0.6	8.8	11.2	4.7	6.6	4.8	2.3	0.4	0.3	4.1	5.5	1.8	2.8
Apayao	33.0	24.5	2.2	2.1	29.3	36.7	21.1	27.9	7.7	3.1	1.3	0.7	5.5	9.8	1.9	4.2	3.4	1.1	0.7	0.3	2.2	4.5	0.7	1.6
Benguet (w/o the City of Baguio)	28.3	29.2	1.8	1.9	25.4	31.3	26.1	32.3	2.5	3.2	0.4	0.4	1.9	3.1	2.5	3.8	1.0	1.3	0.2	0.2	0.7	1.3	1.0	1.7
City Of Baguio	25.7	26.8	4.5	2.1	18.4	33.1	23.3	30.3	0.7	0.9	0.2	0.2	0.4	1.0	0.6	1.2	0.3	0.4	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.5	0.2	0.5
Ifugao	23.8	26.6	1.3	1.6	21.6	26.0	24.0	29.1	3.7	3.6	0.5	0.6	2.8	4.6	2.6	4.7	1.3	1.5	0.2	0.3	0.9	1.6	1.0	1.9
Kalinga	23.9	22.3	1.5	1.3	21.4	26.4	20.2	24.5	2.9	2.7	0.4	0.4	2.3	3.5	2.0	3.4	1.0	0.9	0.2	0.2	0.7	1.3	0.6	1.2
Mt. Province	28.3	27.6	1.1	1.4	26.5	30.1	25.3	29.9	6.9	6.3	0.7	0.8	5.8	8.0	4.9	7.6	2.9	2.5	0.3	0.4	2.4	3.4	1.8	3.2
Region I (Ilocos Region)	19.5	23.4	0.9	0.9	18.0	21.0	21.9	24.9	1.7	3.7	0.2	0.3	1.4	2.0	3.2	4.2	0.5	1.4	0.1	0.1	0.4	0.6	1.2	1.6
Ilocos Norte	17.4	17.3	2.9	1.1	12.5	22.2	15.5	19.0	1.0	1.1	0.3	0.2	0.5	1.4	0.7	1.5	0.3	0.3	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.5	0.2	0.4
llocos Sur	17.8	24.1	1.4	1.0	15.6	20.0	22.5	25.8	1.6	4.3	0.2	0.4	1.2	2.0	3.6	5.0	0.5	1.5	0.1	0.2	0.3	0.6	1.2	1.8
La Union	18.3	20.0	1.8	1.0	15.3	21.3	18.2	21.7	0.7	2.1	0.2	0.3	0.4	0.9	1.7	2.6	0.2	0.7	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.3	0.5	0.9
Pangasinan	20.1	24.2	1.2	1.3	18.1	22.0	22.1	26.3	2.1	4.5	0.3	0.5	1.7	2.6	3.7	5.3	0.7	1.8	0.1	0.2	0.5	0.9	1.4	2.1
Pagion II (Cognian Valley)	24.4	26.0	0.7	0.0	22.2	25.6	24.6	27.4	2.7	4.2	0.2	0.4	2.2	4.1	2.7	4.0	1.4	1.6	0.1	0.2	1.2	1.6	1.2	1.0
Region II (Cagayan Valley)	24.4	26.0	0.7	0.9	23.2	25.6	24.6	27.4	3.7	4.3	0.2	0.4	3.3	4.1	3.7	4.8	1.4	1.6	0.1	0.2	1.2	1.6	1.3	1.9
Batanes	29.1	26.4	3.8	3.1	22.8	35.4	21.3	31.5	3.9	2.0	0.6	0.6	2.9	4.9	1.0	2.9	1.8	0.7	0.4	0.3	1.1	2.4	0.3	1.1
Cagayan Isabela	25.6	22.8	1.3	1.1	23.4	27.7	21.1	24.5	3.9	2.9	0.4	0.4	3.2	4.5	2.3	3.6	1.5	1.0	0.2	0.1	1.2	1.8	0.7	1.2
	23.3	27.2	1.2	1.3	21.3	25.3	25.1	29.2	3.6	5.6	0.4	0.7	3.0	4.3	4.5	6.8	1.3	2.3	0.2	0.4	1.0	1.6	1.7	2.9
Nueva Vizcaya	26.4	28.4	1.3	2.1	24.3	28.5	24.9	31.9	4.5	3.6	0.5	0.7	3.6	5.4	2.6	4.7	1.8	1.5	0.3	0.3	1.4	2.3	1.0	2.1
Quirino	18.8	22.0	1.5	1.4	16.4	21.3	19.8	24.2	1.9	2.5	0.3	0.3	1.4	2.3	2.0	3.0	0.5	0.9	0.1	0.1	0.4	0.7	0.6	1.1
Region III (Central Luzon)	23.8	23.4	0.7	0.6	22.6	25.0	22.4	24.3	1.9	3.2	0.1	0.2	1.7	2.1	2.9	3.5	0.7	1.2	0.1	0.1	0.7	0.8	1.0	1.3
Aurora	25.1	25.9	1.2	1.1	23.1	27.1	24.1	27.6	4.2	6.2	0.5	0.7	3.4	5.0	5.1	7.3	1.7	2.3	0.2	0.3	1.3	2.0	1.8	2.8
Bataan	26.9	23.5	1.8	1.3	24.0	29.8	21.3	25.7	3.1	3.0	0.4	0.3	2.5	3.7	2.5	3.5	1.3	1.1	0.2	0.2	1.0	1.6	0.9	1.4
Bulacan	23.2	24.6	2.6	1.2	18.9	27.4	22.7	26.6	1.1	3.7	0.2	0.4	0.8	1.5	3.0	4.4	0.5	1.4	0.1	0.2	0.3	0.7	1.0	1.7
Nueva Ecija	22.7	23.2	1.5	1.5	20.4	25.1	20.7	25.8	2.4	4.0	0.3	0.6	1.8	2.9	3.0	4.9	0.9	1.4	0.1	0.3	0.6	1.1	0.9	1.8
Pampanga (w/o the City of Angeles)	20.5	16.6	2.0	1.5	17.1	23.8	14.2	19.0	0.8	1.1	0.2	0.2	0.4	1.2	0.8	1.4	0.3	0.3	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.5	0.2	0.4
City Of Angeles	18.7	20.8	2.0	1.5	15.4	22.0	18.3	23.3	0.4	1.1	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.6	0.8	1.3	0.1	0.3	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.2	0.2	0.4
Tarlac	22.8	23.0	1.7	1.2	19.9	25.6	21.1	25.0	2.4	3.0	0.3	0.3	1.9	2.8	2.5	3.5	0.8	1.1	0.1	0.1	0.6	1.1	0.9	1.3
Zambales (w/o the City of Olongapo)	28.1	25.3	1.4	1.3	25.8	30.3	23.2	27.4	5.4	6.4	0.6	0.6	4.4	6.5	5.5	7.3	2.4	2.4	0.4	0.3	1.8	3.0	2.0	2.9
City Of Olongapo	22.3	23.3	2.0	1.3	19.0	25.6	21.1	25.4	2.1	3.0	0.3	0.4	1.6	2.6	2.4	3.6	0.8	1.1	0.2	0.2	0.5	1.1	0.8	1.4

Table 6a. First Semester Income Gap, Poverty Gap and Severity of Poverty with Measures of Precision, by Region, Province and Highly Urbanized Cities: 2018^u and 2021

			First	Semester I	ncome Ga	p					First	Semeste	r Poverty (Gap					First	Semester :	Severity of	Poverty		
	Fatis		Ctondo	ud Гииои	90	% Confide	nce Interv	al	Catina	ata .	Ctondo	ud Fuuou	90	0% Confide	nce Interv	/al	Fatin				90% Coi		90% Cor	nfidence
Region/Province	ESTI	mate	Standa	ra Error	201	L 8 ^u	202	21	Estim	iate	Standar	ra Error	202	18 ^u	20	21	Estin	nate	Standa	ird Error	20	18 ^u	20	21
	20404	2021	20404	2021	Lower	Upper	Lower	Upper	20404	2021	2040 ^u	2021	Lower	Upper	Lower	Upper	2040 ^u	2021	2040 ^U	2021	Lower	Upper	Lower	Upper
	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	Limit	Limit	Limit	Limit	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	Limit	Limit	Limit	Limit	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	Limit	Limit	Limit	Limit
Region IV-A (CALABARZON)	23.6	22.6	1.0	0.7	22.0	25.2	21.4	23.8	1.8	2.4	0.1	0.2	1.6	2.1	2.1	2.7	0.7	0.8	0.1	0.1	0.6	0.8	0.7	1.0
Batangas	22.9	19.2	1.3	1.6	20.7	25.0	16.6	21.8	3.0	1.3	0.4	0.2	2.4	3.6	1.0	1.7	1.0	0.4	0.2	0.1	0.8	1.3	0.3	0.5
Cavite	24.4	20.7	2.2	1.4	20.7	28.0	18.4	23.0	1.5	2.2	0.4	0.2	1 1	1.9	1.8	2.7	0.6	0.7	0.2	0.1	0.4	0.8	0.5	1.0
	25.0	23.1	4.1	1.9	18.3	31.7	20.0	26.2	1.3	2.3	0.3	0.3	0.7	1.8	1.6	3.0	0.6	0.9	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.8	0.5	1.2
Laguna Quezon (w/o the City of Lucena)	21.6	25.8	1.4	1.3	19.3	23.9	23.7	27.9	2.9	6.1	0.3	0.4	2.1	3.6	5.0	7.3	1.0	2.3	0.2	0.2	0.2	1.4	1.8	2.8
City Of Lucena	31.4	19.2	3.9		24.9	37.8	16.9	21.5	2.9	1.9	0.4	0.7		2.6	1.4	2.4	1.0	0.5	0.2	0.5	0.7	1.4	0.4	0.7
Rizal	25.1	23.3	2.9	1.4	20.4	29.9	20.4	26.1	1.2	1.4	0.4	0.3	1.3 0.8	1.6	1.0	1.8	0.5	0.5	0.3	0.1	0.3	0.7	0.4	0.7
Mizai	25.1	25.5	2.5	1.7	20.4	23.3	20.4	20.1	1.2	1.4	0.5	0.2	0.8	1.0	1.0	1.0	0.5	0.5	0.1	0.1	0.5	0.7	0.5	0.7
MIMAROPA Region	24.3	26.4	0.8	0.7	23.0	25.6	25.3	27.4	3.7	5.1	0.2	0.3	3.3	4.1	4.6	5.6	1.4	1.9	0.1	0.1	1.2	1.6	1.7	2.2
Marinduque	23.2	23.7	1.2	1.1	21.1	25.2	21.9	25.5	3.3	4.4	0.4	0.4	2.7	3.9	3.7	5.2	1.2	1.5	0.2	0.2	0.9	1.5	1.2	1.8
Occidental Mindoro	25.7	28.8	1.7	1.1	23.0	28.4	27.1	30.6	5.7	7.2	0.7	0.8	4.5	6.9	5.9	8.4	2.3	2.9	0.4	0.3	1.6	2.9	2.3	3.5
Oriental Mindoro	25.5	26.7	1.7	1.8	22.7	28.4	23.7	29.7	3.3	4.4	0.5	0.7	2.5	4.1	3.3	5.5	1.4	1.7	0.2	0.3	1.0	1.8	1.2	2.3
Palawan (w/o the City of Puerto Princesa)	23.1	26.9	1.9	1.4	20.0	26.3	24.7	29.2	3.2	5.0	0.5	0.7	2.4	4.0	3.9	6.1	1.2	2.0	0.3	0.3	0.8	1.6	1.5	2.5
City Of Puerto Princesa	16.6	19.2	1.9	1.4	13.5	19.8	16.9	21.5	0.6	1.5	0.2	0.3	0.4	0.9	1.0	2.0	0.2	0.4	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.3	0.3	0.6
Romblon	24.0	24.6	1.1	1.0	22.3	25.7	23.0	26.2	5.8	7.9	0.6	0.6	4.9	6.8	6.9	8.9	2.1	2.7	0.3	0.3	1.6	2.5	2.3	3.2
Region V (Bicol Region)	24.2	27.7	0.5	0.7	23.3	25.0	26.5	28.8	5.2	7.2	0.2	0.4	4.8	5.6	6.6	7.9	1.9	2.9	0.1	0.2	1.7	2.1	2.6	3.3
Albay	21.7	25.2	1.1	1.2	20.0	23.5	23.2	27.2	3.5	4.7	0.4	0.5	2.9	4.1	3.8	5.6	1.2	1.7	0.2	0.2	0.9	1.4	1.3	2.1
Camarines Norte	25.6	24.1	1.2	1.0	23.6	27.6	22.5	25.8	6.4	5.1	0.6	0.5	5.5	7.3	4.2	5.9	2.5	1.9	0.3	0.2	2.0	2.9	1.5	2.2
Camarines Sur	25.4	32.3	1.2	1.3	23.5	27.4	30.2	34.5	4.9	11.2	0.5	1.1	4.0	5.8	9.4	13.0	1.9	5.0	0.2	0.6	1.5	2.3	4.0	6.0
Catanduanes	26.7	23.6	1.3	1.2	24.5	28.9	21.6	25.5	5.2	4.1	0.6	0.4	4.3	6.1	3.4	4.8	2.0	1.4	0.3	0.2	1.6	2.5	1.1	1.7
Masbate	23.9	23.3	1.0	1.1	22.3	25.5	21.6	25.1	7.0	5.8	0.6	0.5	6.0	8.1	4.9	6.7	2.5	2.0	0.3	0.2	2.0	2.9	1.6	2.4
Sorsogon	22.9	23.6	1.0	0.9	21.3	24.6	22.0	25.1	5.6	6.2	0.5	0.5	4.9	6.4	5.3	7.1	2.0	2.2	0.2	0.2	1.7	2.3	1.8	2.5
Region VI (Western Visayas)	23.0	25.3	0.8	0.7	21.7	24.3	24.2	26.4	3.7	4.9	0.3	0.3	3.2	4.1	4.4	5.4	1.3	1.8	0.1	0.1	1.1	1.5	1.6	2.0
Aklan	21.1	24.7	1.6	1.0	18.5	23.8	23.0	26.5	3.1	4.5	0.4	0.5	2.4	3.8	3.8	5.3	1.1	1.6	0.2	0.2	0.7	1.4	1.3	2.0
Antique	25.7	29.1	1.2	1.3	23.6	27.7	27.0	31.1	4.7	6.4	0.5	0.7	3.9	5.5	5.2	7.5	1.9	2.5	0.3	0.3	1.5	2.3	2.0	3.1
Capiz	18.0	16.4	1.7	1.7	15.1	20.9	13.7	19.1	1.0	1.6	0.2	0.3	0.7	1.3	1.1	2.0	0.3	0.4	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.5	0.3	0.6
Guimaras	19.7	22.7	1.6	1.8	17.2	22.3	19.6	25.7	2.5	4.3	0.3	0.7	1.9	3.1	3.2	5.4	0.8	1.5	0.1	0.3	0.5	1.0	1.0	1.9
Iloilo (w/o the City of Iloilo)	20.8	27.0	1.2	1.6	18.9	22.7	24.4	29.6	3.8	5.5	0.4	0.7	3.1	4.5	4.3	6.6	1.2	2.2	0.2	0.4	0.9	1.5	1.6	2.7
City Of Iloilo	19.7	21.4	2.0	1.3	16.4	23.1	19.3	23.5	0.9	1.8	0.2	0.3	0.6	1.1	1.4	2.2	0.3	0.6	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.4	0.4	0.7
Negros Occidental (w/o the City of Bacolod)	25.1	25.5	1.5	1.0	22.7	27.6	23.9	27.1	5.4	6.6	0.7	0.7	4.3	6.5	5.5	7.7	2.0	2.4	0.3	0.3	1.5	2.5	1.9	2.9
City Of Bacolod	16.6	17.0	1.8	1.5	13.6	19.6	14.6	19.4	0.8	1.0	0.1	0.2	0.6	1.0	0.7	1.2	0.2	0.3	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.3	0.2	0.4
Region VII (Central Visayas)	26.6	30.9	0.8	0.6	25.3	27.8	29.9	32.0	5.1	8.3	0.3	0.5	4.6	5.5	7.5	9.0	2.1	3.6	0.1	0.2	1.8	2.3	3.2	4.0
Bohol	27.4	29.9	1.2	1.3	25.5	29.4	27.8	32.0	5.8	7.9	0.6	0.7	4.8	6.8	6.7	9.1	2.3	3.4	0.3	0.4	1.9	2.8	2.8	4.1
Cebu (w/o the Cities of Cebu, Lapu-Lapu and Mandaue)	23.9	32.6	1.4	1.0	21.6	26.2	31.0	34.2	5.0	11.2	0.5	1.0	4.2	5.9	9.6	12.8	1.9	5.0	0.3	0.5	1.5	2.3	4.2	5.8
City Of Cebu	25.2	25.8	1.7	1.5	22.4	27.9	23.3	28.3	2.6	4.2	0.4	0.5	2.0	3.2	3.4	4.9	1.0	1.7	0.2	0.2	0.7	1.3	1.3	2.1
City Of Lapu-Lapu (Opon)	25.5	24.9	2.0	1.3	22.2	28.8	22.8	27.0	2.0	3.2	0.3	0.4	1.4	2.5	2.5	3.8	0.8	1.2	0.2	0.2	0.5	1.1	0.9	1.5
City Of Mandaue	25.7	23.5	2.4	1.1	21.8	29.6	21.6	25.3	2.4	2.9	0.4	0.3	1.9	3.0	2.4	3.4	1.1	1.0	0.2	0.1	0.7	1.5	0.8	1.2
Negros Oriental	31.1	31.3	1.4	1.4	28.8	33.4	29.1	33.6	8.2	8.8	0.9	0.9	6.7	9.7	7.3	10.2	3.8	3.9	0.5	0.5	3.0	4.6	3.1	4.7
Siquijor	21.2	17.0	1.8	3.0	18.3	24.1	12.1	22.0	2.1	0.7	0.4	0.3	1.5	2.8	0.3	1.1	0.7	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.4	0.9	0.1	0.4
Decien VIII (Feetens) (Feetens)	20.5	20.7		0.7	20.0	20.7	20.0	20.7	0.0	0.0		0.5	0.0	0.7	7.0	0.0		2.0	0.0	0.0	2.6		2.2	4.0
Region VIII (Eastern Visayas)	29.7	29.7	0.7	0.7	28.6	30.7	28.6	30.7	9.0	8.6	0.4	0.5	8.3	9.7	7.8	9.3	4.0	3.6	0.2	0.2	3.6	4.4	3.2	4.0
Biliran	22.8	26.4	1.1	1.1	21.0	24.7	24.6	28.2	4.1	5.9	0.4	0.6	3.5	4.8	5.0	6.9	1.4	2.2	0.2	0.3	1.2	1.7	1.8	2.7
Eastern Samar	31.2	30.2	1.0	0.8	29.5	32.8	28.8	31.6	13.4	10.9	0.9	0.9	11.9	14.9	9.4	12.3	6.0	4.2	0.5	0.4	5.2	6.8	3.6	4.9
Leyte (w/o the City of Tacloban)	30.5	32.8	1.3	1.2	28.4	32.6	30.8	34.7	9.6	10.3	0.9	1.0	8.1	11.0	8.6	11.9	4.3	4.6	0.5	0.5	3.4	5.1	3.7	5.5
City Of Tacloban	27.1	25.0	1.6	1.5	24.4	29.8	22.6	27.4	3.6	3.7	0.4	0.4	2.9	4.2	3.0	4.3	1.6	1.4	0.2	0.2	1.2	1.9	1.1	1.7
Northern Samar	28.0	23.0	1.1	1.0	26.3	29.8	21.4	24.6	8.4	5.3	0.7	0.5	7.3	9.6	4.6	6.1	3.5	1.8	0.3	0.2	2.9	4.0	1.5	2.1
Southern Leyte	26.0	26.9	1.3	1.1	23.8	28.1	25.1	28.8	5.9	6.9	0.6	0.6	5.0	6.9	5.9	7.8	2.6	2.7	0.3	0.3	2.0	3.1	2.3	3.2
Western Samar	30.3	27.2	1.5	1.2	27.8	32.8	25.3	29.2	9.8	8.2	0.9	0.8	8.2	11.3	6.9	9.4	4.5	3.2	0.5	0.4	3.6	5.4	2.6	3.9

Table 6a. First Semester Income Gap, Poverty Gap and Severity of Poverty with Measures of Precision, by Region, Province and Highly Urbanized Cities: 2018 and 2021

			First	Semester I	ncome Ga	ар					First	Semeste	r Poverty (Gap					First	Semester S	Severity of I	Poverty		
	Ectiv	mata	Standa	rd Error	90	0% Confide	ence Inter	val	Estin	aata	Standar	rd Error	90	0% Confide	nce Interv	/al	Ectiv	mate	Standa	rd Error	90% Cor	fidence	90% Conf	idence
Region/Province	Estir	nate	Stanua	ia Elloi	20	18 ^u	20	21	Estin	iate	Stanuar	IU EIIOI	201	18 ^u	20	21	ESUI	mate	Stanua	II a Ellor	201	L8 ^u	202	.1
	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	Lower	Upper	Lower	Upper	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	Lower	Upper	Lower	Upper	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	Lower	Upper	Lower	Upper
					Limit	Limit	Limit	Limit					Limit	Limit	Limit	Limit					Limit	Limit	Limit	Limit
Region IX (Zamboanga Peninsula)	30.4	32.0	0.7	0.8	29.3	31.5	30.7	33.3	9.8	9.9	0.5	0.5	9.1	10.6	9.1	10.7	4.4	4.5	0.3	0.3	3.9	4.8	4.1	5.0
Zamboanga del Norte	31.5	37.6	1.2	1.3	29.5	33.4	35.4	39.8	13.1	20.2	1.1	1.4	11.3	14.9	17.9	22.5	5.8	10.2	0.6		4.8	6.8	8.7	11.8
Zamboanga del Sur (w/o the City of Zamboanga)	29.4	29.6	1.3	1.4	27.2	31.6	1	31.9	10.5	8.8	1.0	1.0	8.9	12.1	7.2	10.3	4.5	3.7	0.5	0.5	3.7	5.4	2.8	4.5
City Of Zamboanga	23.0	16.6	1.4	1.2	20.7	25.3		18.7	2.8	1.3	0.3	0.2	2.3	3.4	1.0	1.6	1.1	0.3	0.2	0.1	0.8	1.4	0.2	0.4
Zamboanga Sibugay	32.1	26.5	1.2	0.9	30.2	34.0	25.1	28.0	11.6	7.9	1.0	0.6	9.9	13.3	6.8	8.9	5.3	3.0	0.6	0.3	4.3	6.2	2.5	3.5
Isabela City	34.9	24.4	1.8	1.6	31.9	37.9	21.8	27.0	18.6	5.8	1.6	0.8	15.9	21.2	4.5	7.0	9.1	2.1	1.0	0.4	7.4	10.8	1.5	2.7
					0.2.0												0.12							
Region X (Northern Mindanao)	26.5	27.9	0.5	0.7	25.7	27.3	26.7	29.1	6.8	7.3	0.3	0.4	6.3	7.2	6.6	8.0	2.7	2.9	0.1	0.2	2.5	2.9	2.6	3.3
Bukidnon	26.0	31.0	0.8	1.4	24.6	27.4	28.6	33.3	8.4	10.2	0.7	1.1	7.3	9.5	8.4	12.0	3.2	4.4	0.3	0.6	2.7	3.7	3.4	5.4
Camiguin	25.0	26.1	1.4	1.8	22.8	27.2	23.2	29.0	5.9	4.6	0.7	0.5	4.8	7.1	3.8	5.4	2.3	1.8	0.3	0.3	1.7	2.8	1.3	2.2
Lanao del Norte (w/o the City of Iligan)	24.4	31.3	1.1	1.6	22.6	26.1	28.7	34.0	6.2	12.2	0.6	1.4	5.3	7.1	10.0	14.5	2.3	5.3	0.3	0.7	1.9	2.7	4.1	6.5
City Of Iligan	26.4	24.5	1.7	1.3	23.7	29.2	22.3	26.7	5.3	4.2	0.8	0.5	4.0	6.5	3.4	5.0	2.1	1.6	0.4	0.2	1.5	2.7	1.2	1.9
Misamis Occidental	28.8	21.2	1.4	0.9	26.6	31.0	19.8	22.7	9.4	5.0	0.8	0.5	8.1	10.7	4.1	5.8	4.0	1.6	0.5	0.2	3.2	4.8	1.3	1.9
Misamis Oriental (w/o the City of Cagayan de Oro)	26.9	25.5	1.1	0.8	25.2	28.7	24.1	26.8	6.8	6.5	0.5	0.6	6.0	7.6	5.5	7.4	2.7	2.3	0.2	0.2	2.3	3.1	1.9	2.7
City of Cagayan De Oro	26.9	21.8	1.7	1.3	24.1	29.6	19.6	24.0	3.0	2.5	0.3	0.3	2.4	3.5	2.0	3.0	1.2	0.8	0.2	0.1	0.9	1.5	0.6	1.0
Region XI (Davao Region)	25.1	24.3	0.7	0.7	23.9	26.3	23.3	25.4	4.5	3.4	0.3	0.2	4.0	4.9	3.1	3.7	1.7	1.3	0.1	0.1	1.5	1.9	1.1	1.4
Davao del Norte	22.5	22.5	1.7	1.9	19.7	25.2	19.4	25.6	3.3	3.0	0.5	0.5	2.5	4.0	2.2	3.9	1.2	1.1	0.2	0.3	0.9	1.6	0.7	1.5
Davao del Sur (w/o the City of Davao)	22.7	23.0	1.1	1.5	20.8	24.6	20.5	25.6	4.3	3.0	0.4	0.4	3.5	5.0	2.3	3.8	1.4	1.0	0.2	0.2	1.1	1.7	0.7	1.4
City Of Davao	25.7	22.3	3.6	1.9	19.8	31.6	19.2	25.3	2.0	1.3	0.6	0.3	1.0	3.0	0.9	1.7	0.8	0.5	0.3	0.1	0.3	1.3	0.3	0.6
Davao Oriental	25.3	24.5	0.9	1.3	23.7	26.8	22.4	26.7	8.2	6.0	0.7	0.7	7.1	9.3	4.8	7.2	2.9	2.1	0.3	0.3	2.5	3.4	1.6	2.7
Compostela Valley	26.3	24.6	0.9	1.4	24.9	27.8	22.3	26.8	6.8	5.3	0.6	0.7	5.9	7.7	4.2	6.5	2.6	2.0	0.3	0.3	2.2	3.1	1.5	2.5
Davao Occidental	27.9	29.9	1.3	1.8	25.7	30.1	26.8	32.9	10.5	9.5	1.0	1.2	8.9	12.2	7.5	11.4	4.2	4.1	0.5	0.7	3.3	5.1	3.0	5.2
Region XII (SOCCSKSARGEN)	32.2	30.2	0.8	0.6	31.0	33.5	29.2	31.2	8.8	8.2	0.5	0.4	8.0	9.5	7.5	8.8	4.0	3.5	0.3	0.2	3.6	4.5	3.2	3.9
North Cotabato	32.5	27.2	1.3	1.1	30.4	34.7	25.3	29.0	8.3	7.6	0.9	0.8	6.9	9.8	6.2	8.9	3.7	3.0	0.5	0.4	2.9	4.5	2.4	3.7
Sarangani	35.2	35.8	1.7	1.3	32.3	38.1	33.6	37.9	14.4	15.1	1.6	1.2	11.8	16.9	13.0	17.1	7.0	7.4	1.0	0.7	5.4	8.6	6.2	8.6
South Cotabato (w/o the City of Gen. Santos)	29.6	32.1	3.0	1.9	24.6	34.5	29.1	35.2	6.3	7.2	1.2	1.0	4.4	8.2	5.6	8.9	2.8	3.2	0.7	0.6	1.6	4.0	2.3	4.2
City Of General Santos (Dadiangas)	26.4	32.0	1.6	1.7	23.7	29.1	29.1	34.8	4.0	5.0	0.5	0.5	3.2	4.9	4.1	5.8	1.8	2.3	0.3	0.3	1.3	2.3	1.8	2.8
Sultan Kudarat	33.9	27.4	1.3	1.1	31.8	36.1	25.7	29.2	11.1	7.1	1.0	0.8	9.4	12.7	5.8	8.4	5.2	2.7	0.6	0.3	4.2	6.1	2.2	3.3
Cotabato City	31.2	28.8	1.4	1.2	29.0	33.4	26.8	30.8	13.1	12.1	1.1	1.0	11.3	15.0	10.4	13.7	5.9	4.7	0.7	0.5	4.7	7.0	3.9	5.6
Region XIII (Caraga)	26.8	29.9	0.5	0.6	26.0	27.6	29.0	30.8	7.6	9.3	0.3	0.4	7.1	8.1	8.6	9.9	2.9	3.9	0.1	0.2	2.7	3.2	3.6	4.2
Agusan del Norte (w/o the City of Butuan)	25.8	27.8		1.1	23.8	27.7	26.0	29.6	6.8	8.1	0.7	0.7	5.7	7.9	7.0	9.2	2.6	3.2	0.3	0.3	2.1	3.2	2.6	3.7
City Of Butuan	24.1	29.9		1.1	22.4	25.8		31.8	4.7	7.9	0.7	0.7	3.9	5.5	6.7	9.2	1.7	3.3	0.3	0.3	1.4	2.1	2.7	3.7
Agusan del Sur	27.4	31.2	1.0	1.0	25.7	29.1	29.6	32.8	8.9	12.4	0.3	0.7	7.6	10.2	10.8	13.9	3.4	5.2	0.4	0.4	2.8	4.1	4.5	6.0
Surigao Del Norte	28.2	32.2	0.9	1.7	26.7	29.8		35.0	9.1	8.8	0.8	1.0	7.8	10.2	7.2	10.5	3.6	4.1	0.4	0.5	3.0	4.1	3.1	5.2
Surigao Del Sur	25.4	27.3	1.0	1.2	23.7	27.2	25.4	29.2	6.1	7.6	0.6	0.8	5.1	7.1	6.4	8.9	2.2	3.0	0.3		1.8	2.7	2.4	3.6
Dinagat Islands	28.9	28.1	1.5	1.7	26.4	31.4	25.4	30.9	10.6	8.5	1.1	0.9	8.9	12.3	7.0	10.1	4.5	3.4	0.6	0.5	3.5	5.4	2.6	4.3
	20.5	20.2	1.5	2	2011	32	2511	30.3	20.0	0.0		0.5	0.5	12.0	7.0	20.2		511	0.0	0.0	0.0	5	2.0	5
Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao/		_																						
Bangsamoro Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao (ARMM/BARMM)	33.0	28.8	0.6	0.7	32.1	33.9	27.6	30.1	18.4	11.4	0.6	0.5	17.5	19.4	10.5	12.3	8.4	4.6	0.4	0.3	7.8	9.0	4.2	5.1
Basilan	35.3	29.5	0.9	1.2	33.8	36.8		31.5	23.1	13.8	1.1	1.2	21.2	25.0	11.9	15.7	10.6	5.7	0.7	0.6	9.5	11.7	4.7	6.6
Lanao del Sur	36.9	14.1	1.1	1.2	35.1	38.7	12.2	16.1	25.1	1.6	1.3	0.2	23.1	27.2	1.2	2.0	12.2	0.4	0.8	0.0	10.8	13.5	0.3	0.5
Maguindanao	31.3	26.1	1.2	1.2	29.4	33.2		28.0	15.2	9.7	1.3	1.0	13.1	17.3	8.1	11.3	6.8	3.7	0.7	0.5	5.6	8.0	2.9	4.4
Sulu	29.5	33.9	1.0	1.5	28.0	31.1	31.4	36.4	19.7	24.4	0.9	1.7	18.2	21.2	21.6	27.2	8.3	10.9	0.6		7.3	9.2	9.1	12.6
Tawi-tawi	27.3	26.6		0.9	23.6	31.0		28.1	4.8	10.5	0.6	1.1	3.8	5.8	8.8	12.3	2.3	3.8	0.5	0.4	1.6	3.1	3.1	4.6
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u=updated; Back estimation of the 2018 first semester poverty statistics was made due to the adoption of the 2015 Census of Population (POPCEN 2015) results for the weights used in the Family Income and Expenditure Survey (FIES) and the urban-rural classification of barangays.

Table 7. First Semester Poverty Incidence among Families and Population in Luzon, Visayas and Mindanao: 2018 and 2021

Famili	lence among es (%)	Poverty Incid Populat	dence among tion (%)
2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021
16.2	18.0	21.1	23.7
9.6	12.6	12.7	17.2
4.9	5.2	6.6	7.8
11.0	14.8	14.5	19.8
20.4	24.4	26.0	30.8
28.9	26.3	37.1	33.9
	2018 ^u 16.2 9.6 4.9 11.0 20.4	2018 ^u 2021 16.2 18.0 9.6 12.6 4.9 5.2 11.0 14.8 20.4 24.4	2018 ^u 2021 2018 ^u 16.2 18.0 21.1 9.6 12.6 12.7 4.9 5.2 6.6 11.0 14.8 14.5 20.4 24.4 26.0

Table 8. First Semester Subsistence Incidence among Families and Population in Luzon, Visayas and Mindanao: 2018^u and 2021

Major Island Group	Subsistence Inc Famili	•		cidence among tion (%)
	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021
PHILIPPINES	6.2	7.1	8.5	9.9
THEIR FINES	0.2	7.1	0.5	3.3
Luzon	3.0	4.2	4.1	6.1
National Capital Region (NCR)	1.6	1.2	2.0	1.9
Rest of Luzon	3.5	5.1	4.7	7.3
Visayas	7.6	10.6	10.1	14.1
Mindanao	12.8	11.5	17.9	15.9

Table 9. Clustering of Provinces based on 2021 First Semester Poverty Incidence among Families, by Province: 2018^u and 2021

(where Cluster 1 indicates the bottom (poorest) cluster of provinces)

			2018 ^u				2021	
Province	Cluster ^{a/}	Poverty Incidence	90% Confide	nce Interval	Cluster ^{a/}	Poverty Incidence	90% Confide	nce Interval
		incidence	Lower Limit	Upper Limit		incidence	Lower Limit	Upper Limit
Agusan del Sur	2	32.6	29.0	36.2	1	39.6	36.0	43.3
Basilan	1	65.5	61.8	69.1	1	46.7	42.2	51.1
Cotabato City	2	42.0	38.1	46.0	1	42.0	38.2	45.8
Sarangani	2	40.8	35.9	45.7	1	42.1	38.0	46.1
Sulu	1	66.7	63.0	70.3	1	71.9	67.0	76.8
Tawi-tawi	4	17.7	15.1	20.3	1	39.5	34.0	45.0
Zamboanga del Norte	2	41.5	37.5	45.5	1	53.6	49.4	57.7
Agusan del Norte	3	23.1	21.0	25.3	2	27.8	25.6	30.0
Bukidnon	2	32.3	29.0	35.6	2	32.8	28.6	37.0
Camarines Sur	4	19.3	16.5	22.1	2	34.6	30.4	38.8
Davao Occidental	2	37.7	33.7	41.7	2	31.7	27.3	36.0
Dinagat Islands	2	36.7	32.6	40.8	2	30.3	26.6	34.1
Eastern Samar	2	43.0	39.4	46.5	2	36.0	32.1	39.8
Lanao del Norte	3	23.6	21.2	25.9	2	31.4	28.1	34.6
Leyte	3	29.3	26.2	32.5	2	29.6	26.2	33.0
Maguindanao	1	48.6	43.4	53.8	2	37.1	32.4	41.9
Negros Oriental	3	26.3	22.7	29.9	2	28.0	24.5	31.6
North Cotabato	3	25.5	22.0	29.0	2	27.9	24.1	31.7
Romblon	3	24.3	21.4	27.3	2	32.1	29.1	35.0
Surigao Del Norte	2	32.4	28.8	36.0	2	27.3	23.8	30.9
Surigao Del Sur	3	23.9	21.0	26.8	2	27.9	24.5	31.3
Western Samar	2	32.2	28.8	35.7	2	30.0	26.7	33.3
Zamboanga Sibugay	2	36.1	31.9	40.2	2	29.7	26.5	32.8
Abra	3	29.5	26.5	32.5	3	21.5	18.4	24.6
Antique	4	18.3	15.4	21.1	3	21.9	18.7	25.1
Aurora	4	16.7	13.9	19.4	3	24.0	20.7	27.4
Biliran	4	18.0	15.7	20.4	3	22.4	19.5	25.2
Bohol	3	21.2	18.3	24.1	3	26.6	23.4	29.7
Camarines Norte	3	24.9	22.1	27.7		20.9	18.2	23.7
Cebu	4	16.5	14.9	18.1	3	26.9	24.3	29.5
Compostela Valley	3	26.0	23.1	28.8	3	21.8	18.8	24.7
Davao Oriental	2	32.6	29.1	36.1	3	24.5	20.9	28.0
Isabela	4	15.6	13.3	18.0		20.8	17.8	23.8

Table 9. Clustering of Provinces based on 2021 First Semester Poverty Incidence among Families, by Province: 2018^u and 2021

(where Cluster 1 indicates the bottom (poorest) cluster of provinces)

			2018 ^u				2021	
Province	Cluster ^{a/}	Poverty	90% Confider	nce Interval	Cluster ^{a/}	Poverty	90% Confide	nce Interval
		Incidence	Lower Limit	Upper Limit		Incidence	Lower Limit	Upper Limit
Isabela City	1	53.1	47.8	58.4	3	23.7	19.5	27.9
Masbate	3	29.4	26.0	32.8	3	24.8	21.9	27.6
Misamis Occidental	2	32.7	29.3	36.0	3	23.3	20.2	26.5
Mt. Province	3	24.4	21.2	27.7	3	22.7	19.1	26.3
Negros Occidental	4	18.5	15.9	21.1	3	22.3	19.5	25.1
Northern Samar	3	30.0	26.7	33.3	3	23.1	20.5	25.8
Occidental Mindoro	3	22.1	18.6	25.6	3	24.9	21.4	28.4
Quezon	4	12.4	9.8	15.0	3	22.1	18.9	25.2
Sorsogon	3	24.5	21.8	27.2	3	26.2	23.1	29.2
South Cotabato	4	18.9	16.4	21.5	3	19.8	17.4	22.1
Southern Leyte	3	22.9	20.2	25.6	3	25.5	22.8	28.1
Sultan Kudarat	2	32.6	28.8	36.4	3	25.8	21.9	29.8
Zambales	4	16.6	14.5	18.7	3	22.0	19.9	24.2
Aklan	4	14.7	12.2	17.1	4	18.3	15.8	20.9
Albay	4	16.0	13.9	18.1	4	18.8	16.0	21.6
Apayao	3	23.2	18.4	28.0	4	12.6	8.8	16.4
Bataan	4	11.6	9.7	13.5	4	12.8	11.0	14.5
Bulacan	5	4.9	3.7	6.1	4	14.9	12.7	17.1
Cagayan	4	15.1	12.9	17.3	4	12.9	10.4	15.3
Camiguin	3	23.8	20.4	27.2	4	17.7	15.5	19.9
Catanduanes	4	19.4	16.8	22.1	4	17.4	15.1	19.8
Davao del Norte	4	14.5	12.1	17.0	4	13.6	11.2	15.9
Guimaras	4	12.6	10.2	14.9	4	19.0	15.7	22.3
Ifugao	4	15.5	12.6	18.5	4	13.7	10.7	16.8
Ilocos Sur	5	8.9	7.3	10.5	4	18.0	15.5	20.4
Iloilo	4	15.9	13.9	17.8	4	18.3	16.0	20.7
Kalinga	4	12.2	10.2	14.3	4	12.1	9.7	14.5
Marinduque	4	14.2	12.1	16.4	4	18.7	16.1	21.3
Misamis Oriental	4	18.6	17.0	20.2	4	19.0	17.1	21.0
Nueva Ecija	5	10.5	8.8	12.2		17.0	14.1	20.0
Nueva Vizcaya	4	17.2	14.4	20.0	4	12.8	10.2	15.5
Oriental Mindoro	4	13.0	10.7	15.3	4	16.6	13.6	19.5
Palawan	4	11.3	9.5	13.2		16.0	13.7	18.3

Table 9. Clustering of Provinces based on 2021 First Semester Poverty Incidence among Families, by Province: 2018^u and 2021

(where Cluster 1 indicates the bottom (poorest) cluster of provinces)

			2018 ^u		2021					
Province	Cluster ^{a/}	Poverty	90% Confider	nce Interval	Cluster ^{a/}	Poverty	90% Confidence Interval			
	Graste.	Incidence	Lower Limit Upper Limit		Ciuste.	Incidence	Lower Limit	Upper Limit		
Pangasinan	5	10.6	8.8	12.4	4	18.6	16.2	20.9		
Tarlac	5	10.4	8.8	11.9	4	13.2	11.3	15.0		
Zamboanga del Sur	3	25.1	22.7	27.6	4	19.2	16.9	21.4		
1st District of NCR b/d/	5	5.7	3.9	7.5	5	2.0	1.3	2.7		
2nd District of NCR ^{d/}	5	3.5	2.7	4.2	5	3.8	3.2	4.5		
3rd District of NCR d/	5	8.1	7.2	9.0	5	8.1	7.2	9.1		
4th District of NCR d/	5	3.9	3.5	4.3	5	6.3	5.6	6.9		
Batanes ^{b/}	4	13.5	10.9	16.0	5	7.5	4.9	10.0		
Batangas	4	13.0	11.0	15.1	5	7.0	5.4	8.6		
Benguet	5	6.0	5.0	7.1	5	7.5	6.5	8.5		
Capiz	5	5.8	4.5	7.1	5	9.5	7.5	11.4		
Cavite	5	6.1	4.8	7.4	5	10.8	8.9	12.7		
Davao del Sur	5	10.8	8.9	12.6	5	7.9	6.7	9.2		
Ilocos Norte	5	5.5	4.0	7.1	5	6.3	4.5	8.2		
La Union	5	3.7	2.6	4.8	5	10.7	8.8	12.6		
Laguna	5	5.0	3.6	6.4	5	10.0	7.8	12.2		
Lanao del Sur	1	68.0	64.5	71.6	5	11.4	9.1	13.6		
Pampanga ^{c/}	5	3.6	2.4	4.8	5	6.2	5.1	7.4		
Quirino	5	9.9	8.0	11.7	5	11.3	9.4	13.2		
Rizal	5	4.8	3.6	6.1	5	6.1	4.7	7.6		
Siquijor ^{b/}	5	10.0	7.4	12.6	5	4.3	2.6	6.1		

Notes:

a/ Variable used in the cluster analysis is the 90% confidence interval of poverty incidence among families.

b/ Coefficient of variation of 2021 provincial poverty incidence among families is greater than 20%.

c/ Coefficient of variation of 2018^u provincial poverty incidence among families is greater than 20%.

d/ NCR is grouped into the four districts: 1st District: City of Manila; 2nd District: Mandaluyong City, Marikina City, Pasig City, Quezon City, San Juan City; 3rd District: Caloocan City, Malabon City, Navotas City, Valenzuela City; and 4th District: Las Pinas City, Makati City, Muntinlupa City, Paranaque City, Pasay City, Pateros, and Taguig City.

Table 10. First Semester Per Capita Food and Poverty Thresholds, by Region, Province and Urban/Rural Classification: 2018 and 2021

Design (Described	Fire	st Semester Per Cap (in Ph			First Semester Per Capita Poverty Threshold (in PhP)				
Region/Province	Urban		Rural		Urban		Rural		
	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	
PHILIPPINES	9,138	10,613	8,723	9,815	13,109	15,366	12,406	13,998	
National Capital Region (NCR) a/	9,848	11,609			14,102	16,625			
1st District	9,848	11,609			14,102	16,625			
2nd District	9,848	11,609			14,102	16,625			
3rd District	9,848	11,609			14,102	16,625			
4th District	9,848	11,609			14,102	16,625			
Cordillera Administrative Region (CAR)	8,732	9,897	8,608	9,771	12,501	14,074	12,338	14,008	
Abra	9,093	10,599	8,648	9,999	13,021	15,178	12,384	14,319	
Apayao	8,469	9,469	8,047	8,936	12,128	13,560	11,523	12,797	
Benguet	8,508	9,608	8,115	9,114	12,184	13,759	11,621	13,052	
Ifugao	9,377	10,523	9,037	10,072	13,428	15,069	12,942	14,423	
Kalinga	8,657	9,480	8,243	8,972	12,398	13,576	11,804	12,849	
Mt. Province	9,799	11,480	9,289	10,794	14,033	16,440	13,302	15,457	
Region I (Ilocos Region)	9,470	11,339	8,958	10,711	13,567	16,207	12,739	15,321	
Ilocos Norte	9,315	11,393	8,875	10,832	13,339	16,316	12,709	15,512	
Ilocos Sur	8,725	11,965	8,306	11,367	12,494	17,134	11,894	16,278	
La Union	7,914	10,044	7,579	9,592	11,333	14,383	10,854	13,736	
Pangasinan	9,677	11,386	9,143	10,707	13,859	16,305	13,094	15,333	
Region II (Cagayan Valley)	8,929	10,628	8,450	9,769	12,764	15,179	12,088	13,970	
Batanes	14,241	12,925	13,400	12,299	20,394	18,509	19,190	17,613	
Cagayan	8,890	10,059	8,475	9,510	12,731	14,405	12,136	13,619	
Isabela	8,959	10,808	8,467	10,133	12,830	15,478	12,125	14,511	
Nueva Vizcaya	8,779	9,257	8,321	8,749	12,571	13,256	11,916	12,529	
Quirino	8,237	10,276	7,810	9,657	11,796	14,716	11,185	13,829	
Region III (Central Luzon)	9,505	11,789	8,768	10,549	13,448	16,918	12,509	15,017	
Aurora	8,834	11,068	8,386	10,427	12,651	15,849	12,010	14,932	
Bataan	10,363	10,499	9,785	9,891	14,841	15,035	14,013	14,165	
Bulacan	8,968	12,299	8,538	11,586	12,843	17,612	12,227	16,592	
Nueva Ecija	8,981	10,714	8,516	10,095	12,861	15,343	12,196	14,457	
Pampanga	9,162	11,941	8,698	11,211	13,120	17,100	12,456	16,055	
Tarlac	8,595	10,567	8,188	9,971	12,308	15,133	11,725	14,279	
Zambales	10,529	12,488	9,939	11,723	15,079	17,883	14,232	16,788	

Table 10. First Semester Per Capita Food and Poverty Thresholds, by Region, Province and Urban/Rural Classification: 2018 and 2021

	Fire	st Semester Per Capi (in Phi			First Semester Per Capita Poverty Threshold (in PhP)				
Region/Province	Urban	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,	Rural		Urban	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	Rural		
	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	
Region IV-A (CALABARZON)	9,766	11,351	9,598	10,222	13,953	16,444	13,357	14,660	
Batangas	11,530	11,082	10,821	10,414	16,512	15,869	15,496	14,913	
Cavite	10,199	12,661	9,898	12,158	14,606	18,131	14,174	17,411	
Laguna	8,180	10,982	7,760	10,309	11,715	15,727	11,112	14,763	
Quezon	8,189	9,889	7,835	9,385	11,727	14,161	11,221	13,440	
Rizal	9,752	10,990	9,215	10,349	13,966	15,738	13,197	14,820	
MIMAROPA Region	8,093	9,346	7,960	9,018	11,658	13,262	11,413	12,979	
Marinduque	8,598	10,135	8,148	9,525	12,313	14,514	11,668	13,641	
Occidental Mindoro	7,636	9,644	7,244	9,080	10,935	13,810	10,374	13,003	
Oriental Mindoro	8,849	9,861	8,361	9,267	12,672	14,121	11,973	13,270	
Palawan	8,214	8,703	7,817	8,231	11,763	12,463	11,195	11,787	
Romblon	8,715	10,221	8,273	9,654	12,480	14,637	11,847	13,825	
Region V (Bicol Region)	8,619	10,284	8,292	9,607	12,397	14,697	11,897	13,689	
Albay	8,922	10,091	8,440	9,484	12,776	14,450	12,086	13,582	
Camarines Norte	8,745	10,210	8,396	9,691	12,524	14,621	12,024	13,878	
Camarines Sur	8,326	10,381	8,042	9,908	11,923	14,866	11,516	14,188	
Catanduanes	8,938	10,321	8,475	9,710	12,800	14,780	12,136	13,905	
Masbate	8,266	9,296	7,865	8,803	11,837	13,312	11,263	12,607	
Sorsogon	9,677	10,151	9,135	9,550	13,858	14,537	13,082	13,677	
Region VI (Western Visayas)	8,316	9,468	8,326	9,449	11,947	13,593	11,972	13,480	
Aklan	8,821	9,995	8,370	9,383	12,632	14,313	11,986	13,437	
Antique	8,546	9,702	8,153	9,219	12,238	13,894	11,676	13,202	
Capiz	7,995	9,705	7,648	9,197	11,450	13,898	10,953	13,171	
Guimaras	9,311	10,260	8,800	9,669	13,334	14,692	12,602	13,846	
Iloilo	9,208	10,367	8,764	9,795	13,186	14,846	12,551	14,026	
Negros Occidental	8,217	9,346	7,925	8,928	11,767	13,384	11,349	12,785	
Region VII (Central Visayas)	9,124	11,318	8,698	10,322	13,085	16,295	12,483	14,664	
Bohol	9,126	9,761	8,789	9,286	13,069	13,979	12,587	13,298	
Cebu	9,178	11,810	8,775	11,118	13,143	16,912	12,566	15,922	
Negros Oriental	8,977	9,309	8,551	8,813	12,855	13,330	12,245	12,620	
Siquijor	9,099	9,029	8,697	8,587	13,030	12,930	12,454	12,297	

Table 10. First Semester Per Capita Food and Poverty Thresholds, by Region, Province and Urban/Rural Classification: 2018^u and 2021

	Fir	st Semester Per Capi	ita Food Threshold	First Semester Per Capita Poverty Threshold (in PhP)				
Region/Province		(in Ph	P)					
Region/Province	Urbaı	n	Rura	nl	Urbar	1	Rural	
	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021
Region VIII (Eastern Visayas)	8,552	9,921	8,525	9,446	12,219	14,120	12,193	13,488
Biliran	8,834	10,603	8,383	10,013	12,651	15,185	12,004	14,340
Eastern Samar	10,137	10,532	9,854	10,128	14,516	15,082	14,112	14,503
Leyte	8,483	9,869	8,151	9,367	12,149	14,133	11,673	13,414
Northern Samar	9,188	9,666	8,817	9,184	13,158	13,842	12,626	13,151
Southern Leyte	9,285	10,659	8,834	10,075	13,297	15,264	12,651	14,428
Western Samar	8,104	9,178	7,823	8,762	11,605	13,143	11,203	12,548
Region IX (Zamboanga Peninsula)	9,190	10,016	8,620	10,566	12,906	13,814	12,275	14,675
Zamboanga del Norte	9,919	12,581	9,426	11,872	14,205	18,016	13,498	17,002
Zamboanga del Sur	8,534	8,746	8,129	8,308	12,221	12,525	11,641	11,897
Zamboanga Sibugay	8,297	8,954	7,964	8,539	11,882	12,822	11,405	12,228
Isabela City	9,244	8,643	8,703	8,172	13,238	12,377	12,463	11,703
Region X (Northern Mindanao)	8,745	10,224	8,460	9,789	12,523	14,638	12,111	14,056
Bukidnon	9,121	10,275	8,728	9,752	13,062	14,714	12,499	13,965
Camiguin	9,153	10,214	8,805	9,760	13,107	14,627	12,609	13,977
Lanao del Norte	8,696	10,241	8,349	9,759	12,454	14,666	11,955	13,976
Misamis Occidental	8,705	10,871	8,345	10,323	12,466	15,568	11,950	14,784
Misamis Oriental	8,437	10,034	8,116	9,614	12,082	14,369	11,622	13,768
Region XI (Davao Region)	9,050	9,485	8,727	9,133	12,964	13,619	12,499	13,056
Davao del Norte	9,021	9,603	8,749	9,240	12,918	13,752	12,528	13,232
Davao del Sur	9,185	9,434	8,735	8,962	13,154	13,510	12,510	12,834
Davao Oriental	8,777	10,016	8,847	9,470	12,569	14,344	12,670	13,562
Compostela Valley	8,884	9,254	8,591	8,898	12,722	13,252	12,303	12,743
Davao Occidental	9,185	9,434	8,735	8,962	13,154	13,510	12,510	12,834
Region XII (SOCCSKSARGEN)	8,775	9,689	8,123	8,922	12,664	13,868	11,640	12,881
North Cotabato	8,500	10,091	8,156	9,582	12,172	14,451	11,680	13,722
Sarangani	7,927	8,754	7,610	8,340	11,352	12,536	10,898	11,943
South Cotabato	8,844	8,810	8,548	8,461	12,665	12,617	12,242	12,116
Sultan Kudarat	8,319	9,138	8,021	8,732	11,913	13,086	11,486	12,505
Cotabato City	10,338	11,696	9,822	11,103	14,804	16,749	14,065	15,899

Table 10. First Semester Per Capita Food and Poverty Thresholds, by Region, Province and Urban/Rural Classification: 2018 and 2021

	F	irst Semester Per Ca	pita Food Threshold		First Semester Per Capita Poverty Threshold (in PhP)				
Region/Province		(in P	PhP)						
Region/Flovince	Urban		Rural		Urban		Rural		
	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	2018 ^u	2021	
Region XIII (Caraga)	8,900	9,877	8,579	9,351	12,621	14,110	12,264	13,360	
Agusan del Norte	8,200	9,930	7,793	9,353	11,743	14,220	11,160	13,394	
Agusan del Sur	8,762	10,143	8,384	9,592	12,548	14,525	12,006	13,737	
Surigao Del Norte	10,082	9,535	9,529	9,003	14,437	13,654	13,646	12,893	
Surigao Del Sur	8,659	9,418	8,295	8,950	12,400	13,488	11,878	12,818	
Dinagat Islands	9,691	10,627	9,158	10,015	13,878	15,218	13,115	14,342	
Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao/									
Bangsamoro Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao									
(ARMM/BARMM)	9,549	10,581	9,584	9,793	13,630	14,897	13,591	13,937	
Basilan	9,067	10,115	8,840	9,513	12,984	14,486	12,659	13,623	
Lanao del Sur	10,744	10,664	10,310	10,177	15,386	15,272	14,765	14,574	
Maguindanao	9,215	9,373	8,776	8,876	13,196	13,422	12,567	12,711	
Sulu	10,039	11,136	9,560	10,584	14,376	15,948	13,690	15,157	
Tawi-tawi	7,146	9,766	6,801	9,210	10,234	13,986	9,740	13,189	

Notes:

u=updated; Back estimation of the 2018 first semester poverty statistics was made due to the adoption of the 2015 Census of Population (POPCEN 2015) results for the weights used in the Family Income and Expenditure Survey (FIES) and the urban-rural classification of barangays.

a/ NCR is grouped into the four districts: 1st District: City of Manila; 2nd District: City of Las Pinas, City of Makati City, City of Muntinlupa, City of Parañaque City, Pasay City, Pateros and City of Taguig.

Glossary of Terms

Food threshold - the minimum income required for a family/individual to meet the basic food needs, which satisfies the nutritional requirements for economically necessary and socially desirable physical activities

Income Gap - the average income shortfall (expressed in proportion to the poverty threshold) of families/individuals with income below the poverty threshold divided by the total number of poor families/individuals

Note: The difference between the income gap and the poverty gap is the use of number of poor families/ individuals as denominator for the income gap. For the poverty gap, the total number of families/individuals is used.

Poverty gap - the total income shortfall (expressed in proportion to the poverty threshold) of families/ individuals with income below the poverty threshold divided by the total number of families/ individuals

Poverty incidence - the proportion of families/individuals with per capita income less than the per capita poverty threshold to the total number of families/individuals

Poverty threshold - the minimum income required for a family/individual to meet the basic food and non-food requirements

Note: Basic food requirements are currently based on 100% adequacy for the Recommended Energy and Nutrient Intake (RENI) for protein and energy equivalent to an average of 2000 kilocalories per capita, and 80% adequacy for other nutrients. On the other hand, basic non-food requirements, indirectly estimated by obtaining the ratio of food to total basic expenditures from a reference group of families, cover expenditures on: 1) clothing and footwear; 2) housing; 3) fuel, light, water; 4) maintenance and minor repairs; 5) rental of occupied dwelling units; 6) medical care; 7) education; 8) transportation and communication; 9) non-durable furnishings; 10) household operations; and 11) personal care & effects.

Severity of poverty - the total of the squared income shortfall (expressed in proportion to the poverty threshold) of families/ individuals with income below the poverty threshold divided by the total number of families/ individuals

Note: This is equal to the Foster-Greer-Thorbecke (FGT) family of measures with alpha = 2. It is a poverty measure, which is sensitive to the income distribution among the poor – the worse this distribution is, the more severe poverty is.

Subsistence incidence - the proportion of families/individuals with per capita income less than the per capita food threshold to the total number of families/individuals

TECHNICAL NOTES ON THE 2021 FIRST SEMESTER OFFICIAL POVERTY ESTIMATION METHODOLOGY

I. INTRODUCTION

The first official methodology for the poverty assessment in the Philippines was adopted in 1987. Three major refinements in the official methodology for measuring poverty have been made – in 1992, 2003/2005/2006 and 2011.

One major feature of the first refinement in 1992 was the exclusion of alcohol, tobacco, recreation, durable furniture and equipment as well as other miscellaneous expenditures in the list of basic non-food requirements considered in the determination of the poverty line/threshold. Poverty line/threshold refers to the minimum income/expenditure required to meet the basic food and non-food requirements.

In 2003, another improvement was introduced in recognition of the need for poverty estimates with lower levels of disaggregation, specifically at the provincial level. Using the same regional food bundles in the 1987 and 1992 methodologies developed by the Food and Nutrition Research Institute (FNRI), provincial food thresholds were generated using actual provincial prices collected by then National Statistics Office, which is now part of the Philippine Statistics Authority (PSA).

The latest refinements in the official poverty estimation methodology were approved through the PSA Board Resolution No. 1, Series of 2017-171, Approving the Refinements in the Official Poverty Estimation Methodology, to address some issues/concerns raised on the estimation of food and poverty thresholds, incidence and other measures of poverty, the relevance of official poverty statistics and the comparability of poverty estimates across space and over time. The refinements were based on the recommendations of the group designated to develop/formulate the official poverty estimation methodology as per the approved Board Resolution, the Technical Committee on Poverty Statistics (TC PovStat). To address the comparability across space and over time, a national reference food bundle was developed as basis for provincial food bundles. The provincial food bundles that were adopted were subjected to the Test of Revealed Preferences, such that the food bundle of a province will have the cheapest cost in comparison with using the bundles of other provinces. In addition, a constant food expenditure to total basic expenditure (FE/TBE) ratio is to be used for ten years. The PSA Board Resolution included a provision that the methodology shall be reviewed every ten (10) years to ensure relevance and accuracy. This methodology has been used since its approval in 2011.

In addition to the generation of full year official poverty statistics, PSA started the release of first semester official poverty statistics in 2013 based on NSCB Board Resolution No. 8, Series of 2013 Approving the Official Methodology for the Estimation of First Semester Official Poverty Statistics. The official poverty estimation methodology for full year poverty statistics was adopted with January to June as the reference period, which is covered by the first visit of the Family Income and Expenditure Survey (FIES).

II. COMPILATION METHODOLOGY

A. Unit of Measure

1. Food threshold – in current pesos (usually, per capita or per person in the first semester)

- 2. Subsistence incidence in percent for a reference semester
- 3. Poverty threshold in current pesos (usually, per capita or per person per semester)
- 4. Poverty incidence in percent, for a reference semester

B. Coverage

- 1. Food threshold national, regional and provincial (with urban-rural areas) and HLIC.
- 2. Subsistence incidence national, regional, provincial, HUC
- 3. Poverty threshold national, regional and provincial (with urban-rural areas) and
- 4. Poverty incidence national, regional, provincial, HUC
- 5. Other measures of poverty (poverty gap, income gap, severity of poverty) national, regional, provincial, HUC

C. Estimation and Compilation Methodology

1. Estimation of Food Threshold

- a) The use of a national reference food bundle as starting point to enhance comparability across space.
- b) The national reference food bundle was converted to province-specific food bundles, which were used to estimate the provincial food thresholds. These provincial food bundles were formulated by nutritionists from the Food and Nutrition Research Institute and were subjected to the Test of Revealed Preferences such that the food bundle of a province will have the cheapest cost in comparison with the bundles of other provinces. The provincial food bundles have the following characteristics:
 - Nutritionally adequate, i.e., it satisfies the 100% Recommended Energy and Nutrient Intakes (RENI) for energy and protein and 80% RENI for other vitamins and minerals:
 - Food items in the food bundle are locally available and eaten in the area (in the province);
 - · Least cost in the province; and
 - Visualizable (i.e., can be cooked together and fit for human consumption).

c) Sources of data:

- Provincial food bundles developed by FNRI
- Retail price surveys for the actual prices of agricultural and non-agricultural commodities, by province from PSA
- Proportion of food bought and own-produced components from the Food Consumption Survey, FNRI

d) General Procedures:

- Each of the ingredients in the food bundle is priced using the available price data (average price for January to June)
- The urban and rural food thresholds for each of the provinces, which have bought and own-produced components, are computed.
- The provincial urban/rural annual per capita food threshold/line is computed as:

FT = (cost per capita of the one-day food bundle) x (30.4 days/month) x 6 months

2. Estimation of Subsistence Incidence

• Given the provincial urban-rural food threshold, the subsistence incidence is computed as:

$$S = \left(\frac{F}{n}\right) * 100$$

where:

F = weighted total number of families (individuals) with semestral per capita income less than the provincial urban-rural semestral per capita food threshold/line

n = weighted total number of families (individuals) in the province

3. Estimation of Poverty Thresholds

- a) As common practice in most countries, the non-food component is measured indirectly due to the difficulty of determining the required bundle for the nonfood items.
- b) To ensure comparability across space and over time, the ratio of food expenditures (FE) to total basic expenditures (TBE) of a reference family (families whose per capita income is around the food threshold) is held constant for a certain period. The average of the nationally determined FE/TBE ratio from the FIES in 2000, 2003, 2006 and 2009, which is equivalent to 0.6983, has been used since 2009 and will still be used until 2021.
- c) Sources of data:
 - Family Income and Expenditure Survey, visit 1 conducted in July 2021.
 The total completed samples was 174,007 families spread across 117
 sampling domains around the country. This large sample size can
 provide reliable estimates at the national level and disaggregation by
 regional, provincial and highly urbanized cities.
- d) General Procedures:
 - The urban/rural provincial poverty threshold is computed by dividing the food threshold with the FE/TBE ratio.

$$Poverty\ Threshold = \frac{Food\ Threshold}{\frac{FE}{TBE}}$$

where:

$$\frac{FE}{TBE} = 0.6983$$

FE = actual food expenditure of families within the +/- ten percentile band of the subsistence incidence among families

TBE = total basic expenditure of families within the +/- ten percentile band of the subsistence incidence among families.

TBE is an aggregate of expenditures on

- food;
- clothing and footwear;
- fuel; light and water;
- · housing maintenance and other minor repairs;
- rental of occupied dwelling units;
- · medical care;
- · education;
- · transportation and communication;
- non-durable furnishing;
- · household operations; and
- · personal care and effects

4. Estimation of Poverty Incidence

 Given the provincial urban-rural poverty threshold, the poverty incidence is computed as:

where:

Q = weighted total number of families (individuals) with semestral per capita income less than the semestral per capita poverty threshold/line

n = weighted total number of families (individuals)

5. Estimation of other measures of poverty such as Income Gap (I), Poverty Gap (PG) and Severity of Poverty (SP)

Income Gap

 the weighted average income shortfall (expressed in proportion to the poverty threshold) of families/individuals with income below the provincial urban-rural poverty threshold.

$$Income\ gap = \frac{1}{q}\sum_{i=1}^{q} \frac{Z - X_i}{Z}$$

where:

Z = provincial urban-rural per capita poverty threshold/line

 X_i = per capita income of the ith family

q = number of families below the poverty threshold

- the weighted total income shortfall (expressed in proportion to the poverty threshold) of families/ individuals with income below the poverty threshold divided by the weighted total number of families/ individuals

Poverty gap =
$$\frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^{q} \frac{Z - X_i}{Z}$$

where:

Z = provincial urban-rural per capita poverty threshold/line

 X_i = per capita income of the ith family

q = number of families below the poverty threshold

n = total number of families

Note: The difference between the income gap and the poverty gap is on the denominator. For the income gap, the denominator is the number of poor families/individuals. For the poverty gap, the total number of families/individuals is used.

Severity Gap

 the weighted total of the squared income shortfall (expressed in proportion to the poverty threshold) of families/individuals with income below the poverty threshold, divided by the weighted total number of families/individuals

Severity gap =
$$\frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^{q} (\frac{Z - X_i}{Z})^2$$

where:

Z = per capita poverty threshold/line

 X_i = per capita income of the ith family

q = weighted total number of families below the poverty threshold

n = weighted total number of families

6. Measures of Precision

- a. The official poverty statistics shall be released with measures of precision such as standard errors, confidence intervals and coefficients of variation.
- b. Ranking of provinces shall not be released due to overlapping confidence intervals. Clustering of provinces based on the poverty measures, such as poverty incidence among families, shall be done instead.

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