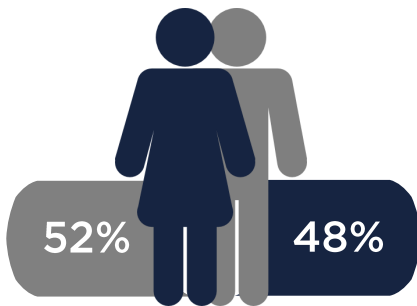


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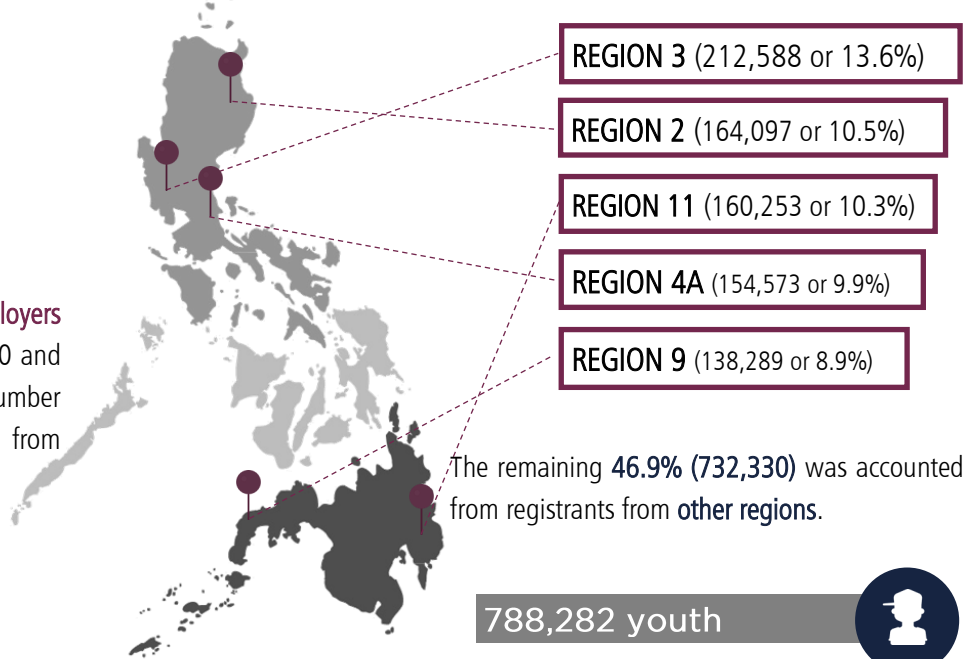
**1.5M JOBSEEKERS**  
**17,686 EMPLOYERS**  
**469,239 VACANCIES**

In 2021, the number of **jobseekers** and **employers** increased by **62.8%** and **21.7%** from 959,640 and 14,537 in 2020, respectively. However, the number of **vacancies** dropped by **50.9%** in 2021 from 955,979 in 2020.



Since 2020, the number of registrants has been consistent where **more than half are female** (52% or 810,105).

### Distribution of Registered Jobseekers per Region



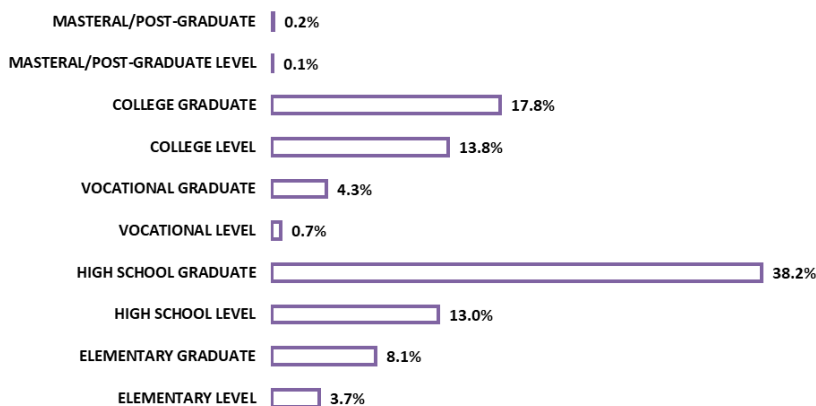
788,282 youth

75,393 senior citizens

3,180 persons with disabilities



**Figure 1. Distribution of Registered Jobseekers by Educational Attainment**



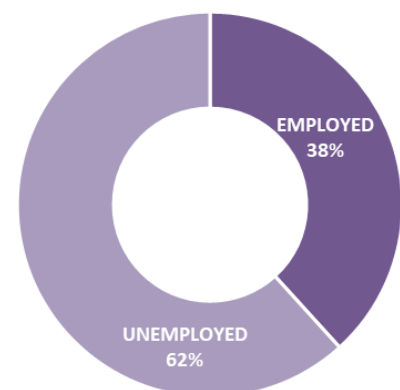
High school graduates accounted the largest number of registrants with **596,019** (38.2%) in 2021 similar to 2020.

Majority of the encoded registrants belonged to the **wage-employed** category under the employed group (49.1% or 293,391) and **new entrants/fresh graduates** under the unemployed group (17.6% or 170,124).

The number of **persons with disabilities** increased **twelve times** in 2021 from 260 in 2020.

Further, **youth and senior citizen registrations** grew by **180%** and **106%** in 2021 from 788,282 and 75,393 in 2020, respectively.

**Figure 2. Distribution of Registered Jobseekers by Employment Status**



**Table 1. Top 10 Preferred Occupations by Registered Jobseekers**

1	Cashier
2	Production Worker
3	Service Crew
4	Sales Clerk
5	Saleslady
6	Production Machine Operator
7	Office Clerk
8	Merchandiser
9	Data Encoder
10	Customer Service Assistant

**Table 2. Top 10 Vacancies**

1	Domestic Helper
2	Production Worker
3	Call Center Agent
4	Office Clerk
5	Customer Service Assistant
6	Staff Nurse
7	Administration Services Aide
8	Production Machine Operator
9	Laborer
10	Technical Support Staff

**Table 3. Top 10 Industries**

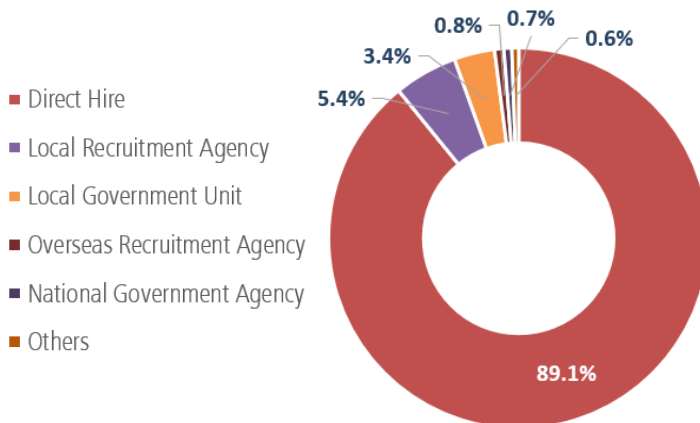
1	Wholesale and Retail Trade
2	Other Community, Social and Personal Service Activities
3	Hotels and Restaurants
4	Manufacturing
5	Financial Intermediation
6	Construction
7	Transport, Storage and Communication
8	Real Estate, Renting and Business Activities
9	Health and Social Work
10	Private Household Activities

**Table 4. Top 10 Regions by Number of Vacancies**

1	National Capital Region	186,192 (39.7%)
2	Region 11 (Davao)	69,556 (14.8%)
3	Region 10 (Northern Mindanao)	41,136 (8.8%)
4	Region 3 (Central Luzon)	35,480 (7.6%)
5	Region 4A (CALABARZON)	35,167 (7.5%)
6	Region 12 (SOCCSKSARGEN)	22,269 (4.7%)
7	Region 9 (Zamboanga Peninsula)	19,104 (4.1%)
8	Region 7 (Central Visayas)	15,384 (3.3%)
9	Region 1 (Ilocos Region)	12,923 (2.8%)
10	Region 2 (Cagayan Valley)	9,516 (2.0%)

**Table 5. Top 10 Cities by Number of Vacancies**

1	City of Manila	47,230 (10.1%)
2	Makati City	36,662 (7.8%)
3	Quezon City	36,462 (7.8%)
4	Davao City	29,944 (6.4%)
5	Mandaluyong City	27,593 (5.9%)
6	Iligan City	16,636 (3.5%)
7	Calamba City	12,574 (2.7%)
8	Angeles City	11,541 (2.5%)
9	Tarlac City	11,362 (2.4%)
10	Digos City	10,611 (2.3%)



**Figure 2. Percentage Distribution by Employer**

Similar to 2020, majority of the registered establishments were **private employers** (15,760 or 89.1%) followed by **local recruitment agencies** (954 or 5.4%). **Local Government Units** accounted a 3.4% share (610) in the establishment registrations in 2021.

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