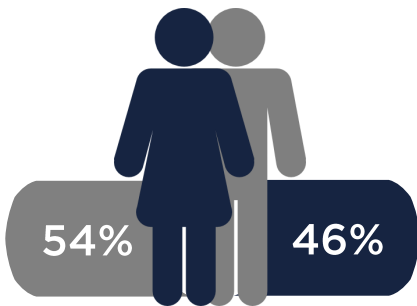


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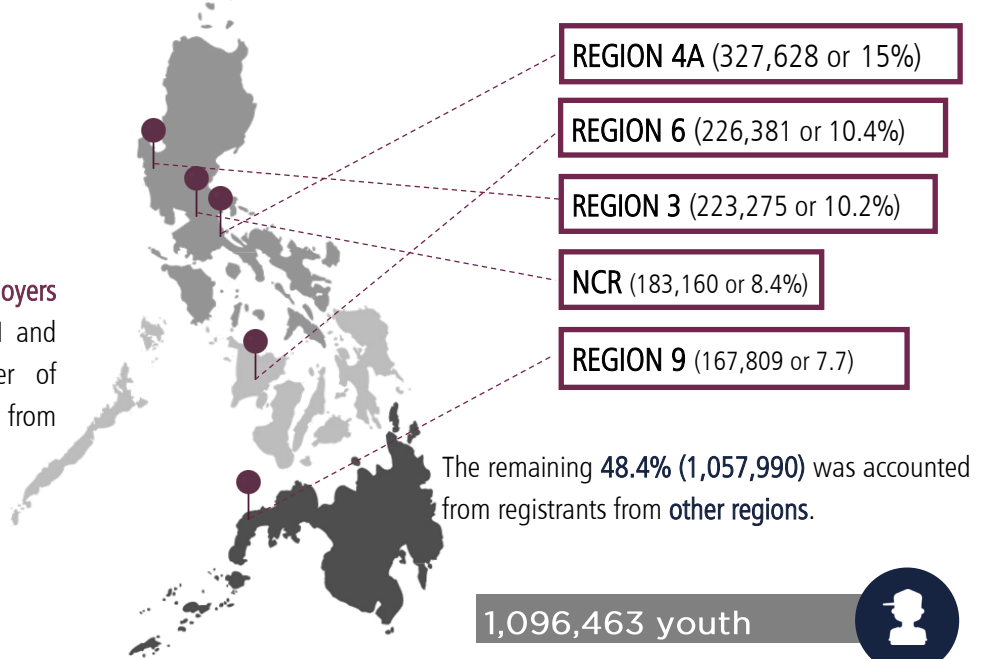
-  **2.1M JOBSEEKERS**
-  **29,630 EMPLOYERS**
-  **1.3M VACANCIES**

In 2022, the number of **jobseekers** and **employers** increased by **35%** and **67.5%** from 1,557,401 and 17,686 in 2021, respectively. The number of **vacancies** significantly increased by **179.8%** from 469,239 in 2021.



Female registrants consistently accounted for more than half (**54%** or 1,174,478) of the total number of registrants since 2020.

### Distribution of Registered Jobseekers per Region

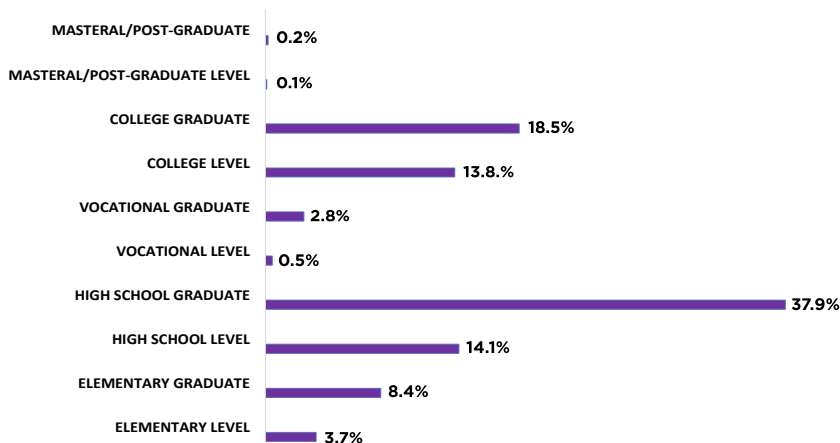


1,096,463 youth

110,766 senior citizens

1,229 persons with disabilities

Figure 1. Distribution of Registered Jobseekers



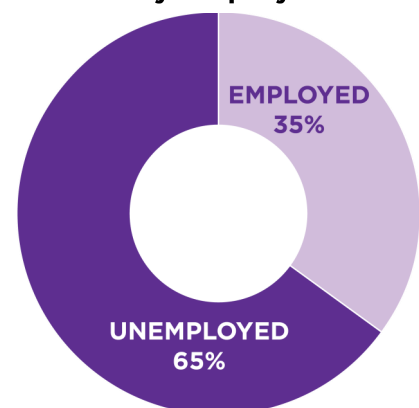
High school graduates accounted the largest number of registrants with 827,572 (**37.9%**) in 2022 similar to 2021.

Majority of the registered **jobseekers** belonged to the wage employed category under the employed group (**49.7%** or 376,747) and **new entrant/fresh graduates** under the unemployed group (**18.7%** or 267,848).

The number of **youth** and **senior citizens** increased by **39.1%** and **46.9%** in 2022 from 788,282 and 75,393 in 2021, respectively.

A decline in the number of **persons with disabilities** by **61.4%** was recorded in 2022 from 3,180 in 2021.

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  | Saleslady                   |
| 5  | Sales Clerk                 |
| 6  | Production Machine Operator |
| 7  | Data Encoder                |
| 8  | Office Clerk                |
| 9  | Merchandiser                |
| 10 | Call Center Agent           |

**Table 2. Top 10 Vacancies**

|    |                              |
|----|------------------------------|
| 1  | Office Clerk                 |
| 2  | Saleslady                    |
| 3  | Stockman                     |
| 4  | Laborer                      |
| 5  | Administration Services Aide |
| 6  | Utility Worker               |
| 7  | Door-to-Door Sales Person    |
| 8  | Production Assistant         |
| 9  | Call Center Agent            |
| 10 | Agent                        |

**Table 3. Top 10 Industries**

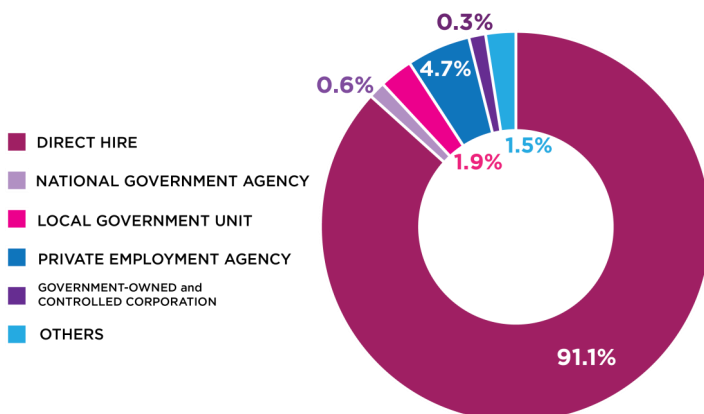
|    |   |
|----|---|
| 1  | Wholesale and Retail Trade                              |
| 2  | Other Community, Social and Personal Service Activities |
| 3  | Hotels and Restaurants                                  |
| 4  | Manufacturing   |
| 5  | Financial Intermediation                           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

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

|    |                                |               |
|----|--------------------------------|---------------|
| 1  | National Capital Region (NCR)  | 345,087 (26%) |
| 2  | Region 4A (Calabarzon)         | 269,845 (21%) |
| 3  | Region 11 (Davao Region)       | 153,464 (12%) |
| 4  | Region 9 (Zamboanga Peninsula) | 134,358 (10%) |
| 5  | Region 10 (Northern Mindanao)  | 94,349 (7%)   |
| 6  | Region 3 (Central Luzon)       | 91,478 (7%)   |
| 7  | Region 7 (Central Visayas)     | 59,517 (5%)   |
| 8  | Region 1 (Ilocos Region)       | 35,838 (3%)   |
| 9  | Region 12 (Soccsksargen)       | 35,255 (3%)   |
| 10 | Region 6 (Western Visayas)     | 23,563 (2%)   |

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

|    |                                    |              |
|----|------------------------------------|--------------|
| 1  | Iligan City, Lanao Del Norte       | 17,685 (23%) |
| 2  | General Trias, Cavite              | 8,426 (11%)  |
| 3  | Digos City, Davao Del Sur          | 8,000 (10%)  |
| 4  | Quezon City, Metro Man             | 7,450 (10%)  |
| 5  | Rosario, Cavite                    | 6,689 (9%)   |
| 6  | Cabuyao, Laguna                    | 6,000 (8%)   |
| 7  | Biñan, Laguna                      | 6,000 (8%)   |
| 8  | Manukan, Zamboanga Del Norte       | 6,000 (8%)   |
| 9  | Pasay City, Metro Manila           | 5,370 (7%)   |
| 10 | S. Osmeña Sr., Zamboanga del Norte | 5,000 (7%)   |



**Figure 2. Percentage Distribution by Employer**

Majority of the registered establishments were **Direct Hire Sectors (91.1% or 26,976)** followed by **Private Employment Agencies (4.7% or 1,384)**. **Local Government Units** accounted a **1.9%** share (599) in the establishment registrations in 2022.

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