# **Financial Inclusion in the Philippines**

Dashboard

**As of Fourth Quarter 2016** 

## **Access**

#### Banks and Automated Teller Machines (ATMs)\*

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	2015 Q4	2016 Q4	Growth
Banks (head office, branches, and other offices)	10,710	11,129	<b>1</b> 3.9%
Universal & Commercial Banks	6,014	6,188	<b>1</b> 2.9%
Thrift Banks	2,086	2,176	<b>1</b> 4.3%
Rural & Cooperative Banks	2,610	2,765	<b>1</b> 5.9%
ATMs	17,314	19,081	<b>1</b> 0.2%
On-site ATMs	9,750	10,721	10.0%
Off-site ATMs	7,564	8,360	10.5%

<sup>\*</sup>Nationwide count only (i.e., excludes offices/ATMs of Philippine banks abroad)

#### Micro-banking offices (MBOs)

	2015 Q4	2016 Q4	Growth
Number of operating MBOs	540	691	<b>28.0%</b>
Number of cities and municipalities with MBOs	338	418	<b>23.7%</b>
Number of cities and municipalities without regular banking offices but with MBOs	66	81	<b>1</b> 22.7%

#### **Other Financial Service Access Points**

		2015 Q4	2016 Q4	Growth
Savings, credit &	NSSLAs	200	199	-0.5%
other services	Credit Cooperatives*	3,202	3,331	4.0%
other services	Microfinance NGOs [1]	2,065	2,603	<b>1</b> 26.1%
	Pawnshops	16,128	16,698	<b>1</b> 3.5%
Credit & other	Without corollary business	9,350	9,851	<b>1</b> 5.4%
services	With corollary business	6,778	6,847	1.0%
	Other NBFIs [2]	163	181	11.0%
	FX Dealers/Money Changers (FXDs/MCs)	1,919	1,940	1.1%
Payment & money	Remittance Agents (RAs) [3]	4,506	5,356	<b>1</b> 8.9%
Payment & money transfer services	FXDs/MCs/RAs	4,241	4,732	<b>1</b> 1.6%
transier services	E-Money Agents <sup>[4]</sup>	23,781	26,028	9.4%
	Point-of-sale (POS) terminals	152,203	181,748	19.4%

<sup>\*2014</sup> vs. 2015

## **Insurance Providers**

	Insurers	Microinsurance
		Providers
Mutual Benefit Associations	32	21
Life Insurance Companies	31	10
Non-Life Insurance Companies	69	16
Total	132	47

Source: Insurance Commission (2015)

## Overall Access Situation (preliminary)

	2015	2015 Q4		6 Q4
	Number of cities and municipalities	% to Total	Number of cities and municipalities	% to Total
1. With banking presence	1,043	63.8%	1,052	<b>6</b> 4.4%
2. Without banking presence <sup>[5]</sup>	591	36.2%	582	35.6%
2.1 Without banking presence but with other access points	398	24.4%	403	<b>1</b> 24.7%
2.2 Without any access point	193	11.8%	179	11.0%
With at least one access point (1 + 2.1)	1,441	88.2%	1,455	<b>1</b> 89.0%

<sup>[1]</sup> Based only from a sample of MF NGOs that responded to the BSP data request. (2016 data - preliminary)

<sup>[2]</sup> Other NBFIs include lending investors and financing companies (that are affiliated with BSP-supervised banks), credit card companies, investment companies, securities dealers/brokers, government NBFIs and credit granting entities (excluding MF NGOs) which are supervised by the BSP.

 $<sup>\</sup>label{eq:continuous} \textbf{[3] Excluding GXI/Globe and Smart}$ 

<sup>[4]</sup> Total number of registered e-money agents, of which 20,636 are considered active in 2016. This count includes agents that are pawnshops, RAs, MCs/FXDs and cooperatives.

<sup>[5]</sup> In the Core Set of Financial Inclusion Indicators developed by the Alliance for Financial Inclusion (AFI), access points are defined as regulated entities where both cash-in and cash-out transactions can be performed. Following this definition, "other access points" include NSSLAs, credit cooperatives, pawnshops, FXDs/MCs/RAs, other NBFIs, and e-money agents; and exclude MF NGOs (not prudentially regulated) and ATMs (no data on the number of ATMs that can perform both cash-in and cash-out).

# Usage

## **Deposits and Loans in the Banking System**

	2015 Q4	2016 Q4	Growth
Number of deposit accounts (in millions)	50.9	53.5	5.0%
Number of depositors (in millions)	40.4	41.8	3.6%
Amount of deposits (in trillion pesos)	9.2	10.5	<b>1</b> 3.8%
Amount of loans (in trillion pesos)	5.8	6.9	<b>1</b> 7.8%

Electronic Money			
	2015	2016	Growth
Number of Transactions (in millions)			
Inflow	60	67	11.9%
Outflow	267	299	11.9%
Amount of Transactions (in billion pesos)			
Inflow	456	478	4.7%
Outflow	460	478	4.0%
Number of E-Money Accounts (in millions)			
Registered e-money accounts (Gcash, Smart Money)	9.4	11.4	<b>1</b> 21.4%
Active e-money accounts (among registered)	6.4	7.0	<b>1</b> 8.9%
Cards (in millions)			
Prepaid cards (linked to e-money)*	26.0	26.1	<b>1</b> 0.6%
ATM debit cards**	40.9	50.8	<b>1</b> 24.1%
Credit cards**	8.43	8.44	<b>1</b> 0.1%

<sup>\*</sup>E-money accounts (excluding GCash and Smart Money) issued by other E-Money Issuers

#### **Microfinance in the Banking System**

		2015 Q4	2016 Q4	Growth
	Banks	170	168	-1.2%
Microfinance	Borrowers	1,471,896	1,686,152	14.6%
	Amount (in million pesos)	11,256	13,741	22.1%
	Banks	157	156	-0.6%
Microenterprise Loans	Borrowers	1,268,671	1,436,371	13.2%
	Amount (in million pesos)	9,763	11,957	22.5%
	Banks	32	32	0.0%
Microfinance Plus	Borrowers	10,699	5,537	<del>-</del> 48.2%
	Amount (in million pesos)	356	404	13.6%
Micro-Agri Loans	Banks	31	26	-16.1%
	Borrowers	34,342	39,987	16.4%
	Amount (in million pesos)	288	303	<b>1</b> 5.4%
	Banks	18	17	-5.6%
Housing Microfinance Loans	Borrowers	84,556	131,375	<b>1</b> 55.4%
	Amount (in million pesos)	615	876	42.3%
Micro-deposit	Banks	69	74	7.2%
	Accounts (in millions)	2.6	3.3	<b>1</b> 24.6%
	Amount (in million pesos)	5,238	6,941	<b>1</b> 32.5%
Microinguranco	Banks	39	34	-12.8%
Microinsurance	Clients*[6]	1.9	2.2	15.0%

<sup>\*2014</sup> vs. 2015

## **Microfinance Outside the Banking System**

	2013	2015	Growth
Cooperatives <sup>[7]</sup>			
Number of member-depositors (in millions)	6.5	6.4	-1.5%
Deposit liabilities (in billion pesos)	66.7	73.7	10.5%
Outstanding loans (in billion pesos)	152.7	162.4	6.4%
	2014	2015	Growth
Microfinance NGOs <sup>[8]</sup>			
Number of clients (in millions)	2.9	3.9	<b>1</b> 35.7%
Outstanding loans (in billion pesos)	16.4	20.6	<b>2</b> 5.9%

## Insurance

	2014	2015	Change
Insurance Penetration	1.56%	1.75%	0.19

Number of Policyowners (in millions)	Insurers	Microinsurance	% Share of
		Providers	Microinsurance
Mutual Benefit Associations	17.0	16.1	94.1%
Life Insurance Companies	24.9	5.5	22.2%
Non-Life Insurance Companies	13.9	7.1	50.9%
Total	55.9	28.7	51.3%

Amount of Premiums (in million pesos)	Insurers	Microinsurance	% Share of
		Providers	Microinsurance
Mutual Benefit Associations	6,877	2,461	35.8%
Life Insurance Companies	188,818	1,712	0.9%
Non-Life Insurance Companies	36,565	358	1.0%
Total	232,260	4,531	2.0%

Source: Insurance Commission (2015)

<sup>\*\*2014</sup> vs. 2015

<sup>[6]</sup> Estimated number of rural bank clients with microinsurance coverage (Source: RBAP, 2015)

<sup>[7]</sup> Sourced from the Cooperative Development Authority (CDA). In 2013, there were 23,187 coops in the registry but only 10,675 coops are reporting, of which

<sup>7,247</sup> coops are offering financial services. In 2015, CDA reported that 83% of cooperatives are engaged in financial inclusion-related services.

<sup>[8]</sup> Based only from a sample of MF NGOs that responded to the BSP data request. (2016 data - preliminary)

# Other financial inclusion data

Alliance for Financial Inclusion Core Set/ Philippine Development Plan Indicator (preliminary)

		(preminary)	
	2015 Q4	2016 Q4	Growth
Total number of access points	66,089	69,594	5.3%
Number of access points per 10,000 adults	9.40	9.69	<b>1</b> 3.1%

#### **Indicators from Demand-side Surveys**

## FORMAL ACCOUNT/SAVINGS

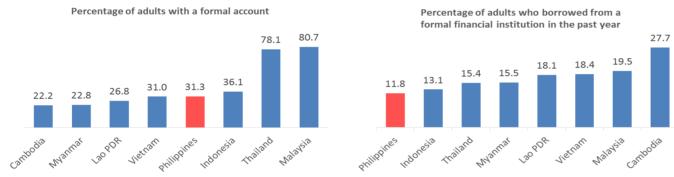
World Bank Findex (Respondents: Adults - individuals aged 15+)	2011	2014	Change
Account	26.6%	31.3%	4.7
Account, male	19.0%	24.4%	<b>1</b> 5.4
Account, female	33.7%	37.9%	4.1
Account, young adults (15-24)	18.3%	19.0%	0.7
Account, older adults (25+)	29.7%	35.9%	<b>6.2</b>
Account, income, poorest 40%	10.7%	17.8%	7.1
Account, income, richest 60%	37.1%	40.6%	<b>1</b> 3.4
Account, primary education or less	12.3%	18.1%	5.8
Account, secondary education or more	33.1%	36.8%	3.8
Account, rural	19.5%	27.5%	8.0

<sup>\*</sup>Formal account includes account at a formal financial institution as well as mobile money wallet

BSP Financial Inclusion Survey (Respondents: Adults - individuals aged 15+)	2015
Percentage of adults with savings	43.2%
Percentage of adults with savings in a bank	32.7%
(base: adults with savings)	32.7%
Percentage of adults who keep their savings at home	68.3%
(base: adults with savings)	08.3%

BSP Consumer Finance Survey (Respondents: Households)	2009	2014	Change
Percentage of households with deposit account	21.5%	14.0%	-7.5

BSP Consumer Expectations Survey (Respondents: Households)	2015 Q4	2016 Q4	Change
Percentage of households with savings	30.2%	32.6%	<b>1</b> 2.4
Percentage of OFW households who allot a portion of remittances to savings	41.4%	46.8%	5.4



Source: World Bank Global Findex (2014)

## CREDIT

World Bank Findex (Respondents: Adults - individuals aged 15+)	2011	2014	Change
Percentage of adults who borrowed from a formal financial institution in the past year	10.5%	11.8%	1.3

BSP Financial Inclusion Survey (Respondents: Adults - individuals aged 15+)	2015
Percentage of adults with outstanding loans	47.1%
Percentage of adults who borrowed from a bank	4.4%
(base: adults with outstanding loans)	4.4%
Percentage of adults who borrow from informal sources	72.20/
(base: adults with outstanding loans)	72.3%

## OTHER FINANCIAL SERVICES

World Bank Findex (Respondents: Adults - individuals aged 15+)	2011	2014	Change
Percentage of adults with debit card	13.2%	20.5%	7.3
Percentage of adults with a mobile account	na	4.2%	
Percentage of adults using a debit card to make payments	na	11.9%	
Percentage of adults using a credit card to make payments	na	2.2%	
Percentage of adults using the Internet to pay bills or make purchases	na	3.5%	

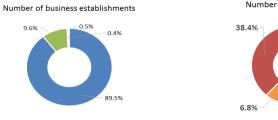
BSP Consumer Expectations Survey (Respondents: Households)	2015 Q4	2016 Q4	Change
Percentage of OFW households who allot a portion of remittances to debt payments	42.7%	42.8%	0.1
Percentage of OFW households who allot a portion of remittances to investment	6.6%	10.0%	3.4

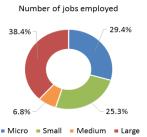
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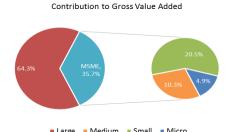
Financial literacy . Fin-Q Score (Citi, 2012)	53%
Satisfaction . Percentage of adults who are satisfied in their financial transactions with a bank (NBSFI, 2015)	88%
Convenience . Average time spent before being served in a bank (NBSFI, 2015)	33 mins
Fair treatment . Percentage of adults who experienced a conflict with a financial service provider in the past 3 years (World Bank Financial Capability Survey, 2015)	17%
Choice . Percentage of cities and municipalities with access to savings, credit, payment/remittance, and other financial services (2016 Q4)	63%

# Sectoral data

## Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises (MSMEs)







Source: Philippine Statistics Authority and Department of Trade and Industry (2015)

#### **MSME Compliance**

	2015 Q4	2016 Q4	Growth/ Change
Total compliance for MSEs (in billion pesos)	204.7	207.99	1.6%
Total compliance for MEs (in billion pesos)	291.1	297.09	<b>1</b> 2.1%
Percentage of compliance for MSEs (required: 8%)	4.4%	3.8%	-0.5
Percentage of compliance for MEs (required: 2%)	6.2%	5.4%	-0.8
Number of MSME Borrowers	1,589,185	1,642,865	<b>1</b> 3.4%
Number of BMBE Borrowers	3.072	1.787	-41.8%

#### **Enterprise Access to Finance**

	2009	2015
Percentage of enterprises with a checking or savings account	97.8%	93.2%
Small	97.2%	<del></del>
Medium	98.5%	<del>4</del> 96.2%
Large	98.3%	<del>\$\bullet\$ 98.0%</del>
Percentage of enterprises with bank loans/line of credit	33.2%	29.9%
Small	21.1%	<b>22.6%</b>
Medium	39.9%	<b>↓</b> 38.9%
Large	61.4%	48.1%

Source: World Bank Enterprise Survey (among small, medium, and large enterprises)

## Percentage of Enterprises Identifying Access to Finance as Major Constraint

	2009	2015
Percentage of Enterprises Identifying Access to Finance as Major Constraint	13.0%	10.7%
Small	15.0%	9.3%
Medium	17.0%	<b>4.4%</b>
Large	7.0%	<del></del>

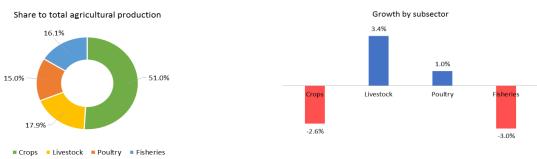
Source: World Bank Enterprise Survey (among small, medium, and large enterprises)

## **Proportion of Investments Financed by Source**

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	2009	2015	
Internal finance	75.9%	<b>1</b> 81.2%	
Bank finance	12.2%	<b>1</b> 0.1%	
Trade/Supplier credit	6.5%	<del></del>	
Equity/Sale of stock	3.7%	5.5%	

Source: World Bank Enterprise Survey (among small, medium, and large enterprises)

## **Agricultural Sector**



Source: Philippine Statistics Authority (Fourth Quarter 2016)

## **Agri-Agra Compliance**

	2015 Q4	2016 Q4	Growth/ Change
Total compliance for AGRA (in billion pesos)	31.5	36.0	14.3%
Total compliance for AGRI (in billion pesos)	401.2	452.2	12.7%
Percentage of compliance for AGRA (required: 10%)	1.1%	1.0%	-0.1
Percentage of compliance for AGRI (required: 15%)	14.1%	12.8%	-1.3

# Other relevant data

#### **Geography**

Land area (in km²)	300,000
Regions	18
Provinces	81
Cities	145
Municipalities	1,489

Source: Philippine Statistics Authority

#### **Population**

	2010	2015
Population, in millions	92.3	101.0
Adult population (aged 15 +), in millions	62.9	70.3
Number of households, in millions	20.2	23.0

Source: Philippine Statistics Authority Census of Population and Housing

#### **Economy**

GDP Y-o-Y growth (4th Quarter 2015 vs. 4th Quarter 2016)	6.6%
GDP full year growth (2016)	6.8%
Inflation rate (Apr 2017)	3.4%
Unemployment rate (Oct 2016)	4.7%

Source: Philippine Statistics Authority

#### **Income and Poverty**

Average annual family income, in PhP (Oct 2016)	267,000
Minimum wage, non-agri NCR, in PhP (Dec 2016)	454 - 491
Poverty incidence of population (2015)	21.6%
Poverty threshold, average monthly estimate, in PhP (2015)	9,064

Source: Philippine Statistics Authority

## **Overseas Filipinos**

	2015	2016	
Amount of cash remittances, in billion USD	25.6	26.9	
Number of Overseas Filipinos, in millions* (2013)	10	10.2	

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>p/</sup> Preliminary

## **Digital Finance Ecosystem Background Indicators**

Mobile Market	2014	2015	
Connections, in millions	116.6	121.8	
Number of unique mobile subscribers, in millions	49.0	51.0	
Unique subscriber penetration rate	49%	50%	
Smartphone penetration	28%	40%*	
SIM penetration (2017)	12	120%	
Mobile broadband penetration (2017)	45	45%	

Source: Groupe Speciale Mobile (GSM) Association/ GSMA

<sup>\*</sup>Estimate from Ericsson

Internet	2014	2015
Percentage of individuals using the internet	39.7%	40.7%
Fixed broadband price, in USD	22.5	22.0
Mobile broadband price, prepaid handset-based (500 MB), in USD	6.7	4.4
Mobile broadband price, postpaid computer-based (1 GB), in USD	22.5	19.7

Source: International Telecommunication Union (ITU)

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