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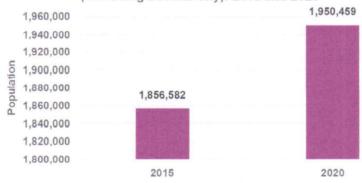
2024 Women and Men in Quezon province

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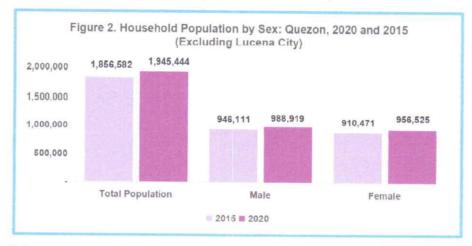
Figure 1. Total Population of Quezon province* (excluding Lucena City): 2015 and 2020



Source: Philippine Statistics Authority, 2020 Census of Population and Housing

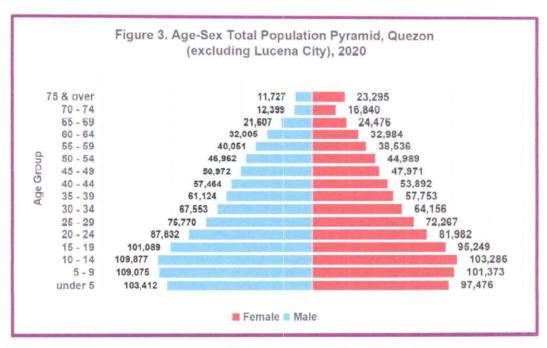
The total population of Quezon province (excluding Lucena City) was 1,950,459 based on the 2020 Census of Population and Housing (2020 CPH). There was an increase of 93,877 persons or 5.06 percent from the result of the 2015 Census of Population at 1,856,582.

Forty-nine percent of the household population in Quezon province were women.



The household population of Quezon province was 1,945,444 based on the 2020 Census of Population and Housing (CPH). Males outnumbered females with recorded share of 50.8 percent and 49.2 percent, respectively. The population composition by sex was almost the same in 2015 Census of Population were 51.0 percent with males and 49.0 percent were females.

In terms of the distribution of population by age and sex, there were more males than females in age groups 0 to 59 years in 2020, with the males comprising 51.4 percent of these age groups. In contrast, there were more females (55.7 percent) than males (44.3 percent) in the older groups 60 years old and over.



Sex Ratio stands at 103 males per 100 females

The sex ratio in the province of Quezon was computed at 103 males for every 100 females in 2020. This is lower compared to the sex ratio of 104 recorded in 2015.

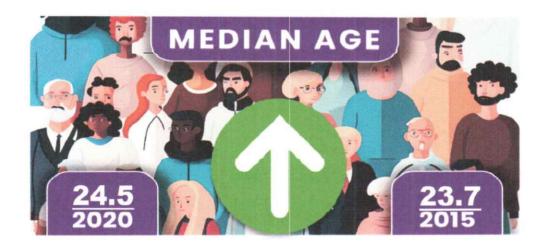
In 2020, children aged below 15 years had a sex ratio of 107 males for every 100 females, while those aged 15 to 64 years had a sex ratio of 105. On the other hand, for those aged 65 years and over, the sex ratio was 71 males per 100 females. This implies a higher mortality rate among males than females or a longer life expectancy among females than males in the older age groups.

Figure 4. Sex Ratio by Selected Age Group: Quezon, 2020

		Sex Ratio by Selec Quezon, 2020	
		Age group	Sex Ratio
		0 - 14 years old	107:100
		15 - 64 years old	105:100
100	103	65 years old and over	71:100

Median age increases to 24.5

The median age in Quezon province was computed at 24.5 years, higher than the median age of 23.7 years posted in 2015. This means that half of the household population were younger than 24.5 years, while the other half were older than 24.5 years.



There are 60 dependents per 100 persons in the working-age group

The dependency ratio in Quezon province was computed at 60, which indicates that there were 60 dependents for every 100 persons in the working-age or economically-active population. Of the total number of dependents, 51 were young dependents while 9 were old dependents.

70
60
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Over all
Young
Old

Figure 5. Age Dependency Ratio of the Household Population: Quezon Province, 2020 & 2015

There are more males than females among children under five years of age

Children below five years old comprised 10.3 percent (200,888) of the household population. The sex ratio was computed at 106 males per 100 females in 2020

■ 2020 ■ 2015

About two in every five household population are of school age

The school-age population (5 to 24 years old) accounted for 789,763 persons (40.6 percent) of the 1,945,444 household population in Quezon province (excluding Lucena City). It was lower compared to the 769,441 (41.6 percent) school-age population reported in 2015.

Of the school age population, males accounted for 51.6 percent.



Senior citizens constitute 9.0 percent of the household population



People aged 60 years old and over are regarded as senior citizens in the Philippines. In 2020, they made up 9.0 percent (175,333) of the household population. There were more females (55.7percent) than males (44.3percent) among the senior citizens, the same trend as observed in 2015.

Less than half of the female population are of reproductive age

Less than half of the total female population are of reproductive age. Female of reproductive age (15-49 years old), reached 473,270 or 49.5 percent of the 956,525 female household population in 2020. In 2015, females aged 15-49 years totaled 453,480.

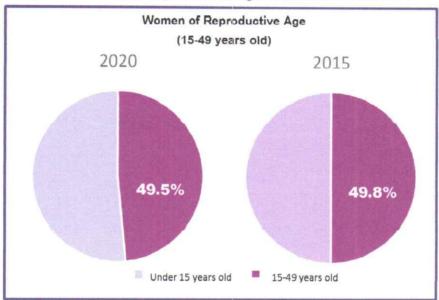


Figure 6. Women of Reproductive Age: Quezon: 2020 and 2015

Sources: Philippine Statistics Authority, 2020 Census of Population and Housing and 2015 Census of Population

Birth Registration in Quezon province is high

Of a total household population of 1,945,444 in the province in 2020, there were 1,915,059 (98.4 percent) whose births were registered. Unregistered population accounted for 1.5 percent (28,433) while 0.1 percent (1,952) had births with unknown registration status.

Both males and females recorded high birth registration rates, with 98.4 percent and 98.5 percent, respectively. A higher number of male births (14,568) than female births (13,865) remains unregistered.

More than half of the household population are single

By marital status, 1,008,853 (51.9 percent) were single, 584,987 (30.1 percent) married, 252,995 (13.0 percent), living in a common-law or live-in arrangements, 72,984 (3.8 percent), widowed and 25,555 (1.3 percent) divorced/ separated/ annulled.

The percentage of single was higher among males (54.8 percent) than females (48.9 percent). Moreover, among the widowed population, females (57,176 or 78.3 percent) outnumbered their male counterpart (15,808 or 21.7 percent).

Literacy rate is recorded at 97.4 percent

Quezon province posted a literacy rate of 97.4 percent among the 1,744,556 household population aged 5 years old and over. In the 2020 Census of Population and Housing, a person is considered literate if he/she is able to read and write a simple message in any language or dialect



Overseas Filipino Workers are estimated at 36 thousand

The number of Overseas Filipino Workers (OFW) accounted for 36,019 persons or 2.7 percent of the 1,320,945 household population 15 years old and over in Quezon province. Of the 36,019 OFWs, 17,024 were males and 18,995 were females.

Among the household population 15 years old and over, the percentage of OFW was slightly higher among females (2.9 percent) than males (2.6 percent). Females outnumbered males with a 0.3 percentage points difference or higher by 1,971.



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Table 1. Total Population by City, and Municipality of Quezon Province (excluding Lucena City): 2000, 2010, 2015, and 2020

CITY/ MUNICIPALITY -	TOTAL POPULATION							
OIT IT WONIOIF ALITY	01 May 2000	01 May 2010	01 Aug 2015	01 May 2020				
TOTAL	1,482,955	1,740,638	1,856,582	1,950,459				
AGDANGAN	9,946	11,567	12,851	12,764				
ALABAT	14,204	16.120	15.630	15,936				
ATIMONAN	56,716	61,587	63,432	64,260				
BUENAVISTA	22,840	29,053	30,047	31,160				
BURDEOS	19,635	21,662	23,854	24,644				
CALAUAG	65,907	69,223	73,139	71,809				
CANDELARIA	92,429	110,570	117,434	137,881				
CATANAUAN	57,736	65,832	71,073	72,752				
DOLORES	23,649	27,702	28,891	32,514				
GENERAL LUNA	21,068	25,373	26,494	24,804				
GENERAL NAKAR	23,678	25,973	29,705	34,225				
GUINAYANGAN	37,164	41,669	45,155	44,045				
GUMACA	60,191	69,618	73,877	71,942				
INFANTA	50,992	64,818	69,079	76,186				
JOMALIG	5,817	6,884	7,417	7,667				
LOPEZ	78,694	91,074	95,167	94,657				
LUCBAN	38,834	46,698	51,475	53,091				
MACALELON	22,935	26,419	28,188	27,312				
MAUBAN	50,134	61,141	63,819	71,081				
MULANAY	45,903	50,826	53,123	55,576				
PADRE BURGOS	18,962	20,161	22,460	23,488				
PAGBILAO	53,442	65,996	75,023	78,700				
PANUKULAN	11,311	15,015	16,452	16,376				
PATNANUNGAN	11,034	13,865	14,606	15,052				
PEREZ	10,454	12,039	12,173	12,767				
PITOGO	20,558	21,380	23,019	22,798				
PLARIDEL	9,501	10,238	10,935	10,129				
POLILLO	24,105	28,125	30,582	31,908				
QUEZON	14,594	15,142	15,228	15,886				
REAL	30,684	35,189	35,979	38,678				
SAMPALOC	12,858	13,107	13,907	13,629				
SAN ANDRES	27,184	33,586	35,780	37,454				
SAN ANTONIO	26,419	31,681	33,467	35,891				
SAN FRANCISCO	48,310	57,979	61,473	62,097				
SAN NARCISO	38,474	45,386	48,461	51,058				
SARIAYA	114,568	138,894	148,980	161,868				
TAGKAWAYAN	44,290	50,833	51,832	54,003				
CITY OF TAYABAS	70,985	91,428	99,779	112,658				
TIAONG	75.498	91,599	99.712	106,265				
UNISAN	21,252	25,186	26,884	25,448				

Table 2. Household Population by Sex, Province, and City/Municipality: Quezon, 2020

City/Municipality	Both Sexes	Male	Percentage	Female	Percentage
QUEZON (excluding CITY OF					
LUCENA)	1,945,444	988,919	50.8	956,525	49.2
AGDANGAN	12,764	6,354	49.8	6,410	50.2
ALABAT	15,907	8,129	51.1	7,778	48.9
ATIMONAN	64,180	32,646	50.9	31,534	49.1
BUENAVISTA	31,132	16,018	51.5	15,114	48.5
BURDEOS	24,627	12,779	51.9	11,848	48.1
CALAUAG	71,781	36,552	50.9	35,229	49.1
CANDELARIA	137,502	69,035	50.2	68,467	49.8
CATANAUAN	72,620	37,129	51.1	35,491	48.9
DOLORES	32,403	16,201	50.0	16,202	50.0
GENERAL LUNA	24,703	12,487	50.5	12,216	49.5
GENERAL NAKAR	34,180	17,955	52.5	16,225	47.5
GUINAYANGAN	44,039	22,414	50.9	21,625	49.1
GUMACA	71,463	36,190	50.6	35,273	49.4
INFANTA	76,128	38,639	50.8	37,489	49.2
JOMALIG	7,649	3,921	51.3	3,728	48.7
LOPEZ	94,577	48,318	51.1	46,259	48.9
LUCBAN	52,355	26,300	50.2	26,055	49.8
MACALELON	27,253	14,122	51.8	13,131	48.2
MAUBAN	70,990	36,411	51.3	34,579	48.7
MULANAY	55,547	28,345	51.0	27,202	49.0
PADRE BURGOS	23,472	11,919	50.8	11,553	49.2
PAGBILAO	77,481	39,142	50.5	38,339	49.5
PANUKULAN	16,376	8,533	52.1	7,843	47.9
PATNANUNGAN	15,047	7,775	51.7	7,272	48.3
PEREZ	12,762	6,610	51.8	6,152	48.2
PITOGO	22,784	11,681	51.3	11,103	48.7
PLARIDEL	10,066	5,019	49.9	5,047	50.1
POLILLO	31,632	16,300	51.5	15,332	48.5
QUEZON	15,876	8,204	51.7	7,672	48.3
REAL	38,641	19,867	51.4	18,774	48.6
SAMPALOC	13,609	6,931	50.9	6,678	49.1
SAN ANDRES	37,441	19,181	51.2	18,260	48.8
SAN ANTONIO	35,814	18,052	50.4	17,762	49.0
SAN FRANCISCO (AURORA)	62,017	31,832	51.3	30,185	48.7
SAN NARCISO	51,009	26,024	51.0	24,985	49.0
SARIAYA	161,667	81,665	50.5	80,002	49.5
TAGKAWAYAN	53,928	27,392	50.8	26,536	49.2
CITY OF TAYABAS	112,433	56,727	50.5	55,706	49.5
TIAONG	106,147	53,158	50.1	52,989	49.9
UNISAN	25,442	12,962	50.9	12,480	49.

TABLE 3. Household Population by Sex, Quezon (excluding Lucena City); 2020

Age Group	Both Sexes	Male	Female
Total	1,945,444	988,919	956,525
0 - 4	200,888	103,412	97,476
5 - 9	210,448	109,075	101,373
10 - 14	213,163	109,877	103,286
15 - 19	196,338	101,089	95,249
20 - 24	169,814	87,832	81,982
25 - 29	148,037	75,770	72,267
30 - 34	131,709	67,553	64,156
35 - 39	118,877	61,124	57,753
40 - 44	111,356	57,464	53,892
45 - 49	98,943	50,972	47,971
50 - 54	91,951	46,962	44,989
55 - 59	78,587	40,051	38,536
60 - 64	64,989	32,005	32,984
65 - 69	46,083	21,607	24,476
70 - 74	29,239	12,399	16,840
75 - 79	17,856	6,588	11,268
80 years and over	17,166	5,139	12,027

Source: Philippine Statistics Authority, 2020 Census of Population and Housing and 2015 Census of Population

Table 4. Age Dependency Ratio of the Household Population by Sex: Quezon Province, 2020 and 2015

Age -Dependency Ratio	2020			2015			
	Both Sexes	Male	Female	Both Sexes	Male	Female	
Over all	60	59	62	61	60	63	
Young	51	52	51	54	54	53	
Old	9	7	11	8	6	9	

Source: Philippine Statistics Authority, 2020 Census of Population and Housing and 2015 Census of Population

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Table 5. Number and Percent to All Ages of Household Population and Sex Ratio by Selected Age Group:

Quezon, 2020 and 2015

Age Group and	1	Number		Percent t	o All Ages	(%)	Sex Ratio
Year	Both Sexes	Male	Female	Both Sexes	Male	Female	
2020			***************************************				
All Ages	1,945,444	988,919	956,525				103
0-4	200,888	103,412	97,476	10.3	10.5	10.2	106
0-14	624,499	322,364	302,135	32.1	32.6	31.6	107
5-24	789,763	407,873	381,890	40.6	41.2	39.9	107
15-49	975,074	501,804	473,270	50.1	50.7	49.5	106
15-64	1,210,601	620,822	589,779	62.2	62.8	61.7	105
60 years and over	175,333	77.738	97,595	9.0	7.9	10.2	80
65 years and over	110,344	45,733	64,611	5.7	4.6	6.8	71
2015							
All Ages	1,851,792	942,059	909,733				104
0-4	198,292	102,442	95,844	10.7	10.9	10.5	107
0-14	617,982	318,985	298,997	33.4	33.9	32.9	107
5-24	769,441	396,819	372,622	41.6	42.1	41.0	106
15-49	933,194	479,714	453,480	50.4	50.9	49.8	106
15-64	1,142,983	585,837	557,146	61.7	62.2	61.2	105
60 years and over	144,736	63,603	81,133	7.8	6.8	8.9	78
65 years and over	90,827	37,237	53,590	4.9	4.0	5.9	69

Source: Philippine Statistics Authority, 2020 Census of Population and Housing and 2015 Census of Population

Table 6. Household Population by Birth Registration Status by Sex: Quezon, 2020

Birth Registration Status	Sex							
birth Registration Status	Total	Percentage	Male	Percentage	Female	Percentage		
Births Registered	1,915,059	98.4	973,347	98.4	941,712	98.5		
Births Not Registered	28,433	1.5	14,568	1.5	13,865	1.4		
Don't know	1,949	0.1	1,004	0.1	945	0.1		
Not Reported	3	*	0	0	3	*		

Table 7. Household Population by Marital Status and Sex: Quezon Province, 2020

Marital Status	Sex						
Marital Status	Total	Percentage	Male	Percentage	Female	Percentage	
Total	1,945,444	100	988,919	100	956,525	100	
Single	1,008,853	51.9	541,561	54.8	467,292	48.9	
Married	584,987	30.1	293,373	29.7	291,614	30.5	
Common-law/Live-in	252,995	13	127,002	12.8	125,993	13.2	
Widowed	72,984	3.8	15,808	1.6	57,176	6	
Divorced/Separated/Annulled	25,555	1.3	11,149	1.1	14,406	1.5	
Unknown	70	*	26	*	44	*	

Table 8. Overseas Household Population 15 years Old and Over by Sex: Quezon, 2020

Overseas Worker	Sex							
Overseus Worker	Total	Percent	Male	Percent	Female	Percent		
Total	1,320,945	100	666,555	100	654,390	100		
Overseas Worker	36,019	2.7	17,024	2.6	18,995	2.9		
Not Overseas Worker	1,283,768	97.2	648,927	97.4	634,841	97		
Not Reported	1,158	0.1	604	0.1	554	0.1		

Table 9. Literacy of the Household Population 5 Years Old and Over by Age Group and Sex,: Quezon 2020

Literacy	Sex								
Literacy	Total	Percent	Male	Percent	Female	Percent			
Total	1,744,556	100	885,507	100	859,049	100			
Literate	1,698,571	97.4	860,695	97.2	837,876	97.5			
Illiterate	45,985	2.6	24,812	2.8	21,173	2.5			