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Age and Sex Distribution in Polillo (2020 Census of Population and Housing)

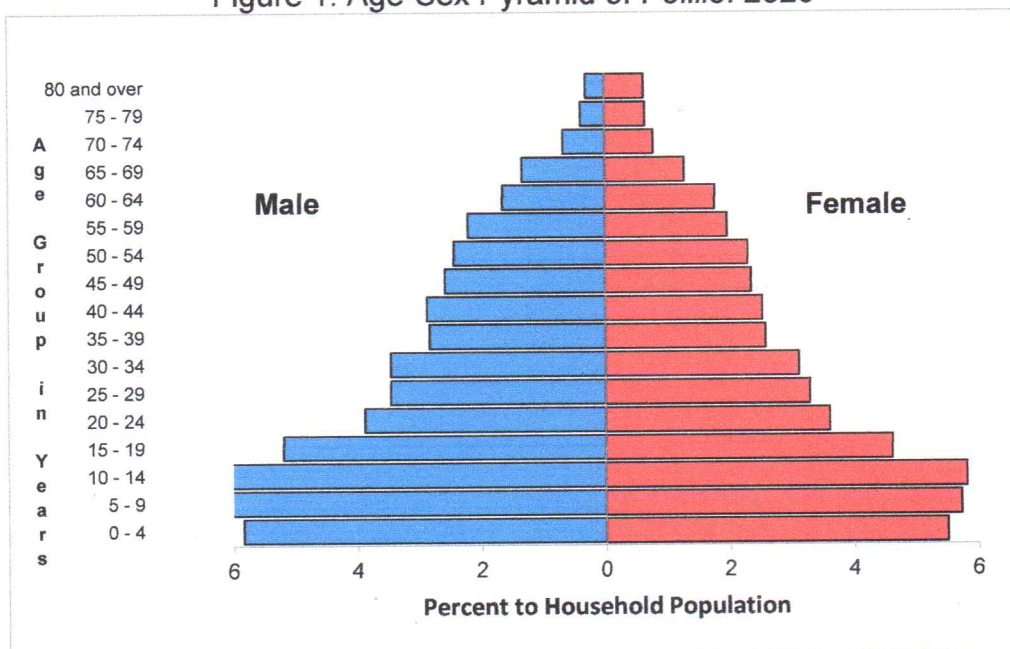
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As of May 1, 2020, the household population of Polillo was recorded at 31,632 individuals, based on the result of the 2020 Census of Population and Housing (2020 CPH).

Of the total household population in 2020, 16,300 (51.5%) were males while 15,332 (48.5%) were females. By age group, 11,176 persons (35.3%) were under 15 years of age (young dependents), while persons aged 15 to 64 years (working-age or economically active population) totaled 18,548 (58.6%). Those in the age group 65 years and over (old dependents) comprised the remaining 1,908 persons (6.0%).

In 2015, persons aged 0 to 14 years, 15 to 64 years, and 65 years and above accounted for 37.3 percent, 57.4 percent, and 5.3 percent, respectively, of the total household population.

Figure 1. Age-Sex Pyramid of Polillo: 2020



Source: Philippine Statistics Authority, 2020 Census of Population

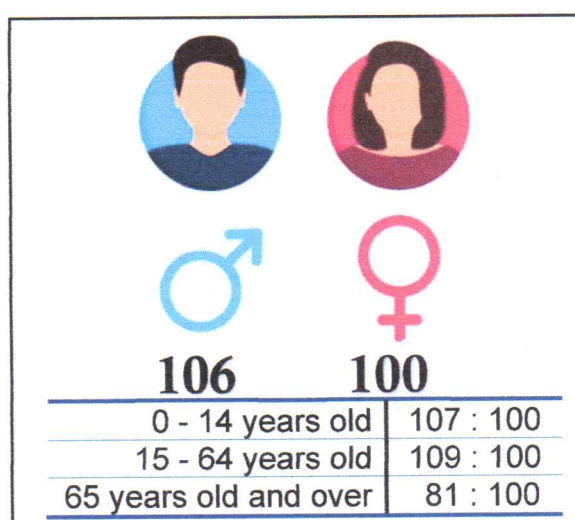
Moreover, there were more males (91.6%) than females (89.5%) among the 0 to 59 age group. Meanwhile, for older age group (60 years and over) females (10.5%) outnumbered the males (8.4%). The same trend was also observed in 2015.

Sex ratio stands at 106 males per 100 females

The sex ratio in Polillo was computed at 106 in 2020. This implies that there were 106 males for every 100 females. In 2015, the sex ratio was the same at 106 males for every 100 females.

In 2020, children aged below 15 years had a sex ratio of 107 males for every 100 females, while those aged 15 - 64 years old had a sex ratio of 109 males for every 100 females. On the other hand, those aged 65 years and over had a sex ratio of 81 males for every 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 2. Sex Ratio by Selected Age Group: Polillo, 2020



Median age increases to 23.3 years

The median age in Polillo was computed at 23.3 years, which means that half of the household population were younger than 23.3 years, while the other half were older than 23.3 years. The median age of 23.0 posted in 2015 was lower compared to 2020.

Dependency ratio declines at 71 dependents per 100 persons in the working age-group

The dependency ratio in Polillo was computed 71, which indicates that for every 100 working-age population, there were about 71 dependents (60 young dependents and 10 old dependents). This is lower than the dependency ratio in 2015 at 74 dependents (65 young dependents and 9 old dependents).

**Table 1. Age Dependency Ratio of the Household Population by Sex:
 Polillo, 2020 and 2015**

Age-Dependency Ratio	2020			2015		
	Both Sexes	Male	Female	Both Sexes	Male	Female
Overall	71	69	73	74	72	77
Young	60	60	61	65	64	66
Old	10	9	12	9	7	11

*Details may not add up to total due to rounding.

There are more males than females among children under five years old

Children below five years old comprised 11.3 percent (3,588) of the household population. The sex ratio was computed at 106 males for every 100 females.

**Table 2. Household Population, Percentage to All Ages and Sex Ratio:
 Polillo, 2020 and 2015**

Age Group and Year	Number			Percent to All Ages (%)			Sex Ratio
	Both Sexes	Male	Female	Both Sexes	Male	Female	
2020							
All ages	31,632	16,300	15,332				106
0 - 4	3,588	1,847	1,741	11.3	11.3	11.4	106
0 - 14	11,176	5,784	5,392	35.3	35.5	35.2	107
5 - 24	13,057	6,804	6,253	41.3	41.7	40.8	109
15 - 49	14,652	7,671	6,981	46.3	47.1	45.5	110
15 - 64	18,548	9,663	8,885	58.6	59.3	58.0	109
18 years and over	18,394	9,394	9,000	58.1	57.6	58.7	104
0 - 59	28,643	14,924	13,719	90.6	91.6	89.5	109
60 years and over	2,989	1,376	1,613	9.4	8.4	10.5	85
65 years and over	1,908	853	1,055	6.0	5.2	6.9	81
2015							
All ages	29,995	15,468	14,527				106
0 - 4	3,729	1,975	1,754	12.4	12.8	12.1	113
0 - 14	11,196	5,788	5,408	37.3	37.4	37.2	107
5 - 24	12,123	6,283	5,840	40.4	40.6	40.2	108
15 - 49	13,648	7,162	6,486	45.5	46.3	44.6	110
15 - 64	17,217	9,017	8,200	57.4	58.3	56.4	110
18 years and over	17,064	8,715	8,349	56.9	56.3	57.5	104
0 - 59	27,464	14,310	13,154	91.6	92.5	90.5	109
60 years and over	2,531	1,158	1,373	8.4	7.5	9.5	84
65 years and over	1,582	663	919	5.3	4.3	6.3	72

About two in every five-household population are of school age

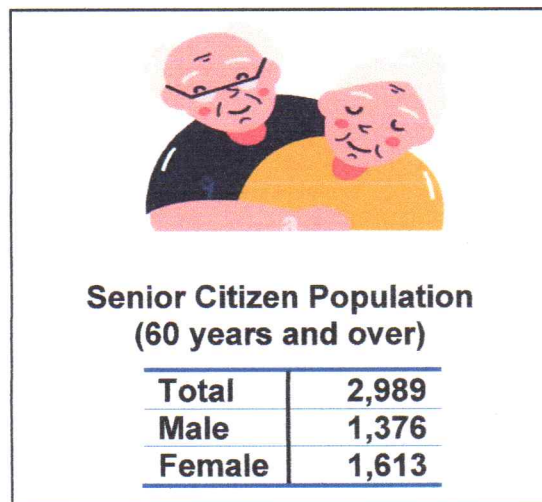
The school-age population (5 to 24 years old) accounted for 13,057 persons (41.3%) of the 31,632-household population in Polillo. This total is higher

compared to the 12,123 (40.4%) school-age population that was reported in 2015.

Senior citizens constitute 9.4 percent of the household population

People aged 60 years old and over are regarded as senior citizens in the Philippines. They made up 9.4 percent (2,989) of the household population in 2020. There were more females (1,613 or 54.0%) than males (1,376 or 46.0%) among the senior citizens. The same trend was observed in 2015 where females (1,373 or 54.2%) outnumbered their male counterpart (1,158 or 45.8%).

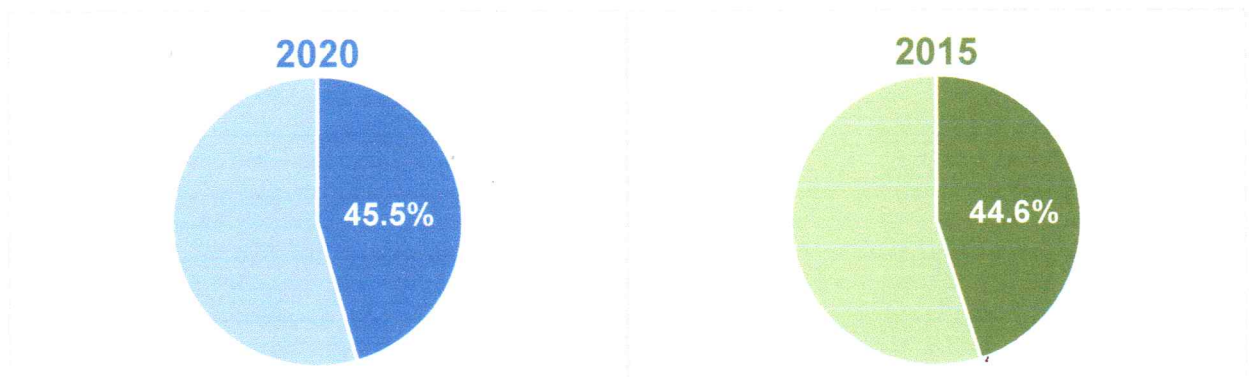
Figure 3. Senior Citizen Population by Sex: Polillo, 2020



Less than half of the female population are of reproductive age

Women of reproductive age (15 - 49 years old) totaled 6,981 or 45.5 percent of the 15,332 female household population in 2020. In 2015, there were 6,486 females of reproductive age, comprising 44.6 percent of the female household population during the year.

Figure 4. Percent Distribution of Female Population of Reproductive Age: Polillo, 2020 and 2015



About 58.0 percent of the household population are of voting age

The voting-age population (18 years old and over) totaled 18,394 (58.1%), up from 17,064 (56.9%) in 2015.

Figure 5. Voting-Age Population by Sex: Polillo, 2020

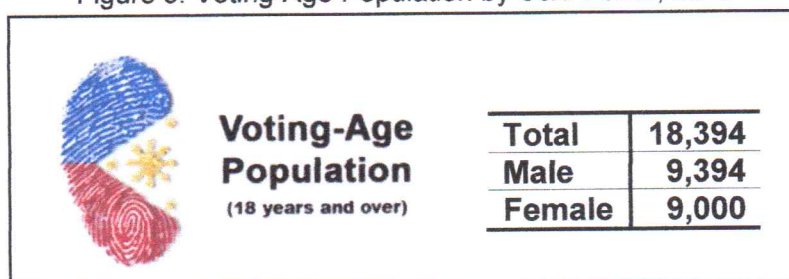
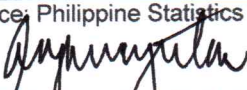


Table 3. Household Population by Age Group and Sex: Polillo, 2020 and 2015

Year and Age Group	Household Population						Sex Ratio	Median Age
	Sex			Percent (%)				
	Both Sexes	Male	Female	Both Sexes	Male	Female		
2020								
All Ages	31,632	16,300	15,332	100.0	51.5	48.5	106	23.3
Under 5 years	3,588	1,847	1,741	11.3	11.3	11.4	100	
5 - 9 years	3,801	1,990	1,811	12.0	12.2	11.8	103	
10 - 14 years	3,787	1,947	1,840	12.0	11.9	12.0	100	
15 - 19 years	3,100	1,640	1,460	9.8	10.1	9.5	106	
20 - 24 years	2,369	1,227	1,142	7.5	7.5	7.4	101	
25 - 29 years	2,133	1,092	1,041	6.7	6.7	6.8	99	
30 - 34 years	2,076	1,094	982	6.6	6.7	6.4	105	
35 - 39 years	1,709	895	814	5.4	5.5	5.3	103	
40 - 44 years	1,707	908	799	5.4	5.6	5.2	107	
45 - 49 years	1,558	815	743	4.9	5.0	4.8	103	
50 - 54 years	1,495	770	725	4.7	4.7	4.7	100	
55 - 59 years	1,320	699	621	4.2	4.3	4.1	106	
60 - 64 years	1,081	523	558	3.4	3.2	3.6	88	
65 - 69 years	828	424	404	2.6	2.6	2.6	99	
70 - 74 years	458	212	246	1.4	1.3	1.6	81	
75 - 79 years	327	122	205	1.0	0.7	1.3	56	
80 years and over	295	95	200	0.9	0.6	1.3	45	
2015								
All Ages	29,995	15,468	14,527	100.0	51.6	48.4	106	23.0
Under 5 years	3,729	1,975	1,754	12.4	12.8	12.1	113	
5 - 9 years	3,913	1,997	1,916	13.0	12.9	13.2	104	
10 - 14 years	3,554	1,816	1,738	11.8	11.7	12.0	104	
15 - 19 years	2,544	1,389	1,155	8.5	9.0	8.0	120	
20 - 24 years	2,112	1,081	1,031	7.0	7.0	7.1	105	
25 - 29 years	2,048	1,062	986	6.8	6.9	6.8	108	
30 - 34 years	1,803	921	882	6.0	6.0	6.1	104	
35 - 39 years	1,841	985	856	6.1	6.4	5.9	115	
40 - 44 years	1,661	854	807	5.5	5.5	5.6	106	
45 - 49 years	1,639	870	769	5.5	5.6	5.3	113	
50 - 54 years	1,423	747	676	4.7	4.8	4.7	111	
55 - 59 years	1,197	613	584	4.0	4.0	4.0	105	
60 - 64 years	949	495	454	3.2	3.2	3.1	109	
65 - 69 years	618	299	319	2.1	1.9	2.2	94	
70 - 74 years	431	169	262	1.4	1.1	1.8	65	
75 - 79 years	304	126	178	1.0	0.8	1.2	71	
80 years and over	229	69	160	0.8	0.4	1.1	43	

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


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