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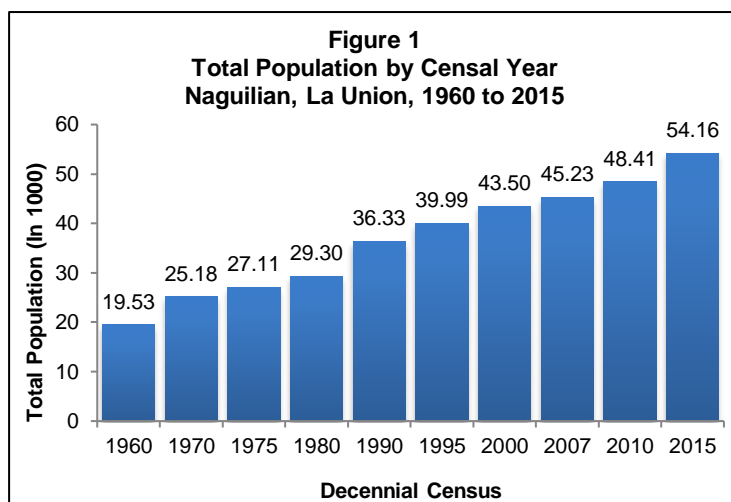
Naguilian, La Union's population reached 54,159 as of August 1, 2015

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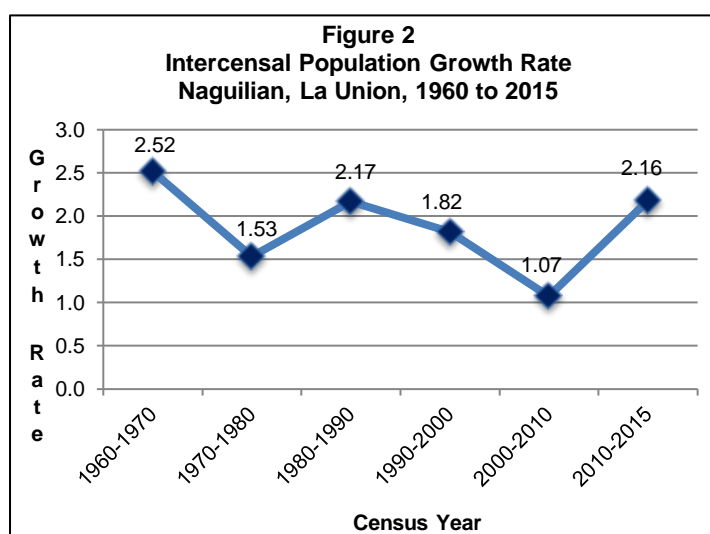
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Population increased at the rate of 2.16 percent annually

Based on the 2015 Census of Population (POPCEN2015), the municipality of Naguilian, La Union posted a total population of 54,159 persons as of August 1, 2015. This is an increase of 5,752 persons over the total population of 48,407 persons in 2010 CPH. The increase in the population count from 2010 to 2015 translated to an average annual population growth rate (PGR) of 2.16 percent. This is higher than the 1.07 percent annual PGR of the municipality between the census years 2000 and 2010.



Population increased by 22 person per year for every 1,000 persons



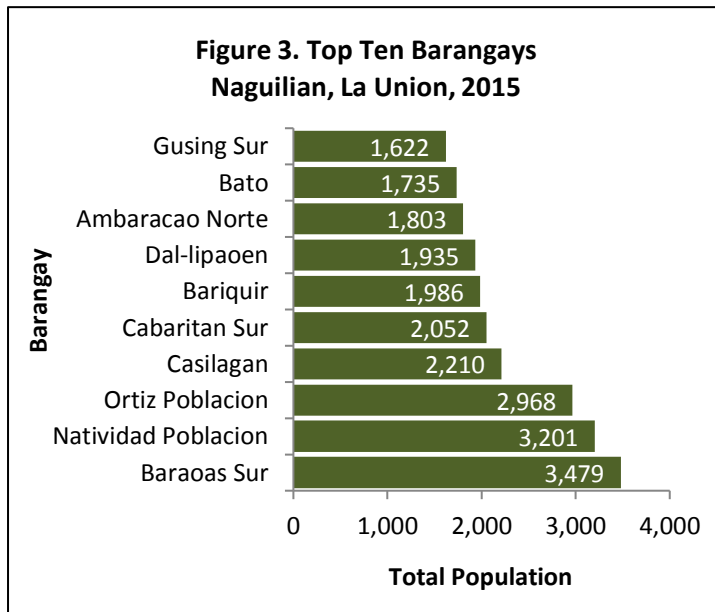
The increase in the population count in Naguilian from 2010 to 2015 translated to an average annual population growth rate (PGR) of 2.16 percent. This means that there were about 22 person added per year for every 1,000 persons in the population.

The said annual PGR was higher than the annual PGR of 1.07 percent during the period 2000 to 2010 and at 1.82 percent during the period 1990 to 2000.

If the average annual PGR recorded at 2.16 percent during the period 2010 to 2015 continues, the population of Naguilian, La Union would double in 32 years.

Fifty five years ago, the population of Naguilian, La Union was only 19,528 persons. This population size is more than one-third of the population in the 2015 Census of Population.

Barangay Baraoas Sur was the most populous in 2015



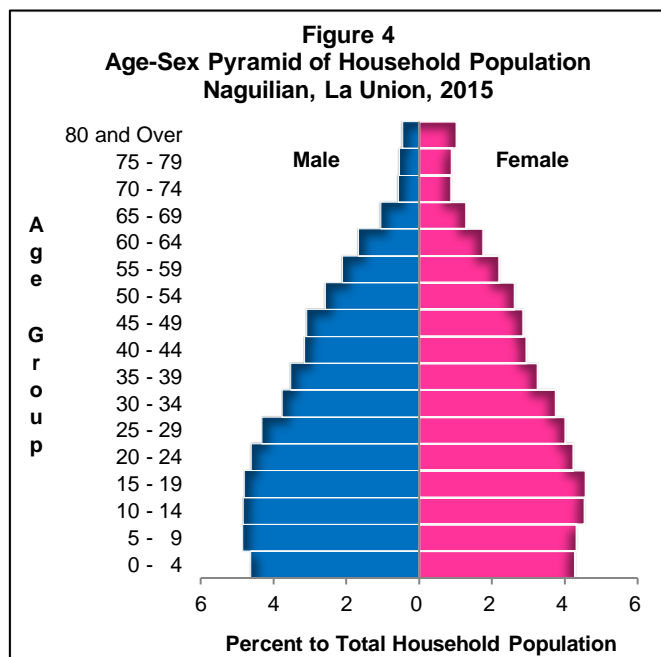
Among the 37 barangays in the municipality of Naguilian, La Union, barangay Baraoas Sur was the most populous with a population size making up 6.42 percent of the total municipal population. Barangay Natividad Poblacion was second with 5.91 percent share, followed by barangay Ortiz Poblacion with 5.48 percent, Casilagan with 4.08 percent, Cabaritan Sur with 3.79 percent and Bariquir with 3.67 percent.

The least populated area was barangay Cabaritan Norte with 1.02 percent share to the total population of the municipality (553 persons).

Median age increased to 27.58 years

In 2015, the median age of the population in Naguilian was 27.58 years, which means that half of the population was younger than 27.58 years. This is higher than the median age of 26 years that was recorded in 2010.

Children aged 15 to 19 years (9.38 percent) comprised the largest age group, followed by those in the age groups 10 to 14 years (9.38 percent) and 5 to 9 years (9.17 percent). Males outnumbered females in the age groups 0 to 49 years. On the other hand, there were more females than males in the older age groups (50 years and over).



Sex ratio recorded at 102 males per 100 females

Of the 54,159-household population in 2015, males accounted for 50.52 percent while females comprised 49.48 percent. These figures resulted in a sex ratio of 102 males for every 100 females, a decrease in sex ratio from 103 recorded in 2010.

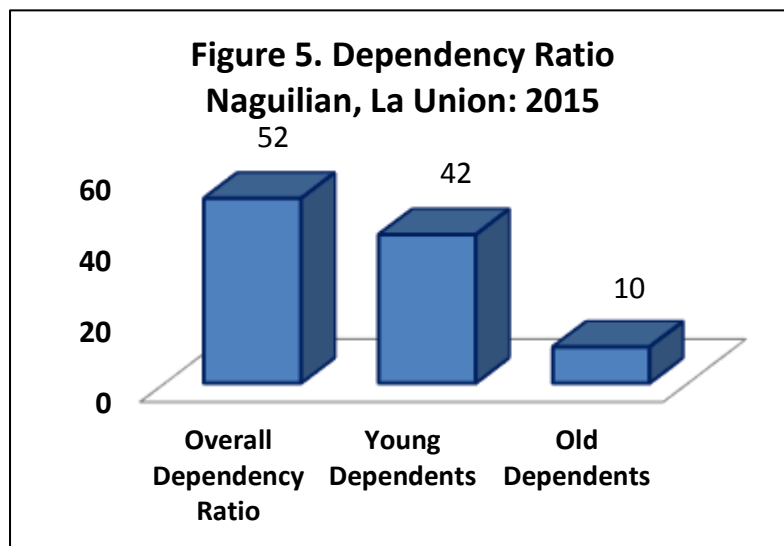
More than three fifths of the total population were of voting age

The voting-age population (18 years and over) accounted for 66.96 percent of the household population of Naguilian in 2015, up from 64.16 percent in 2010. There were more females (50.30 percent) than males (49.70 percent) among the voting-age population.

More than one tenth of the household population were senior citizens

The senior citizens population (60 years and over) accounted for 10.12 percent of the household population of the municipality in 2015, up from 8.95 percent in 2010. There were more females (57.81 percent) than males (42.19 percent) among the senior citizens population.

Dependency ratio decreased to 52 dependents per 100 persons in the working age group



In 2015, the young dependents (0 to 14 years) comprised 27.46 percent of the household population while the old dependents (65 years and over) posted a share of 6.70 percent. The working-age population (15 to 64 years) accounted for the remaining 65.84 percent.

The overall dependency ratio was 52, which indicates that for every 100

working-age population, there were about 52 dependents (42 young dependents and 10 old dependents). This ratio is lower than the dependency ratio in 2010, which was recorded at 57 dependents per 100 working age population.

There were more males than females among the never-married persons

Of the household population 10 years old and over, 43.77 percent were married while 40.45 percent were never married. The rest of the population were categorized as follows: widowed (5.64 percent), common-law/live-in marital arrangement (8.73 percent), and divorced/separated (1.41 percent).

Among the never married persons, 55.11 percent were males while 44.89 percent were females. For the rest of the categories for marital status, the females outnumbered the males.

More females had attained higher levels of education

Of the total population aged five years and over, 24.01 percent had attended or completed elementary education, 44.97 percent had reached or finished high school, 2.31 percent had attended or finished post-secondary schooling, 10.90 percent were college undergraduates, and 13.24 percent were academic degree holders. Among those with an academic degree, the females (57.54 percent) outnumbered the males (42.46 percent). Similarly, more females (63.55 percent) than males (36.45 percent) had pursued post baccalaureate courses.

Literacy rate was posted at 99.28 percent

Of the household population age 10 years old and over, 99.28 percent were literate. Among those who were literate, males (50.12 percent) slightly outnumbered the females (49.88 percent).

Seven in every ten school age population currently attending school

Of the 19,922-household population 5-24 years, 68.26 percent were attending school. Of those persons reported to be attending school, 35.69 percent were aged 5-9 years, 36.48 percent were aged 10-14 years, 23.67 percent were aged 15-19 years, and the remaining 4.16 percent were between 20-24 years.

Roman Catholics accounted for 90.14 percent of Naguilian's total population

Among the total population in Naguilian, La Union in 2015, 90.14 percent reported Roman Catholic as their religious affiliation. The next largest religious affiliation in the municipality was the Iglesia ni Cristo with 2.65 percent. This was followed by Evangelicals (Philippine Council of Evangelical Churches) with 2.15 percent, Jehovah's Witness Philippines with 0.87 percent, and Crusaders of the Bible Baptist Church with 0.80 percent.

Male gainful workers outnumbered their female counterpart

Of the 39,287-household population 15 years old and over in Naguilian, La Union, 59.67 percent (or 23,441 persons) were gainful workers. Male gainful workers outnumbered their female counterpart. They comprised 64.12 percent of all the gainful workers from this municipality. Service and sales workers made up the largest percentage (24.96 percent) of the total gainful workers from this municipality in 2015, followed by elementary occupations (18.43 percent), skilled agricultural forestry and fishery workers (17.22 percent) and plant and machine operators and assemblers (11.97 percent).

Average household size was 4.5 persons

The number of households in 2015 was recorded at 12,161, higher by 1408 households compared with the 10,753 households posted in 2010. The average household size in 2015 was 4.5 persons, the same as the average household size in 2010.

Table 1
Household Population, Number of Households, and Average Household Size
Naguilian, La Union, 2015 and 2010

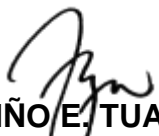
Census Year	Household Population	Number of Households	Average Household Size
2015	54,159	12,161	4.5
2010	48,294	10,753	4.5

TECHNICAL NOTES

<i>Population growth rate</i>	the rate at which the population is increasing (or decreasing) in a given period due to natural increase and net migration, expressed as a percentage of the base population
<i>Total population</i>	the sum of the household population and institutional population. It also includes Filipinos in Philippine embassies, consulates, and missions abroad
<i>Household population</i>	comprises of persons who belong to a household, the basic criterion of which is the usual place of residence or the place where the person usually resides
<i>Institutional population</i>	the population enumerated in collective or institutional living quarters such as: dormitories/lodging houses, jails/prisons, military camps, convents/seminaries, and mental hospitals
<i>Household</i>	a social unit consisting of a person living alone or a group of persons who sleep in the same housing unit and have a common arrangement in the preparation and consumption of food
<i>Average household size</i>	the average number of persons who live in the household, computed as the household population in a given area divided by the corresponding total number of households in that area
<i>Head of the household</i>	an adult person, male or female, who is responsible for the organization and care of the household, or who is regarded as such by the members of the household
<i>Sex ratio</i>	the ratio of males to females in a given population, expressed as the number of males per 100 females
<i>Age</i>	the interval of time between a person's date of birth and the census reference date (1 August 2015). Expressed in completed years (as of last birthday), it is recorded in whole number
<i>Median age</i>	the age at which exactly half of the population is younger than this age and the other half is older than it
<i>Overall dependency ratio</i>	the ratio of persons in the dependent ages (under 15 years old and over 64 years old) to persons in the economically active or working ages (15 to 64 years old) in the population
<i>Marital status</i>	the personal status of each individual with reference to the marriage laws or customs of the country
<i>Religious affiliation</i>	a particular system of beliefs, attitudes, emotions, and behaviors constituting man's relationship with the powers and principalities of the universe
<i>School attendance rate</i>	the proportion of persons 5 to 24 years old who were attending school during the School Year June 2015 to March 2016 to school-age population (5 to 24 years old)

<i>Simple literacy rate</i>	the proportion of persons aged 10 years and over who are able to read and write a simple message in any language or dialect
<i>Highest grade / year completed</i>	the highest grade or year completed in school, college or university
<i>Usual activity / occupation</i>	the kind of job or business, which a person aged 15 years and over was engaged in most of the time during the 12 months preceding the census
<i>Overseas worker</i>	a household member (15 years old and over) who is out of the country due to an overseas employment

The 2015 Census of Population (POPCEN 2015) was undertaken by the Philippine Statistics Authority (PSA) in August 2015 as mandated by Republic Act No. 10625, otherwise known as the *Philippine Statistics Act of 2013*. It was the 14th census of population that was undertaken since the first census in 1903. POPCEN 2015 was designed to take an inventory of the total population all over the Philippines and collect information about their characteristics. Census day for the POPCEN 2015 was August 1, 2015 (12:01 a.m.). POPCEN 2015 made use of the *de jure* concept of enumeration wherein households and persons are enumerated in the area where they usually reside as of the census reference date. Enumeration lasted for about 25 days, from 10 August to 6 September 2015. Enumeration was extended until 15 September 2015 for large provinces and some highly urbanized cities.


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Statistical Tables

TABLE 2. Household Population by Age Group and Sex, Naguilian, La Union: 2015

Age Group	Both Sexes	Male	Female
All Ages	54,159	27,360	26,799
Under 1	899	487	412
1 - 4	3,929	2,019	1,910
5 - 9	4,964	2,625	2,339
10 - 14	5,080	2,617	2,463
15 - 19	5,081	2,604	2,477
20 - 24	4,797	2,500	2,297
25 - 29	4,515	2,337	2,178
30 - 34	4,065	2,035	2,030
35 - 39	3,679	1,913	1,766
40 - 44	3,306	1,708	1,598
45 - 49	3,219	1,670	1,549
50 - 54	2,811	1,391	1,420
55 - 59	2,332	1,141	1,191
60 - 64	1,855	900	955
65 - 69	1,270	573	697
70 - 74	782	307	475
75 - 79	774	288	486
80 year and over	801	245	556
0 - 4	4,828	2,506	2,322
0 - 14	14,872	7,748	7,124
15 - 64	35,660	18,199	17,461
18 years and over	36,263	18,024	18,239
60 years and over	5,482	2,313	3,169
65 years and over	3,627	1,413	2,214

Table 3. Total Household Population 10 Years Old and Over by Age Group, Marital Status, and Sex, Naguilian, La Union: 2015

Sex, Age Group	Total Household Population 10 Years Old and Over	Marital Status					
		Single	Married	Widowed	Divorced/Separated	Common-law/Live-in	Unknown
Both Sexes	44,367	17,948	19,420	2,502	624	3,872	1
Below 20	10,161	9,864	59	2	0	236	0
20 - 24	4,797	3,179	729	9	21	859	0
25 - 29	4,515	1,926	1,757	7	37	788	0
30 - 34	4,065	939	2,437	25	63	601	0
35 - 39	3,679	533	2,604	27	82	433	0
40 - 44	3,306	380	2,455	63	95	313	0
45 - 49	3,219	346	2,409	109	98	257	0
50 - 54	2,811	236	2,137	193	81	164	0
55 - 59	2,332	163	1,769	241	54	105	0
60 - 64	1,855	146	1,258	349	48	54	0
65 - 69	1,270	88	803	329	25	25	0
70 - 74	782	52	437	272	8	12	1
75 - 79	774	44	335	373	4	18	0
80 years and over	801	52	231	503	8	7	0
Male	22,229	9,892	9,674	474	276	1,913	0
Below 20	5,221	5,154	18	0	0	49	0
20 - 24	2,500	1,901	243	3	3	350	0
25 - 29	2,337	1,163	755	1	13	405	0
30 - 34	2,035	559	1,118	3	25	330	0
35 - 39	1,913	325	1,306	9	38	235	0
40 - 44	1,708	229	1,254	18	41	166	0
45 - 49	1,670	210	1,236	24	49	151	0
50 - 54	1,391	135	1,080	46	41	89	0
55 - 59	1,141	84	937	43	20	57	0
60 - 64	900	62	705	67	30	36	0
65 - 69	573	30	448	67	8	20	0
70 - 74	307	12	233	51	4	7	0
75 - 79	288	15	194	63	2	14	0
80 years and over	245	13	147	79	2	4	0
Female	22,138	8,056	9,746	2,028	348	1,959	1
Below 20	4,940	4,710	41	2	0	187	0
20 - 24	2,297	1,278	486	6	18	509	0
25 - 29	2,178	763	1,002	6	24	383	0
30 - 34	2,030	380	1,319	22	38	271	0
35 - 39	1,766	208	1,298	18	44	198	0
40 - 44	1,598	151	1,201	45	54	147	0
45 - 49	1,549	136	1,173	85	49	106	0
50 - 54	1,420	101	1,057	147	40	75	0
55 - 59	1,191	79	832	198	34	48	0
60 - 64	955	84	553	282	18	18	0
65 - 69	697	58	355	262	17	5	0
70 - 74	475	40	204	221	4	5	1
75 - 79	486	29	141	310	2	4	0
80 years and over	556	39	84	424	6	3	0

Table 4. Household Population 5 Years and Over by Highest Grade/Year completed, Sex, Age, Naguilian, La Union: 2015

Highest Grade/Year Completed, Sex	Total Household Population 5 Years Old and Over
Both Sexes	49,331
No Grade Completed	1,059
Preschool	1,075
Special Education	15
Elementary	11,842
1st - 4th Grade	5,471
5th - 6th Grade	1,679
Graduate	4,692
High School	22,185
Undergraduate	6,057
Graduate	16,128
Post-Secondary	1,138
Undergraduate	37
Graduate	1,101
College Undergraduate	5,376
Academic Degree Holder	6,531
Post Baccalaureate	107
Not Started	3
Male	16,200
No Grade Completed	373
Preschool	418
Special Education	5
Elementary	4,549
1st - 4th Grade	2,089
5th - 6th Grade	577
Graduate	1,883
High School	7,148
Undergraduate	1,798
Graduate	5,350
Post-Secondary	274
Undergraduate	34
Graduate	240
College Undergraduate	1,616
Academic Degree Holder	1,792
Post Baccalaureate	25
Not Started	0
Female	16,358
No Grade Completed	326
Preschool	332
Special Education	9
Elementary	4,810
1st - 4th Grade	2,015
5th - 6th Grade	599
Graduate	2,196
High School	6,233
Undergraduate	1,620
Graduate	4,613
Post-Secondary	484
Undergraduate	25
Graduate	459
College Undergraduate	1,676
Academic Degree Holder	2,434
Post Baccalaureate	53
Not Started	1

Table 5. Literacy of the Household Population 10 Years Old and Over by Age Group and Sex, Naguilian, La Union: 2015

Age Group	Household Population 10 Years Old and Over			Literate		
	Both Sexes	Male	Female	Both Sexes	Male	Female
Total	44,367	22,229	22,138	44,046	22,075	21,971
10 - 14	5,080	2,617	2,463	5,073	2,612	2,461
15 - 19	5,081	2,604	2,477	5,054	2,587	2,467
20 - 24	4,797	2,500	2,297	4,774	2,490	2,284
25 - 29	4,515	2,337	2,178	4,493	2,325	2,168
30 - 34	4,065	2,035	2,030	4,044	2,025	2,019
35 - 39	3,679	1,913	1,766	3,661	1,902	1,759
40 - 44	3,306	1,708	1,598	3,291	1,699	1,592
45 - 49	3,219	1,670	1,549	3,199	1,660	1,539
50 - 54	2,811	1,391	1,420	2,792	1,380	1,412
55 - 59	2,332	1,141	1,191	2,309	1,126	1,183
60 - 64	1,855	900	955	1,833	891	942
65 years old and over	3,627	1,413	2,214	3,523	1,378	2,145

Table 6. Household Population 5 to 24 Years Old Who Were Currently Attending School by Age Group and Sex, Naguilian, La Union: 2015

Age Group	Household Population 5 to 24 Years Old			Household Population 5 to 24 Years Old Who Were Currently Attending School		
	Both Sexes	Male	Female	Both Sexes	Male	Female
Total	19,922	10,346	9,576	1,359	6,987	6,987
5 - 9	4,964	2,625	2,339	4,853	2,561	2,292
10 - 14	5,080	2,617	2,463	4,961	2,542	2,419
15 - 19	5,081	2,604	2,477	3,219	1,586	1,633
20 - 24	4,797	2,500	2,297	565	298	267

Table 7. Household Population by Religious Affiliation and Sex, Naguilian, La Union: 2015

Religious Affiliation	Both Sexes	Male	Female
Total	54,159	27,360	26,799
Aglipay	11	5	6
Evangelicals (Philippine Council of Evangelical Churches)	1,166	551	615
Association of Baptist Churches in Luzon Visayas and Mindanao	3	2	1
Association of Fundamental Baptist Churches in the Philippines	0	0	0
Bible Baptist Church	433	204	229
Bread of Life Ministries	140	69	71
Buddhist	9	7	2
Cathedral of Praise Incorporated	0	0	0
Church of Christ	84	39	45
Church of Jesus Christ of the Latter Day Saints	257	119	138
Convention of the Philippine Baptist Church	22	9	13
Crusaders of the Divine Church of Christ Incorporated	297	154	143
Door of Faith	4	1	3
Evangelical Christian Outreach Foundation	26	13	13
Faith Tabernacle Church (Living Rock Ministries)	3	2	1
Good News Christian Churches	8	5	3
Higher Ground Baptist Mission	0	0	0
Iglesia Evangelica Unida de Cristo	0	0	0
National Council of Churches in the Philippines	66	35	31
Iglesia ni Cristo	1,437	712	725
Iglesia sa Dios Espiritu Santo Incorporated	3	2	1
International Baptist Missionary Fellowship	1	0	1
International One Way Outreach	1	1	0
Islam	49	22	27
Jehovah's Witness	472	206	266
Jesus is Alive Community Incorporated	2	0	2
Jesus is Lord Church	242	107	135
Love of Christ International Ministries	0	0	0
Lutheran Church of the Philippines	7	2	5
Miracle Revival Church of the Philippines	8	5	3
Missionary Baptist Churches of the Philippines	15	6	9
Philippine Benevolent Missionaries Association	0	0	0
Philippine Ecumenical Christian Church	0	0	0
Philippine Good News Ministries	0	0	0
Philippine Grace Gospel	6	2	4
Philippine Independent Catholic Church	1	0	1
Potter's House Christian Center	1	1	0
Roman Catholic including Catholic Charismatic	48,818	24,789	24,029
Salvation Army Philippines	0	0	0
Seventh Day Adventist	100	47	53
Things to Come	0	0	0
UNIDA Evangelical Church	0	0	0
United Church of Christ in the Philippines	266	135	131
Union Espiritista Cristiana de Filipinas Incorporated	140	79	61
United Pentecostal Church (Philippines) Incorporated	5	2	3
Victory Chapel Christian Fellowship	55	26	29
Way of Salvation Church Incorporated	0	0	0
Other Baptists	0	0	0
Other Protestants	0	0	0
Tribal Religions	0	0	0
Other Religious Affiliations	1	1	0
None	0	0	0

Table 8. Overseas Workers 15 Years Old and Over by Highest Grade/Year Completed Sex, Naguilian, La Union: 2015

Sex, Age Group	Total Household Population	Overseas Worker
Both Sexes	39,287	3,338
Below 20	5,081	11
20 - 24	4,797	243
25 - 29	4,515	673
30 - 34	4,065	666
35 - 39	3,679	584
40 - 44	3,306	464
45 years old and over	13,844	697
Male	19,612	1,416
Below 20	2,604	5
20 - 24	2,500	114
25 - 29	2,337	275
30 - 34	2,035	267
35 - 39	1,913	265
40 - 44	1,708	190
45 years old and over	6,515	300
Female	19,675	1,922
Below 20	2,477	6
20 - 24	2,297	129
25 - 29	2,178	398
30 - 34	2,030	399
35 - 39	1,766	319
40 - 44	1,598	274
45 years old and over	7,329	397