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## POPULATION OF BARANGAY SANTA CRUZ, QUEZON CITY

(Results based from 2015 Census of Population)

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The Census of Population, which is a complete enumeration of households in the country, is designed primarily to take an inventory of the population of all barangays in the Philippines as mandated by RA No. 10625 and Executive Order No. 352. It also collects information about some characteristics of the population such as age, sex, marital status, and highest grade completed.

This special release presents data on the population of Barangay Santa Cruz, Quezon City. Figures are based from the tabulated data of the 2015 Census of Population.

### Total Population of Barangay Santa Cruz Reaches 4,784

The total population of Barangay Santa Cruz, Quezon City reached 4,784 as of August 1, 2015. This accounts for 0.2 percent of the city's total population. The household population of Barangay Santa Cruz constituted a sum of 4,746 while the remaining 38 people belonged to the institutional population or those residing in institutional living quarters such as hotels, hospitals, orphanages, homes for the aged, jails, and military camps.

Table 1. Total Population, Household Population, Institutional Population in Brgy. Santa Cruz, Quezon City: 2015

Total Population	4,784
Household Population	4,746
Institutional Population	38

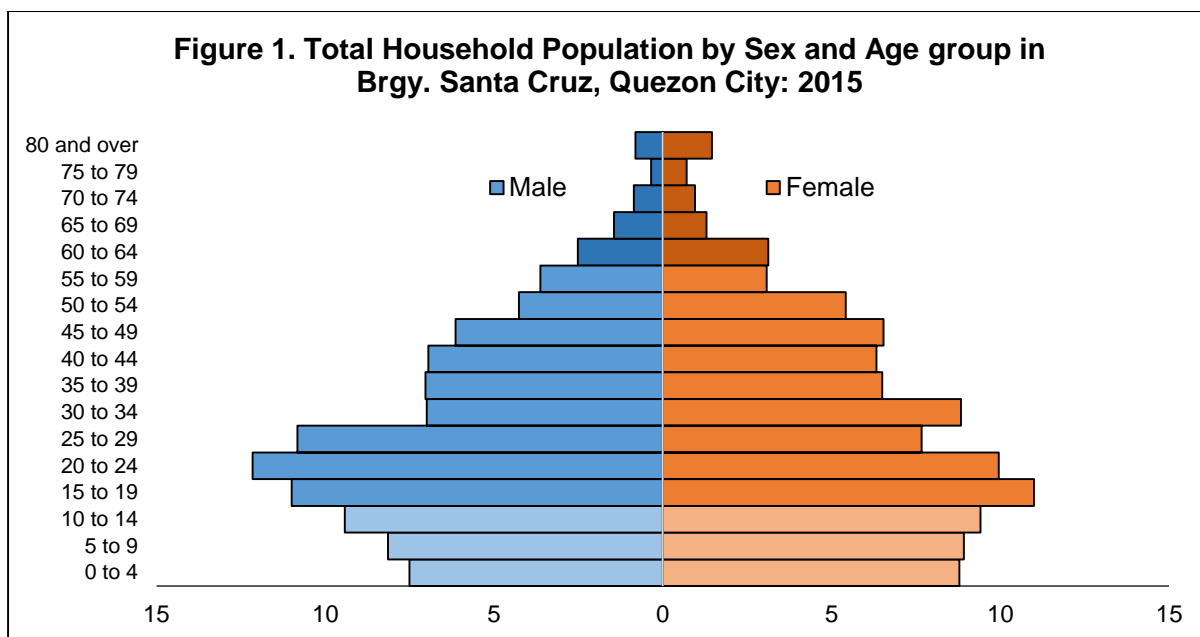
*Source: Philippine Statistics Authority, 2015 Census of Population*

Of the household population, 2,346 or 49.4 percent were male while 2,400 or 50.6 percent were female. These figures resulted to a sex ratio of 98 males per 100 females.

### Persons Aged 15 to 19 and 20 to 24 Years Comprise the Largest Age Group

The age-sex distribution of the population showed that persons aged 15 to 19 and 20 to 24 years comprised the largest age group, each making up 11.0 percent of the household population. This was followed by those in the age groups 10 to 14 years (9.4 percent) and 25 to 29 years (9.2 percent).

Females outnumbered males in the age groups 0 to 54 years and in the older age groups, 55 years old and over. *Refer to Table 2 for details.*



### Median Age is 26 Years

In 2015, the median age of the household population of Barangay Santa Cruz was 26. This means that half of the household population was younger than 26 years. This was equal to the median age of Quezon City which was 26 years.

### Two in Three of the Household Population are of Voting Age

A total of 3,205 or 67.5 percent of the barangay's household populace belonged to the voting population or those aged 18 years and over. There were more male voters (1,612 or 50.3 percent) than female voters (1,593 or 49.7 percent). *Refer to Table 3 for details.*

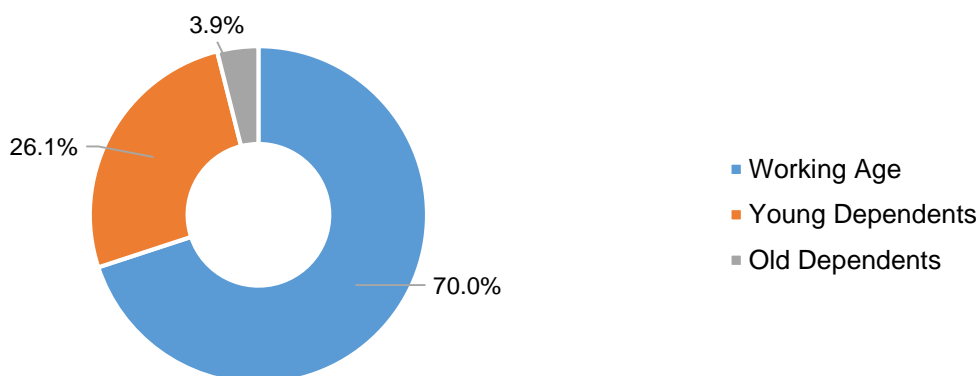
### Senior Citizens Constitute 6.8 Percent of the Household Population

People who were regarded as senior citizens were those aged 60 years and over. In 2015, senior citizens made up 6.8 percent of the barangay's household population. Among the senior citizens, females (56.4 percent) outnumbered males (43.6 percent). *Refer to Table 2 for details.*

### Overall Dependency Ratio Totals 43 Dependents

The overall dependency ratio of Barangay Santa Cruz was 43, which indicates that for every 100 working-age population, there were about 43 dependents (37 young dependents and 6 old dependents). This was lower than the overall dependency ratio of Quezon City which was 44 dependents. *Refer to Table 4 for details.*

**Figure 2. Total Household Population by Dependency Ratio in Brgy Santa Cruz, Quezon City: 2015**



Source: Philippine Statistics Authority, 2015 Census of Population

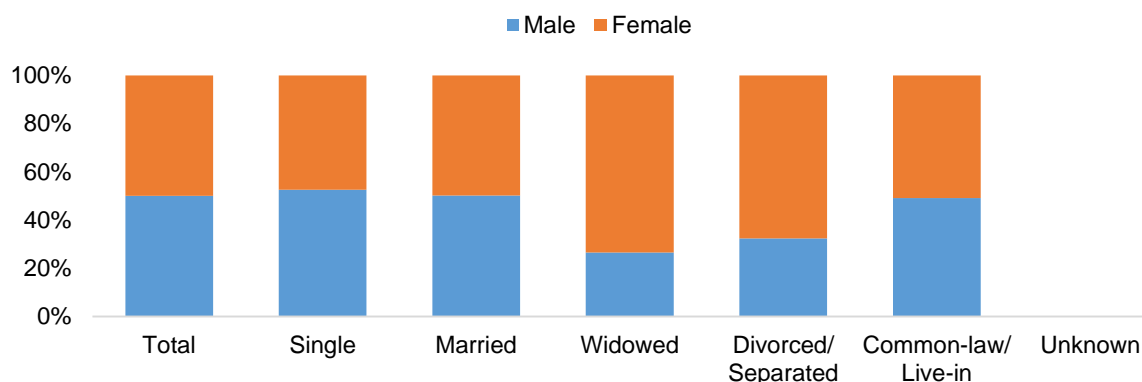
### Two Elderly for Every Seven Children Below 15 Years

The ageing index or the proportion of persons aged 60 years and over per 100 persons under the age of 15 years in Barangay Santa Cruz registered 25.9 percent. This translates to two persons aged 60 years and over for every seven children under 15 years old.

### Never Been Married Persons Tally 48.1 Percent

Of the total household population 10 years old and over, 48.1 percent has never been married while 32.9 percent was married. The rest of the population was categorized as follows: common-law/live-in (13.8 percent), widowed (3.5 percent) and divorced/separated (1.7 percent). Among those who have never been married, a higher proportion in males (52.6 percent) than in females (47.4 percent) was recorded. Likewise, the proportion of males was higher than females among who were married (50.2 percent), while there were more females than males among those who were widowed (73.4 percent), divorced/separated (67.6 percent) and common-law/live-in (50.8 percent). Refer to Table 5 for details.

**Figure 3. Total Household Population 10 Years old and Over by Sex and Marital Status in Brgy. Santa Cruz, Quezon City: 2015**



Source: Philippine Statistics Authority, 2015 Census of Population

### **Females Outnumber Males Among Baccalaureate Degree Holders**

Of the total household population 5 years old and over, 38.9 percent had attended or completed high school education, 18.4 percent had attended or completed elementary school education, 18.0 percent were baccalaureate degree holders, and 17.6 percent were college undergraduates. Among those baccalaureate degree holders, there were more females (50.2 percent) than males (49.8 percent). *Refer to Table 6 for details.*

### **Simple Literacy Rate is Recorded at 97.2 Percent**

Barangay Santa Cruz recorded a literacy rate of 97.2 percent which was slightly lower than the total literacy rate of Quezon City that was at 98.3 percent. Literacy rate was higher among males (97.3 percent) than females (97.1 percent). *Refer to Table 7 for details.*

### **Three in Every Five Persons Are Engaged in a Gainful Activity**

Approximately three in every five persons (60.7 percent) were engaged in gainful activity during the 12 months preceding the census. Among the major occupation groups, service and sales workers comprised the largest group (19.4 percent). Workers engaged in elementary occupations came next (18.6 percent), followed by clerical support workers (15.9 percent). *Refer to Table 8 for details.*

Table 2. Total Household Population by Sex in Brgy Santa Cruz, Quezon City: 2015

Age Group	Total	Male	Female
Santa Cruz	4,746	2,346	2,400
0 - 4	387	176	211
5 - 9	405	191	214
10 - 14	447	221	226
15 - 19	522	258	264
20 - 24	524	285	239
25 - 29	438	254	184
30 - 34	376	164	212
35 - 39	321	165	156
40 - 44	315	163	152
45 - 49	301	144	157
50 - 54	230	100	130
55 - 59	159	85	74
60 - 64	134	59	75
65 - 69	65	34	31
70 - 74	43	20	23
75 - 79	25	8	17
80 and over	54	19	35

Source: Philippine Statistics Authority, 2015 Census of Population

Table 3. Total Household Voting Population by Sex in Brgy Santa Cruz, Quezon City: 2015

City/ Brgy.	Total Household Voting Population	Male	Female
Quezon City	1,972,825	950,871	1,021,954
Santa Cruz	3,205	1,612	1,593

Source: Philippine Statistics Authority, 2015 Census of Population

Table 4. Total Household Population by Dependency Ratio in Brgy Santa Cruz, Quezon City: 2015

City/ Brgy.	Total Household Population	Young Dependent (0-14 years old)	Working Age (15-64 years old)	Old Dependent (65 and over)
Quezon City	2,919,657	777,111	2,025,873	116,673
Santa Cruz	4,746	1,239	3,320	187

Source: Philippine Statistics Authority, 2015 Census of Population

Table 5. Total Household Population 10 Years old and Over by Sex and Marital Status in Brgy. Santa Cruz, Quezon City: 2015

City/Brgy.	Total	Single	Married	Widowed	Divorced/Separated	Common-law/Live-in	Unknown
Quezon City	2,400,247	1,109,760	891,078	90,427	47,931	256,536	4,515
Santa Cruz	3,954	1,900	1,300	139	68	547	-
Male	1,979	999	652	37	22	269	-
Female	1,975	901	648	102	46	278	-

Source: Philippine Statistics Authority, 2015 Census of Population

Table 6. Total Household Population 5 years old and over by Highest Grade Completed in Brgy Santa Cruz, Quezon City: 2015

City/ Brgy.	Total Household Population (5 years and over)	No Grade Completed	Preschool	Special Education	Elementary
Quezon City	2,659,513	42,053	61,248	3,090	527,295
Santa Cruz	4,359	60	110	1	801
Male	2,170	30	53	1	391
Female	2,189	30	57	0	410

Table 6 - Concluded

High School	Post Year Secondary	College Undergraduate	Baccalaureate Graduate	Post Baccalaureate	Not Reported
1,022,290	78,770	410,069	493,085	10,254	11,359
1,694	117	768	785	22	1
853	38	401	391	12	-
841	79	367	394	10	1

Source: Philippine Statistics Authority, 2015 Census of Population

Table 7. Total Household Population 5 years old and over by Literacy in Brgy. Santa Cruz, Quezon City: 2015

City/ Brgy.	Total Household Population (5 years and over)	Yes	No
Quezon City	2,659,513	2,613,950	45,563
Santa Cruz	4,359	4,237	122
Male	2,170	2,111	59
Female	2,189	2,126	63

Source: Philippine Statistics Authority, 2015 Census of Population

Table 8. Total Household Population 15 years old and over by Usual Activity / Occupation in Brgy. Santa Cruz, Quezon City: 2015

	Total Household Population (15 years and over)	Total Working	Managers	Professionals	Technicians and Associate Professionals	Clerical Support Workers
Quezon City	2,142,546	1,296,430	132,719	125,779	94,736	173,543
Santa Cruz	3,507	2,127	255	195	137	339

Table 8 – Concluded

Service and Sales Workers	Skilled Agricultural Forestry and Fishery Workers	Craft and Related Trades Workers	Plant and Machine Operators and Assemblers	Elementary Occupations	Armed Forces Occupations	Not Reported
272,680	4,080	129,669	123,077	224,239	2,354	13,554
412	6	161	219	396	3	4

Source: Philippine Statistics Authority, 2015 Census of Population

## TECHNICAL NOTES

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.

Total population	the sum of the household population and institutional population. It also includes Filipinos in Philippine embassies, consulates, and missions abroad
Household population	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
Institutional population	the population enumerated in collective or institutional living quarters such as: dormitories/lodging houses, jails/prisons, military camps, convents/seminaries, and mental hospitals
Household	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
Age	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
Median age	the age at which exactly half of the population is younger than this age and the other half is older than it

Overall dependency ratio	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
Marital status	the personal status of each individual with reference to the marriage laws or customs of the country
Simple literacy rate	the proportion of persons aged 10 years and over who are able to read and write a simple message in any language or dialect
Highest grade/year completed	the highest grade or year completed in school, college or university
Usual activity/occupation	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



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