



**CAMARINES SUR**

# **SPECIAL RELEASE**

## *2015 Population*

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### **Population of Municipality of Balatan (Based on the Results of 2015 Census of Population)**

*The population of Balatan as of 2015 is 30,922*

- Balatan's population as of August 1, 2015 was 30,922, based on the 2015 Census of Population (POPCEN2015). The municipality is the tenth least populous city/municipality of Camarines Sur.
- The 2015 population is higher by 2,223 compared with the population of 28,699 in 2010, and by 8,385 compared with the population of 22,537 in 2000.

Census Year	Census Reference Date	Total Population
2000	May 1, 2000	22,537
2010	May 1, 2010	28,699
2015	August 1, 2015	30,922

- From 2010 to 2015, the population of Balatan increased by 1.43 percent annually, on average. By comparison, the rate at which the municipality's population grew during the period 2000 to 2010 was slightly higher at 2.45 percent.

Reference Period	Annual Population Growth Rate
2010-2015	1.43
2000-2010	2.45

- Balatan has 17 barangays. Barangay Duran had the biggest population of 5,920 persons in 2015 and accounted for about 19.14 percent of the municipality's population. It was followed by Barangay Siramag (Pob.) with 5,088, and Barangay Luluasan with 3,940 persons. The combined population of these three barangays accounted for about 48.34 percent of the population of Balatan in 2015.

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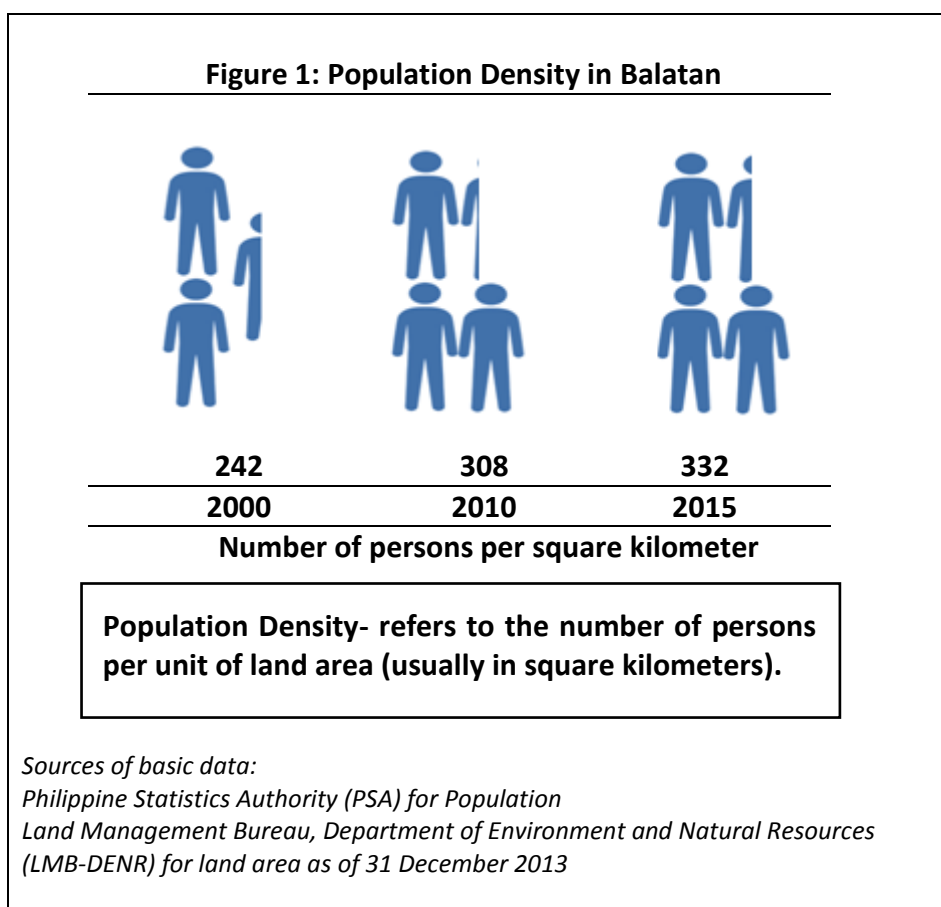
- Barangay Montenegro (Maguiron) was the smallest barangay in 2015, in terms of population size, with 374 persons. It was followed by Barangay Camangahan (Caorasan) with 397 persons.
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<b>Table 3. Population of Balatan</b>			
<b>(Based on the 2000, 2010, and 2015 Censuses)</b>			
<b>Barangay</b>	<b>2000</b>	<b>2010</b>	<b>2015</b>
Cabanbanan	1,324	1,423	1,384
Cabungan	752	967	959
Camangahan (Caorasan)	336	392	397
Cayogcog	309	542	440
Coguit	1,405	1,713	2,001
Duran	3,791	5,515	5,920
Laganac	1,499	1,996	2,414
Luluasan	2,741	3,488	3,940
Montenegro (Maguiron)	310	371	374
Pararao	1,668	2,032	2,154
Siramag (Pob.)	4,171	4,827	5,088
Pulang Daga	712	1,031	1,137
Sagrada Nacacale	634	788	797
San Francisco	790	1,168	1,318
Santiago Nacacale	339	388	398
Tapayas	1,406	1,605	1,698
Tomatarayo	350	453	503
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>22,537</b>	<b>28,699</b>	<b>30,922</b>

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### **Population density in Balatan increases from 308 to 332 persons per square kilometer**

- With a total land area of approximately 93.09 square kilometers, the population density of Balatan in 2015 was posted at 332 persons per square kilometer. This represents an increase of 24 persons per square kilometer from the population density of 308 persons per square kilometer in 2010. In 2000, there were about 242 persons residing in every square kilometer of land in the municipality.



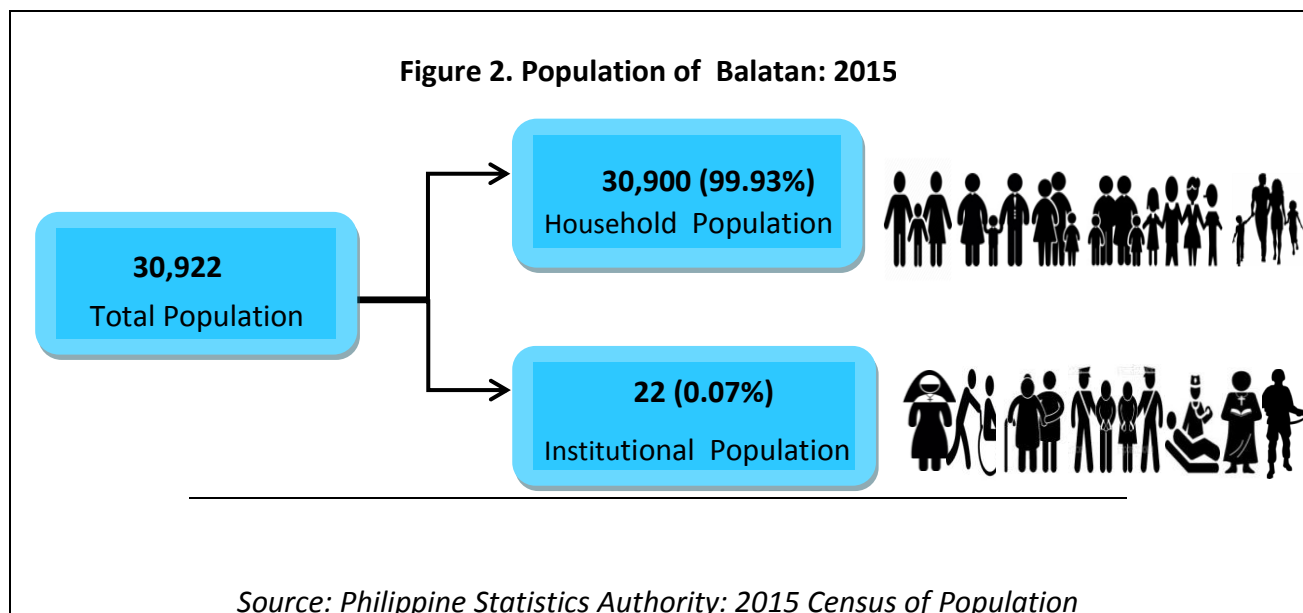
### **Household Population comprised 99.93 percent of the total population**

- The household population of Balatan reached 30,900 persons in 2015. This is 2,221 higher than the 28,679 household population reported in 2010, and 8,368 more than the 22,532 household population posted in 2000.

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<b>Table 4. Population of Balatan</b> <b>(Based on the 2000, 2010 and 2015 Censuses)</b>						
Population of Balatan	2000		2010		2015	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Total Population	22,537	100.00	28,699	100.00	30,922	100.00
Household Population	22,532	99.98	28,679	99.93	30,900	99.93
Institutional Population	5	0.02	20	0.07	22	0.07

- The household population comprised 99.93 percent of the total population in Balatan, while remaining 0.07 percent comprised the institutional population or those residing in collective or institutional living quarters such as hotels, hospitals, orphanages and home for the aged, corrective and penal institutions and military camps.



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**Average household size was 5.25 persons in 2015**

- Average household size (AHS) in Balatan slightly increased from 5.23 persons in 2010 to 5.25 persons in 2015. In 2000, there were 5.44 persons, on average, per household.

Census Year	Household Population	Number of Household	Average Household Size
2000	22,532	4,141	5.44
2010	28,679	5,482	5.23
2015	30,900	5,881	5.25

- From 2000 to 2015, the household population and number of household are increasing.
- The reported household population of this municipality in 2015 is higher by 8 percent compared to its 2010 count. While from 2000 to 2010, its household population increased by 27 percent.

