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The economy of the Province of Cebu is mainly driven by Manufacturing from 2018 to 2020

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The economy of the Province of Cebu is driven by the following industries: Manufacturing with 17.6 percent, Wholesale and retail trade, repair of motor vehicles and motorcycles with 13.7 percent, Real estate and ownership of dwellings, and Professional and business services with 11.5 percent based on the 2018 to 2020 annual average share. In 2019, the economy of the province grew by 4.7 percent but declined by 8.9 percent in 2020.

Table 1. Gross Domestic Product of the Province of Cebu, By Industry 2018 to 2020 At Constant 2018 Prices

Industries	GDP Levels (In thousand PhP)			Growth Rates		Average Percent Share
	Agriculture, forestry, and fishing	32,217,705	33,413,923	34,754,572	3.7	4.0
Industry	126,472,428	129,388,652	106,249,009	2.3	-17.9	33.0
01. Mining and Quarrying	8,725,834	8,787,708	6,315,426	0.7	-28.1	2.2
02. Manufacturing	67,946,915	66,675,637	58,170,075	-1.9	-12.8	17.6
03. Electricity, steam, water and waste management	15,724,291	15,850,205	16,790,702	0.8	5.9	4.4
04. Construction	34,075,388	38,075,102	24,972,807	11.7	-34.4	8.8
Services	206,240,150	219,363,814	207,228,957	6.4	-5.5	57.8
01. Wholesale and retail trade, repair of motor vehicles and motorcycles	47,374,989	51,201,815	51,322,317	8.1	0.2	13.7
02. Transportation and storage	11,205,366	10,763,638	8,498,958	-3.9	-21.0	2.8
03. Accommodation and food service activities	5,671,944	5,877,546	3,459,799	3.6	-41.1	1.4
04. Information and communication	12,744,490	12,469,706	14,038,927	-2.2	12.6	3.6
05. Financial and insurance activities	12,060,562	15,114,776	16,489,878	25.3	9.1	4.0
06. Real estate and ownership of dwellings	41,916,406	44,044,812	40,291,055	5.1	-8.5	11.5
07. Professional and business services	41,727,667	43,994,394	40,200,796	5.4	-8.6	11.5
08. Public administration and defense, compulsory social activities	10,348,536	11,648,939	11,618,538	12.6	-0.3	3.0
09. Education	16,393,634	17,092,375	16,486,991	4.3	-3.5	4.6
10. Human health and social work activities	3,528,560	3,541,390	2,575,414	0.4	-27.3	0.9
11. Other services	3,267,997	3,614,423	2,246,284	10.6	-37.9	0.8
GDP of Province of Cebu	364,930,283	382,166,390	348,232,538	4.7	-8.9	100.0

Source: Philippine Statistics Authority

Of the 6.2 percent economic growth registered in Central Visayas for 2019, the Province of Cebu ranked second, accounting for 1.5 percentage points of the total regional economy. Meanwhile in 2020, the Province of Cebu contributed -2.7 percentage points to the -9.9 percent of Central Visayas.

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