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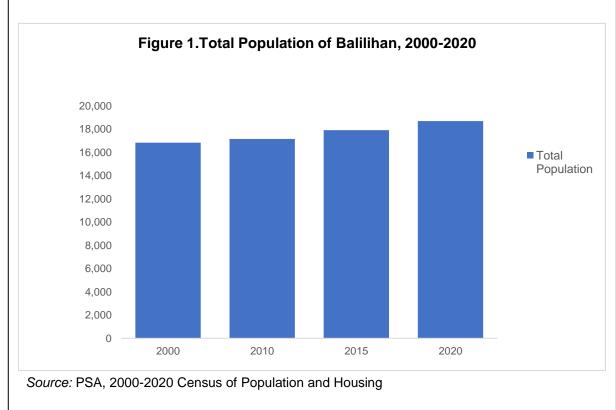
Highlights of the Population of the Municipality of Balilihan (Based on the Results of 2020 Census of Population and Housing)

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Based on the 2020 Census of Population and Housing (2020 CPH), the total population of Balilihan as of 01 May 2020 was 18,694.

The total population of Balilihan accounted for about 1.34 percent of Bohol's population in 2020.

In general, the total population of Balilihan is increasing in the last 20 years (Figure 1). The 2020 total population of the municipality is higher by 1,857 persons compared with the population in 2000 (Table 1). Meanwhile, in comparison to the 2015 counts, it is higher by 791 persons.



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Census Year	Census Reference Date	Total Population
2000	May 1, 2000	16,837
2010	May 1, 2010	17,147
2015	August 1, 2015	17,903
2020	May 1, 2020	18,694

Source: PSA, 2000-2020 Census of Population and Housing

The total population of Balilihan increased by 0.91 percent annually, on average, during the period of 2015 to 2020. By comparison, the municipal population growth rate during the period of 2010 to 2015 was at 0.82 percent (Table 2).

Table 2. Annual Population Growth Rate: Balilihan, 2000-2020

Census Year	Annual Population Growth Rate (%)
2000 - 2010	0.18
2010 – 2015	0.82
2015 – 2020	0.91

Source: PSA, 2000-2020 Census of Population and Housing

Among the thirty-one (31) barangays comprising the municipality, Boctol had the biggest population in 2020 with 1,313 persons, followed by Baucan Norte with 898 and Del Carmen Weste (Pob) with 892. Boyog Norte had the smallest population with 194 (Table 3).

Table 3. Total Population by Barangay: Balilihan, 2020

Barangay	Total Population
Baucan Norte	898
Baucan Sur	652
Boctol	1,313
Boyog Norte	194
Boyog Proper	286
Boyog Sur	372
Cabad	694
Candasig	609
Cantalid	413
Cantomimbo	666
Cogon	748

Datag Norte	695
Datag Sur	552
Del Carmen Este (Pob.)	834
Del Carmen Norte (Pob.)	675
Del Carmen Weste (Pob.)	892
Del Carmen Sur (Pob.)	630
Del Rosario	248
Dorol	735
Haguilanan Grande	694
Hanopol Este	408
Hanopol Norte	390
Hanopol Weste	267
Magsija	632
Maslog	508
Sagasa	674
Sal-ing	655
San Isidro	516
San Roque	605
Santo Niño	555
Tagustusan	684

Source: PSA, 2020 Census of Population and Housing

Of the thirty-one (31) barangays, only one (1) barangay posted more than 1,000 inhabitants, and this is Boctol, while there were eight (8) barangays with less than 500 inhabitants (Table 4).

Table 4. Barangays with less than 500 Population: Balilihan, 2020

Barangay	Total Population
Boyog Norte	194
Boyog Proper	286
Boyog Sur	372
Cantalid	413
Del Rosario	248
Hanopol Este	408
Hanopol Norte	390
Hanopol Weste	267
Source: PSA, 2020 Census of Population and Housing	

The total land area of Balilihan is approximately 127.27 sq. m. In 2020, its population density was posted at 147 persons per square kilometer. This is 6 persons higher per sq. m. posted in 2015 which is posted at 141.

Census Year	Population Density (Person Per Square Kilometer of
	Land)
2010	135
2015	141
2020	147
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Source: PSA, 2010-2020 Census of Population and Housing

The population figures used in this report were from the results of the 2020 CP. To derive the population density of the number of persons per square kilometer of land, only the population residing in the Philippine territories were considered at the national level. Hence, Filipinos in the Philippine embassies, consulates, and missions abroad were excluded from the population count. Meanwhile, the land areas were based on the 2013 Masterlist of Land Areas of Cities and Municipalities provided by the Land Management Bureau (LMB) to the Philippine Statistics Authority (PSA).

TECHNICAL NOTES

Population growth rate	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.
Total population	The sum of the household population and institutional population. It also includes Filipinos in Philippine embassies, consulates, and missions abroad.
Population Density	It refers to the persons per square kilometer of land.
Reference Period	All living persons as of 12:01 AM of 1 May 2020 will be enumerated.

The 2020 CPH was undertaken by the Philippine Statistics Authority pursuant to Republic Act Np. 10625, also known as the Philippine Statistical Act of 2013, Executive Order No. 352 – Designation of Statistical Activities That Will Generate Critical Data for Decision-Making of the Government and the Private Sector, and Batas Pambansa (BP) Bilang 72, which provide the basis for the decennial conduct of the integrated census of population and housing.

May 2020 was declared as the National Census Month pursuant to the Proclamation No. 928, s. 2020, which provided that the 2020 CPH be conducted in May 2020, with 1 May 2020 as the census reference date.

However, in light of the Coronavirus disease 2019 (COVID-19) pandemic, the census enumeration was moved to September 2020. Information on the count of the population was collected with 12:01 AM of 1 May 2020 as the reference time and date, in accordance with the provisions indicated under BP 72.

President Rodrigo Roa Duterte has declared official for al purposes the population counts by province, city/municipality, and barangay based on the 2020 CPH under

Proclamation No. 1179 dated 06 July 2021. The population counts were based on census questionnaires administered by about 112,000 enumerators deployed during the nationwide census taking.

The successful completion of the census-taking amidst the COVID-19 pandemic would not have been possible without the cooperation and support of the census respondents and barangay officials nationwide. The PSA would also like to thank the members of the national and local census coordinating boards, officials of national government agencies and local government units, media practitioners, private agencies, non-government organizations, homeowners' associations, building administrators, and all other census stakeholders. Credits also go to the hundreds of enumerators, supervisors, and other census workers hired by the PSA for the 2020 CPH.

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