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## POPULATION OF THE CITY OF DIGOS

*(Based on the results of 2015 Census of Population)*

### **Population of the City of Digos in 2015 is 169,393**

- The population of City of Digos, as of August 1, 2015 was 169,393 based on the 2015 Census of Population (POPCEN 2015).
- The 2015 population is higher by 19,502 compared with the population of 149,891 in 2010, and by 44,222 compared with the population of 125,171 in 2000. Refer to Table 1.

**Table 1. Population of the City of Digos**

*(Based on the 2000, 2010, and 2015 Censuses)*

Census Year	Census Reference Date	Population
2000	May 1, 2000	125,171
2010	May 1, 2010	149,891
2015	August 1, 2015	169,393

- The population of City of Digos increased by 2.36 percent annually, on average during the period 2010 to 2015. By comparison, the rate at which the city's population grew during the period 2000 to 2010 was lower at 1.82 percent. See Table 2.

**Table 2. Annual Population Growth Rate of the City of Digos**

*(Based on the 2000, 2010, and 2015 Censuses)*

Reference Period	Annual Population Growth Rate (in percent)
2010-2015	2.36
2000-2010	1.82

- If the current annual growth rate of the city continues, the city's population was expected to double in 29.75 years.

- Barangay Aplaya posted a population of 18,485 persons in 2015 and accounted for about 10.91% of the city's population.
- City of Digos has 26 barangays. Barangay Aplaya had the biggest population in 2015, followed by Barangay Zone 3 (Pob.) with 17,885, and Barangay Tres de Mayo with 16,595 persons. The combined population of these three barangays accounted for about 31.27% percent of the population in City of Digos in 2015. See Table 3.
- Barangay Lungag was the smallest barangay in 2015, in terms of population size, with 370 persons. See Table 3.

**Table 3. Annual Population Growth Rate of the City of Digos**

<b>Barangay</b>	<b>Total Population</b>		
	<b>2000</b>	<b>2010</b>	<b>2015</b>
Aplaya	11,404	15,409	18,485
Balabag	1,156	1,226	1,377
Binaton	4,932	2,034	2,599
Cogon	2,516	5,993	7,998
Colorado	4,558	2,323	2,732
Dawis	1,901	4,584	4,959
Dulangan	2,856	1,329	1,714
Goma	1,591	3,676	4,093
Igpit	3,835	3,471	3,502
Kapatagan (Rizal)	2,905	10,162	11,982
Kiagot	3,775	4,679	5,309
Lungag	405	567	652
Mahayahay	587	772	898
Matti	4,302	5,328	6,016
Ruparan	8,046	2,873	3,662
San Agustin	2,690	2,143	2,784
San Jose (Balutakay)	1,684	6,072	6,564
San Miguel (Odaca)	9,750	13,813	15,422
San Roque	806	951	1,172
Sinawilan	4,097	4,539	5,792
Soong	1,078	1,277	1,378
Tiguman	1,125	1,625	2,398
Tres De Mayo	10,152	15,475	16,595
Zone 1 (Pob.)	12,246	13,754	15,023
Zone 2 (Pob.)	8,565	8,071	8,402
Zone 3 (Pob.)	18,209	17,745	17,885

Source: Philippine Statistics Authority, 2000 and 2010 Census of Population and Housing and 2015 Census of Population

**Household population comprised 99.19 percent of the total population**

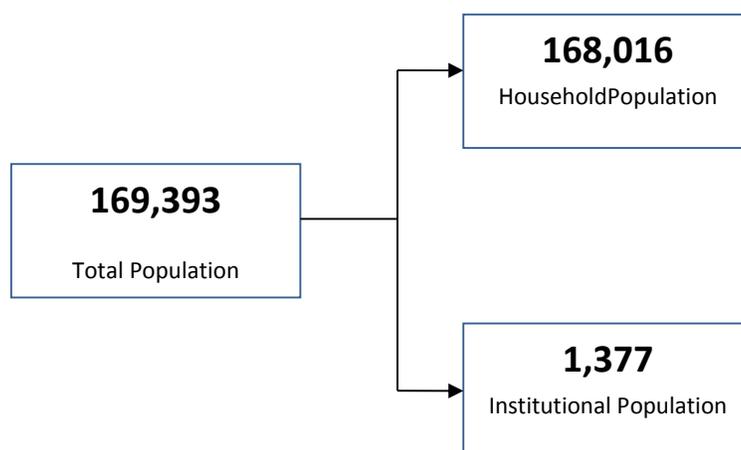
- The household population of the City of Digos reached 168,016 persons in 2015. This is 18,836 higher than the 149,180 household population reported in 2010, and 43,523 more than the 124,493 household population posted in 2000.
- The household population comprised 99.19 percent of the total population in the City of Digos, while the remaining 0.81 percent is comprised of 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. Please refer to Table 4 and Figure 1.

**Table 4. Population of the City of Digos**

Population of City of Digos	2000		2010		2015	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
<b>Total Population</b>	125,171	100.00	149,891	100.00	169,393	100.00
<b>Household Population</b>	124,493	99.46	149,180	99.53	168,016	99.19
<b>Institutional Population</b>	678	0.54	711	0.47	1,377	0.81

Source: Philippine Statistics Authority, 2000 and 2010 Census of Population and Housing and 2015 Census of Population

**Figure 1. Population of the City of Digos: 2015**



Source: Philippine Statistics Authority: 2015 Census of Population

### **Number of households increased by 6,332 from 35,218 in 2010 to 41,550 in 2015**

- The total number of households in the city in 2015 was recorded at 41,550 higher by 6,332 compared with 35,218 in 2010 and by 15,244 compared with 26,306 in 2000. See Table 5 and Figure 2.

### **Average household size was 4.0 persons in 2015**

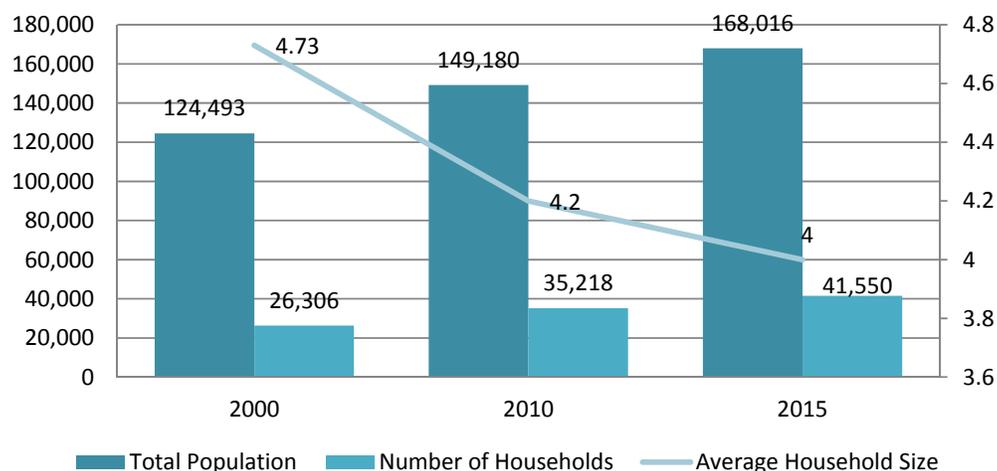
- Average household size (AHS) in the City of Digos decreased from 4.2 persons in 2010 to 4.0 persons in 2015. In 2000, there were 4.73 persons, on average, per household.

**Table 5. Household Population, Number of Households, and Average Household Size, City of Digos**

Census Year	Household Population	Number of Households	Average Household Size
2000	124,493	26,306	4.73
2010	149,180	35,218	4.2
2015	168,016	41,550	4.0

Source: Philippine Statistics Authority, 2015 Census of Population

**Figure 2: Household Population, Number of Households and Average Household Sizes, City of Digos, 2000, 2010 and 2015**



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