



# SPECIAL RELEASE

## Highlights of Population in the Municipality of Bansalan, Davao del Sur based on the 2020 Census of Population and Housing (CPH)

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### The Municipality of Bansalan was recorded with a population count of 62,737

The total population of the Municipality of Bansalan as of May 1, 2020 was recorded at 62,737 persons based on the 2020 Census of Population and Housing (CPH) conducted during the month of September 2020. It accounted for the about 9.22 percent of the population of Davao del Sur (excluding Davao City) in year 2020.

The population for the municipality for the year 2020 is higher by 2,297 persons compared with the population of 60,440 in year 2015; by 6,241 persons compared with the population of 56,496 in year 2010; and by 10,956 persons compared with the population of 61,801 in year 2000. (See Table 1)

**Table 1. Total Population of Bansalan, Davao del Sur**  
(Based on the year 2000, 2010, 2015 and 2020 Censuses)

Census Years	Reference Dates	Population Counts
2020	01 May 2020	62,737
2015	01 August 2015	60,440
2010	01 May 2010	56,496
2000	01 May 2000	51,781

Source: Philippine Statistics Authority

### The Bansalan population grew by 0.79 percent

The total population of Bansalan increased by 0.79 percent annually, on average, during the period of 2015 to 2020. By comparison, the rate at which the municipal population grew during the period of 2010 to 2015 was lower at 1.29 percent. (See Table 2)



**Table 2. Annual Population Growth Rate of Bansalan, Davao del Sur**  
(Based on the year 2000, 2010, 2015 and 2020 Censuses)

Reference Period	Annual Population Growth Rate (in percent)
2000-2010	0.87
2010-2015	1.29
2010-2020	1.05
2015-2020	0.79

**Barangay Dos (Poblacion) has the biggest population from among the barangays in Bansalan**

The municipality of Bansalan has 25 barangays. In 2020, Barangay Dos Poblacion registered to have the highest population count with 10,532 persons residing in the barangay. This number accounted to 16.79 percent to the total population of the municipality. It is followed by Barangay Poblacion with a population count of 6,780, which accounted to 10.81 percent to the total population. Following as the third highest populated barangay is Barangay Managa with a total population of 4,896 which accounted to 7.8 percent to the total population of the municipality. (See Table 3)

Meanwhile, Barangay Bonifacio registered to have the least number of residents with a population count of 436 — contributing to just 0.69 percent to the total population of the municipality. The next barangay with the least number of population count is Barangay Sibayan with 707 number of persons — just 1.13 percent to the total population followed by Barangay Bitaug with 796 number of persons — just 1.27 percent to the total population.

**Barangay Union is the fastest growing barangay**

Barangay Union was the fastest growing barangay in the municipality with an average annual Population Growth Rate (PGR) of 10.13 percent during the period of 2015 to 2020. It was followed by Barangay Santo Niño with a PGR of 4.45 percent, and Barangay Buenavista with a PGR of 3.8 percent. (See Table 4)

On the other hand, Barangay Bitaug was the slowest growing barangay with a PGR of 0.13 percent, followed by Barangay Libertad with a PGR of 0.57. and Barangay Tubod with a PGR of 1.17 percent.

Meanwhile, in the same period, seven barangays in Bansalan posted negative PGRs, of which Barangay Kinuskusan has the highest negative PGR of 6.55 percent while Barangay Eman has the lowest negative PGR of 0.04 percent.



**Table 3. Population of Bansalan by Barangay**  
 (Based on the 2010, 2015 and 2020 Censuses)

Barangay	Total Population		
	01 May 2010	01 August 2015	01 May 2020
Alegre	816	1,064	1,132
Alta Vista	683	885	1,012
Anonang	1,929	1,973	2,326
Bitaug	773	791	796
Bonifacio	409	410	436
Buenavista	1,252	1,259	1,503
Darapuyay	1,685	1,653	1,763
Dolo	3,899	3,796	4,356
Eman	1,489	1,757	1,754
Kinuskusan	1,277	1,112	806
Libertad	802	880	904
Linawan	1,156	1,140	1,072
Mabuhay	2,930	2,526	3,000
Mabunga	1,330	1,278	1,436
Managa	3,873	4,586	4,896
Marber	2,117	1,987	1,795
New Clarin (Miral)	3,671	4,086	4,515
Poblacion	7,591	8,695	6,780
Poblacion Dos	8,782	9,031	10,532
Rizal	3,952	4,308	3,649
Santo Niño	1,428	1,645	2,023
Sibayan	570	755	707
Tinongtongan	591	856	1,019
Tubod	2,938	3,333	3,522
Union	553	634	1,003

Source: Philippine Statistics Authority



**Table 4. Annual Population Growth Rate of Bansalan by Barangay**  
 (Based on the 2010, 2015, and 2020 Censuses)

Barangay	Population Growth Rate (in percent)		
	2010-2020	2010-2015	2015-2020
Alegre	3.32	5.18	1.31
Alta Vista	4.01	5.05	2.86
Anonang	1.89	0.43	3.52
Bitaug	0.29	0.44	0.13
Bonifacio	0.64	0.05	1.30
Buenavista	1.84	0.11	3.80
Darapuyay	0.45	-0.36	1.36
Dolo	1.11	-0.51	2.94
Eman	1.65	3.20	-0.04
Kinuskusan	-4.49	-2.60	-6.55
Libertad	1.20	1.78	0.57
Linawan	-0.75	-0.26	-1.29
Mabuhay	0.24	-2.78	3.68
Mabunga	0.77	-0.76	2.48
Managa	2.37	3.27	1.39
Marber	-1.64	-1.20	-2.12
New Clarin (Miral)	2.09	2.06	2.12
Poblacion	-1.12	2.62	-5.10
Poblacion Dos	1.83	0.53	3.29
Rizal	-0.79	1.65	-3.43
Santo Niño	3.54	2.73	4.45
Sibayan	2.18	5.49	-1.37
Tinongtongan	5.59	7.30	3.74
Tubod	1.83	2.43	1.17
Union	6.13	2.64	10.13

Source: Philippine Statistics Authority



## TECHNICAL NOTES

- The 2020 CPH was undertaken by the Philippine Statistics Authority in September 2020 pursuant to Republic Act No. 10625, also known as the Philippine Statistical Act of 2013 and B.P. Blg. 72 further accorded the PSA the authority to conduct population censuses every ten (10) years beginning in 1980.
- Information on the count of the population were collected with 12:01 a.m. of May 1, 2020 as the census reference time and date.
- The 2020 CPH is the country's 15th Census of Population and 7th Census of Housing since 1903.
- Doubling time is the amount of time it takes for a given quantity to double in size or value at a constant growth rate. We can find the doubling time for a population undergoing exponential growth by using the Rule of 70. To compute for doubling time, we divide 70 by the growth rate ( $r$ ).
- His Excellency President Rodrigo R. Duterte declared as official for all 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 accomplished by about 90,000 enumerators deployed during the nationwide census taking.
- The successful completion of the census-taking was made possible with the support of the local and national officials, government agencies, local government units, media, private agencies, and non-government organizations.

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