



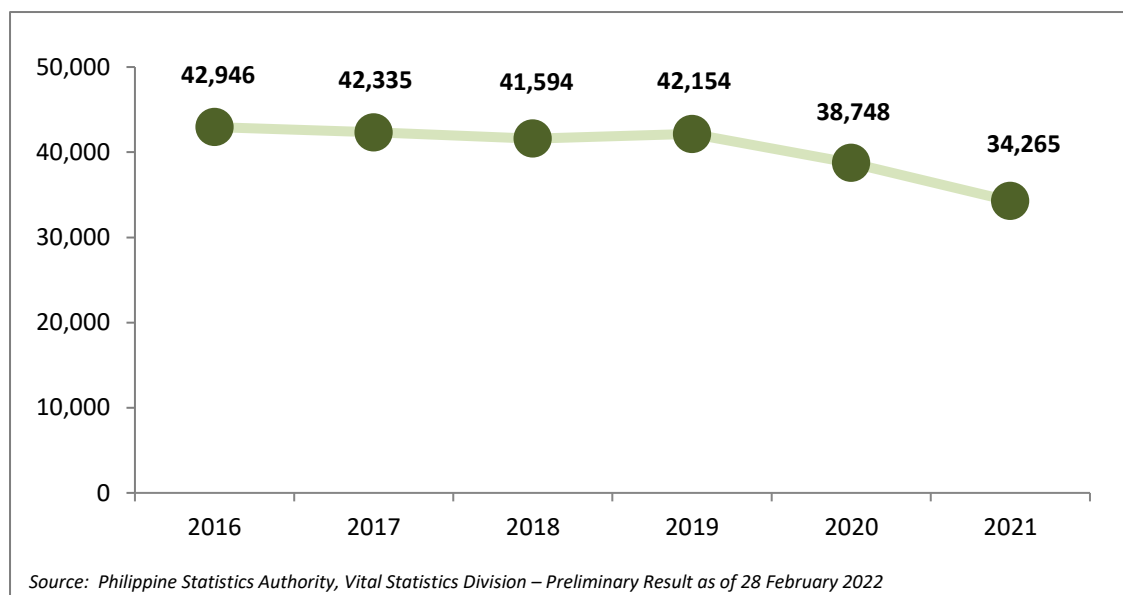
# SPECIAL RELEASE

## Caraga Birth Registration: 2021

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In 2021, the total registered live births in Caraga totalled to 34,265. This showed a decrease of 4,483 or 11.57 percent from the previous year's total registered births of 38,748. The figure below indicates a declining trend of registered live births from 2016 to 2021.



**Figure 1. Number of Registered Births, Caraga: 2016 to 2021**

Among the provinces and highly urbanized city (HUC) in the region, the Province of Agusan del Sur recorded the highest number of registered live births in 2021 at 9,309 or 27.17 percent of the total. Close in figure is the Province of Surigao del Sur with 9,178 or 26.79 percent share. This was followed by the Province of Surigao del Norte with 5,983 or 17.46 percent and Agusan del Norte with 5,983 or 13.17 percent. Meanwhile, the City of Butuan ranked fifth at 4,370 or 12.75 percent while the Province of Dinagat Islands showed the lowest number of registered live births with 911 or 2.66 percent share.

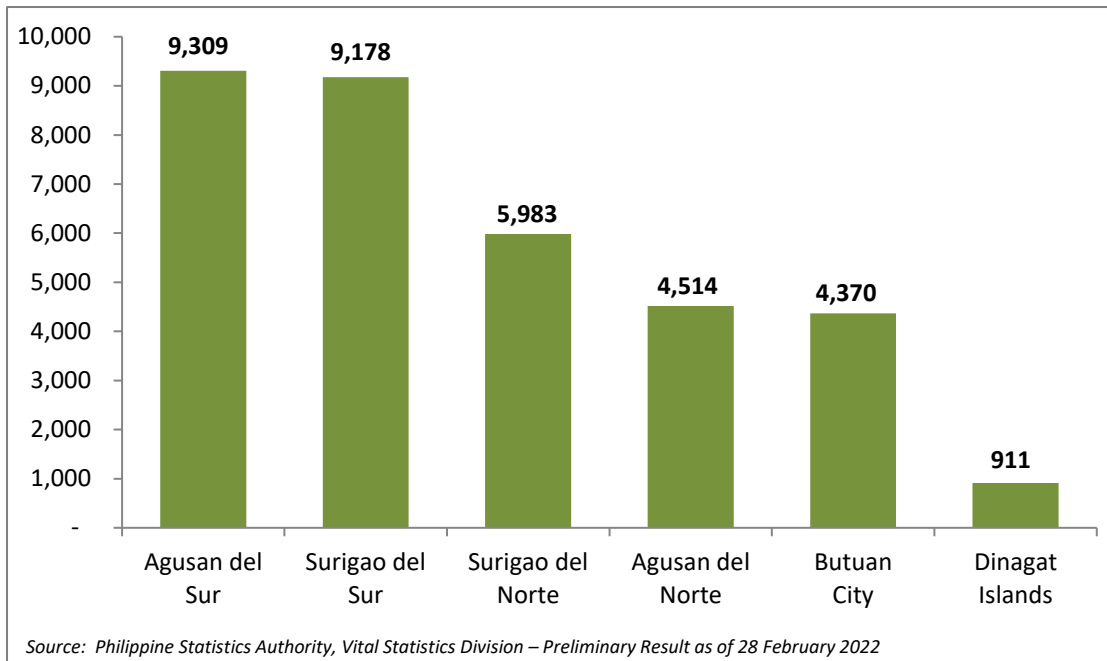


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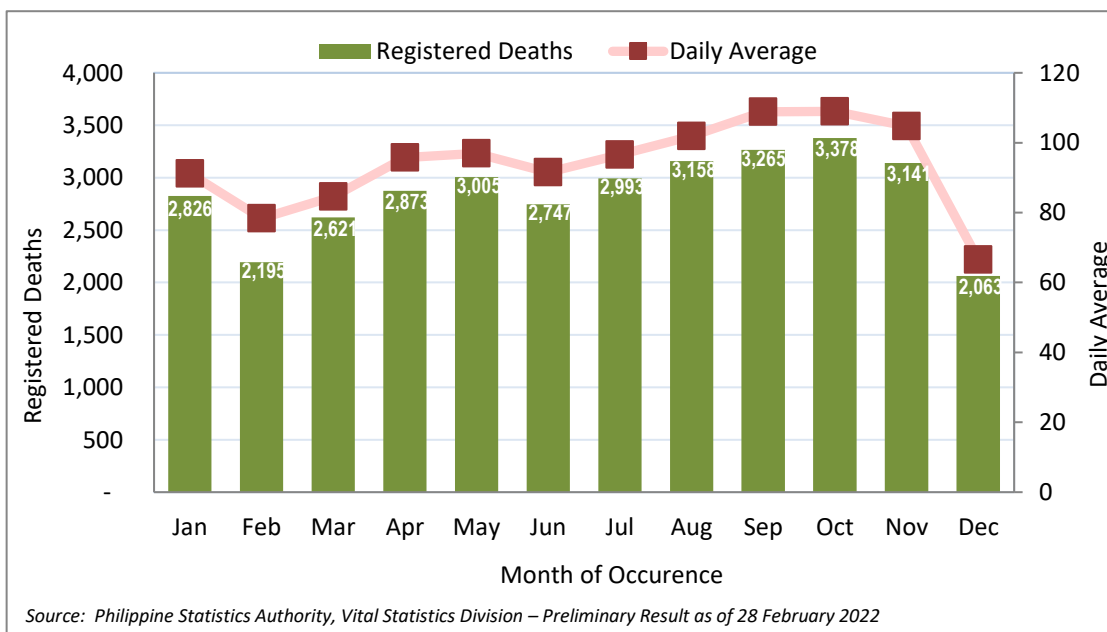
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**Figure 2. Number of Registered Births by Province and Butuan City, Caraga: 2021**

In terms of registration by month of occurrence, the month of December had the lowest number of registered live births at 2,063 or equivalent to 67 live births per day. In contrast, the months of September and October showed the highest volume with the same daily average of 109. Daily average refers to the total registered live births per month over the number of days per month.



**Figure 3. Number of Registered Births at Daily Average by Month, Caraga: January to December 2021**

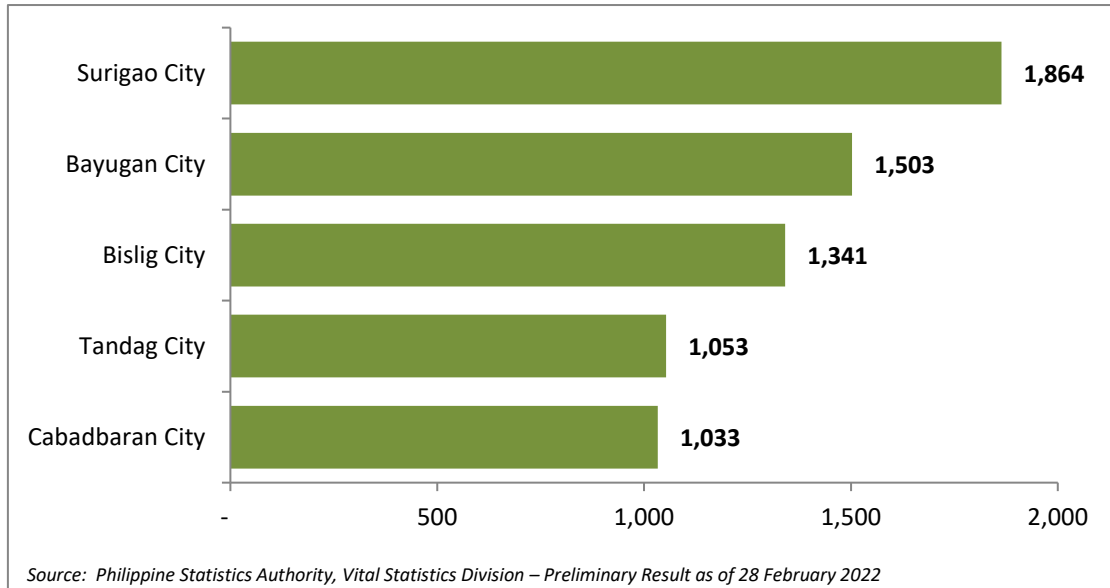


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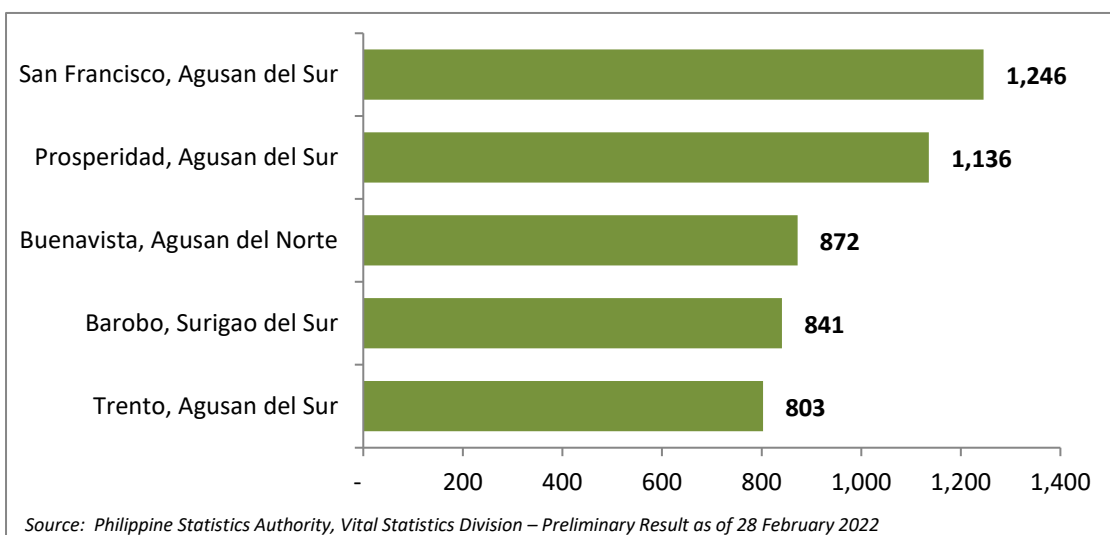
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With regards to birth registration by component city, the highest number of registered live births in 2021 was noted in Surigao City with a total of 1,864. This was followed by Bayugan City and Bislig City at 1,503 and 1,341, respectively. Fourth in rank is Tandag City at 1,053. On the other hand, Cabadbaran City showed the lowest number of registered births at 1,033.



**Figure 4. Number of Registered Births by Component City, Caraga: 2021**

Figure 5 shows the Top 5 municipalities in Caraga with the most number of registered births in 2021. The municipality that noted the highest number of births is the Municipality of San Francisco, Agusan del Sur at 1,246, followed by the Municipality of Prosperidad, Agusan del Sur at 1,136. Rank third is the Municipality of Buenavista, Agusan del Norte at 872 while the Municipality of Barobo, Surigao del Sur is relatively closer at 841. Fifth in rank is the Municipality of Trento, Agusan del Sur at 803.



**Figure 5. Top 5 Municipalities with Most Number of Registered Births, Caraga: 2021**

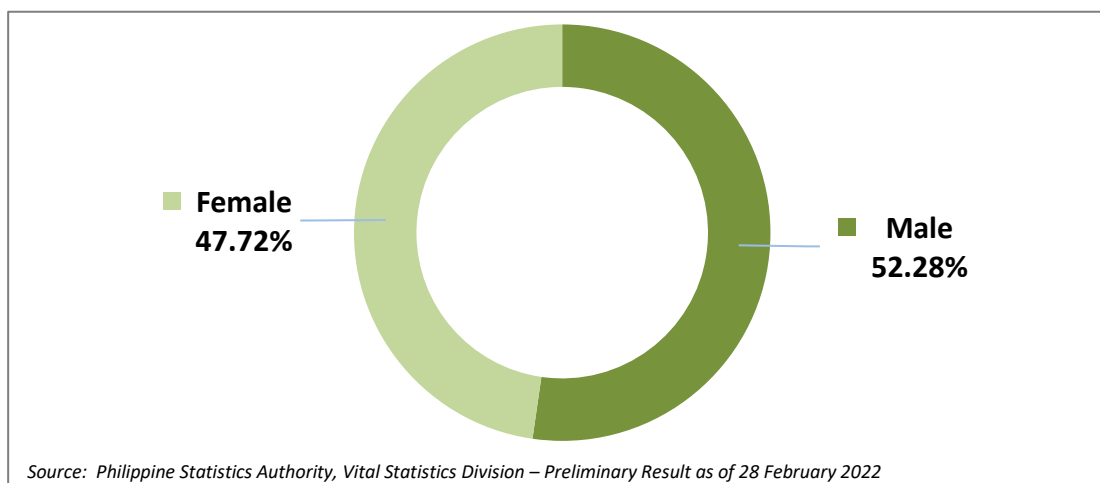


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In 2021, there were more males born in Caraga than females, it is posted at 17,914 or 52.28 percent while its females counterparts accounts for 16,351 or 47.72 percent, resulting to a sex ratio at birth of 110 male births for every 100 female births.



**Figure 6. Percent Distribution of Registered Births by Sex, Caraga: 2021**

## STATISTICAL TABLES

**Table 1. Number of Registered Births, by Month, Caraga, by Province Including Butuan City: January to December 2021**

Province	Agusan del Norte	Agusan del Sur	Dinagat Islands	Surigao del Norte	Surigao del Sur	Butuan City	Total
January	362	773	71	538	715	367	<b>2,826</b>
February	274	569	75	398	609	270	<b>2,195</b>
March	341	699	80	482	698	321	<b>2,621</b>
April	353	772	82	551	735	380	<b>2,873</b>
May	371	853	80	525	789	387	<b>3,005</b>
June	365	778	63	481	695	365	<b>2,747</b>
July	401	806	93	491	774	428	<b>2,993</b>
August	444	871	60	535	833	415	<b>3,158</b>
September	477	831	100	622	814	421	<b>3,265</b>
October	427	901	99	641	870	440	<b>3,378</b>
November	417	857	67	545	836	419	<b>3,141</b>
December	282	599	41	174	810	157	<b>2,063</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>4,514</b>	<b>9,309</b>	<b>911</b>	<b>5,983</b>	<b>9,178</b>	<b>4,370</b>	<b>34,265</b>

**Table 2. Number of Registered Births, by Month, Caraga, by City: January to December 2021**

Province	Butuan City	Surigao City	Bayugan City	Bislig City	Tandag City	Cabadbaran City	Total
January	367	178	117	107	76	80	<b>265</b>
February	270	120	74	95	81	60	<b>700</b>
March	321	149	108	113	69	78	<b>838</b>
April	380	165	118	93	88	86	<b>930</b>
May	387	169	146	128	93	82	<b>1,005</b>
June	365	151	115	106	69	79	<b>885</b>
July	428	143	142	130	81	95	<b>1,019</b>
August	415	170	143	113	98	94	<b>1,033</b>
September	421	204	158	113	78	117	<b>1,091</b>



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**Table 2. Number of Registered Births, by Month, Caraga, by City: January to December 2021  
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Province	Butuan City	Surigao City	Bislig City	Bayugan City	Cabadbaran City	Tandag City	Total
October	440	199	152	130	109	95	1,125
November	419	175	127	105	109	97	1,032
December	157	41	103	108	102	70	581
<b>Total</b>	<b>4,370</b>	<b>1,864</b>	<b>1,503</b>	<b>1,341</b>	<b>1,053</b>	<b>1,033</b>	

**Table 3. Top 5 Municipalities with Most Number of Registered Births, by Month, Caraga: January to December 2021**

Province	San Francisco, Agusan del Sur	Prosperidad, Agusan del Sur	Buenavista, Agusan del Norte	Barobo, Surigao del Sur	Trento, Agusan del Sur	Total
January	112	102	59	72	51	396
February	77	76	59	51	53	316
March	92	73	86	61	54	366
April	85	104	60	71	71	391
May	123	92	64	66	72	417
June	99	114	76	82	70	441
July	110	103	90	70	62	435
August	120	101	85	71	80	457
September	109	119	76	83	76	463
October	117	110	88	81	70	466
November	129	96	82	74	86	467
December	73	46	47	59	58	283
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,246</b>	<b>1,136</b>	<b>872</b>	<b>841</b>	<b>803</b>	<b>4,898</b>

**Table 4. Number of Registered Births by Sex, Caraga, by Province and Butuan City: 2021**

Province	Agusan del Norte	Agusan del Sur	Dinagat Islands	Surigao del Norte	Surigao del Sur	Butuan City	Total
Male	2,361	4,861	471	3,107	4,852	2,262	17,914
Female	2,153	4,448	440	2,876	4,326	2,108	16,351
<b>Total</b>	<b>4,514</b>	<b>9,309</b>	<b>911</b>	<b>5,983</b>	<b>9,178</b>	<b>4,370</b>	<b>34,265</b>

### Explanatory Notes

Data presented in this release were obtained from the Certificates of Live Births (Municipal Form No. 102) that were registered at the Office of the City/Municipal Civil Registrars of Caraga Region and forwarded to the Philippine Statistics Authority. The information presented includes registered deaths from January to December 2021, preliminary as of 28 February 2022.

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