

STOCK MARKET INVESTOR PROFILE 2014

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TOTAL MARKET ACCOUNTS

Data for this report was gathered from information provided by 135 trading participants (TPs/brokers) in 2014.

640,665 total stock market accounts in 2014, a 9.4 percent increase from 585,562 in 2013







4.7 percent were classified as institutional accounts

ONLINE ACCOUNTS

Eighteen (18) TPs provided data on online accounts of investors in 2014



Retail investors remained the key market for online accounts as they accounted for **99.6 percent** of total online accounts

Of the total online accounts, **98.5 percent** were **local** while 1.5 percent were foreign

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PERCENTAGE OF ACTIVE ACCOUNTS







33.6%

OF LOCAL

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The results in this section were derived from a more detailed survey conducted by the Exchange with trading participants. Information on gender was provided by 122 TPs (400,727 accounts); on age group by 117 TPs (365,801 accounts); on income by 109 TPs (311,045 accounts); on profession by 81 TPs (140,779 accounts); on location by 82 TPs (171,203 accounts); and on nationality by 109 TPs (7,565 foreign accounts)

Data on the profile of retail online investors in terms of gender and age group were gathered from sixteen (16) online TPs. Fourteen (14) online brokers provided data on annual income while twelve (12) provided data on location





PROFESSION

Professionals from the other services and industrial sectors as well as retirees and those who are self-employed still account for the biggest share of retail accounts

Other Services*	27.0%	Other Professionals**	9.2%
Self-Employed	15.7%	? Information Technology	5.4%
Industrial	13.7%	Variculture	4.2%
Retired	11.7%	Government	1.8%
Financial Services	9.9%	student	1.4%

*Refers to individuals who work as crews, cooks, OFWs, messengers, sales people, cashiers, drivers, domestic helpers, and other labor-intensive jobs **Refers to individuals who work in the fields of administrative services, advertising, architecture, consultancy, engineering, legal services, medical services, marketing, real estate and other corporate-related jobs PAGE 4

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LOCATION

A majority of retail investors are concentrated in **Metro Manila** and **Luzon**. However, while **online investors** are still mostly situated in these areas, they also have more presence in the **Visayas** and **Mindanao**



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NATIONALITY

Based on total retail accounts, investors of **Chinese** and **American** descent are our largest foreign investor base



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