

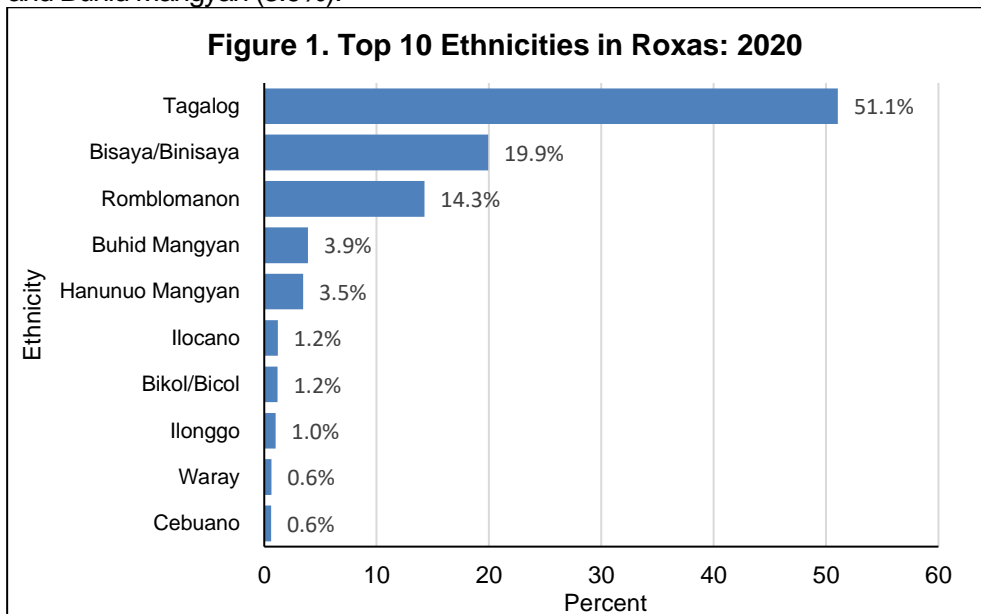
SPECIAL RELEASE

ETHNICITY IN ROXAS, ORIENTAL MINDORO (2020 Census of Population and Housing)

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About one in every two household population has Tagalog as ethnicity

Approximately 51.1% (1 out of 2) of Roxas's 58.82 thousand household population in 2020 identified as Tagalog. Other major ethnicities included Bisaya/Binisaya (19.9%), Romblomanon (14.3%), and Buhid Mangyan (3.9%).



Source: Philippine Statistics Authority, 2020 Census of Population and Housing

Table 1. Ethnicities in Roxas: 2020

Ethnicity	Number	Percent to Total
Total	58,815	100.0
Tagalog	30,028	51.1
Bisaya/Binisaya	11,720	19.9
Romblomanon	8,387	14.3
Buhid Mangyan	2,294	3.9
Hanunuo Mangyan	2,030	3.5
Ilocano	711	1.2
Bikol/Bicol	704	1.2
Ilonggo	590	1.0
Waray	371	0.6
Cebuano	354	0.6
Other Local Ethnicities	1,622	2.8
Foreign Ethnicities	2	0.003
Not Reported	2	0.003

Source: Philippine Statistics Authority, 2020 Census of Population and Housing

Tagalog is the dominant ethnic group in most barangays

About 70.0 percent (14 out of 20) of barangays in Roxas, Oriental Mindoro, identified Tagalog as their dominant ethnicity. The barangays of Libertad (82.0%), San Isidro (82.1%), and Little Tanauan (80.6%) exhibited the highest level of ethnic homogeneity, with a very high percentage of residents identifying as Tagalog.

Conversely, barangay Cantil (39.8%), and barangay San Mariano (44.2%) displayed a lower degree of ethnic homogeneity compared to other barangays with Tagalog Ethnicity.

Three barangays reported Romblomanon as the dominant ethnicity, showcasing a high degree of homogeneity: Happy Valley (59.0%), San Jose (45.4%), and San Rafael (48.1%).

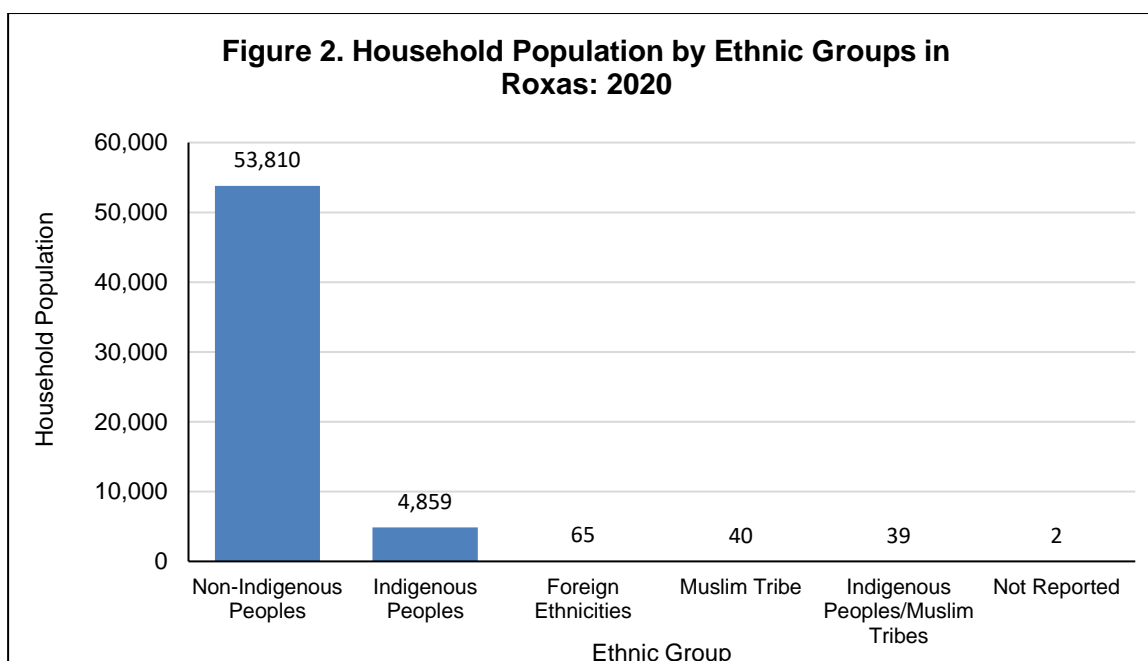
Table 2. Proportion to the Household Population of the Top Three Ethnicities by Barangay of Roxas: 2020

Top Three Ethnicities per Barangay in Roxas and Corresponding Proportion to Household Population (Percent)						
Barangay	Rank 1		Rank 2		Rank 3	
	Ethnicity	Percent	Ethnicity	Percent	Ethnicity	Percent
Bagumbayan	Tagalog	71.2	Bisaya/Binisaya	10.1	Romblomanon	10.1
Cantil	Tagalog	39.8	Bisaya/Binisaya	29.8	Romblomanon	25.4
Dangay	Tagalog	57.3	Romblomanon	18.7	Bisaya/Binisaya	9.9
Happy Valley	Romblomanon	59.0	Tagalog	27.7	Bisaya/Binisaya	3.3
Libertad	Tagalog	82.0	Bisaya/Binisaya	6.9	Romblomanon	4.3
Libtong	Bisaya/Binisaya	45.3	Tagalog	19.3	Romblomanon	18.4
Mabuhay	Bisaya/Binisaya	61.5	Tagalog	26.2	Romblomanon	6.3
Maraska	Tagalog	62.1	Romblomanon	25.2	Bisaya/Binisaya	5.0
Odiong	Tagalog	56.7	Bisaya/Binisaya	24.1	Romblomanon	12.0
Paclasan	Tagalog	73.8	Bisaya/Binisaya	10.5	Romblomanon	8.5
San Aquilino	Tagalog	67.1	Bisaya/Binisaya	17.5	Romblomanon	6.4
San Isidro	Tagalog	82.1	Bisaya/Binisaya	10.3	Romblomanon	5.0
San Jose	Romblomanon	45.4	Tagalog	24.8	Bisaya/Binisaya	15.2
San Mariano	Tagalog	44.2	Bisaya/Binisaya	36.8	Romblomanon	10.1
San Miguel	Tagalog	73.9	Bisaya/Binisaya	13.3	Romblomanon	8.7
San Rafael	Romblomanon	48.1	Tagalog	29.2	Bisaya/Binisaya	6.7
San Vicente	Mangyan-Buhid	35.7	Bisaya/Binisaya	26.7	Mangyan-Hanunuo	26.7
Uyao	Tagalog	56.0	Bisaya/Binisaya	38.9	Romblomanon	2.3
Victoria	Tagalog	69.7	Bisaya/Binisaya	16.5	Romblomanon	7.7
Little Tanauan	Tagalog	80.6	Romblomanon	6.6	Bisaya/Binisaya	6.5

Source: Philippine Statistics Authority, 2020 Census of Population and Housing

Majority of the household population are Non-Indigenous Peoples

Among the 58.82 thousand household population, 53.81 (or 91.5%) identified as non-Indigenous Peoples (non-IPs). The remaining 5,005 residents belong to the following categories: Indigenous Peoples (IPs) identified by the National Commission on Indigenous People (NCIP): 4,859 (8.3%), Foreign ethnicities: 65 (0.1%), Muslim tribes identified by the National Commission on Muslim Filipinos (NCMF): 40 (0.07%), Individuals identified as both IPs and Muslim tribes by NCIP and NCMF: 39 (0.07%).



Source: Philippine Statistics Authority, 2020 Census of Population and Housing

Indigenous Peoples comprise 8.4 percent of the household population

In 2020, IPs identified by NCIP comprised 4.94 thousand or 8.4 percent of the 58.82 thousand household population in Roxas, Oriental Mindoro. The top five IP groups in the barangay accounted for about 92.8 percent of the total IPs. Mangyan-Buhid ranked first with 2,294 persons (46.5%), followed by Mangyan-Hanunuo with 2,030 persons (41.1%), and Bantoanon with 141 persons (2.9%).

Table 3. Top Five Indigenous Peoples in Roxas: 2020

Rank	Indigenous Peoples	Number	Percent to Total IPs
	Total	4,938	100.0
1	Mangyan-Buhid	2,294	46.5
2	Mangyan-Hanunuo	2,030	41.1
3	Bantoanon	141	2.9
4	Karay-a	70	1.4
5	Bontok	46	0.9
	Other IP Groups	357	7.2

Source: Philippine Statistics Authority, 2020 Census of Population and Housing

Muslim tribes make up less than one percent of the household population

Muslim tribes identified by NCMF, including the tribes that were also identified as IPs by the NCIP, accounted for 79 persons or 0.13 percent of the 58.82 thousand household population in Roxas, Oriental Mindoro. Among the Muslim tribes in the barangay, Iranun/Iraynun holds the largest share with 21 persons (26.6%), followed by Badjao and Palawani, both with 14 persons (17.7%).

Table 4. Top Five Muslim Tribes in Roxas: 2020

Rank	Muslim Tribes	Number	Percent to Total Muslim Tribes
	Total	79	100.0
1	Iranun/Iraynun	21	26.6
2	Badjao	14	17.7
3	Palawani	14	17.7
4	Maranao	12	15.2
5	Tausog/Tausug	7	8.9
	Other Muslim Tribes	11	13.9

Source: Philippine Statistics Authority, 2020 Census of Population and Housing

More than one third of the household population with foreign ethnicity are of Swiss descent

Of the 58.82 thousand household population in Roxas, Oriental Mindoro, 65 persons or 0.11 percent were reported to have foreign ethnicity. The top five foreign ethnicities accounted for 53 persons or 81.5 percent of the total foreign ethnicity in the barangay. Swiss ranked first with 24 persons (36.9%), followed by those with British and Chinese ethnicity with 10 persons each (15.4%).

Table 5. Top Five Foreign Ethnicities in Roxas: 2020

Rank	Muslim Tribes	Number	Percent to Total Foreign Ethnicities
	Total	65	100.0
1	Swiss	24	36.9
2	British	10	15.4
3	Chinese	10	15.4
4	Indian	5	7.7
5	American	4	6.2
	Other Foreign Ethnicities	12	18.5


Source: Philippine Statistics Authority, 2020 Census of Population and Housing

The statistics presented in this Special Release were based on the information

provided by the respondent pertaining to all members of the household.

The categories of ethnicity were provided by the National Commission on Indigenous Peoples and the National Commission on Muslim Filipinos.

In the 2020 CPH, data on the ethnicity of all household members were collected by asking the respondent, "*What is _____'s ethnicity by descent/blood/relation/consanguinity?*"


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