



SPECIAL RELEASE

LIVE BIRTHS, MARRIAGES AND DEATHS STATISTICS IN THE PROVINCE OF MARINDUQUE: JANUARY - APRIL 2024 (PRELIMINARY AS OF 31 AUGUST 2024)

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Explanatory Note

The data presented in this Special Release were collected from live births, marriages, and deaths registered—whether on time or late—at the Local Civil Registry Office across the province. These records were then submitted for encoding to the Office of the Civil Registrar General through the Provincial Statistical Offices (PSOs) of the Philippine Statistics Authority (PSA). The information covers vital events that occurred from January to April 2024, based on the data files received and initially processed by the PSA - Civil Registration Service (CRS) from the PSOs as of 31 August 2024, and released on 07 November 2024. Therefore, the figures presented are provisional and may be subject to change from the final count.

This report provides an overview of vital statistics in Marinduque Province, detailing registered live births, marriages, and deaths from January to April 2024. Provisional as of 31 August 2024, by the Provincial Statistical Office in partnership with the six Local Civil Registry Offices (LCRO), the data offers a comprehensive look into the province's demographic trends.

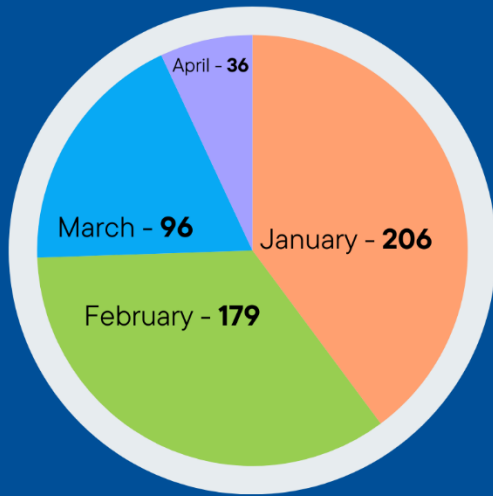
The report reflects ongoing efforts to ensure precise and reliable record-keeping. These statistics are invaluable for policymakers, researchers, and community leaders, serving as a foundation for informed decisions and effective community planning. It highlights the critical role of accurate demographic data in guiding strategies and initiatives for future development.

Registered Live Births

In the first four months of 2024, Marinduque Province recorded a total of 517 live births. January had the highest number, with 206 births, marking a strong start for the year, while April saw the lowest, with only 36 births, highlighting a significant decline over the months (Figure 1). Of these, 50.9 percent were males (263) and 49.1 percent were females (254), reflecting a nearly balanced gender ratio (Figure 2). These figures provide valuable insights into monthly birth trends and the gender distribution during this period.

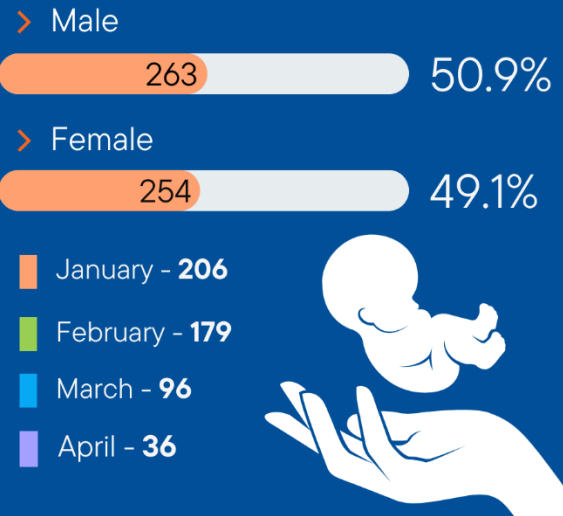


FIGURE 1: REGISTERED LIVE BIRTHS BY MONTH IN MARINDUQUE: JANUARY - APRIL 2024



Source: Philippine Statistics Authority, Civil Registration Service, Vital Statistics Division

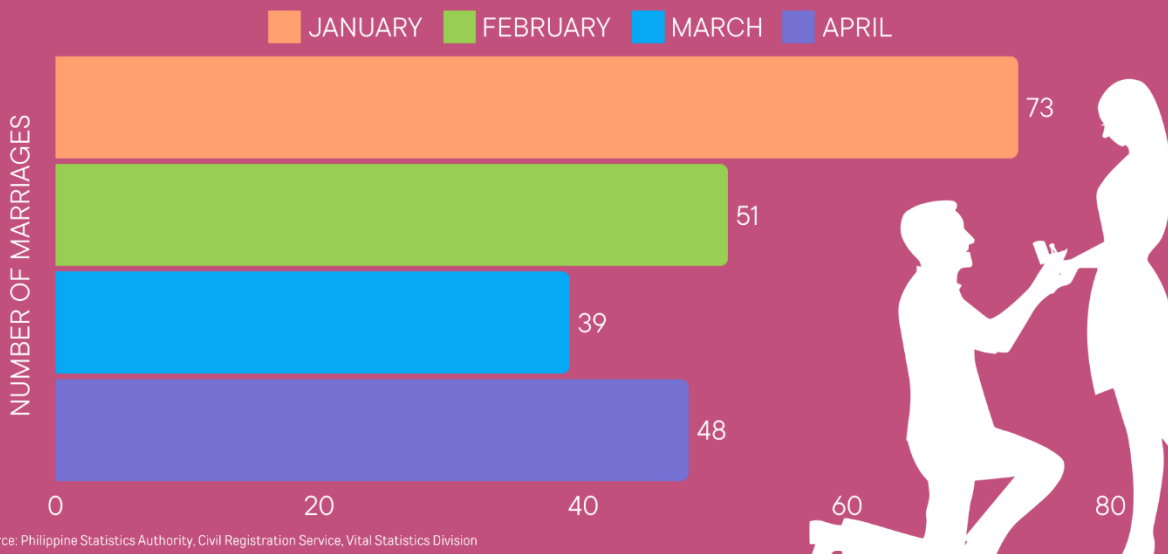
FIGURE 2: REGISTERED LIVE BIRTHS BY SEX IN MARINDUQUE: JANUARY - APRIL 2024



Registered Marriages

From January to April 2024, a total of 211 marriages were registered in Marinduque Province. January recorded the highest number of marriages, with 73, reflecting a strong start for the year and potentially aligning with favorable societal or cultural preferences for weddings during this month. In contrast, March saw the lowest number, with only 39 marriages. This fluctuation in marriage registrations across the months, is presented in **Figure 3**.

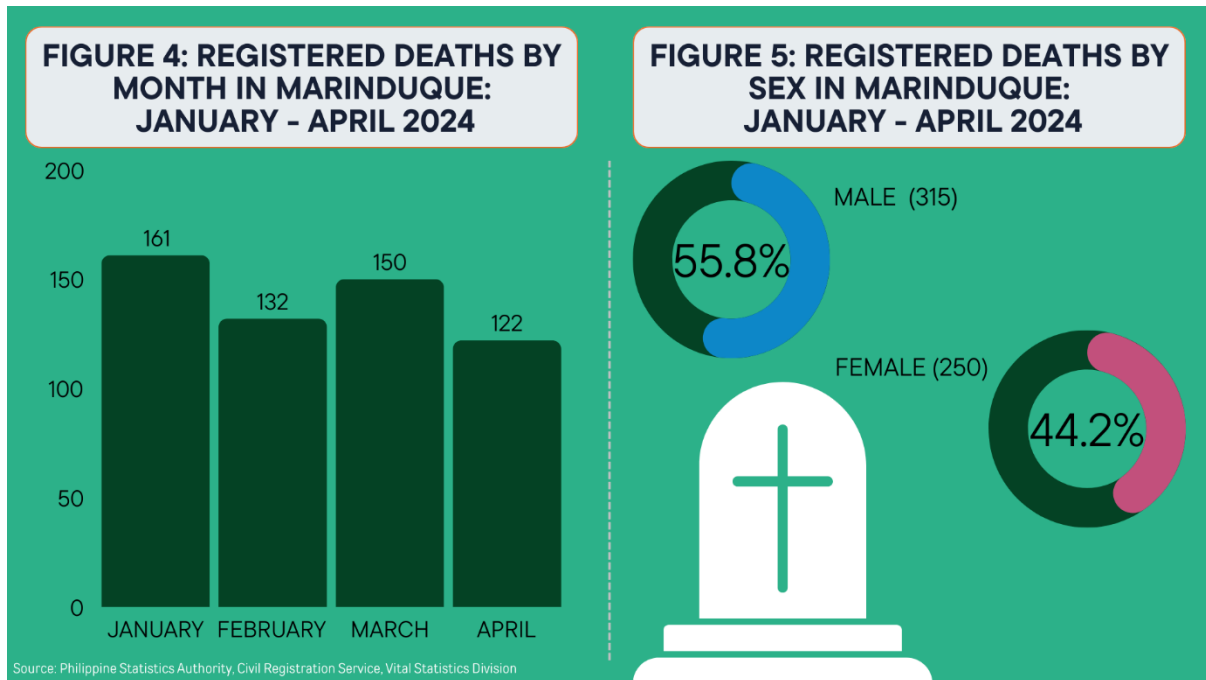
FIGURE 3: REGISTERED MARRIAGES BY MONTH IN MARINDUQUE: JANUARY - APRIL 2024



Source: Philippine Statistics Authority, Civil Registration Service, Vital Statistics Division

Registered Deaths

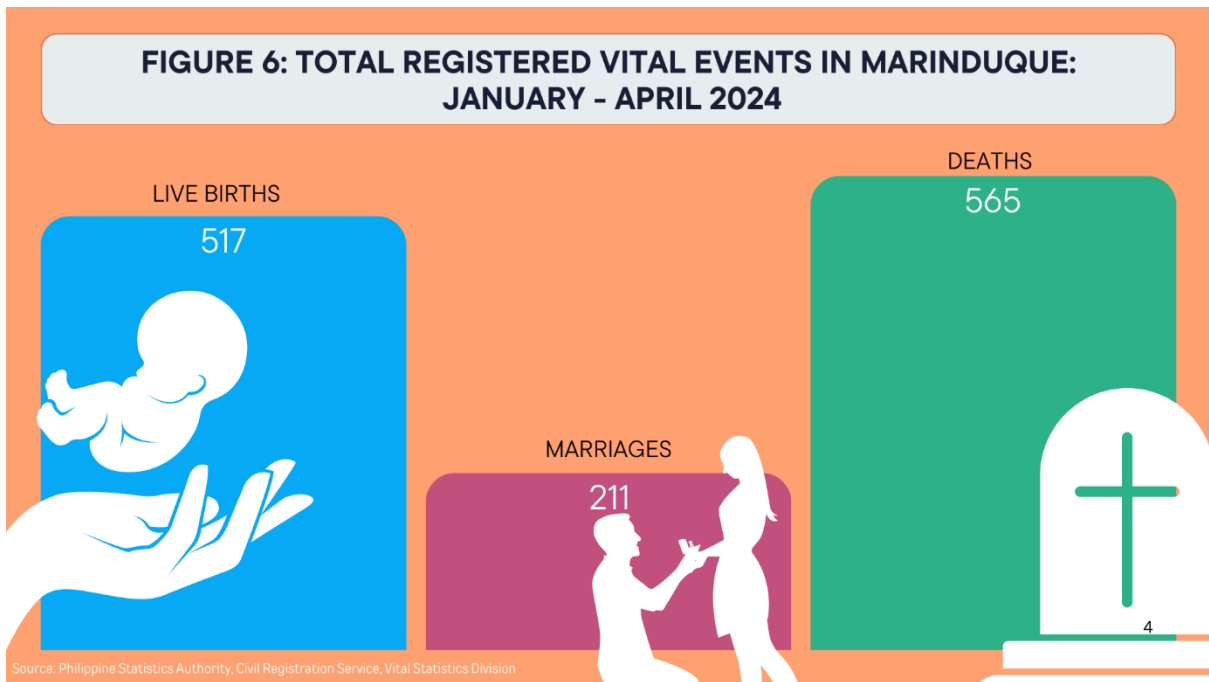
From January to April 2024, a total of 565 deaths were registered in Marinduque Province. Of these, 315 were males, accounting for 55.8 percent of the total, while 250 were females, making up 44.2 percent. January recorded the highest number of deaths, with 161 fatalities, while April saw the lowest with 122. The number of deaths per month can be seen in **Figure 4**, and the percentage distribution by sex is shown in **Figure 5**. These figures provide valuable insights into mortality trends and demographic patterns in the province.



Total Vital Events

The total of all registered vital events—births, marriages, and deaths—in Marinduque Province from January to April 2024 amounts to 1,293. This includes 517 live births, 211 marriages, and 565 deaths. The combined total of these vital events is presented in **Figure 6**, offering a comprehensive view of demographic activity in the province during this period.

These figures reflect the ongoing population dynamics and societal trends within the province, providing essential data for policymakers and researchers. By examining the relative proportions of each event, we can gain insights into the province's demographic health, family structures, and overall trends in population growth and decline. The data is crucial for planning community services, healthcare, and other vital public initiatives.



The partnership between Marinduque's Local Civil Registry Offices and the PSA Marinduque Provincial Statistical Office plays a crucial role in maintaining precise and thorough records of vital events. This diligent documentation of births, marriages, and deaths reflects a strong commitment to sustaining accurate demographic data. Such data is vital for informed decision-making, public health planning, and policy development, ultimately contributing to better governance and improved quality of life for the residents of Marinduque Province. This report emphasizes the significance of coordinated efforts and systematic data collection by government agencies in capturing and analyzing vital events.


Technical Notes

Vital Statistics are derived from information obtained at the time when the occurrences of vital events and their characteristics are inscribed in a civil register. Vital acts and events are birth, death, and marriages, and all such event that have something to do with an individual's entrance and departure from life together with the changes in civil status that may occur to a person during his lifetime.

Birth is a complete expulsion or extraction from its mother of a product of conception, irrespective of the duration of the pregnancy, which after such separation, breathes or shows any other evidence of life, such as beating of the heart, pulsation of the umbilical cord, or definite movement of voluntary muscles, whether or not umbilical cord has been cut or the placenta is attached- each product of such a birth is considered liveborn.

Death refers to the permanent disappearance of all evidence of life at any time after live birth has taken place (postnatal cessation of vital function without capability of resuscitation).

Marriage is defined as special contract of permanent union between a man and a woman entered in accordance with law for the establishment of conjugal and family life.


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