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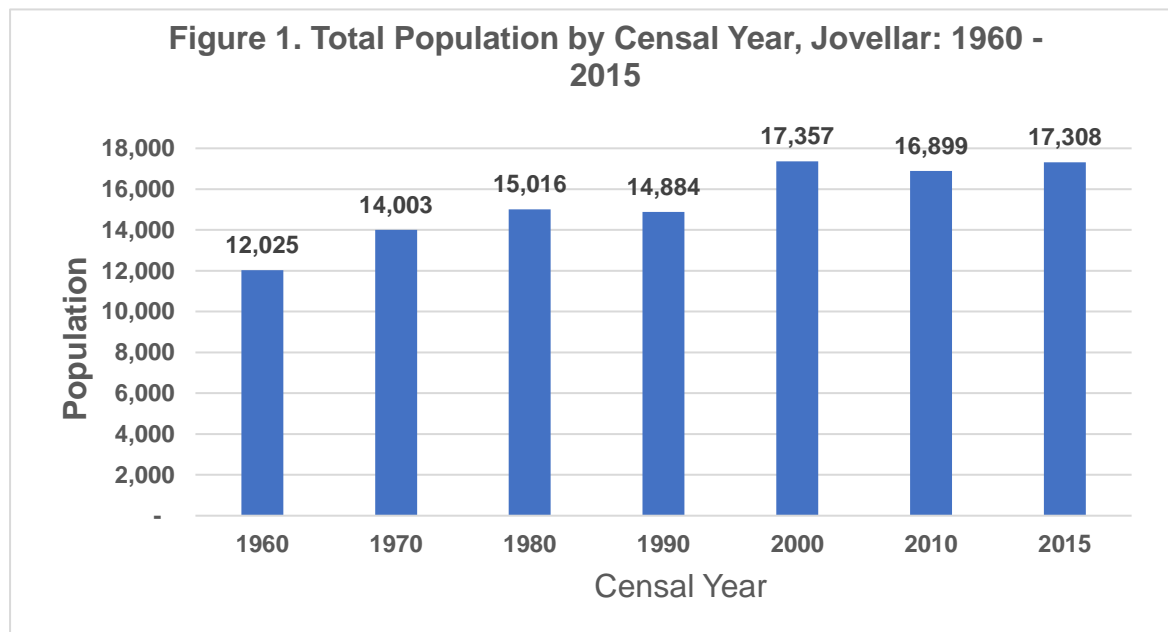
## POPCEN 2015 Highlights in the Municipality of Jovellar

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### **Total Population reached 17,308 persons**

- As of August 1, 2015, Jovellar posted a total population of 17,308 persons.
- This is higher by 409 persons compared to its total population of 16,899 persons counted in 2010 and lower by 49 persons in 2000 with 17,357 total population.

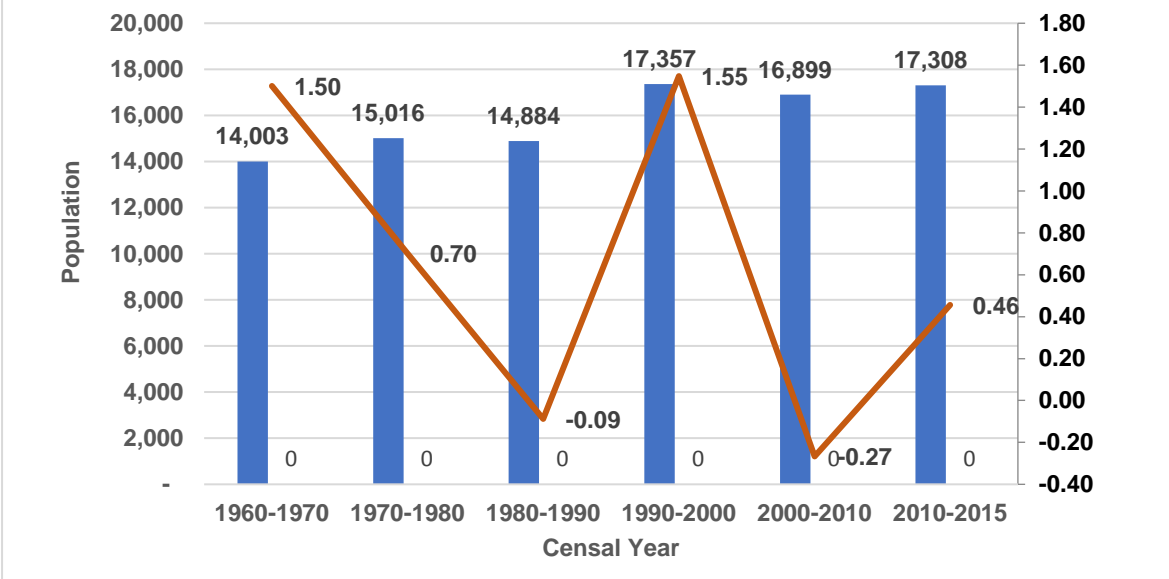


Source: Philippine Statistics Authority, Census Results 1960-2015

### **2010 to 2015 Annual Population Growth Rate at 0.46 percent**

- The total population of Jovellar increased by 0.46 percent annually, on the average, during the period 2010 to 2015.
- This translates to an increase of about 5 persons per 1000 population per year.
- By comparison, the rate at which the municipality's total population grew during the period 2000 to 2010 was lower at -0.27 percent.
- Historically, the annual population growth rate of Jovellar was fastest at 1.55 percent from 1990 to 2000 and was slowest percent from 2000 to 2010 at negative 0.27.

**Figure 2. Jovellar Intercensal Population and Population Growth Rate: 1960-2015**

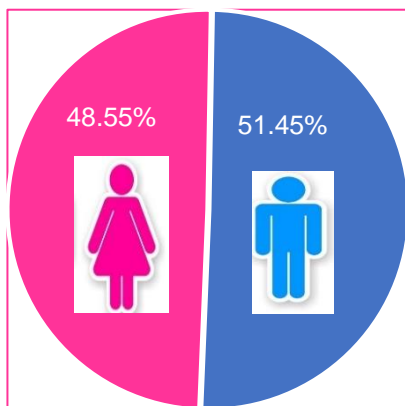


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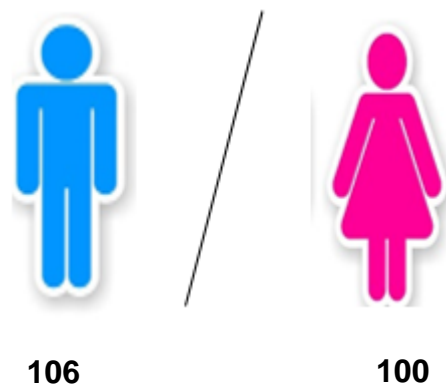
**Sex ratio is at 106 males per 100 females**

- Of the 17,305 total household population in 2015, males accounted for 51.45 percent while females comprised 48.55 percent.
- These resulted in a sex ratio of 106 males for every 100 females, which is lower than the sex ratio recorded in 2010 at 104 males per 100 females.

**Fig. 3 Total Population and Percent by Sex, Jovellar: 2015**



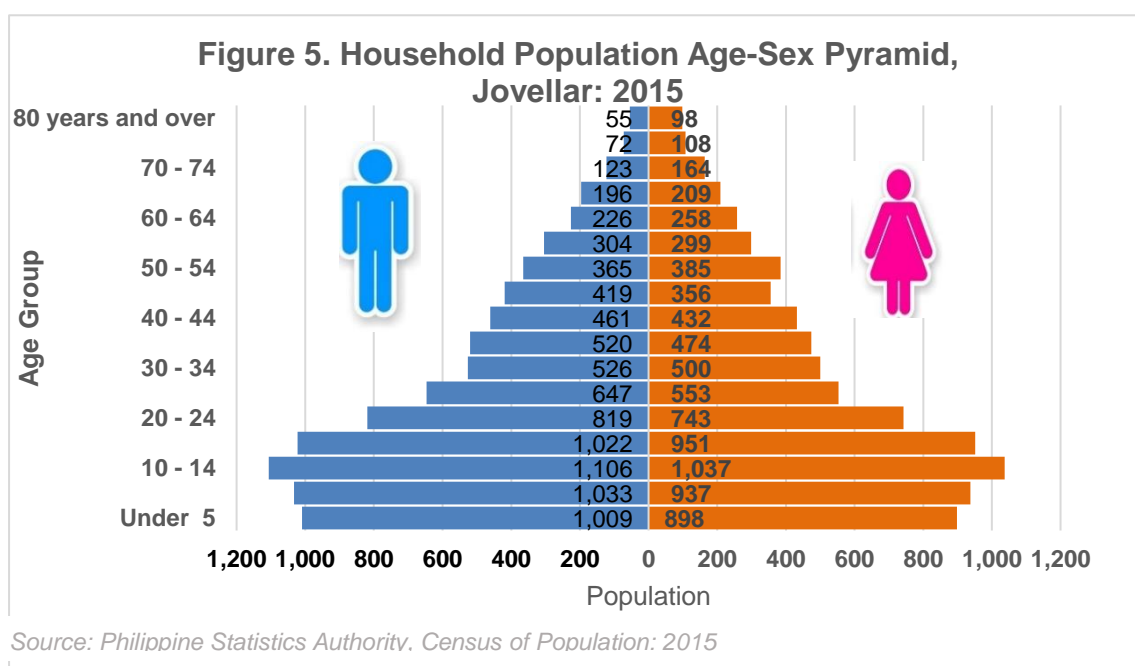
**Figure 4. Sex Ratio, Jovellar: 2015**



Source: Philippine Statistics Authority, Census of Population: 2015

### Age group 10 to 14 years old comprised the largest populations

- The age -sex distribution of the household population showed that age group 10 to 14 years old comprised the largest population both in male and female, making up 12.38 percent followed by those in the age group of 15 to 19 years old (11.40 percent).
- Males outnumbered females in the age group under 5 to 49 years and age group 55 to 59. Females, on the other hand, outnumbered their male counterparts in the age group 50-54 years and 60 years old and over.



**Table 1. Household Population by Age Group, Jovellar: 2015**

Age	Total	Percent	Age	Total	Percent
All Ages	17,305	100			
Under 1	357	2.06	40 - 44	893	5.16
1 - 4	1550	8.96	45 - 49	775	4.48
5 - 9	1970	11.38	50 - 54	750	4.33
10 - 14	2143	12.38	55 - 59	603	3.48
15 - 19	1973	11.40	60 - 64	484	2.80
20 - 24	1562	9.03	65 - 69	405	2.34
25 - 29	1200	6.93	70 - 74	287	1.66
30 - 34	1026	5.93	75 - 79	180	1.04
35 - 39	994	5.74	80 years and over	153	0.88

Source: Philippine Statistics Authority, Census of Population: 2015

### **Females outnumbered males among baccalaureate degree holders**

- Of the total population aged five years old and over, 49.43 percent had attended or completed elementary education, 36.02 percent had reached or finished high school, 4.08 percent were college undergraduates, 3.72 are academic degree holders.
- Among those with academic degree, females (68.06 percent) outnumbered the male (31.94 percent). And only about 0.30 percent had pursued post baccalaureate course.

**Table 3. Total Population 5 years old and Over by Highest Grade Completed by Sex, Jovellar: 2015**

Highest Grade Completed	Both Sexes	Male	Female
Total	15,401	7,895	7,506
No Grade Completed	395	213	182
Pre-School	402	224	178
Special Education	-	-	-
Elementary	7,613	4,186	3,427
High School	5,548	2,754	2,794
Post-Secondary	236	82	154
College Undergraduate	628	249	379
Academic Degree Holder	573	183	390
Post Baccalaureate	5	4	1
Not Stated	1	-	1

Source: Philippine Statistics Authority, Census of Population: 2015

### **Simple literacy rate of Jovellar was recorded at 98.52 percent**

- Among the household population 10 years old and over, 13,229 persons or 98.52 percent were literate.
- In comparison, this is higher than the 97.09 that was recorded literacy rate in 2010 CPH. In 2010 Census of Population and Housing and 2015 POPCEN, a person is considered literate if he/she is able to read and write a simple message in any language or dialect.
- The literacy rate among females aged 10 years old and over in 2015 was 98.61 percent. This is slightly higher than literacy rate for males of the same age which was 96.72 percent.



**2015 Simple Literacy Rate  
of Jovellar**

**97.09%**

### ***Almost six in every ten persons were engaged in a gainful activity***

- In 2015, the Municipality of Jovellar had 11,285 household population aged 15 years and over.
- Of this total, approximately six in every 10 persons (55.68 percent) were engaged in a gainful activity during the 12 months preceding the census.
- By major occupation group, workers engaged in skilled agricultural, forestry and fishery workers comprised the largest group (35.53 percent).
- Elementary occupations workers came in next (26.02 percent), This group includes janitors, gardeners, helper, laborer, etc.
- The 3<sup>rd</sup> in rank on major occupational group is craft and related trade workers (12.44 percent).



**6 Thousand Household Population  
15 years and over Were Engaged in  
Gainful Activity**

### **Top 3 Major Occupations**

- **Skilled Agricultural, Forestry and Fishery Workers (35.53%)**
- **Elementary Occupations (26.02%)**
- **Craft and Related Trades Workers (12.44%)**

### ***Voting age population reached***

- The voting age population of Jovellar (18 years old and over) recorded at 10,022 persons in 2015, which accounted for 57.90 percent of the total populations. Males (5,114) outnumbered the females (4,908).

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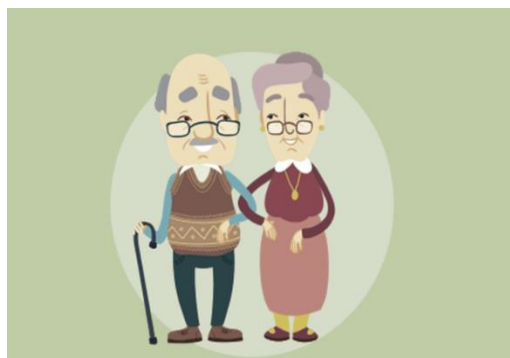


**4,908**



### **Senior Citizens constitute 8.72 percent of the household population**

- In the Jovellar, persons aged 60 years old and over who are regarded as senior citizens made up 8.72 percent of the total household population 1,509 in 2015.
- This translates to 9 senior citizens in every 100 household populations. Among the senior citizens, 55.47 percent (837 persons) percent were females while male were 44.53 percent (672 persons).



## **9 Senior Citizens/100 Household Populations**

### **Dependency ratio decreased to 69 dependents per 100 persons in the working age group**

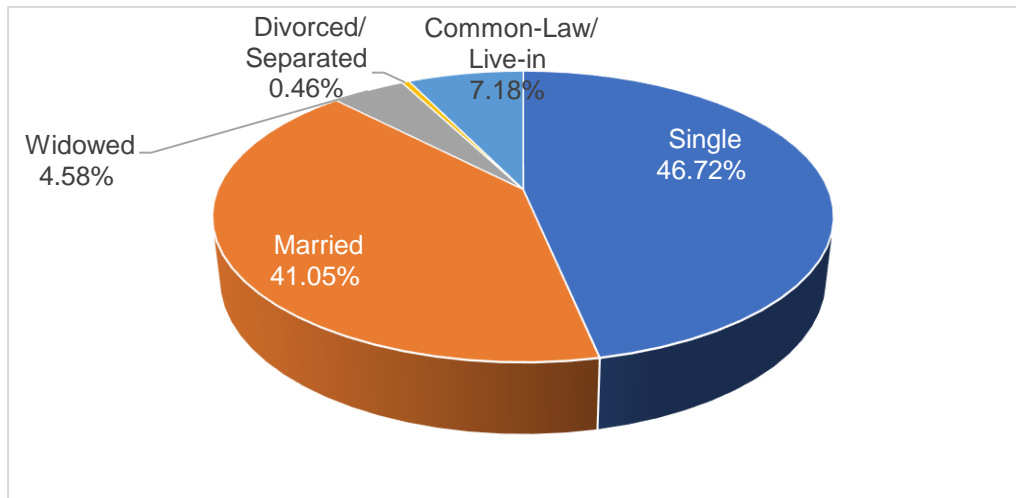
- Of the total population, 59.29 percent belonged to the working age population (15 to 64 years old). Children below 15 years of age comprised 34.78 percent while the older persons (65 year and over) accounted for 5.92 percent.
- The dependency ratio of Jovellar in 2015 was 69 dependents for every 100 persons in the working age group, down from 76 dependents in 2010.
- Of the 69 dependents in 2015, 59 were young dependents while 10 were old dependents. This is lower than 2010 which was 67.
- Old dependents increased to 10 dependents on 2015 from 9 dependents on 2010.

*Source: Philippine Statistics Authority, Census Results: 2010 & 2015*

### **More males than females among the never- married persons**

- Of the total population 10 years old and over, 46.72 percent were never married while 41.05 percent were married.
- The rest of the population are categorized as follows: common law/live-in marital arrangement (7.18 percent), widowed (4.58 percent), divorced/separated (0.46 percent).

**Figure 7. Percentage of Household Population 10 years old and Over by Marital Status, Jovellar: 2015**



Source: Philippine Statistics Authority, Census of Population: 2015

**Average household size in 2015 was 4.54 persons**

- The total number of household population of Jovellar in 2015 was recorded at 17,305, higher by 415 compared with the 16,890 households posted in 2010.
- The municipality’s average household size in 2015 was 4.54 persons, slightly lower than the average of 4.75 in 2010.



**Table 4. Household Population, Number of Household and Household Size, Jovellar: 2010 & 2015**

Census Year	Household Population	Number of Households	Average Household Size
2015	17,305	3,812	4.54
2010	16,890	3,555	4.75

Source: Philippine Statistics Authority, Census Results 2010 and 2015

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