

“VISION AND VALUE CREATION: CHARTING A PATH TO TOMORROW’S ASIA”

THE ASIA LEADERSHIP TREK

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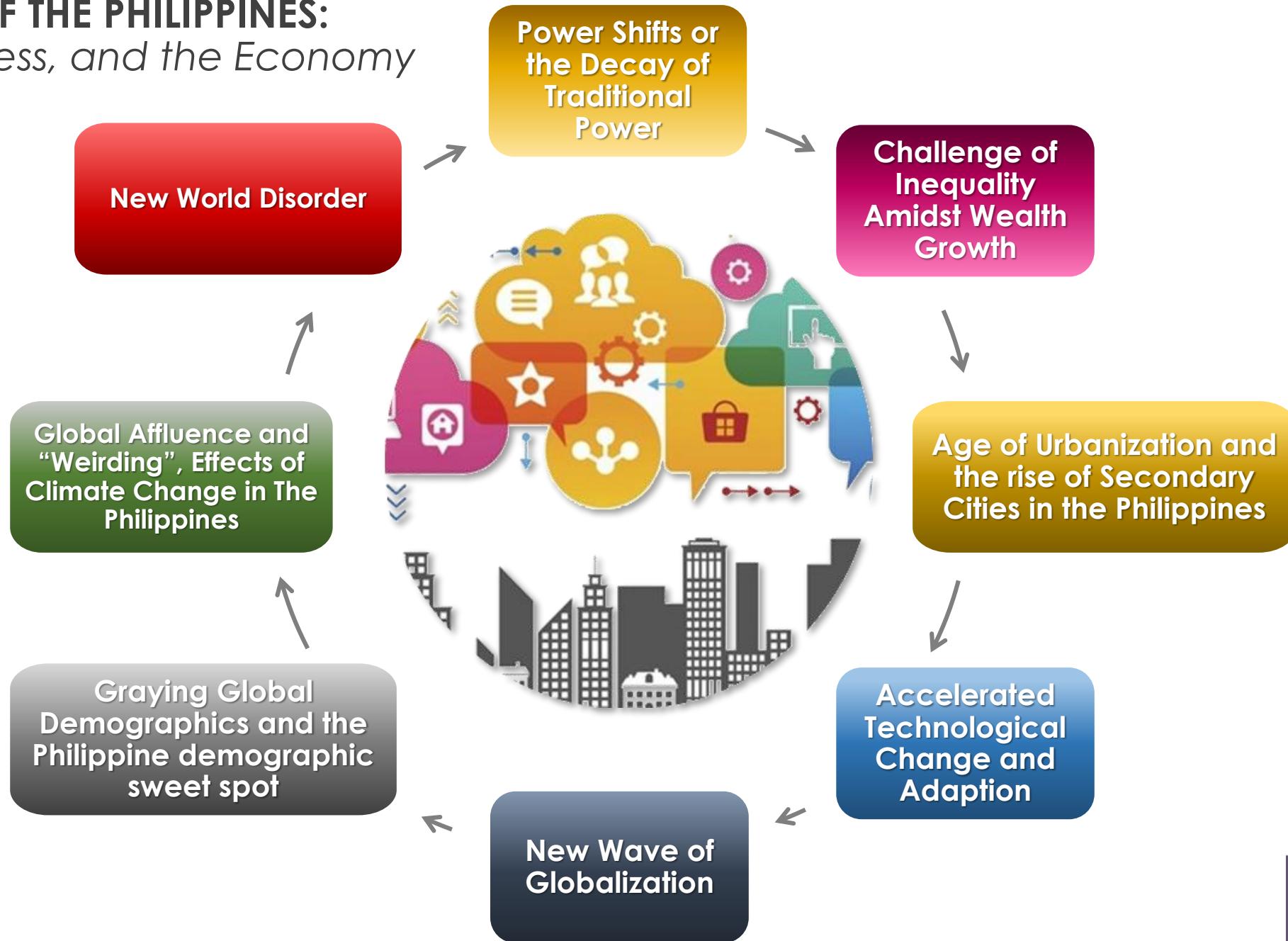
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GLOBAL SHIFTS, DISRUPTIONS, AND TRENDS

“We are all living in an era best **characterized by radical, complex, and accelerated change**. It is the central driver of the future. We **live in a time of explosive, dynamic, and quickening change** that creates Strategic Surprise – an **unanticipated abrupt change that blindsides you**, that is totally unexpected and strikes with a force that is large, disruptive, and can be disturbing.”

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POWER SHIFTS OR THE DECAY OF TRADITIONAL POWER

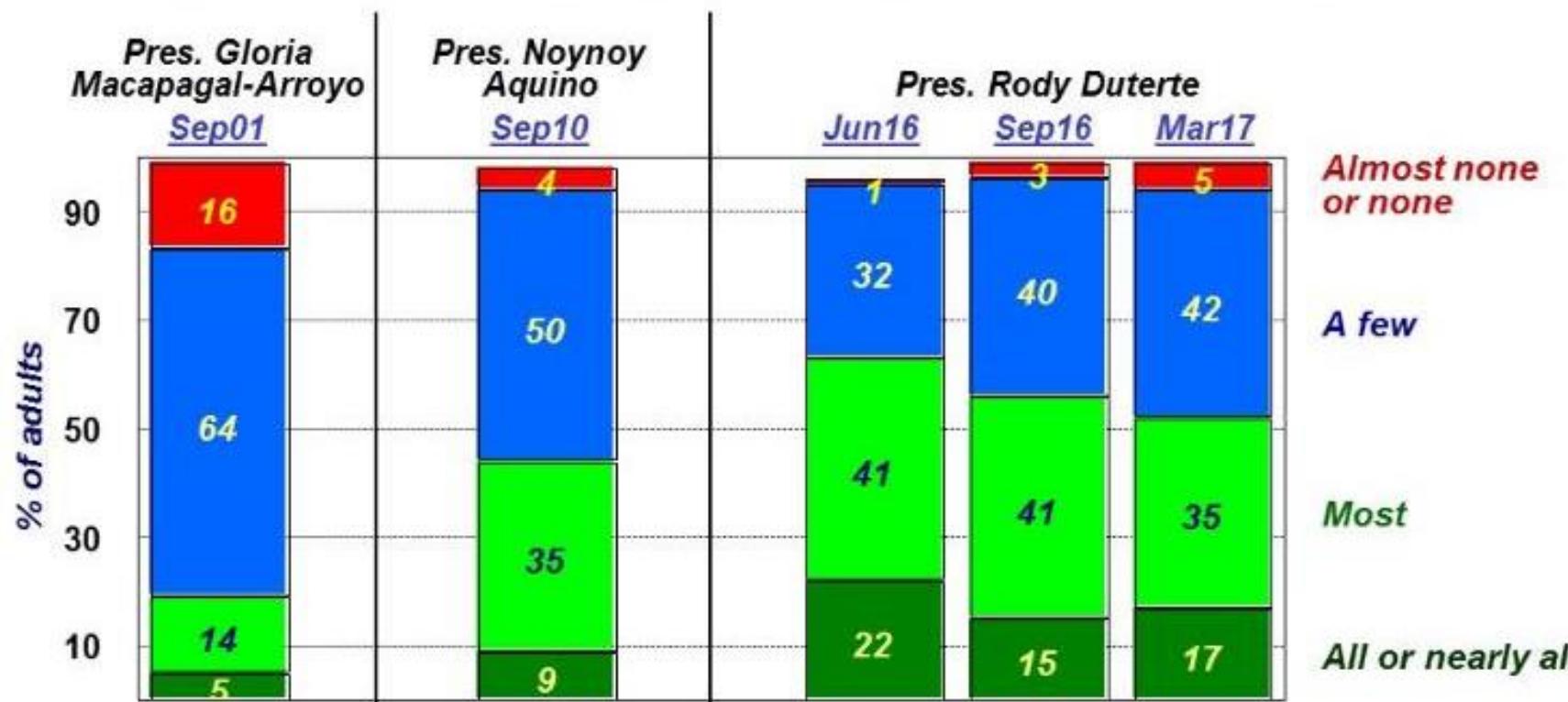
- The tumbling down of barriers is transforming local, national politics and geopolitics...
- **MICROPOWERS** (small, unknown, or once-negligible actors) have found ways to undermine, fence in, or thwart the **MEGAPLAYERS** that previously controlled national and Global Power
- The rise of Global Populism, Political Tribalism; Nativistic or Nationalist Politics in an Age of Anger and Demands for Radical Change; and the **spread of disruptive Political Forces**.

DUTERTE'S RADICAL CHANGE

- President who can articulate the **frustration, discontent, and desperation** of regular people
- Promised to fix a **dysfunctional government** and **unresponsive public services**
- **Tough and unafraid** to speak his mind and tested the limits of civilized behaviour; created extremely **high expectations**

EXPECTATIONS RADICAL CHANGE

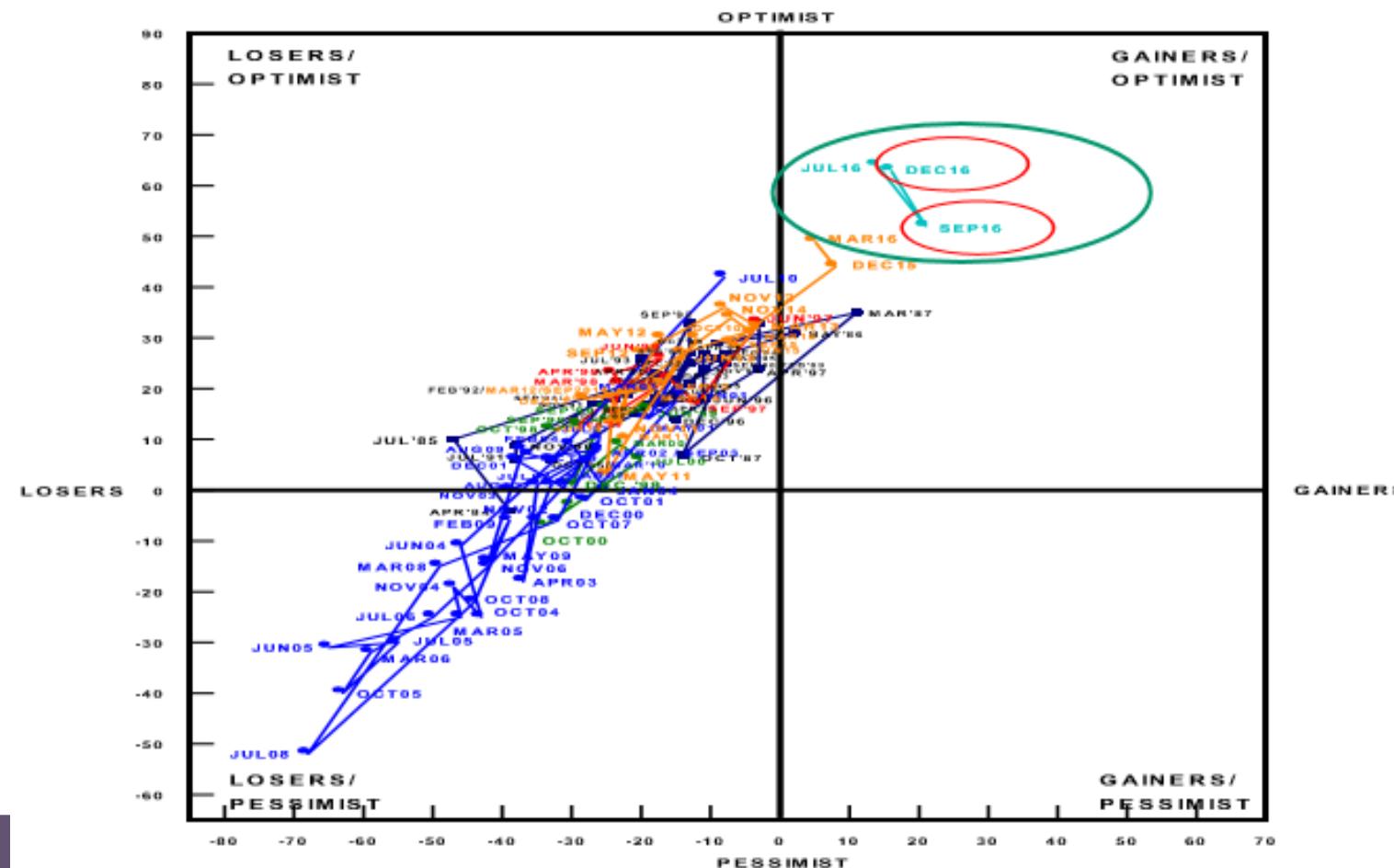
EXPECTED FULFILLMENT OF THE PRESIDENT'S PROMISES: PHILIPPINES, SEP 2001, SEP 2010, AND JUN 2016-MAR 2017



QUALITY OF LIFE INDICATORS

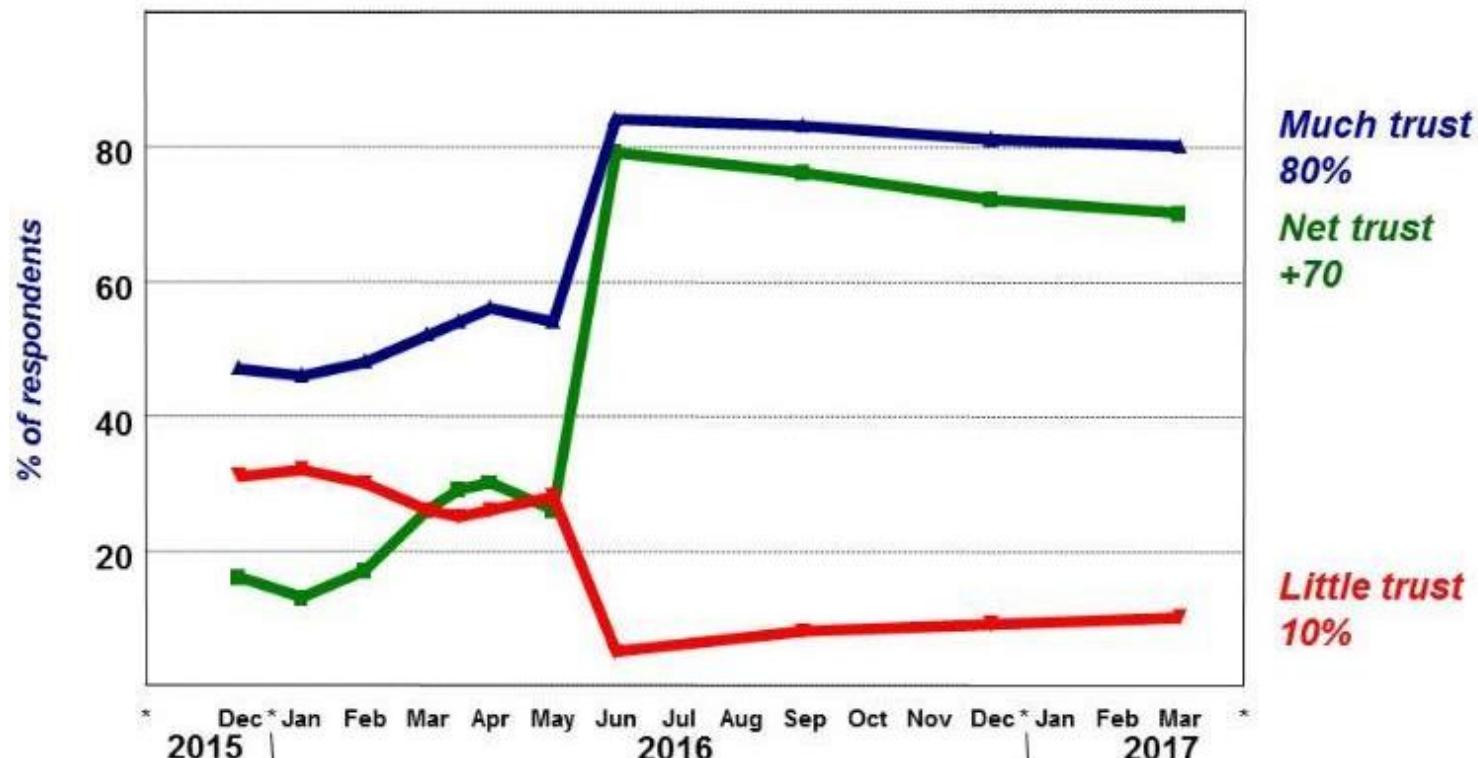
PULSE ASIA

CHANGES IN THE RESPONDENTS' PERSONAL QUALITY OF LIFE
April 1984 to December 2016 / Philippines



TRUST RATINGS

SWS – DEC 2015 TO MARCH 2017



* Net figures (% Much trust minus % Little trust) correctly rounded.

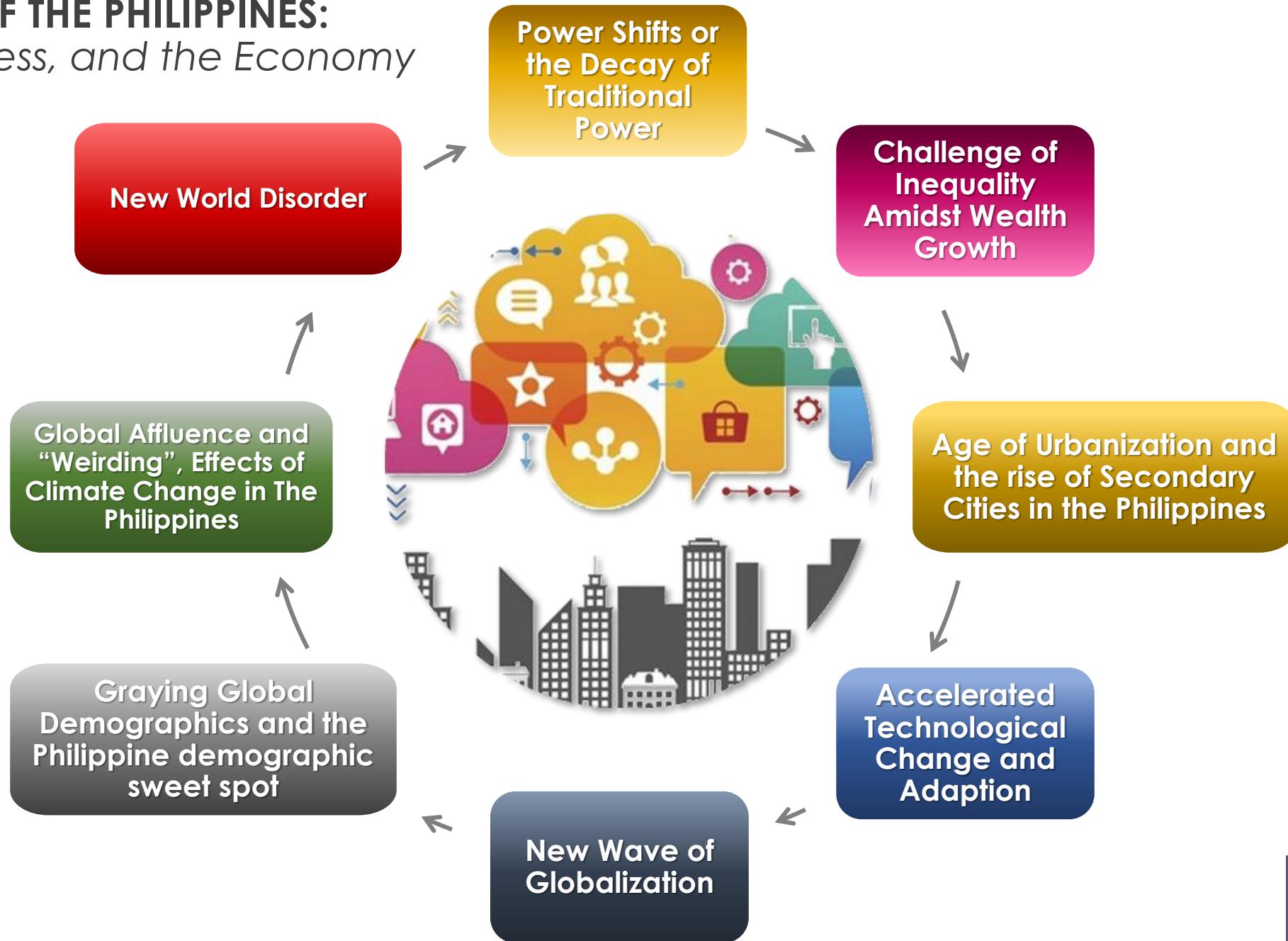
PERFORMANCE RATINGS

PULSE ASIA – DEC AND MARCH

COMPARATIVE PERFORMANCE RATINGS OF
 PRESIDENT RODRIGO R. DUTERTE
 December 2016 and March 2017 / Philippines
 (In Percent)

Demographic variables	Approve		Change* (A) (B) (B - A)	Undecided		Change* (C) (D) (D - C)	Disapprove		Change* (E) (F) (F - E)
	Dec	Mar		Dec	Mar		Dec	Mar	
	16	17		16	17		16	17	
Total Philippines	83	78	- 5	13	15	+ 2	5	7	+ 2
NCR	79	73	- 6	15	17	+ 2	6	9	+ 3
Balance Luzon	78	71	- 7	15	20	+ 5	7	9	+ 2
Visayas	84	86	+ 2	13	10	- 3	3	4	+ 1
Mindanao	91	88	- 3	7	9	+ 2	2	3	+ 1
Class ABC	69	86	+17	26	9	- 17	4	5	+ 1
TOTAL D	84	78	- 6	11	16	+ 5	5	7	+ 2
E	85	77	- 8	11	14	+ 3	4	9	+ 5

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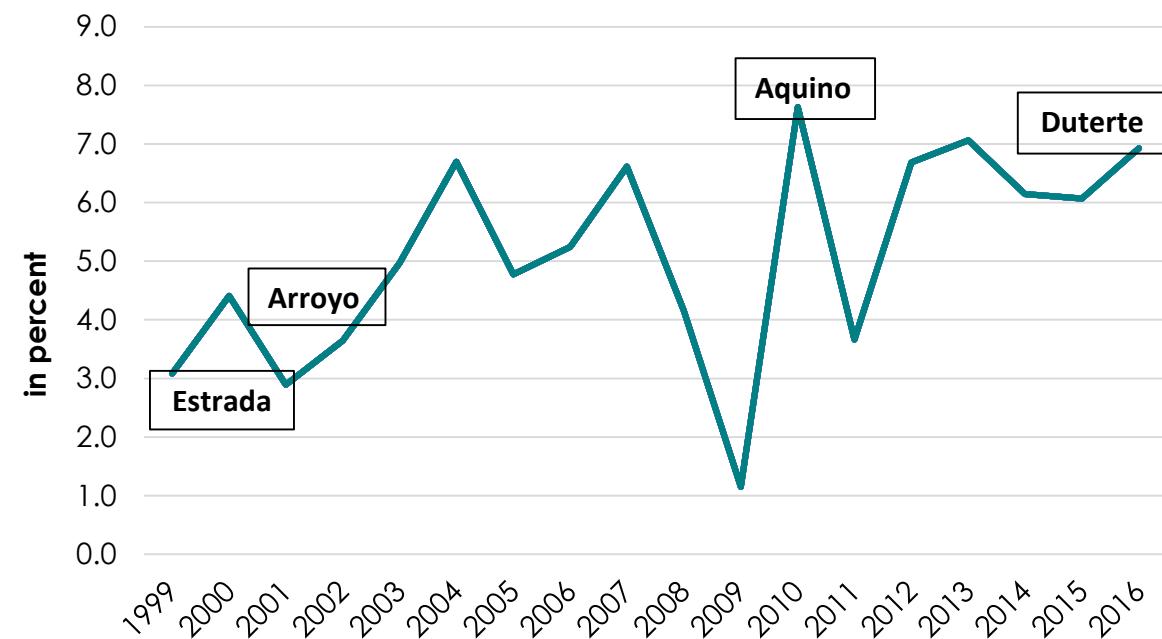
CHALLENGE OF INEQUALITY AMIDST WEALTH GROWTH

- **Vicious cycle of corrupt politics, bad governance, and exclusive economic institutions** had perpetuated INEQUALITY in the Philippines. INEQUALITY weakens the economy, consumer demand and even undermines Philippine democracy.
- Growing inequality moves money from the bottom of the pyramid to the top who spends less of their money than those at the bottom weakening overall demand. There are inequalities in access to health care and quality education, in political voice and participation, in jobs and livelihood opportunities. **“The other side of income inequality is shrinking opportunity.”**

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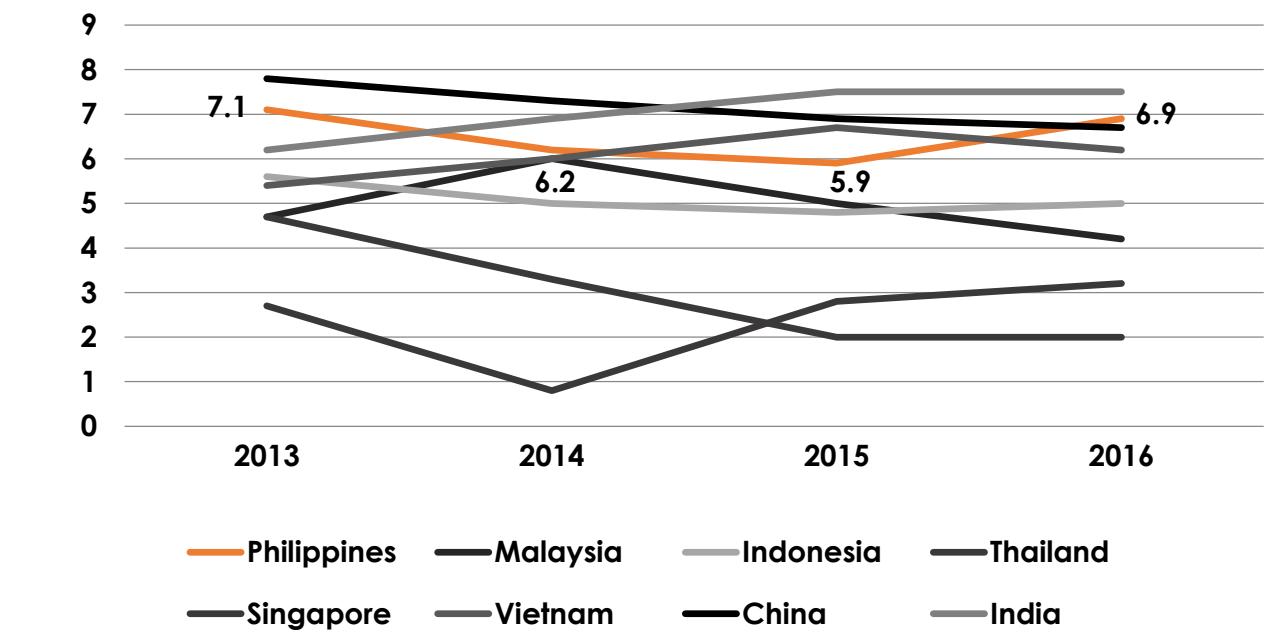
The Philippines has sustained its economic growth and continues to be a bright spot in the region.

GDP GROWTH



SOURCE: PHILIPPINE STATISTICS AUTHORITY

GDP GROWTH RATES IN SELECTED ASIAN COUNTRIES

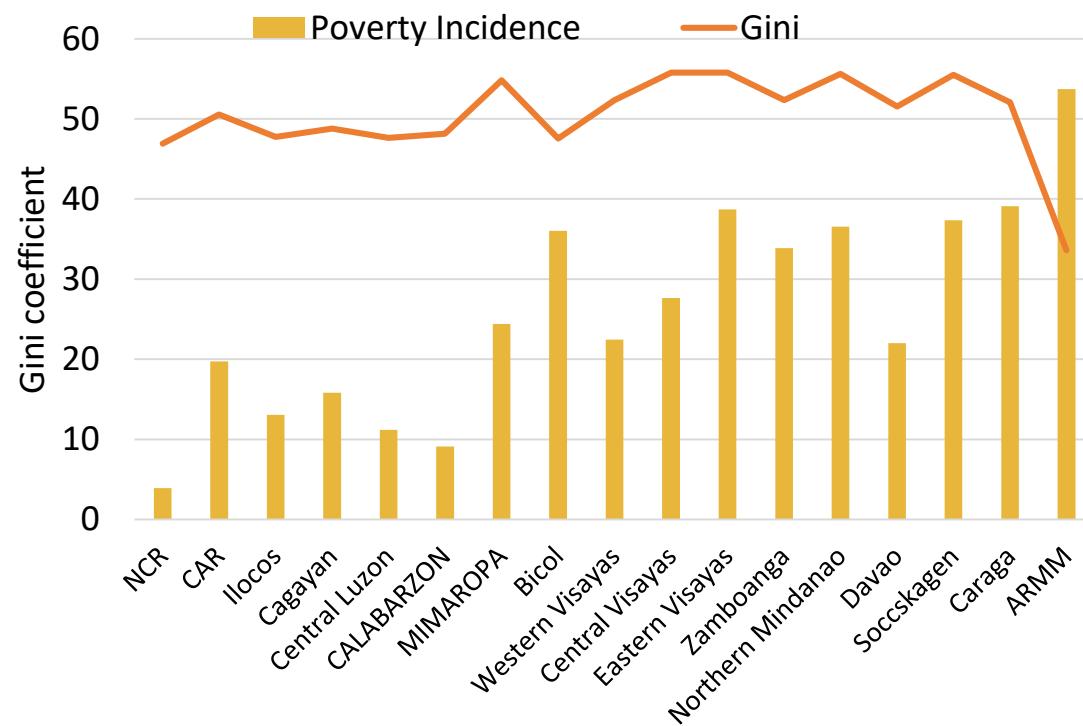


SOURCE: BANGKO SENTRAL NG PILIPINAS

CHALLENGE OF INEQUALITY AMIDST WEALTH GROWTH

Average income of the highest 10% is 9 times larger than that of the lowest 10%

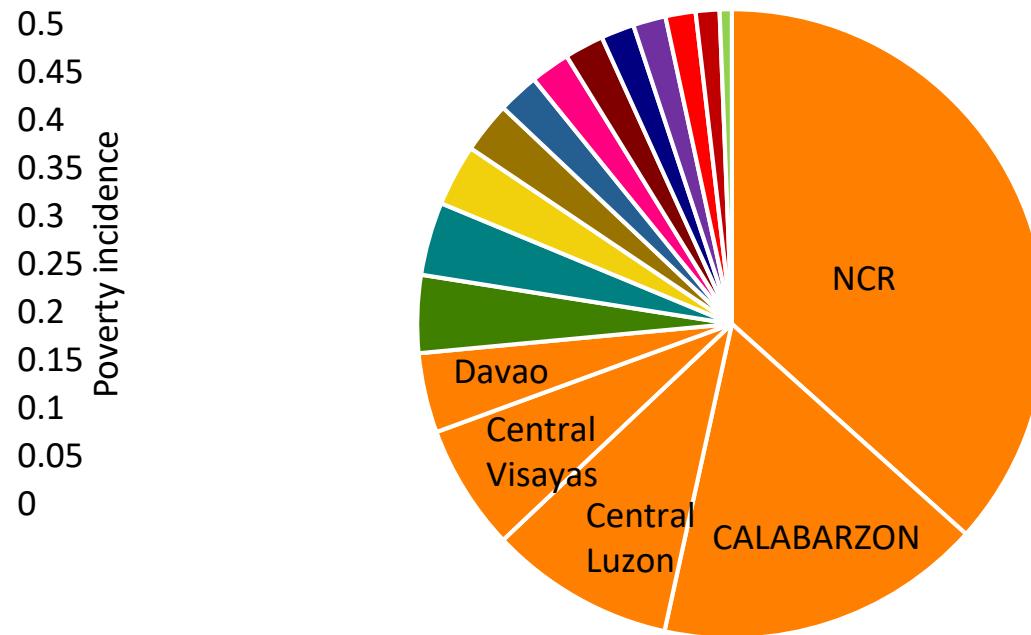
POVERTY AND INEQUALITY RATES BY REGION



SOURCE: PHILIPPINE STATISTICS AUTHORITY

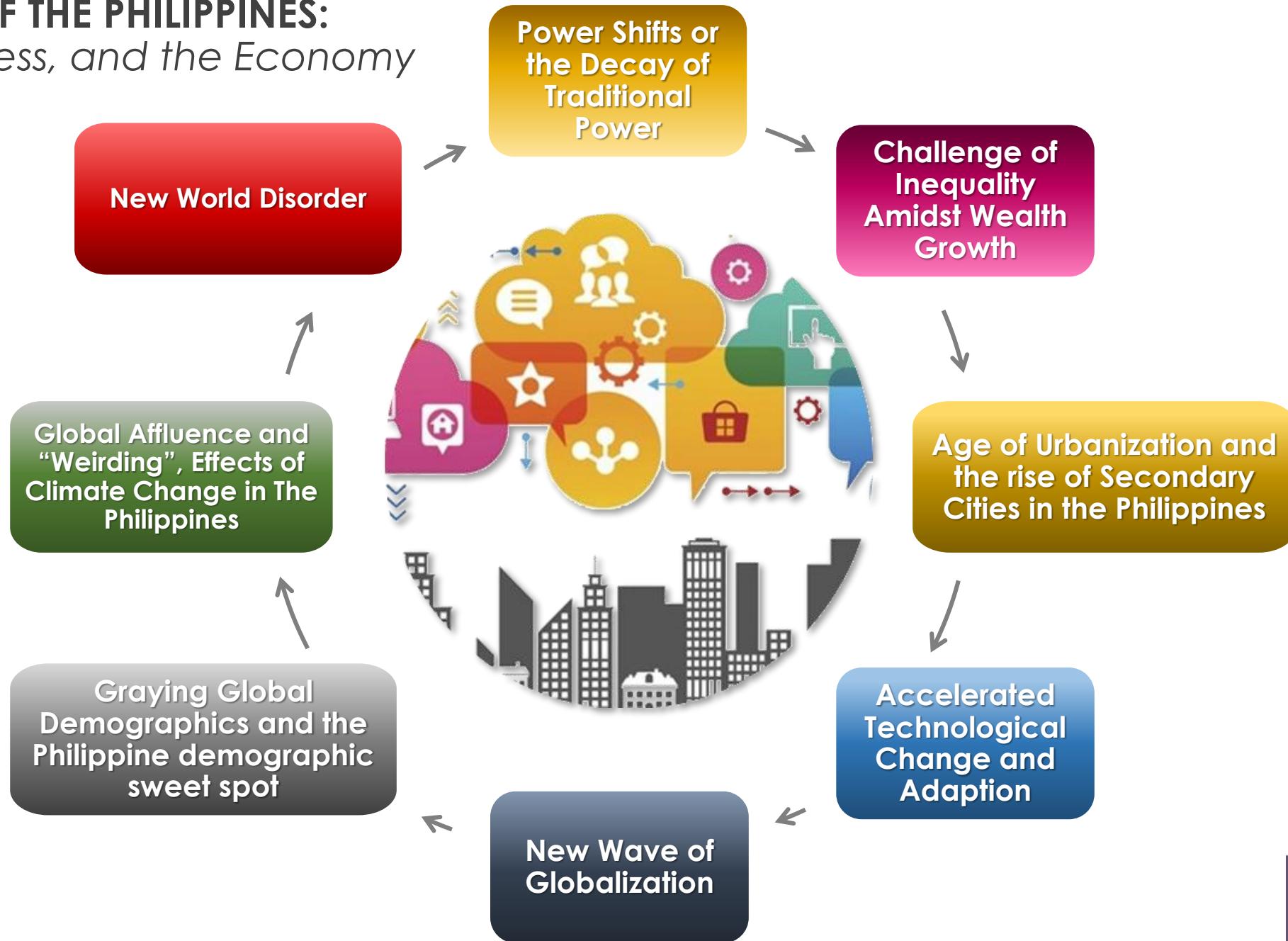
The Gini Coefficient in the Philippines is 43, higher than the average of 39 among ASEAN members

GROSS REGIONAL DOMESTIC PRODUCT



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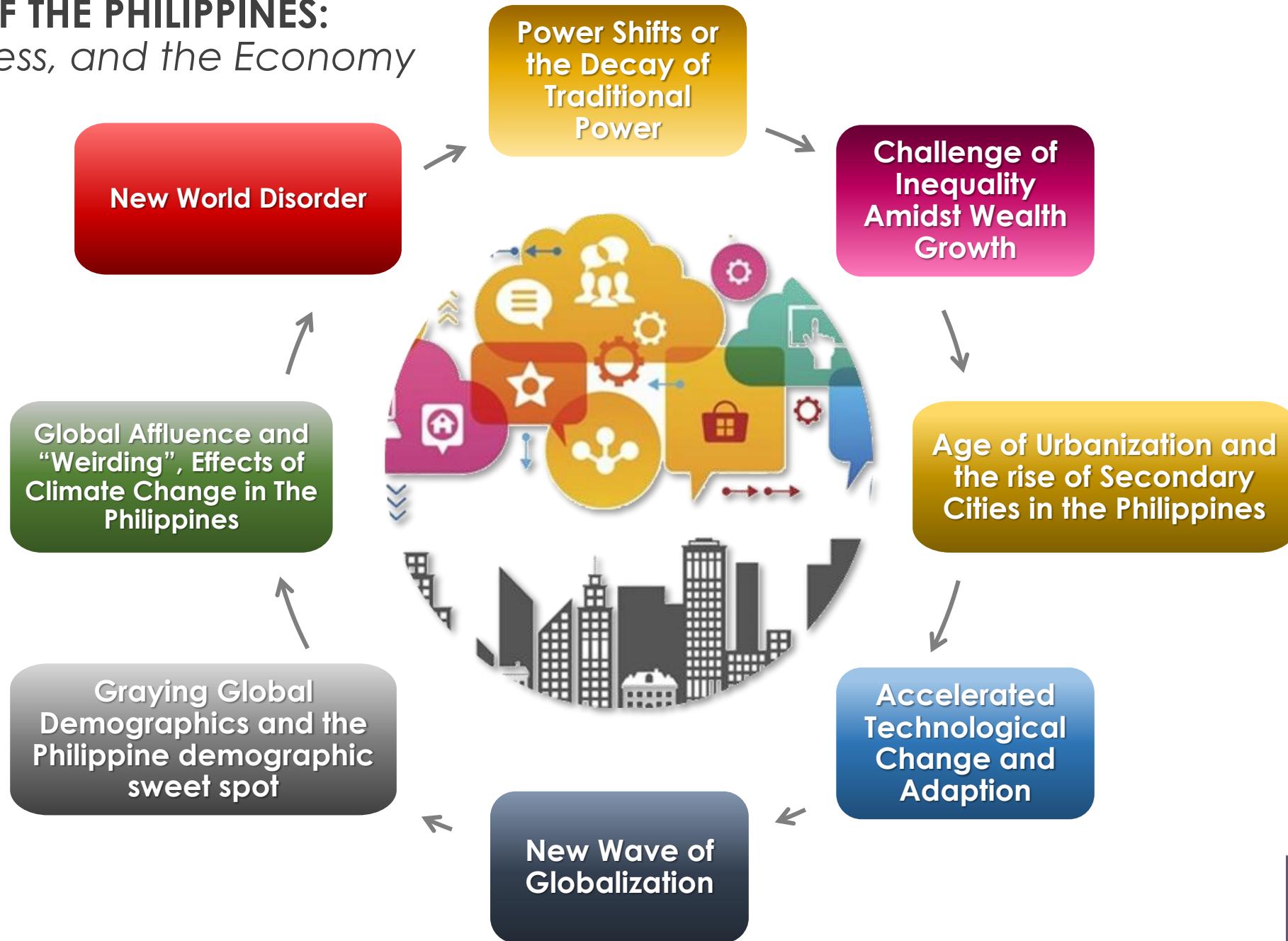
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THE RISE OF MEGA AND SECONDARY CITIES IN THE PHILIPPINES

- People have been moving to cities for centuries, attracted by the possibility of higher income, more opportunities and a better life. More people have moved and continue to move from farms to cities than ever before, specifically in Asia (Mobility Revolution).
- **“Not only are there more people today, but they also move around a lot more. This movement of temporary and permanent migrants occurs in a context of increase in the movement of goods, services, money, and information.”**
- The rising urban tide in the Philippines opens up unprecedented access to new markets, new consumers, new economic opportunities and a unique chance to innovate.
- 34 Highly Urbanized/Mega Cities and 110 Secondary Cities will be home to a growing middle class in the Philippines. Creating large consumer markets to meet robust domestic consumption.

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ACCELERATED TECHNOLOGICAL CHANGE AND ADAPTION

- “The ability to move information has vastly expanded and the characteristics shared by mobility-enhancing technologies are the speed and extent of the drop in cost of moving goods, money, and information.”
- Nations who fail to navigate today’s Technological tide **will lose out on a huge economic opportunity** and will be more vulnerable to disruptions from new innovations.
- Digitization has drastically **lowered socio-geographic barriers** fueling the growth of micro-multi nationals, micro enterprises and micro supply chains.

TOTAL
POPULATION**103.0**

MILLION

URBANISATION:

44%INTERNET
USERS**60.0**

MILLION

PENETRATION:

58%ACTIVE SOCIAL
MEDIA USERS**60.0**

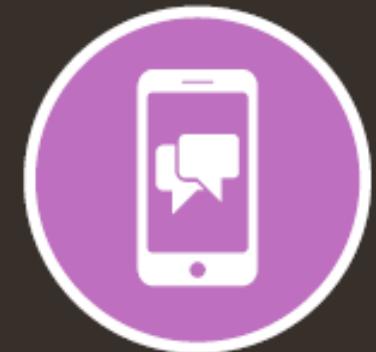
MILLION

PENETRATION:

58%MOBILE
SUBSCRIPTIONS**129.4**

MILLION

vs. POPULATION:

126%ACTIVE MOBILE
SOCIAL USERS**54.0**

MILLION

PENETRATION:

52%

ANNUAL DIGITAL GROWTH

YEAR-ON-YEAR CHANGE IN KEY STATISTICAL INDICATORS (vs. JANUARY 2016)

INTERNET
USERS**+27%**

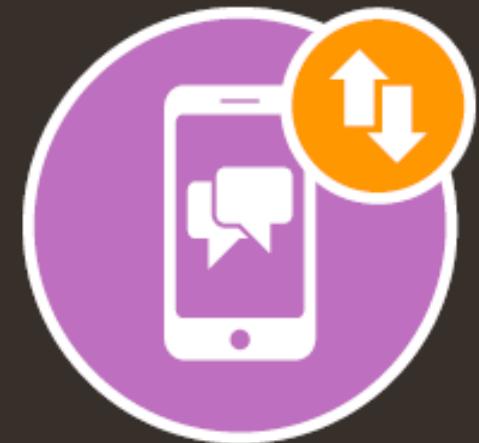
SINCE JAN 2016

+13 MILLIONACTIVE SOCIAL
MEDIA USERS**+25%**

SINCE JAN 2016

+12 MILLIONMOBILE
SUBSCRIPTIONS**+9%**

SINCE JAN 2016

+10 MILLIONACTIVE MOBILE
SOCIAL USERS**+32%**

SINCE JAN 2016

+13 MILLIONwe
are.
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DEVICE USAGE

PERCENTAGE OF THE ADULT POPULATION* THAT CURRENTLY USES EACH KIND OF DEVICE

MOBILE PHONE
(ANY TYPE)**88%**we
are
socialSMART
PHONE**61%**

Google

LAPTOP OR
DESKTOP COMPUTER**39%**TABLET
COMPUTER**25%**TELEVISION
(ANY KIND)**91%**

Google

DEVICE FOR STREAMING
INTERNET CONTENT TO TV**12%**E-READER
DEVICEwe
are
social**6%**WEARABLE
TECH DEVICE**5%**

PHILIPPINE SOCIAL MEDIA SNAPSHOT

<http://isupportworldwide.com/blog/archive/socialmediaphilippines/>
<http://fleirecastro.com/guides/social-media-and-digital-stats-in-the-philippines-2016-wearesocial-data/>

Facebook is the top social platform used, followed by Messenger, Google+, Skype, Viber, Twitter, Instagram.

5.2 hours/day

Philippines tops time spent on **Internet via PCs**

3.7 hours/day

Philippines tops time spent on **Social Media**

2 hours/day

Viewing on mobile devices overtakes TV

20-40 years old

Millennials are now the dominant demographic

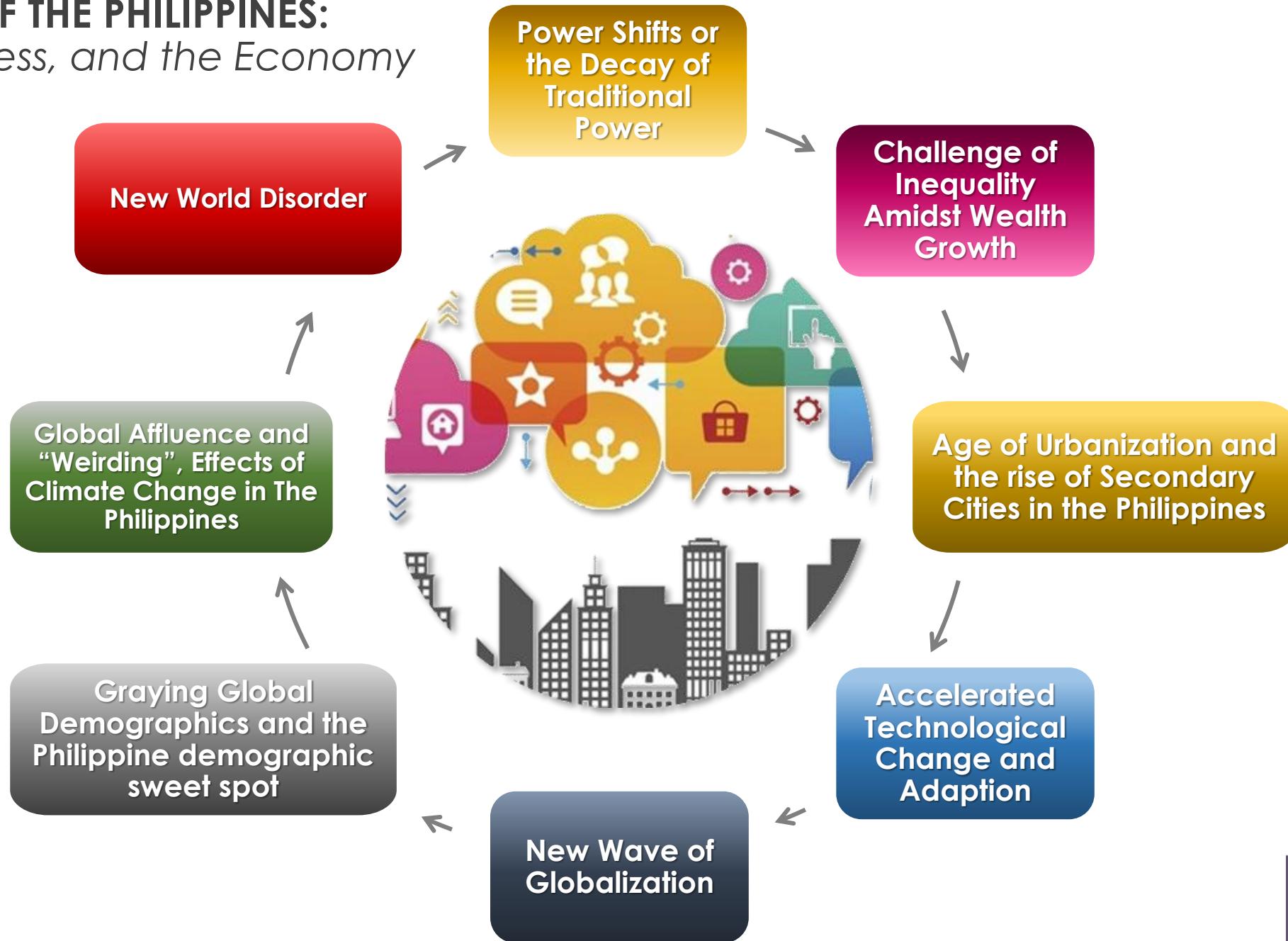
50%

Have internet access

35%

Use mobile internet

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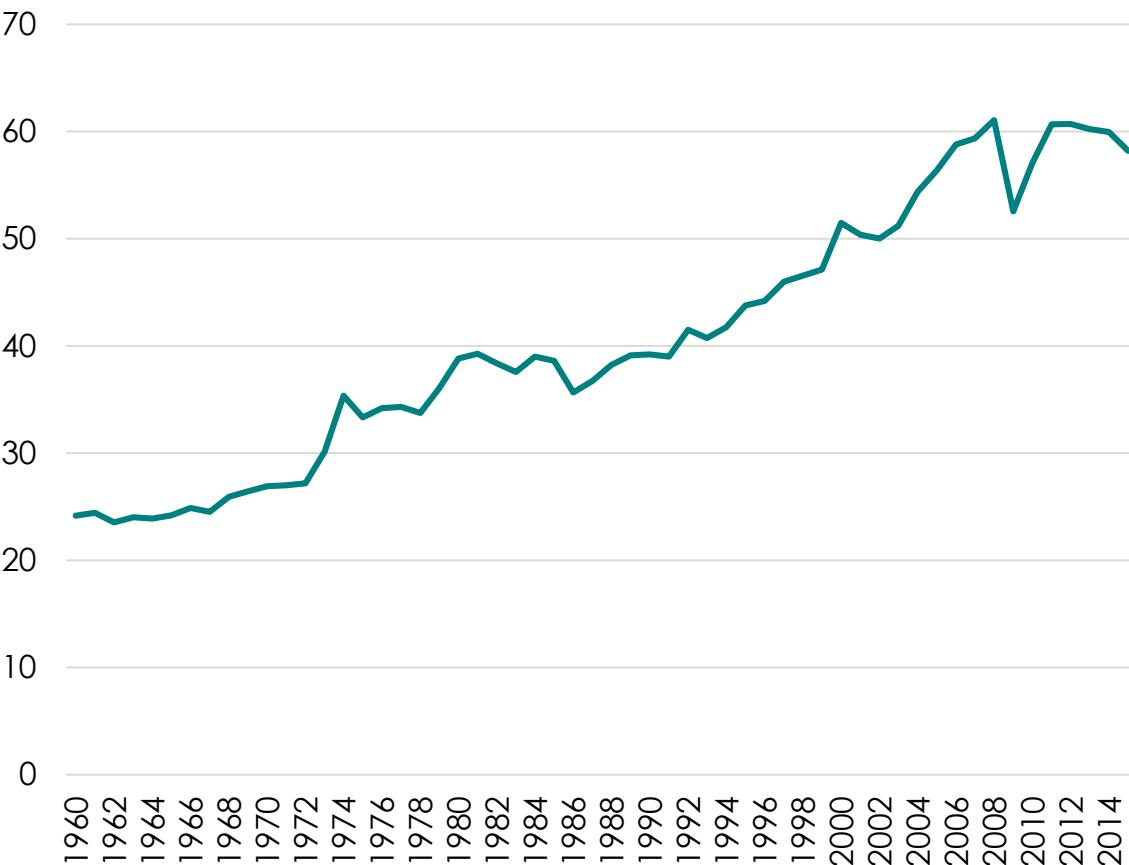


NEW WAVE OF GLOBALIZATION

- **Rising pace, intensity, and complexity of global connections**, ... Higher flows and movements of people, goods, services, money and information from place to place. **Economic Growth from trade connectivity.**
- Driven and amplified by the **growing prosperity** of emerging and developing markets and by the spread of the Internet and digital technologies in the Asia Pacific region.

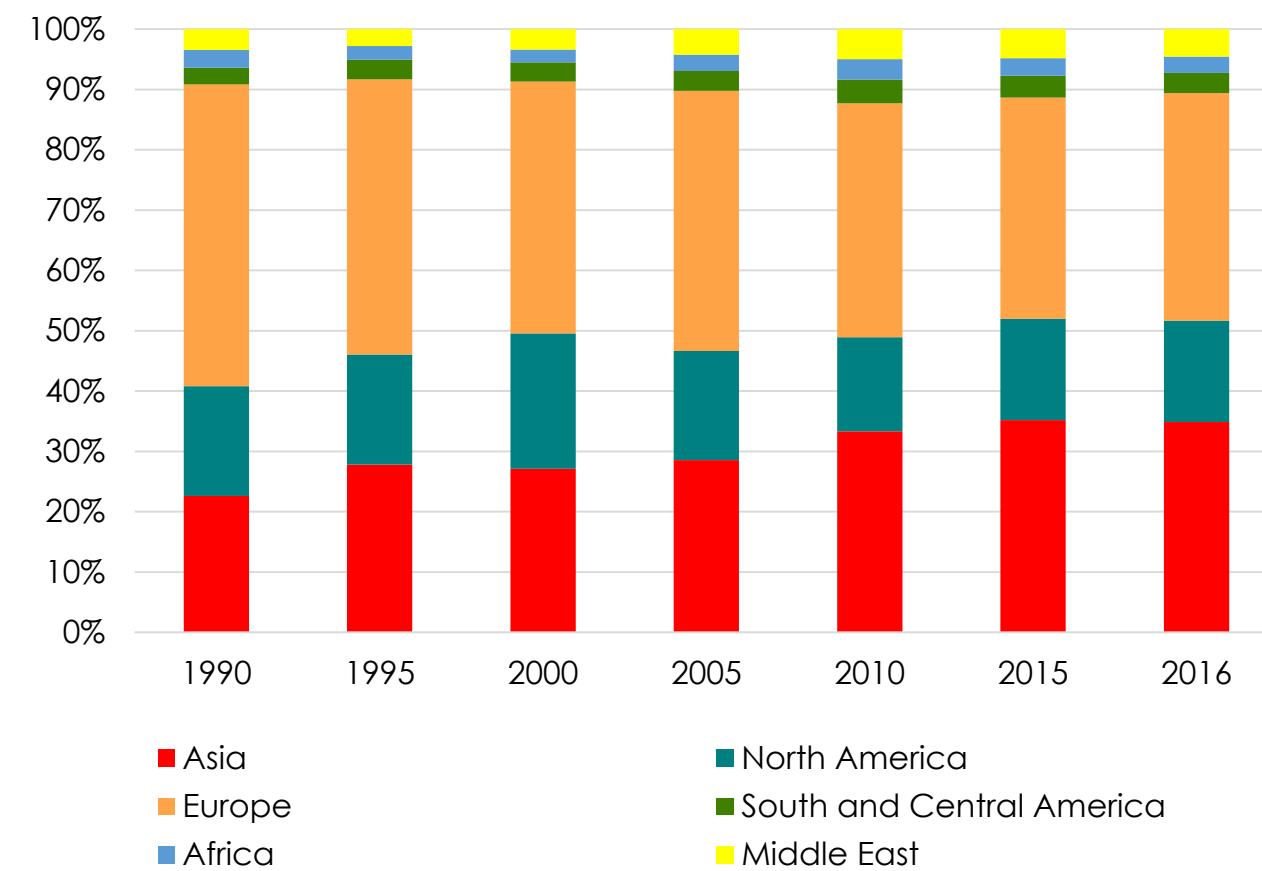
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TRADE (% OF GDP)



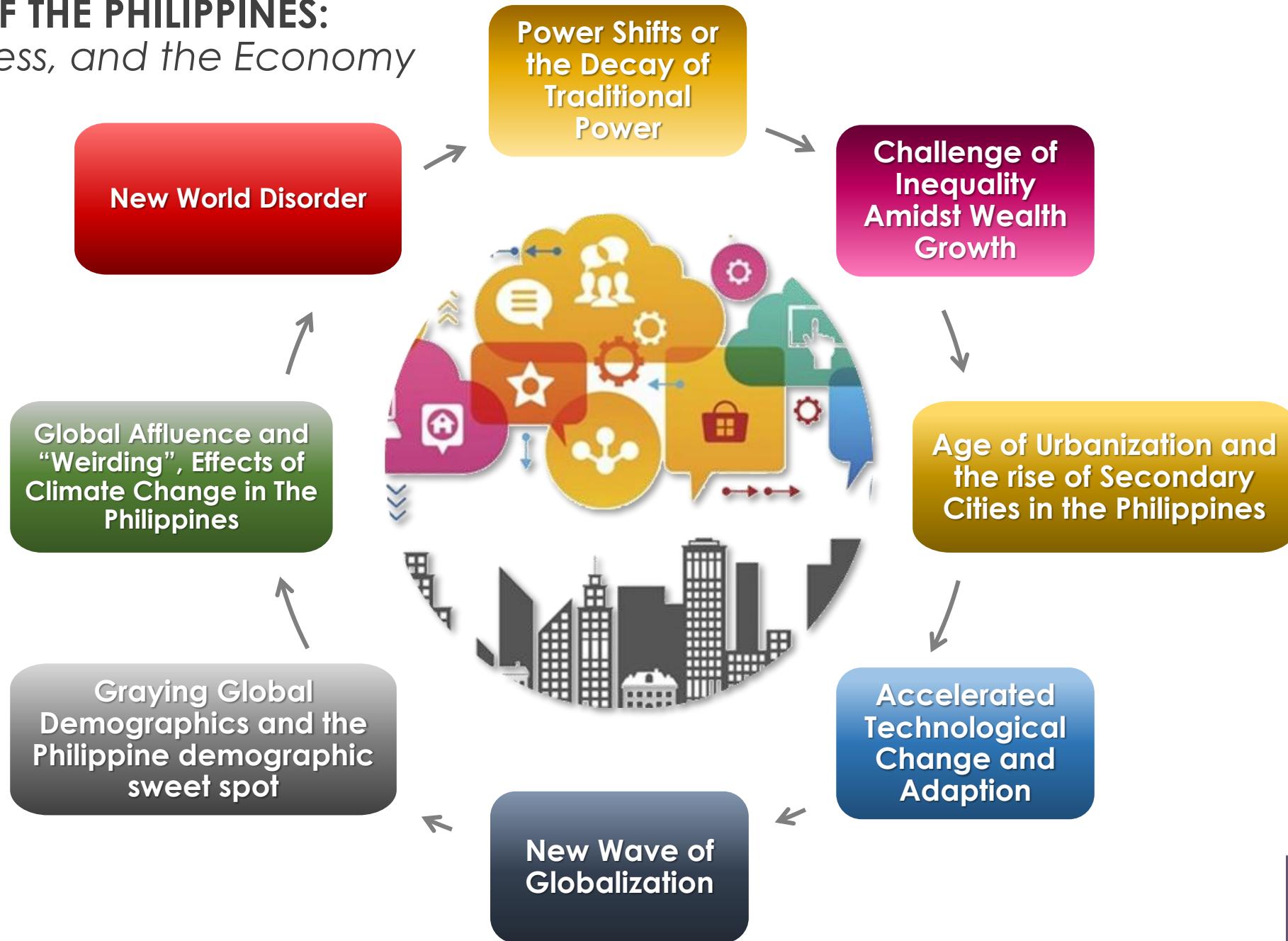
SOURCE: WORLD BANK

MERCHANDISE TRADE OF WTO MEMBERS BY REGION



SOURCE: WORLD TRADE ORGANIZATION

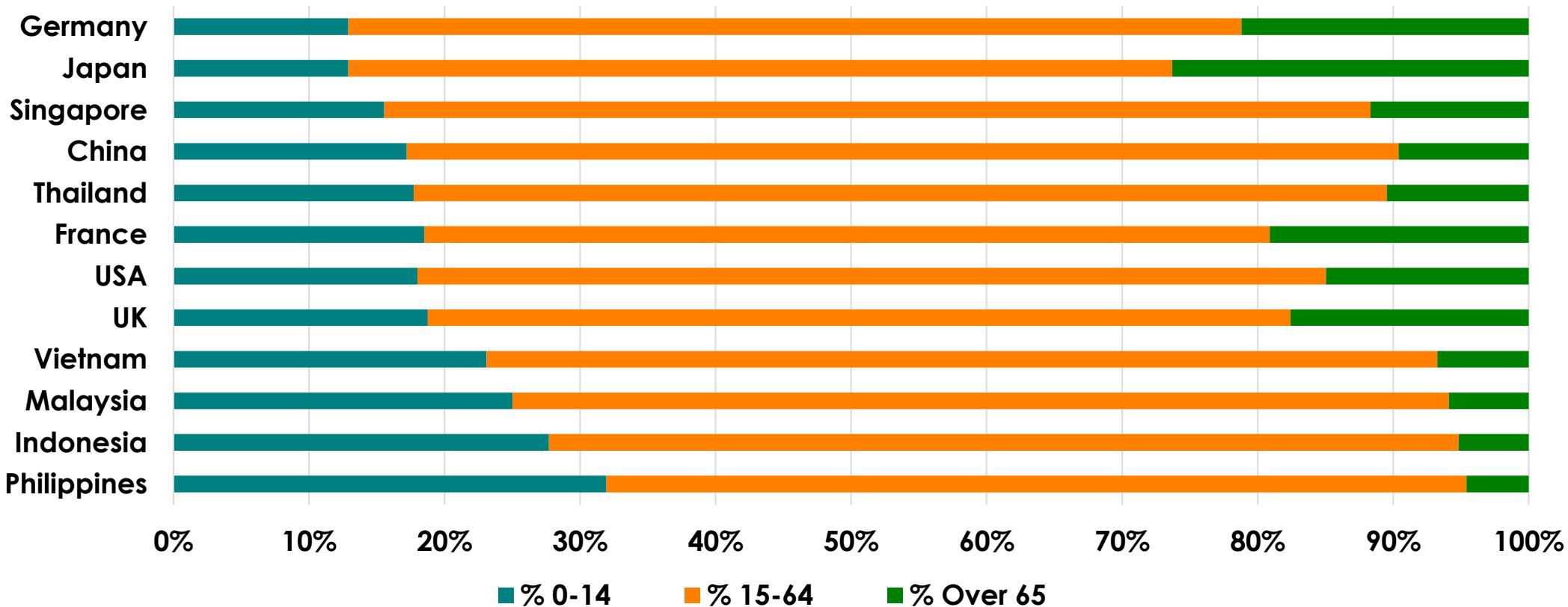
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GRAYING GLOBAL DEMOGRAPHICS AND THE PHILIPPINE DEMOGRAPHIC SWEET SPOT

- Fertility is falling and the First World's population is graying dramatically.
- Adapting to this Global Aging Trend > Great Opportunity for Migration of Professionals and Skilled Workforce from the Philippines and the rise of the New Middle Class.

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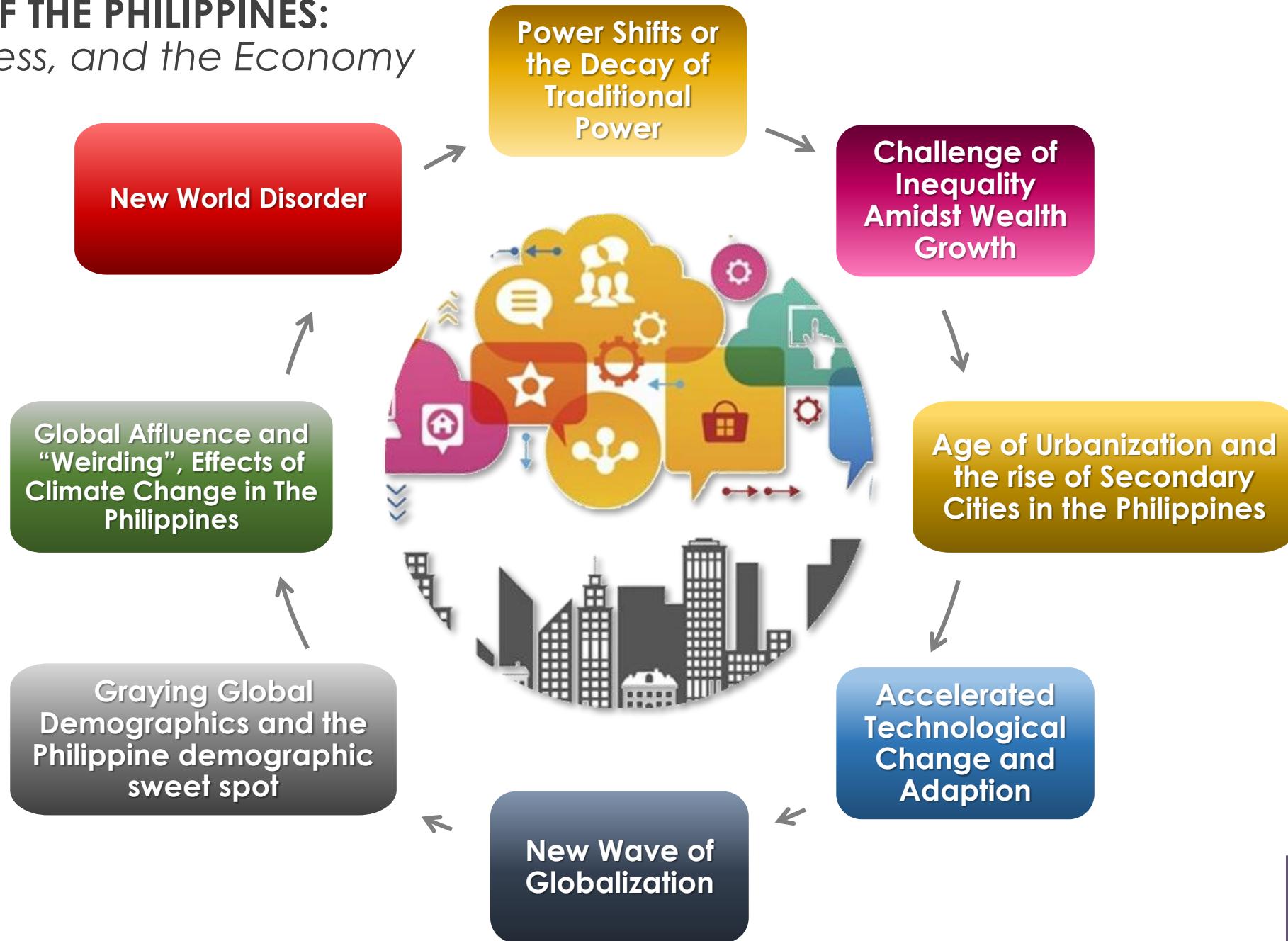


SOURCE: World Bank (2015)

GRAYING GLOBAL DEMOGRAPHICS AND THE PHILIPPINE DEMOGRAPHIC SWEET SPOT

- Philippine demography **reflects a new and fast-growing middle class** whose members are well-aware that others **had more prosperity or personal fulfillment** than they do, and hope to catch up.
- Generally **skeptic and a mindset more open to change**, and the propensity to question authority and challenge traditional power

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GLOBAL AFFLUENCE AND “WEIRDING”, EFFECTS OF CLIMATE CHANGE IN THE PHILIPPINES

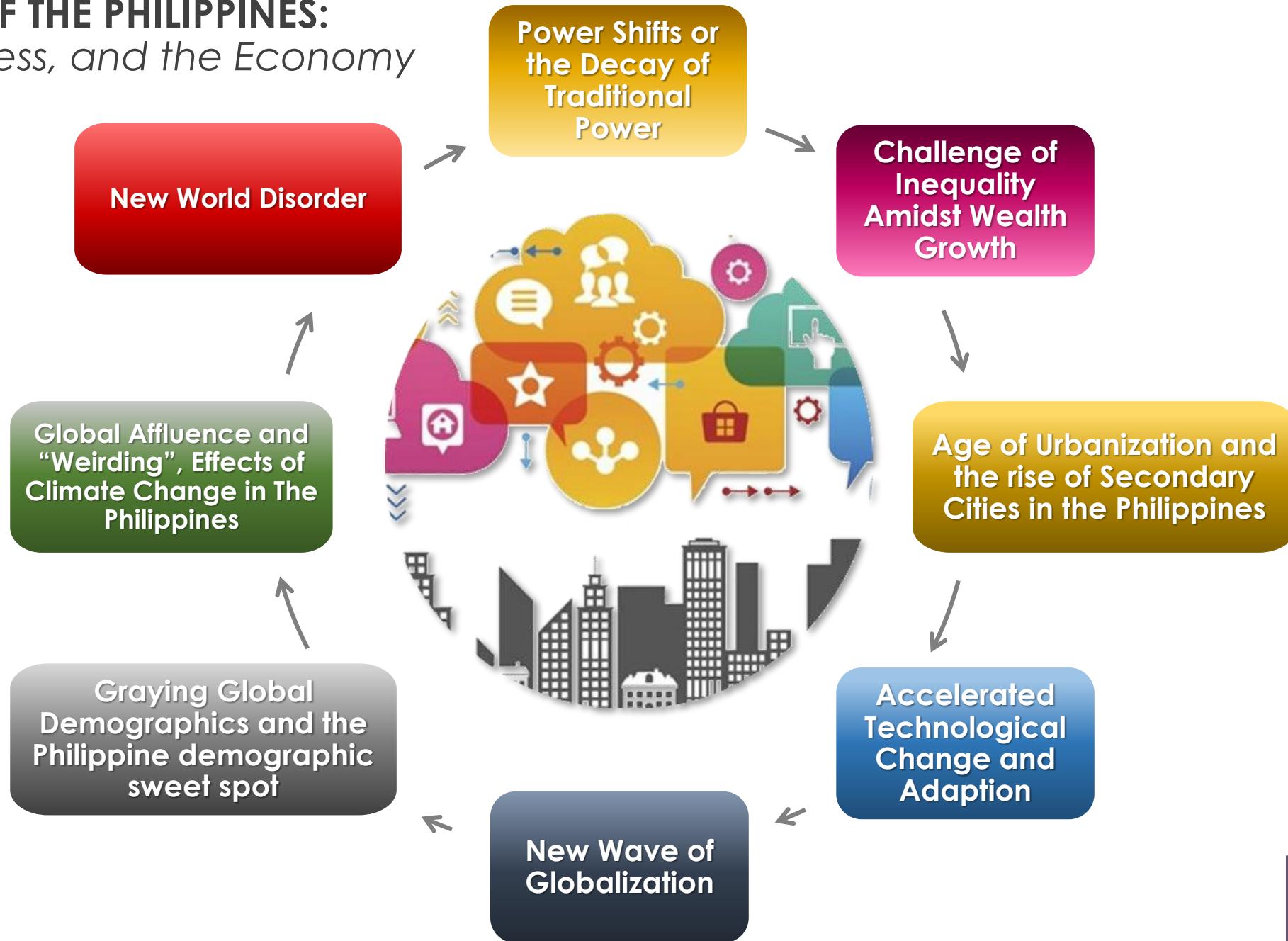
- **Many people prospered, consumed energy, used resources and emitted carbon dioxide.** We have entered an era in which our effects on the climate and the earth's natural systems are potentially unmanageable and irreversible.
- **Climate change brings abrupt effects** on Air (Global Average Temperature), Oceans (rising sea levels), Glaciers (Melting), and Coastlines. We need to **integrate climate change issues in trade and investment** and to be more responsive to the realities and serious threats posed by stronger and more frequent disasters in a vulnerable country like the Philippines.

THE LONG-TERM CLIMATE RISK INDEX

CRI 1996–2015 (1995–2014)	Country	CRI score	Death toll	Deaths per 100 000 inhabitants	Total losses in million US\$ PPP	Losses per unit GDP in %	Number of events (total 1996–2015)
1 (1)	Honduras	11.33	301.90	4.36	568.04	2.100	61
2 (2)	Myanmar	14.17	7 145.85	14.71	1 300.74	0.737	41
3 (3)	Haiti	18.17	253.25	2.71	221.92	1.486	63
4 (4)	Nicaragua	19.17	162.90	2.94	234.79	1.197	44
5 (4)	Philippines	21.33	861.55	1.00	2 761.53	0.628	283
6 (6)	Bangladesh	25.00	679.05	0.48	2 283.38	0.732	185
7 (8)	Pakistan	30.50	504.75	0.32	3 823.17	0.647	133
8 (7)	Vietnam	31.33	339.75	0.41	2 119.37	0.621	206
9 (10)	Guatemala	33.83	97.25	0.75	401.54	0.467	75
10 (9)	Thailand	34.83	140.00	0.22	7 574.62	1.004	136

Source: CRI

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NEW WORLD DISORDER?

- Given the **continued use of fear and anger in politics** around the world, will we continue to see the rise of populist, nativist leaders seeking to **enhance domestic divisions and build walls between nations**?
- Could “**Dutertismo**” persist long after Duterte’s term in office?
- **Some signs of a corrective response**
 - The loss of Geert Wilders in the Netherlands (March)
 - The election of Emmanuel Macron in France (May)
- **However, for efforts to succeed**, they must learn the lessons of the past, acknowledge inequalities, and build an inclusive future

THANK YOU!



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