

# BRIEFER ON THE 2025 NATIONAL BUDGET

## AGENDA FOR PROSPERITY: Fulfilling the Needs and Aspirations of the Filipino People

The Philippine government is taking concrete steps toward a brighter future in 2025, investing the Php 6.326 trillion National Budget to uplift the nation and ensure a prosperous future for all. The Administration focuses on empowering people, boosting job creation and competitive products, and building a supportive environment for strong institutions and sustainable growth through a whole-of-government and whole-of-society approach.

### Budget Comparison

2024 Budget

Php 5.769 T

2025 Budget

Php 6.326 T<sup>1/</sup>

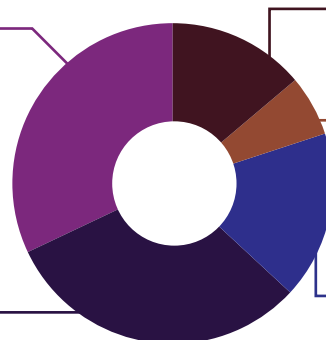
10.1% year-on-year growth

22.1% of GDP

### Budget Dimensions by Sector

Php 2.030 T  
Social Services  
32.1% of the budget

Php 1.968 T  
Economic Services  
31.1% of the budget



Php 876.7 B  
Debt Burden  
13.9% of the budget

Php 378.9 B  
Defense  
6.0% of the budget

Php 1.073 T  
General Public Services  
16.9% of the budget

Note: Figures may not add up due to rounding off.

### Priority Sectors



Education (DepEd, SUCs, CHED, TESDA)<sup>2/</sup>  
Php 1.056 T

2024 GAA: Php 985.8 B



Public Works (DPWH)  
Php 1.008 T

2024 GAA: Php 941.5 B



Interior and Local Government (DILG)<sup>3/</sup>  
Php 280.4 B

2024 GAA: Php 264.3 B



Defense (DND)<sup>4/</sup>  
Php 315.1 B

2024 GAA: Php 285.7 B



Health<sup>5/</sup>  
Php 267.8 B

2024 GAA: Php 314.6 B



Agriculture (DA and attached corporations, DAR)<sup>6/</sup>  
Php 237.4B

2024 GAA: Php 221.7 B



Social Welfare (DSWD)  
Php 217.5 B

2024 GAA: Php 248.1 B



Transportation (DOTr)<sup>7/</sup>  
Php 123.7 B

2024 GAA: Php 77.4 B



Judiciary  
Php 64.0 B

2024 GAA: Php 60.2 B



Justice (DOJ)  
Php 42.2 B

2024 GAA: Php 38.2 B

<sup>1/</sup>Net of direct veto

<sup>2/</sup>Includes other education-related agencies and infrastructure attributed to education sector to be implemented by the DPWH

<sup>3/</sup>Excludes agencies classified in education

<sup>4/</sup>Includes Revised AFP Modernization Program and various infrastructures

in support of national security and defense-related infrastructure to be implemented by the DPWH

<sup>5/</sup>Includes DOH-related infrastructure to be implemented by the DPWH

<sup>6/</sup>Includes agriculture-related infrastructure to be implemented by the DPWH

<sup>7/</sup>Includes DOTr-related infrastructure to be implemented by the DPWH

## Spending Priorities

### Develop and Protect the Capabilities of Individuals and Families

#### Education

Universal Access to Quality Tertiary Education	Php 54.1 B
Government Assistance and Subsidies	Php 40.5 B
Basic Education Facilities	Php 28.1 B

#### Health

Medical Assistance to Indigent and Financially-Incapacitated Patients	Php 41.2 B
Health Facilities Enhancement Program	Php 35.4 B
National Health Workforce Support System	Php 18.0 B

#### Social Protection

<i>Pantawid Pamilyang Pilipino</i> Program	Php 64.2 B
Social Pension for Indigent Senior Citizens	Php 49.8 B
Protective Services for Individuals and Families in Difficult Circumstances	Php 44.7 B

### Transforming Production Sectors to Generate More Quality Jobs and Competitive Products

#### Food Security

Irrigation Services <sup>8/</sup>	Php 57.4 B
National Rice Program	Php 21.7 B
Buffer Stocking Program	Php 14.5 B

#### Industry, Workforce, and Tourism

<i>Tulong Panghanapbuhay sa Ating</i> Disadvantaged Workers Program	Php 17.3 B
Micro, Small, and Medium Enterprise Development Program	Php 949 M
Tourism Policy Formulation and Planning	Php 671 M

#### Science and Technology

Grants-in-Aid Program	Php 8.8 B
ICT Systems and Infostructure Development, Management and Advisory Program	Php 9.2 B
Small Enterprise Technology Upgrading Program	Php 924 M



### Creating an Enabling Environment

#### Infrastructure

Asset Preservation Program	Php 154.1 B
Network Development Program	Php 112.7 B
Bridge Program	Php 42.6 B

#### Peace and Order

Defense Programs (Land Forces, Air Forces, and Naval Forces)	Php 206.3 B
Fire and Emergency Management Program	Php 26.1 B
Barangay Development Program	Php 2.0 B

#### Governance

National Tax Allotment	Php 1.03 T
National and Local Elections	Php 15.0 B
Philippine Identification System	Php 1.9 B

#### Environment

Climate Change Expenditures	Php 1,156.1 B
Green Green Green Program	Php 700 M
Water Resources Program	Php 355 M

<sup>8/</sup>Includes budgets from the National Irrigation Administration (Php 56.4 billion) and Department of Agriculture (Php 1.0 billion)



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