

### E. Natality by Sex and by Birth Weight

Records show that an average of 52.22% of birth from year 2011 to year 2015 were male babies. This has been the trend even elsewhere not only in the province. From year 2011 to year 2014, there was a steady decrease in the number of reported births from 13,656 down to 11,575 however, there was a slight increase of 6.25% in 2015.

**Table D.7**  
**PERCENTAGE OF NATALITY BY SEX**  
**Province of Bataan**  
**CY 2011-2015**

| Description      | 2011          |             | 2012          |             | 2013          |             | 2014          |             | 2015          |             |
|------------------|---------------|-------------|---------------|-------------|---------------|-------------|---------------|-------------|---------------|-------------|
|                  | No.           | %           | No.           | %           | No.           | %           | No.           | %           | No.           | %           |
| Male             | 6,980         | 51.11       | 7,022         | 51.38       | 6,968         | 53.19       | 6,158         | 53.20       | 6,422         | 52.22       |
| Female           | 6,676         | 48.89       | 6,646         | 48.62       | 6,133         | 46.81       | 5,417         | 46.80       | 5,876         | 47.78       |
| <b>T O T A L</b> | <b>13,656</b> | <b>100%</b> | <b>13,668</b> | <b>100%</b> | <b>13,101</b> | <b>100%</b> | <b>11,575</b> | <b>100%</b> | <b>12,298</b> | <b>100%</b> |

SOURCE: PHO

sep 2015 :natality  
by sex

**Figure 4.7**  
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