

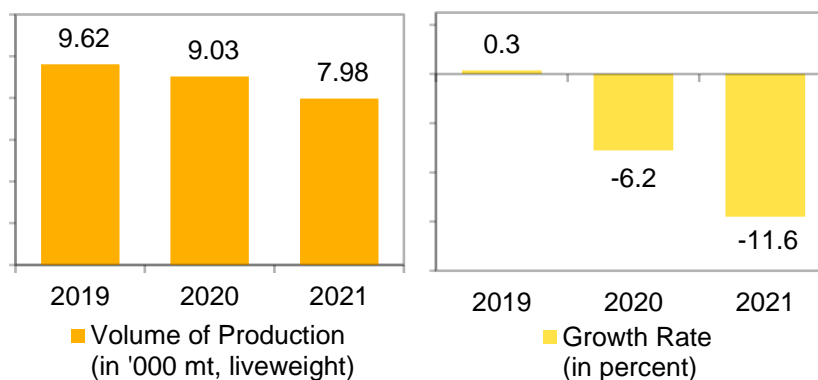
SPECIAL RELEASE

DUCK SITUATION REPORT January to March 2021

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Figure 1. Volume of Duck Production and Annual Growth Rate, Philippines: January-March 2019-2021^P



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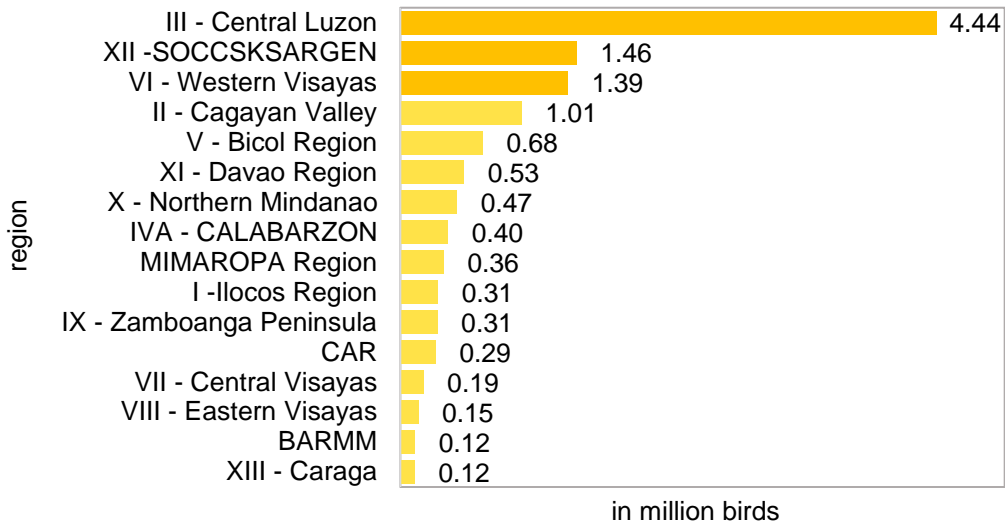
Source: Philippine Statistics Authority

The total duck production from January to March 2021 was estimated at 7.98 thousand metric tons, liveweight. This was -11.6 percent lower than the previous year's same quarter output of 9.03 thousand metric tons, liveweight.

Among the regions, Central Luzon was the top producer of duck for meat during the quarter with 2.56 thousand metric tons, liveweight. This was followed by SOCCSKSARGEN and Western Visayas with corresponding productions of 1.12 thousand metric tons, liveweight, and 0.79 thousand metric tons, liveweight. These three regions accounted for 55.9 percent of the country's total duck production.

Relative with their levels in the same period in 2020, 10 regions exhibited decreases in production during the quarter. Bicol Region posted the highest annual decline of -54.4 percent, from 373 metric tons, liveweight in same quarter of 2020 to 170 metric tons, liveweight this quarter. (Figure 1 and Table 1)

Figure 2. Distribution of Duck Inventory by Region
Philippines: as of 01 January 2021^r



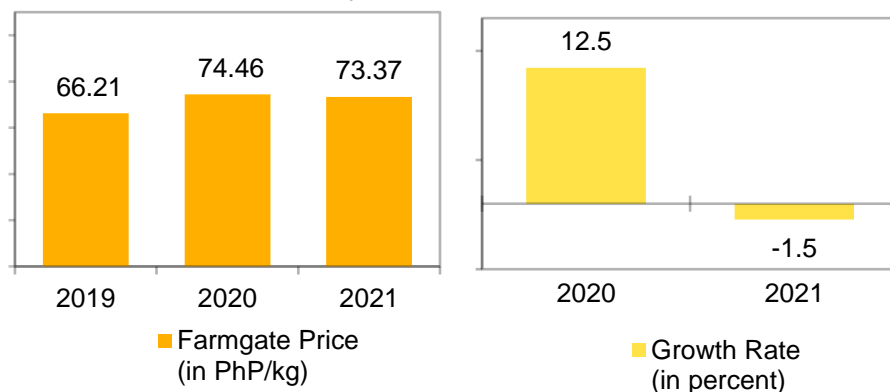
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Source: Philippines Statistics Authority

As of 01 January 2021, the total inventory of duck in the country was estimated at 12.22 million birds, 3.6 percent higher than previous year's same period count of 11.79 million birds.

In terms of inventory, Central Luzon recorded the highest number of ducks raised with 4.44 million birds. This was followed by SOCCSKSARGEN with 1.46 million birds, and Western Visayas with 1.39 million birds. These three regions comprised 59.6 percent of the country's total duck inventory. (Figure 2 and Table 2)

Figure 3. Average Farmgate Price of Duck Meat (Commercial) and Annual Growth Rate, Philippines
January-March 2019-2021^P



^P- Preliminary

Source: Philippines Statistics Authority

The average farmgate price of duck for meat in commercial farms during the reference quarter was quoted at PhP 73.37 per kilogram, liveweight. This was -1.5 percent lower than the average price of PhP 74.46 per kilogram, liveweight, in the same period of 2020.

During the reference quarter, the highest average farmgate price of duck for meat was observed in January at PhP 74.98 per kilogram, liveweight, while the lowest was quoted in March at PhP 71.56 per kilogram, liveweight. (Figure 3 and Table 3)

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STATISTICAL TABLES

Table 1. Volume of Duck Production by Region, Philippines
January-March 2019-2021^P

Region	Production (in metric tons, liveweight)			Growth Rate (in percent)		Percent Share to 2021 ^P
	2019	2020	2021 ^P	2020	2021 ^P	
Philippines	9,617	9,025	7,979	-6.2	-11.6	100.0
CAR	185	181	149	-2.2	-17.7	1.9
I - Ilocos Region	586	585	411	-0.1	-29.8	5.1
II - Cagayan Valley	657	646	593	-1.7	-8.2	7.4
III - Central Luzon	4,072	3,545	2,556	-12.9	-27.9	32.0
IVA - CALABARZON	205	208	140	1.7	-32.7	1.8
MIMAROPA Region	85	80	126	-5.9	58.0	1.6
V - Bicol Region	344	373	170	8.4	-54.4	2.1
VI - Western Visayas	763	744	788	-2.5	6.0	9.9
VII - Central Visayas	66	68	69	3.0	0.8	0.9
VIII - Eastern Visayas	213	201	257	-5.6	27.9	3.2
IX - Zamboanga Peninsula	77	77	82	-0.5	6.4	1.0
X - Northern Mindanao	581	591	547	1.7	-7.5	6.9
XI - Davao Region	315	311	194	-1.3	-37.6	2.4
XII - SOCCSKSARGEN	1,255	1,189	1,119	-5.3	-5.9	14.0
XIII - Caraga	29	30	23	3.5	-24.6	0.3
BARMM	184	195	755	6.1	286.7	9.5

^P – Preliminary

Note Details may not add up to total due to rounding. Manual computation of growth rates and percent share may yield different result due to rounding.

Source: Philippine Statistics Authority

Table 2. Duck Inventory by Region, Philippines: as of 01 January 2019-2021^r

REGION	Inventory (in number of birds)			Growth Rate (in percent)		Percent Share to 2021 ^r
	2019	2020	2021 ^r	2020	2021 ^r	
Philippines	11,576,895	11,794,398	12,216,579	1.9	3.6	100.0
CAR	301,335	301,724	292,085	0.1	-3.2	2.4
I - Ilocos Region	370,603	343,128	311,230	-7.4	-9.3	2.5
II - Cagayan Valley	1,132,155	1,062,125	1,005,717	-6.2	-5.3	8.2
III - Central Luzon	3,706,829	4,076,013	4,435,181	10.0	8.8	36.3
IVA - CALABARZON	402,767	409,435	395,189	1.7	-3.5	3.2
MIMAROPA Region	210,814	204,383	358,770	-3.1	75.5	2.9
V - Bicol Region	533,681	578,444	682,022	8.4	17.9	5.6
VI - Western Visayas	1,447,525	1,411,207	1,388,634	-2.5	-1.6	11.4
VII - Central Visayas	165,780	183,546	192,768	10.7	5.0	1.6
VIII - Eastern Visayas	258,126	245,352	149,295	-4.9	-39.2	1.2
IX - Zamboanga Peninsula	254,746	297,517	308,166	16.8	3.6	2.5
X - Northern Mindanao	449,144	457,580	469,732	1.9	2.7	3.8
XI - Davao Region	524,967	524,789	526,872	-0.03	0.4	4.3
XII - SOCCSKSARGEN	1,567,675	1,453,793	1,459,469	-7.3	0.4	11.9
XIII - Caraga	129,320	111,182	118,516	-14.0	6.6	1.0
BARMM	121,428	134,180	122,933	10.5	-8.4	1.0

^r - Revised

Note: Growth rates and percent share may yield different results when computed manually due to rounding.

Source: Philippine Statistics Authority

Table 3. Monthly Average Farmgate Price of Duck Meat (Commercial)
Philippines: January-March 2019^r-2021^p

Month	Average Farmgate Price (PhP per kilogram, liveweight)			Growth Rate (in percent)	
	2019 ^r	2020 ^r	2021 ^p	2020 ^r	2021 ^p
Average	66.21	74.46	73.37	12.5	-1.5
January	67.50	75.62	74.98	12.0	-0.8
February	66.95	74.11	73.57	10.7	-0.7
March	64.19	73.65	71.56	14.7	-2.8

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^p – Preliminary

Note: The growth rates of the average farmgate price may not be equal if computed manually due to rounding.

Source: Philippine Statistics Authority

TECHNICAL NOTES

This **Duck Situation Report** presents the duck industry in terms of volume of production, inventory by region, and average farmgate prices. The report is prepared to serve as a ready reference for our various clients and stakeholders in the agriculture sector. It is released quarterly; that is, every February, May, August, and November.

Concepts and Definitions

Volume of production refers to the volume of locally-raised animals disposed for dressing including those which were shipped out to other regions/provinces for dressing. This is expressed in thousand metric tons, liveweight.

Inventory refers to the actual number of duck present in the farm as of the specific reference date. For this report, the inventory of duck is as of 01 January 2021 since the surveys for this commodity are conducted semi-annually, i.e., January and July.

Farmgate price refers to the price received by raisers for their produce at the location of farm. Thus, the marketing cost, such as transport and other marketing costs (if any) incurred in selling the produce, are not included in the farmgate prices. The 2019 to 2021 farmgate prices included in this special release were based on the revised method of computation by the Price Statistics Division (PSD).