

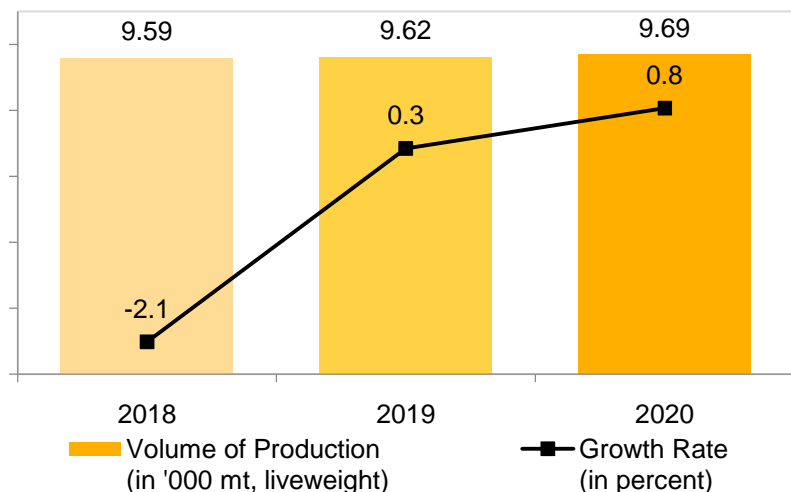
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DUCK SITUATION REPORT January to March 2020

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Figure 1. Volume of Duck Production, Philippines
January-March 2018-2020^P



^P – Preliminary

Source: Philippine Statistics Authority

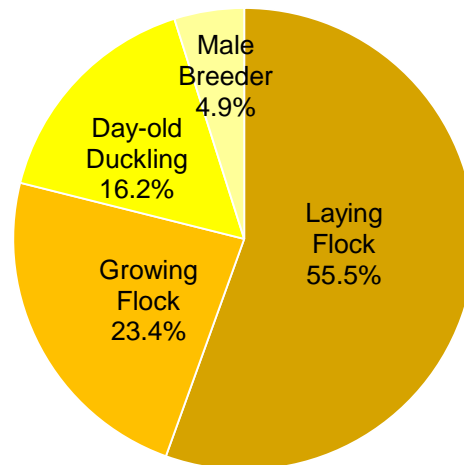
The total duck production from January to March 2020 is estimated at 9.69 thousand metric tons, liveweight. This was 0.8 percent higher than the output in the same quarter of 2019 of 9.62 thousand metric tons, liveweight.

During the quarter, eight regions posted increases in production relative to their levels a year ago. In terms of growth rate, Central Visayas reported the highest increase of 9.1 percent, from 66.00 metric tons, liveweight in the same period of 2019, to 71.98 metric tons, liveweight this quarter.

The top three duck producing regions during the reference quarter in terms of liveweight were Central Luzon with 4.22 thousand metric tons, SOCCSKSARGEN with 1.19 thousand metric tons, and Western

Visayas with 0.75 thousand metric tons. These regions accounted for 63.5 percent of the country's total duck production. (Figure 1 and Table 1)

Figure 2. Percent Share in Inventory of Duck by Age Classification, Philippines: as of 01 January 2020^P

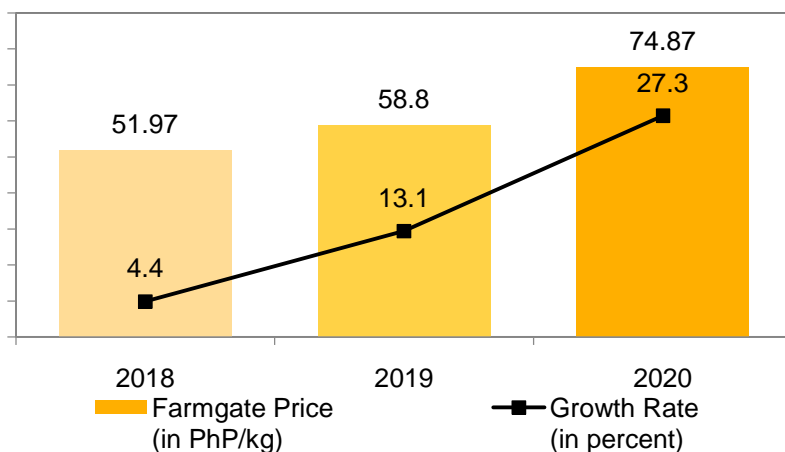


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As of 01 January 2020, the total inventory of duck was estimated at 11.79 million birds. This was 1.9 percent higher than the 2019 same quarter count of 11.58 million birds. Of the total duck inventory, 65.9 percent were from backyard farms while the remaining 34.1 percent were raised in commercial farms.

By age classification, laying flock accounted for 55.5 percent of the total inventory. The remaining were combined stocks of growing flock, day-old duckling and male breeder. (Figure 2 and Table 2)

Figure 3. Average Farmgate Prices of Duck for Meat (Commercial), Philippines: January-March 2018-2020^P



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Source: Philippine Statistics Authority

The average farmgate price of duckfor meat in commercial farms in the period January to March 2020 was quoted at PhP 74.87 per kilogram, liveweight. This was 27.3 percent higher compared with the average farmgate price of PhP 58.80 per kilogram, liveweight in the same quarter of 2019.

In January 2020, the average farmgate price of duck meat was posted at PhP 75.62 per kilogram, liveweight, while it was PhP 74.11 per kilogram, liveweight in February 2020. (Figure 3 and Table 3)



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TECHNICAL NOTES

This **Duck Situation Report** presents the duck industry in terms of volume of production, inventory by farm type, 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 in January, May, August and November every year.

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 animals present in the farm as of the specific reference date.

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 is not included in the farmgate prices.

STATISTICAL TABLES

Table 1. Volume of Duck Production by Region, Philippines: January-March 2018-2020^P

Region	Production (in metric tons, liveweight)			Growth Rate (in percent)		Percent Share to 2020
	2018	2019	2020 ^P	2019	2020 ^P	
Philippines	9,592	9,617	9,691	0.3	0.8	100.0
CAR	183	185	186	1.1	0.6	1.9
I - Ilocos Region	594	586	585	-1.4	-0.1	6.0
II - Cagayan Valley	675	657	646	-2.7	-1.7	6.7
III - Central Luzon	4,013	4,072	4,218	1.5	3.6	43.5
IVA - CALABARZON	241	205	208	-14.9	1.7	2.2
MIMAROPA Region	85	85	81	0.0	-4.2	0.8
V - Bicol Region	337	344	361	2.1	4.9	3.7
VI - Western Visayas	748	763	751	2.0	-1.6	7.7
VII - Central Visayas	67	66	72	-1.5	9.1	0.7
VIII - Eastern Visayas	204	213	199	4.4	-6.4	2.1
IX - Zamboanga Peninsula	78	77	79	-1.3	2.6	0.8
X - Northern Mindanao	565	581	591	2.8	1.8	6.1
XI - Davao Region	330	315	301	-4.6	-4.4	3.1
XII - SOCCSKSARGEN	1,196	1,255	1,188	4.9	-5.4	12.3
XIII - Caraga	32	29	28	-9.4	-3.4	0.3
BARMM	244	184	195	-24.6	6.1	2.0

^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. Inventory of Duck by Farm Type and Age Group, Philippines
As of 01 January 2018-2020^P

Item	Inventory (in number of birds)			Growth Rate (in percent)		Percent Share to 2020
	2018	2019	2020 ^P	2019	2020 ^P	
Total	11,220,127	11,576,895	11,794,398	3.2	1.9	100.0
<u>Farm Type</u>						
Backyard	7,731,859	7,876,610	7,773,665	1.9	-1.3	65.9
Commercial	3,488,268	3,700,285	4,020,733	6.1	8.7	34.1
<u>Age Group</u>						
Laying Flock	5,655,728	5,996,922	6,543,968	6.0	9.1	55.5
Growing Flock	3,661,360	3,505,250	2,762,377	-4.3	-21.2	23.4
Day-old Duck	1,903,039	2,074,723	1,911,244	9.0	-7.9	16.2
Male Breeder	-	-	576,809	-	-	4.9

^P – Preliminary

(-) – No inventory as of the reference period

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Source: Philippine Statistics Authority

Table 3. Monthly Average Farmgate Price of Duck
Philippines: January-March 2018-2020^P

Month	Average Farmgate Price (PhP per kilogram, liveweight)			Growth Rate (in percent)	
	2018	2019 ^r	2020 ^P	2019 ^r	2020 ^P
Average	51.97	58.80	74.87	13.1	27.3
January	52.16	57.71	75.62	10.6	31.0
February	51.82	60.64	74.11	17.0	22.2
March	51.94	58.06	***	11.8	***

^r – Revised

^P – Preliminary

(***) – Data not yet available

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

Source: Philippine Statistics Authority