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UPDATES ON FERTILIZER PRICES

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HIGHLIGHTS

- Compared with August 2019, the average monthly dealers’ prices of Urea, Complete and Ammosul at the national level were lower in September 2019. Meanwhile, the average monthly dealers’ price of Ammophos was higher during the period.
- Measured from a year ago level, the average dealers’ prices of the four fertilizer grades picked up during the month.

A. UREA

- The country’s average monthly dealers’ price of Urea at P1,131.71/sack in September 2019 was lower by 0.6 percent compared with its previous month’s level of P1,138.03/sack. On the other hand, it climbed by 7.2 percent from a year ago level of P1,055.36/sack.

- Compared with the previous month’s level, the average dealers’ prices of Urea went down in 10 regions during the month. The lowest price of P987.50/sack remained in Ilocos Region while the highest at P1,383.33/sack was still recorded in ARMM. Measured from a year ago level, prices in all regions except Ilocos Region were higher this month.
B. COMPLETE

- At the national level, the average monthly dealers’ price of Complete at P1,145.91/sack in September 2019 dropped by 0.4 percent from its level a month ago of P1,150.01/sack. Meanwhile, it climbed by 2.7 percent compared with its level in September 2018 at P1,115.84/sack.

- On a monthly basis, price decreases were noted in nine regions. The lowest at P1,017.25/sack was still noticed in SOCCSKSARGEN while the highest price of P1,416.67/sack remained in ARMM. Prices in all regions exhibited positive annual rates during the month.

C. AMMOSUL

- The average monthly dealers’ price of Ammosul at the national level was posted at P628.22/sack in September 2019. This was lower by 0.3 percent from a month ago level of P630.11/sack. On an annual basis, it was, however, higher by 3.1 percent.

- Measured from a month ago level, nine regions recorded lower prices in September 2019. The lowest price of P547.38/sack was posted in SOCCSKSARGEN. Meanwhile, the highest price of P907.50/sack was still noted in ARMM. Relative to the same month in the previous year, all regions except CALABARZON, registered higher prices during the month.

Source: Price Statistics Division
D. AMMOPHOS

- For the Philippines, the average monthly dealers' price of Ammophos at P1,000.13/sack in September 2019 increased by 0.2 percent from its previous month's level of P998.31/sack. Similarly, it went up by 5.3 percent compared with its September 2018 level of P950.21/sack.

- On a monthly basis, higher prices were posted in eight regions in September 2019. The highest price of P1,250.00/sack was still observed in ARMM, while the lowest price of P915.00/sack was noted in Cagayan Valley. Measured from a year ago level, prices in all regions were higher during the period.

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Source: Price Statistics Division