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Rice and Corn Stocks Inventory, 01 February 2025

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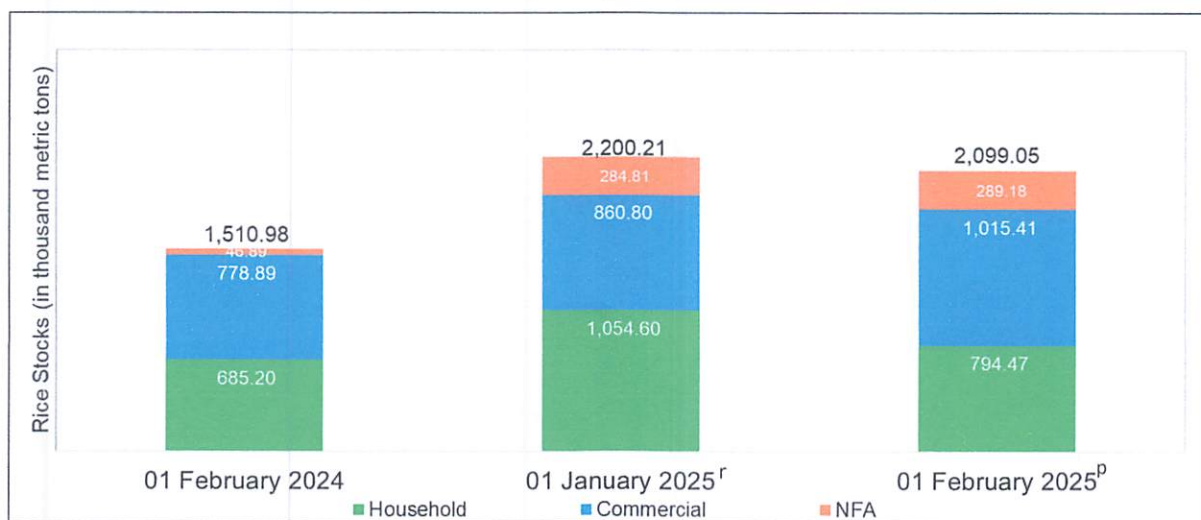
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RICE

As of 01 February 2025, the country's total rice stocks inventory was estimated at 2.10 million metric tons. This indicates an annual increase of 38.9 percent from the 1.51 million metric tons inventory in the same period of the previous year.

Month-on-month, the volume of rice stocks inventory recorded a decrement of 4.6 percent from the previous month's inventory of 2.20 million metric tons. (Figure 1 and Table 1)

Figure 1. Inventory of Rice Stocks, Philippines
February 2024, January 2025^r, and February 2025^p



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r – revised

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Sources: Philippine Statistics Authority, Rice and Corn Stocks Survey: Household and Rice and Corn Stocks Survey: Commercial
National Food Authority, National Food Authority Grains Situation Report

This month's rice stocks inventories registered annual increases of 516.7 percent from the NFA depositories, 30.4 percent from the commercial sector, and 15.9 percent from the households.

In comparison to the January 2025 rice stocks levels, decrement was noted from the households by 24.7 percent. Meanwhile, rice stocks inventory from the commercial sector increased by 18.0 percent, and in the NFA depositories by 1.5 percent.

Of this month's total rice stocks, 48.4 percent were from the commercial sector, 37.8 percent were from the households, and 13.8 percent were from the NFA depositories. (Table 1)

**Table 1. Level and Percent Change of Rice Stocks by Sector, Philippines
February 2024, January 2025^r, and February 2025^p**

| SECTOR | Stocks, in thousand metric tons | | | Percent share to total stocks (%) | Percentage Change (%) | |
|--------------|---------------------------------|------------------------------|-------------------------------|--------------------------------------|---|---|
| | 01 February 2024 | 01 January 2025 ^r | 01 February 2025 ^p | | Year-on-Year | Month-on-Month |
| | | | | 01 February 2025 ^p | February 2025 ^p / February 2024 | February 2025 ^p / January 2025 ^r |
| | | | | | | |
| TOTAL STOCKS | 1,510.98 | 2,200.21 | 2,099.05 | 100.0 | 38.9 | -4.6 |
| Household | 685.20 | 1,054.60 | 794.47 | 37.8 | 15.9 | -24.7 |
| Commercial | 778.89 | 860.80 | 1,015.41 | 48.4 | 30.4 | 18.0 |
| NFA | 46.89 | 284.81 | 289.18 | 13.8 | 516.7 | 1.5 |

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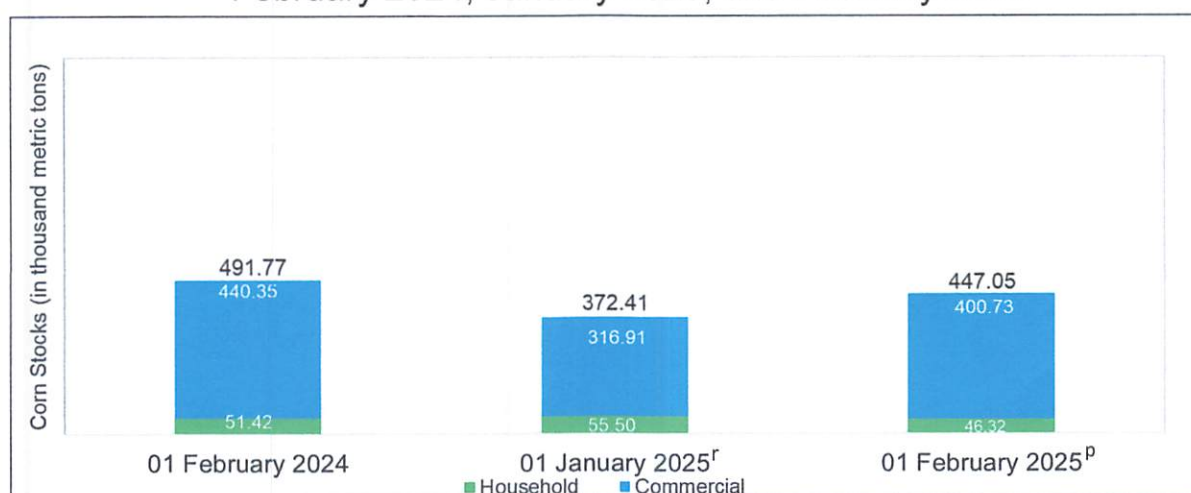
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CORN

As of 01 February 2025, the total corn stocks inventory of the country reached 447.05 thousand metric tons. This indicates an annual decrease of 9.1 percent from the 491.77 thousand metric tons inventory in the same period of 2024.

Corn stocks inventory exhibited a month-on-month increase of 20.0 percent relative to its previous month's inventory level of 372.41 thousand metric tons. (Figure 2 and Table 2)

Figure 2. Inventory of Corn Stocks, Philippines
February 2024, January 2025^r, and February 2025^p



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From the same month of the previous year's level, corn stocks inventory recorded annual decreases from the households by 9.9 percent, and from the commercial sector by 9.0 percent.

Relative to the inventory level in January 2025, an increment was noted from the commercial sector by 26.4 percent. On the other hand, the volume of corn stocks from the households decreased by 16.6 percent.

About 89.6 percent of this month's total corn stocks inventory were from the commercial sector, while the remaining 10.4 percent were from the households. (Table 2)

**Table 2. Level and Percent Change of Corn Stocks by Sector, Philippines
February 2024, January 2025^r, and February 2025^p**

| SECTOR | Stocks, in thousand metric tons | | | Percent share to total stocks (%) | Percentage Change (%) | |
|--------------|---------------------------------|------------------------------|-------------------------------|--------------------------------------|---|---|
| | 01 February 2024 | 01 January 2025 ^r | 01 February 2025 ^p | | Year-on-Year | Month-on-Month |
| | | | | 01 February 2025 ^p | February 2025 ^p / February 2024 | February 2025 ^p / January 2025 ^r |
| TOTAL STOCKS | 491.77 | 372.41 | 447.05 | 100.0 | -9.1 | 20.0 |
| Household | 51.42 | 55.50 | 46.32 | 10.4 | -9.9 | -16.6 |
| Commercial | 440.35 | 316.91 | 400.73 | 89.6 | -9.0 | 26.4 |

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**Table 3. Rice and Corn Stocks Inventories with Measures of Precision,
Philippines, February 2025^p**

| Crop | Stocks (in thousand metric tons) | Standard Error | 95% Confidence Interval | | Coefficient of Variation |
|------|--|----------------|-------------------------|-------------|-----------------------------|
| | | | Lower Limit | Upper Limit | |
| Rice | 2,099.05 | 37.39 | 2,025.77 | 2,172.34 | 1.78 |
| Corn | 447.05 | 34.41 | 379.60 | 514.49 | 7.70 |

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