

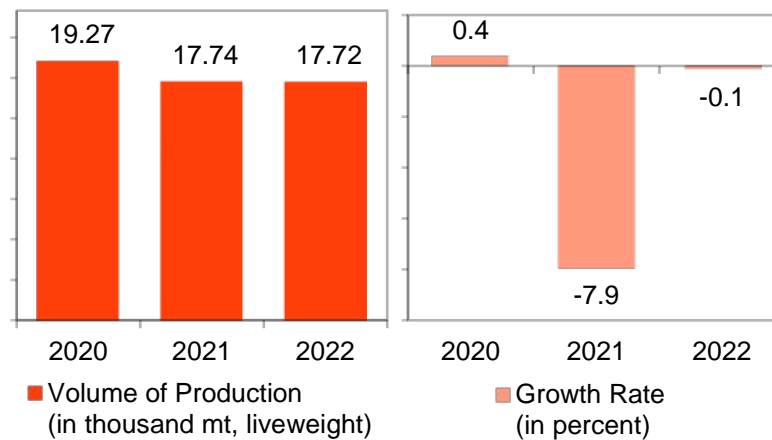
# SPECIAL RELEASE

## GOAT SITUATION REPORT July to September 2022

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Figure 1. Volume and Annual Growth Rate of Goat Production, Philippines July-September 2020-2022<sup>P</sup>



<sup>P</sup>- preliminary

Source: Philippine Statistics Authority

The country's total goat production decreased to 17.72 thousand metric tons, liveweight in the third quarter of 2022, from 17.74 thousand metric tons, liveweight in the same quarter of the previous year. It declined annually at a slower rate of -0.1 percent as compared with the -7.9 percent drop in 2021.

Central Visayas was the major contributor in the goat production during the quarter with 14.0 percent share and estimated production of 2.49 thousand metric tons, liveweight.

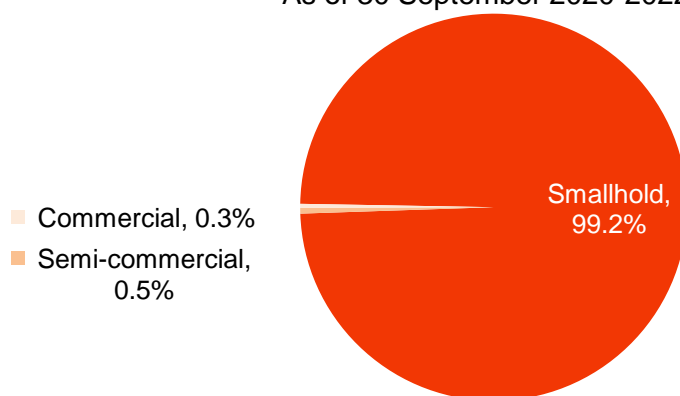
Completing the top five major producing regions and their corresponding volume of production were:

- a. Ilocos Region with 2.27 thousand metric tons, liveweight;
- b. Northern Mindanao with 1.98 thousand metric tons, liveweight;
- c. BARMM with 1.82 thousand metric tons, liveweight; and
- d. Davao Region with 1.77 thousand metric tons, liveweight.

These regions contributed 58.3 percent share of the country’s total goat production.

Relative to their levels in the same quarter of 2021, nine regions posted reductions in their output during the quarter. In terms of level, Ilocos Region registered the highest decline of 0.24 thousand metric tons, liveweight from 2.51 thousand metric tons, liveweight in the same quarter of the previous year to 2.27 thousand metric tons, liveweight this third quarter of 2022. (Table 1)

Figure 2. Distribution of Goat Inventory by Classification\*, Philippines  
As of 30 September 2020-2022<sup>P</sup>



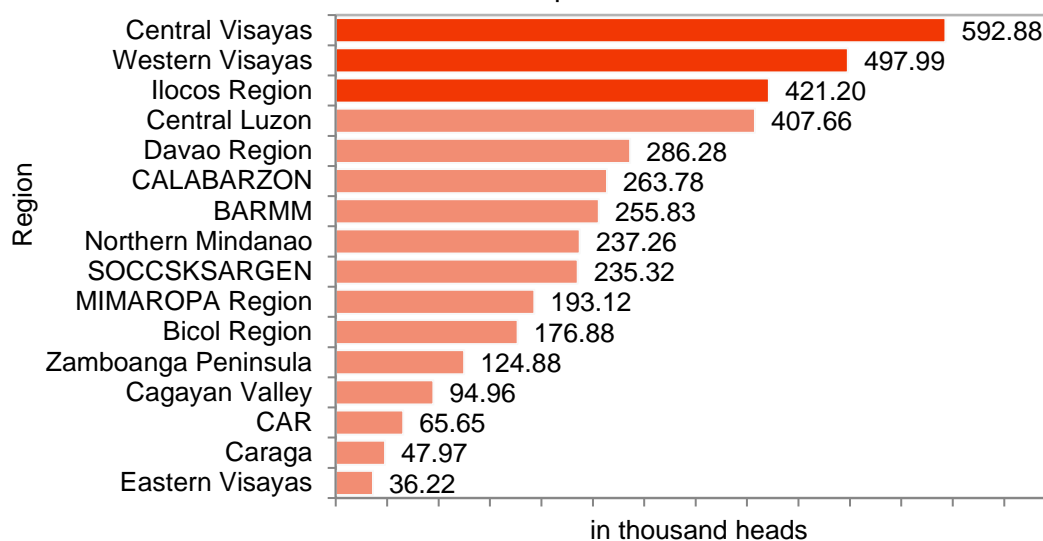
\*-Based on new classification of animals per PSA Board Resolution No. 04, series of 2022 dated 13 May 2022

<sup>P</sup>- preliminary

Source: Philippine Statistics Authority

Total goat inventory as of 30 September 2022 was estimated at 3.94 million heads. Of the total goat inventory, smallhold farms accounted for 99.2 percent, while the remaining comprised the semi-commercial farms and commercial farms with corresponding shares of 0.5 percent and 0.3 percent. (Figure 2 and Table 2)

Figure 3. Distribution of Goat Inventory by Region, Philippines  
As of 30 September 2022<sup>P</sup>

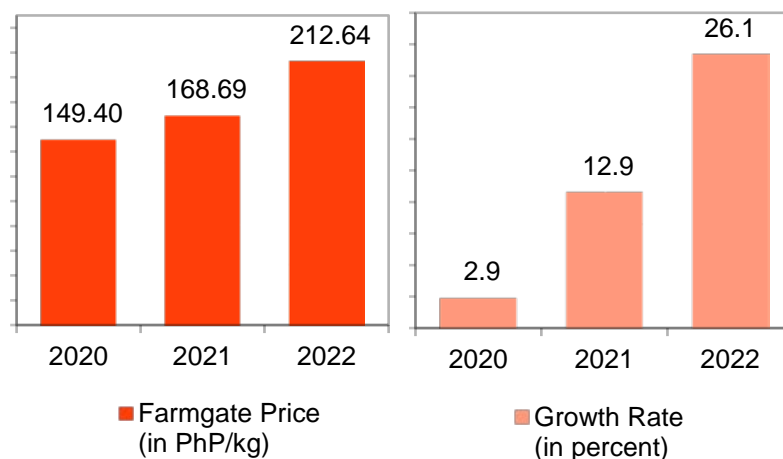


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Higher contribution in the country’s total goat population were reported in Central Visayas, Western Visayas, and Ilocos Region with respective shares of 15.1 percent, 12.6 percent, and 10.7 percent. (Figure 3 and Table 2)

Figure 4. Average Farmgate Price and Annual Growth Rate of Goat for Slaughter, Philippines July-September 2020-2022<sup>P</sup>



<sup>P</sup>- preliminary  
 Source: Philippine Statistics Authority

The average farmgate price of goat for slaughter was PhP 212.64 per kilogram, liveweight for this quarter. This was 26.1 percent higher than the previous year’s same period average farmgate price of PhP 168.69 per kilogram, liveweight. (Figure 4 and Table 3)

During the reference quarter, the highest farmgate price was quoted in September at PhP 218.79 per kilogram, liveweight, while the lowest was in July at PhP 201.90 per kilogram, liveweight. (Table 3)

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## STATISTICAL TABLES

Table 1. Volume of Goat Production by Region, Philippines  
July-September 2020-2022<sup>P</sup>

Region	Production (in metric tons, liveweight)			Annual Growth Rate (in percent)		Percent Share
	2020	2021	2022 <sup>P</sup>	2021	2022 <sup>P</sup>	2022 <sup>P</sup>
<b>Philippines</b>	<b>19,267</b>	<b>17,742</b>	<b>17,720</b>	<b>-7.9</b>	<b>-0.1</b>	<b>100.0</b>
CAR	205	211	231	2.9	9.5	1.3
I - Ilocos Region	2,673	2,511	2,273	-6.1	-9.5	12.8
II - Cagayan Valley	338	343	338	1.5	-1.5	1.9
III - Central Luzon	2,429	1,668	1,583	-31.3	-5.1	8.9
IVA - CALABARZON	524	595	613	13.5	3.0	3.5
MIMAROPA Region	720	483	419	-32.9	-13.3	2.4
V - Bicol Region	1,004	852	834	-15.1	-2.1	4.7
VI - Western Visayas	1,644	1,494	1,500	-9.1	0.4	8.5
VII - Central Visayas	2,182	2,189	2,487	0.3	13.6	14.0
VIII - Eastern Visayas	112	182	98	62.5	-46.2	0.6
IX - Zamboanga Peninsula	921	619	607	-32.8	-1.9	3.4
X - Northern Mindanao	1,696	1,775	1,980	4.7	11.5	11.2
XI - Davao Region	1,096	1,710	1,766	56.0	3.3	10.0
XII - SOCCSKSARGEN	1,303	1,014	1,044	-22.2	3.0	5.9
XIII - Caraga	220	197	128	-10.5	-35.0	0.7
BARMM	2,200	1,899	1,818	-13.7	-4.3	10.3

<sup>P</sup> - preliminary

Note: Details may not add up to total due to rounding. Growth rate and percent share may yield different results when computed manually due to rounding.

Source: Philippine Statistics Authority

Table 2. Goat Inventory by Classification and Region, Philippines  
As of 30 September 2022<sup>P</sup>

Region/Classification	Inventory (in number of heads)				Percent Share
	Smallhold	Semi-commercial	Commercial	Total	
<b>Philippines</b>	<b>3,906,049</b>	<b>18,675</b>	<b>13,151</b>	<b>3,937,875</b>	<b>100.0</b>
CAR	65,645	..	..	65,645	1.7
I - Ilocos Region	420,835	365	..	421,200	10.7
II - Cagayan Valley	93,859	1,100	..	94,959	2.4
III - Central Luzon	404,986	645	2,032	407,663	10.4
IVA - CALABARZON	246,589	11,224	5,964	263,777	6.7
MIMAROPA Region	190,145	653	2,326	193,124	4.9
V - Bicol Region	175,706	224	945	176,875	4.5
VI - Western Visayas	495,639	2,355	..	497,994	12.6
VII - Central Visayas	592,884	..	..	592,884	15.1
VIII - Eastern Visayas	36,224	..	..	36,224	0.9
IX - Zamboanga Peninsula	124,576	..	303	124,879	3.2
X - Northern Mindanao	236,626	638	..	237,264	6.0
XI - Davao Region	285,009	879	392	286,280	7.3
XII - SOCCSKSARGEN	234,136	355	824	235,315	6.0
XIII - Caraga	47,364	237	365	47,966	1.2
BARMM	255,826	..	..	255,826	6.5

<sup>P</sup> - preliminary

.. - data not applicable

Note: Percent share may yield different results when computed manually due to rounding.

Source: Philippine Statistics Authority

Table 3. Monthly Average Farmgate Price of Goat for Slaughter  
Philippines: July-September 2020-2022<sup>P</sup>

Month	Average Farmgate Price (PhP per kilogram, liveweight)			Annual Growth Rate (in percent)	
	2020	2021	2022 <sup>P</sup>	2021	2022 <sup>P</sup>
<b>Average</b>	<b>149.40</b>	<b>168.69</b>	<b>212.64</b>	<b>12.9</b>	<b>26.1</b>
July	148.55	168.21	201.90	13.2	20.0
August	150.10	167.87	217.22	11.8	29.4
September	149.54	170.00	218.79	13.7	28.7

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Note: Growth rate may yield different results when computed manually due to rounding.

Source: Philippine Statistics Authority

## EXPLANATORY NOTES

This Goat Situation Report presents the goat 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 the various clients and stakeholders in the agriculture sector of the Philippine Statistics Authority (PSA). It is released quarterly, that is, every February, May, August, and November.

### Concepts and Definitions

**Volume of production** refers to the number of tended/raised goat disposed for slaughter including animals shipped-out for slaughter. This is expressed in metric tons, liveweight.

**Inventory** refers to the actual number of goat present in the farm as of a specific reference date. The following are the new farm classifications and definitions based on the approved PSA Board Resolution No. 04, series of 2022:

Classification	Definition*
Smallhold	Tending not more than 35 does
Semi-commercial	Tending 36-100 does
Commercial	Tending more than 100 heads of does

\*Based on Animal Unit index.

The data on inventory of goat by farm type (i.e., backyard and commercial) can still be accessed in the OpenSTAT website of PSA with the link: [https://openstat.psa.gov.ph/PXWeb/pxweb/en/DB/DB\\_\\_2E\\_\\_LP/0022E4-FINL0.px/?rxid=bdf9d8da-96f1-4100-ae09-18cb3eae313](https://openstat.psa.gov.ph/PXWeb/pxweb/en/DB/DB__2E__LP/0022E4-FINL0.px/?rxid=bdf9d8da-96f1-4100-ae09-18cb3eae313).

**Farmgate price** refers to the price received by raisers for their produce at the location of farm. Thus, marketing costs, such as the transport and other marketing costs (if any) incurred in selling the produce, are not included in the farmgate prices. The 2020 to 2021 farmgate prices included in this special release were sourced from Price Statistics Division (PSD), while the 2022 farmgate prices were based on the surveys of Livestock and Poultry Statistics Division (LPSD).