



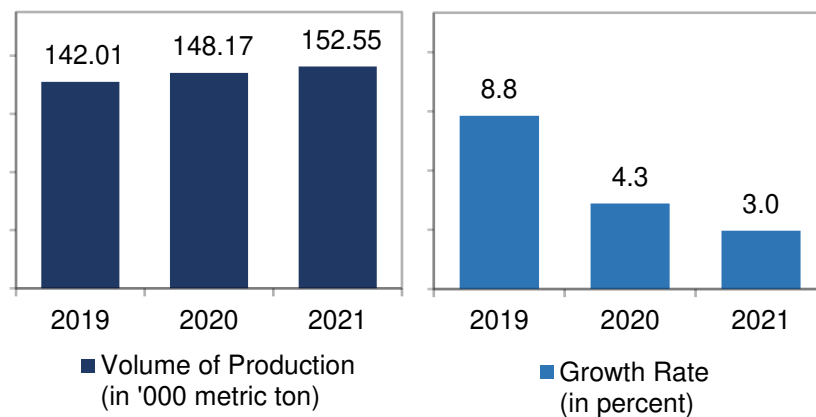
SPECIAL RELEASE

CHICKEN EGG SITUATION REPORT January to March 2021

Date of Release: 27 May 2021

Reference No. 2021 - 212

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



^P – Preliminary
Source: Philippine Statistics Authority

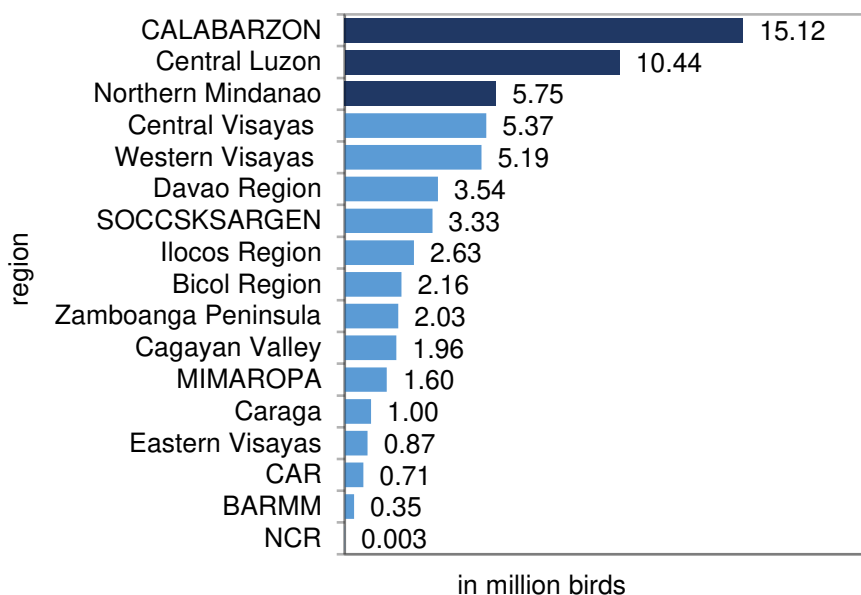
The total chicken egg production from January to March 2021 was estimated at 152.55 thousand metric tons. This was higher by 3.0 percent compared with the previous year's same quarter output of 148.17 thousand metric tons.

Among the regions, CALABARZON was the top producer of chicken egg during the quarter with a production of 49.35 thousand metric tons. This was followed by Central Luzon with 31.75 thousand metric tons and Central Visayas with 15.40 thousand metric tons. These three regions accounted for 63.3 percent of the country's total chicken egg production.

Compared with their levels in the same quarter of 2020, six (6) regions recorded increases in production during the quarter. Central Visayas posted the highest annual growth of 14.4 percent, from 13.46 thousand metric tons in the first quarter of 2020 to 15.40 thousand metric tons this quarter. (Figure 1 and Table 1)



Figure 2. Distribution of Chicken Laying Flock by Region
Philippines: 01 April 2021^P

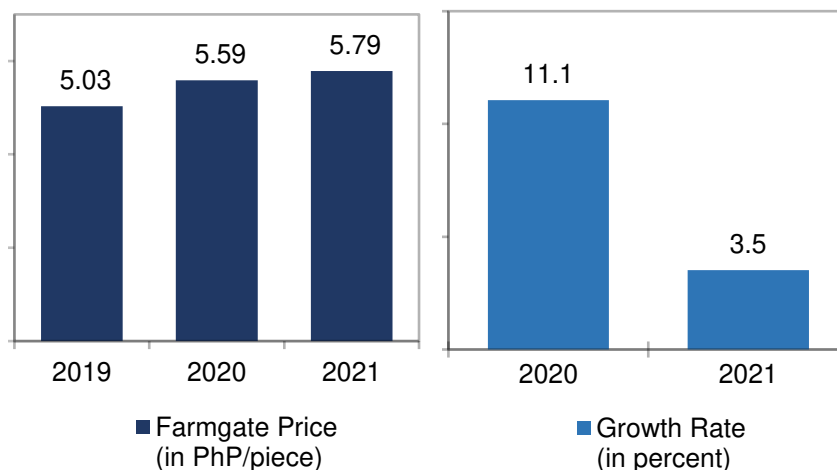


^P – Preliminary
Source: Philippine Statistics Authority

Chicken laying flock inventory as of 01 April 2021 was estimated at 62.05 million birds. This indicates an increase of 8.1 percent from its level of 57.42 million birds in the same period of the previous year.

Among the regions, CALABARZON had the highest population of chicken laying flock with 15.12 million birds. This was followed by Central Luzon with 10.44 million birds and Northern Mindanao with 5.75 million birds. The combined population of these three regions accounted for 50.5 percent of the country’s total chicken laying flock. (Figure 2 and Table 2)

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



^P – Preliminary
Source: Philippine Statistics Authority

The average farmgate price of chicken egg in commercial farms during the quarter was quoted at PhP 5.79 per piece. This was 3.5 percent higher than the average farmgate price of PhP 5.59 per piece in the same period of 2020.

During the reference quarter, the highest farmgate price of chicken egg was observed in February at PhP 5.82 per piece, while the lowest was in March at PhP 5.76 per piece. (Figure 3 and Table 3)

 Digitally signed by Mapa
Claire Dennis Sioson
Date: 2021.05.27
16:21:52 +08'00'

DENNIS S. MAPA, Ph.D.

Undersecretary

National Statistician and Civil Registrar General

STATISTICAL TABLES

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

Region	Production (in metric tons)			Growth Rate (in percent)		Percent Share to 2021 ^P
	2019	2020	2021 ^P	2020	2021 ^P	
Philippines	142,011	148,171	152,547	4.3	3.0	100.0
NCR	-	-	11	-	-	a/
CAR	811	976	1,077	20.4	10.3	0.7
I - Ilocos Region	5,089	5,251	5,534	3.2	5.4	3.6
II - Cagayan Valley	3,763	3,669	3,846	-2.5	4.8	2.5
III - Central Luzon	28,090	30,055	31,749	7.0	5.6	20.8
IVA - CALABARZON	43,857	45,038	49,352	2.7	9.6	32.4
MIMAROPA Region	1,577	1,868	1,594	18.4	-14.7	1.0
V - Bicol Region	3,523	3,756	3,373	6.6	-10.2	2.2
VI - Western Visayas	8,573	9,056	9,009	5.6	-0.5	5.9
VII - Central Visayas	13,384	13,461	15,400	0.6	14.4	10.1
VIII - Eastern Visayas	1,036	1,263	1,247	21.9	-1.3	0.8
IX - Zamboanga Peninsula	3,669	4,261	3,726	16.1	-12.6	2.4
X - Northern Mindanao	11,486	11,859	10,207	3.3	-13.9	6.7
XI - Davao Region	8,364	7,909	7,311	-5.4	-7.6	4.8
XII - SOCCSKSARGEN	6,402	7,124	6,628	11.3	-7.0	4.3
XIII - Caraga	1,685	1,828	1,696	8.5	-7.2	1.1
BARMM	702	796	787	13.4	-1.1	0.5

^P - Preliminary

a/ - less than 0.1 percent but not zero

(-) - No production during the reference quarter

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

Source: Philippine Statistics Authority

Table 2. Chicken Laying Flock Inventory by Region, Philippines
As of 01 April 2019-2021^P

Region	Inventory (in million birds)			Growth Rate (in percent)		Percent Share to 2021 ^P
	2019	2020 ^r	2021 ^P	2020 ^r	2021 ^P	
Philippines	55.41	57.42	62.05	3.6	8.1	100.0
NCR	-	-	b/	-	-	a/
CAR	0.59	0.59	0.71	-0.1	19.6	1.1
I - Ilocos Region	2.50	2.57	2.63	2.9	2.3	4.2
II - Cagayan Valley	2.07	1.92	1.96	-7.2	1.9	3.2
III - Central Luzon	9.24	9.66	10.44	4.5	8.0	16.8
IVA - CALABARZON	11.94	12.88	15.12	7.9	17.5	24.4
MIMAROPA Region	1.70	1.57	1.60	-7.8	2.1	2.6
V - Bicol Region	2.05	2.05	2.16	0.1	5.2	3.5
VI - Western Visayas	4.88	5.06	5.19	3.7	2.7	8.4
VII - Central Visayas	4.57	4.85	5.37	6.2	10.8	8.7
VIII - Eastern Visayas	0.82	0.78	0.87	-5.1	11.5	1.4
IX - Zamboanga Peninsula	1.72	2.03	2.03	17.8	-0.1	3.3
X - Northern Mindanao	5.53	5.80	5.75	4.9	-0.9	9.3
XI - Davao Region	3.43	3.23	3.54	-6.0	9.7	5.7
XII - SOCCSKSARGEN	2.89	2.96	3.33	2.4	12.3	5.4
XIII - Caraga	0.98	0.96	1.00	-1.7	4.0	1.6
BARMM	0.50	0.51	0.35	2.6	-32.1	0.6

^r - Revised

^P - Preliminary

a/ - less than 0.1 percent but not zero

b/ - less than 0.01 million birds

(-) - No inventory as of the reference date

Note: Details may not add up to total due to rounding. 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 Chicken Egg
(Commercial), Philippines: January-March 2019-2021^P

Month	Average Farmgate Price (PhP per piece)			Growth Rate (in percent)	
	2019 ^r	2020 ^r	2021 ^P	2020 ^r	2021 ^P
Average	5.03	5.59	5.79	11.1	3.5
January	4.98	5.60	5.78	12.4	3.2
February	5.07	5.55	5.82	9.5	4.9
March	5.05	5.62	5.76	11.3	2.5

^r - Revised

^P - Preliminary

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

Source: Philippine Statistics Authority

TECHNICAL NOTES

This Chicken Egg Situation Report presents the chicken egg industry in terms of volume of production, inventory of laying flock, and average farmgate price. The report is prepared to serve as a ready reference for PSA's 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 chicken egg disposed from locally-raised chicken including those table eggs which were shipped out to other regions/provinces.

Inventory refers to the actual number of chicken laying flock and native/improved adult female present in the farm as of a specific reference date.

Farmgate price refers to the price received by raisers for their produce at the location of farm. Thus, the 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 2019 to 2021 farmgate prices included in this special release were based on the revised method of computation by the Price Statistics Division (PSD).