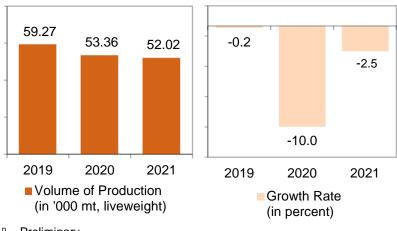
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Figure 1. Volume of Cattle Production and Annual Growth Rate, Philippines July-September 2019-2021^p



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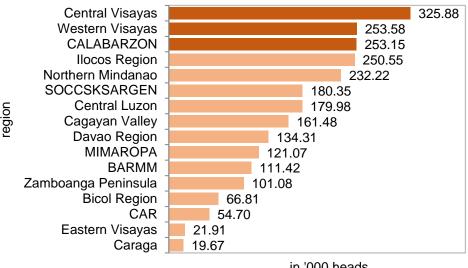
Source: Philippine Statistics Authority

The July to September 2021 total cattle production at 52.02 thousand metric tons, liveweight was -2.5 percent lower than the previous year's same period output of 53.36 thousand metric tons, liveweight.

Among the regions, Northern Mindanao was the top producer of cattle during the period with a production of 8.20 thousand metric tons, liveweight. This was followed by Ilocos Region and Western Visayas with corresponding productions of 4.63 thousand metric tons, liveweight and 4.41 thousand metric tons, liveweight. These regions shared 33.2 percent of the country's total cattle production.

Relative to their levels in the same period a year ago, six regions posted decrements in production during the period. Zamboanga Peninsula recorded the highest annual reduction of -40.7 percent, from 4.01 thousand metric tons, liveweight in the same period of the previous year to 2.38 thousand metric tons, liveweight this quarter of 2021. (Figure 1 and Table 1)

Figure 2. Distribution of Cattle Inventory in Backyard Farms by Region, Philippines: as of 01 October 2021^p



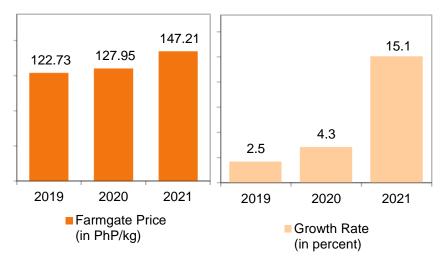
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Source: Philippine Statistics Authority

In backyard farms, the country's cattle inventory as of 01 October 2021 was estimated at 2.47 million heads. About 33.8 percent of the country's cattle population were recorded in Central Visayas, Western Visayas, and CALABARZON. (Figure 2 and Table 2)

Figure 3. Average Farmgate Price of Cattle for Slaughter (Backyard) and Annual Growth Rate, Philippines July-September 2019-2021^p



p - Preliminary

Source: Philippine Statistics Authority

The average farmgate price of cattle for slaughter in backyard farms for July to September 2021 was quoted at PhP 147.21 per kilogram, liveweight. It went up by 15.1 percent compared with the previous year's same period average farmgate price of PhP 127.95 per kilogram, liveweight.

During the reference period, the highest farmgate price of cattle for slaughter was noted in July at PhP 147.34 per kilogram, liveweight, while the lowest was quoted in September at PhP 147.07 per kilogram, liveweight. (Figure 3 and Table 3)

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STATISTICAL TABLES

Table 1. Volume of Cattle Production by Region, Philippines July-September 2019-2021p

Region	Production (in metric tons, liveweight)			Growth Rate (in percent)		Percent Share to 2021 ^p	
	2019	2020	2021 ^p	2020	2021 ^p	ZUZ 1 F	
Philippines	59,268	53,362	52,022	-10.0	-2.5	100.0	
CAR	1,195	1,075	1,019	-10.0	-5.2	2.0	
I – Ilocos Region	7,320	6,691	4,632	-8.6	-30.8	8.9	
II – Cagayan Valley	3,288	3,132	3,100	-4.7	-1.0	6.0	
III – Central Luzon	4,271	3,217	3,639	-24.7	13.1	7.0	
IVA – CALABARZON	3,952	3,455	3,718	-12.6	7.6	7.1	
MIMAROPA Region	2,167	1,993	2,305	-8.0	15.7	4.4	
V – Bicol Region	3,800	3,787	3,881	-0.3	2.5	7.5	
VI – Western Visayas	5,634	4,848	4,405	-14.0	-9.1	8.5	
VII – Central Visayas	6,260	4,157	4,259	-33.6	2.5	8.2	
VIII – Eastern Visayas	620	530	692	-14.5	30.6	1.3	
IX – Zamboanga Peninsula	3,878	4,013	2,378	3.5	-40.7	4.6	
X – Northern Mindanao	7,660	7,618	8,198	-0.5	7.6	15.8	
XI – Davao Region	2,923	2,884	2,963	-1.3	2.7	5.7	
XII – SOCCSKSARGEN	4,276	3,984	4,002	-6.8	0.5	7.7	
XIII – Caraga	375	378	326	0.8	-13.6	0.6	
BARMM	1,649	1,600	2,506	-3.0	56.6	4.8	

P - Preliminary

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. Distribution of Cattle Inventory in Backyard Farms by Region, Philippines: as of 01 October 2021^p

Region	Inventory (in number of heads)	Percent Share to 2021 ^p	
Philippines	2,468,165	100.0	
CAR	54,695	2.2	
I – Ilocos Region	250,553	10.2	
II - Cagayan Valley	161,480	6.5	
III – Central Luzon	179,981	7.3	
IVA – CALABARZON	253,149	10.3	
MIMAROPA Region	121,070	4.9	
V – Bicol Region	66,812	2.7	
VI – Western Visayas	253,577	10.3	
VII - Central Visayas	325,884	13.2	
VIII – Eastern Visayas	21,909	0.9	
IX – Zamboanga Peninsula	101,083	4.1	
X – Northern Mindanao	232,220	9.4	
XI – Davao Region	134,314	5.4	
XII – SOCCSKSARGEN	180,345	7.3	
XIII – Caraga	19,669	0.8	
BARMM	111,424	4.5	

p - Preliminary

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

Source: Philippine Statistics Authority

Table 3. Monthly Average Farmgate Price of Cattle for Slaughter (Backyard)
Philippines: July-September 2019^r-2021^p

Month	Averag (PhP per	Growth Rate (in percent)			
	2019 ^r	2020 ^r	2021 ^p	2020 ^r	2021 ^p
Average	122.73	127.95	147.21	4.3	15.1
July	120.54	128.28	147.34	6.4	14.9
August	121.98	127.32	147.22	4.4	15.6
September	125.66	128.25	147.07	2.1	14.7

r - Revised

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

Source: Philippine Statistics Authority

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TECHNICAL NOTES

This Cattle Situation Report presents the cattle industry in terms of volume of production, inventory, and average farmgate price. The report is prepared to serve as a ready reference for Philippine Statistics Authority'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 locally-raised cattle disposed for slaughter including those which were shipped out to other regions/provinces for slaughter. This is expressed in metric ton, liveweight.

Inventory refers to the actual number of cattle present in the farm as of a specific reference date. For this report, the inventory data is as of 01 October 2021 covering backyard farms only. This is the result of the redesigned Backyard Livestock and Poultry Survey on which data collection is being conducted quarterly. Meanwhile, the Commercial Livestock and Poultry Survey is still conducted biannual, i.e., January and July.

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 cost (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.