



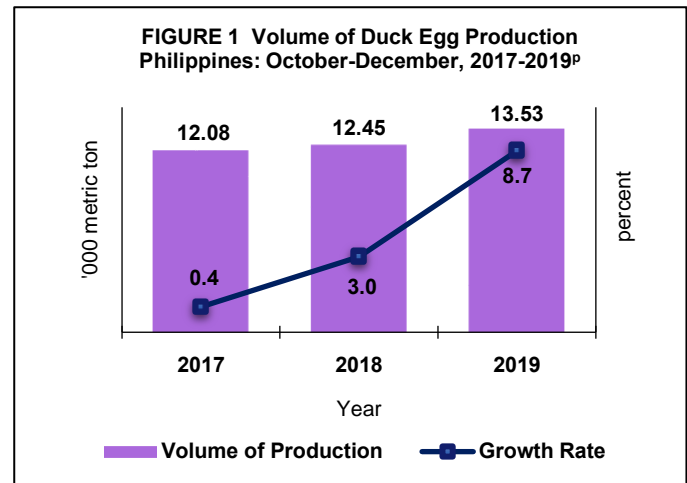
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DUCK EGG SITUATION REPORT October – December 2019

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The October to December 2019 total duck egg production was 13.53 thousand metric tons. This was 8.7 percent higher than the 2018 output of 12.45 thousand metric tons.

Relative to their levels in 2018, nine regions recorded increases in production during the period. Zamboanga Peninsula recorded the highest increase of 47.9 percent, from 0.49 thousand metric tons in 2018 to 0.73 thousand metric tons in 2019.

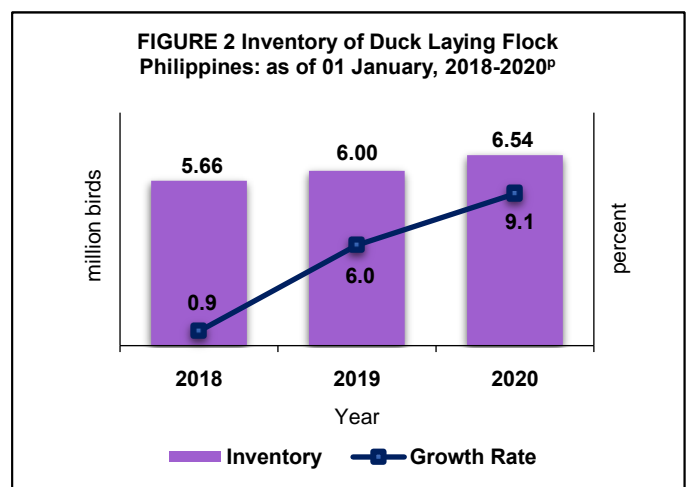


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Among the regions, Central Luzon was the top producer of duck egg at 5.92 thousand metric tons, which accounted for 43.8 percent of the total duck egg production. This was followed by Western Visayas with 1.57 thousand metric tons and Northern Mindanao with 1.35 thousand metric tons production. The combined output of these three regions accounted for 65.4 percent of the country's total duck egg production. (Table 1)

As of 01 January 2020, duck laying flock inventory was estimated at 6.54 million birds or an increase of 9.1 percent, relative to the 6.00 million birds stocks in 2019.

Of the total duck laying flock, 50.1 percent were raised in backyard farms, while 49.9 percent were from commercial farms. (Table 2)

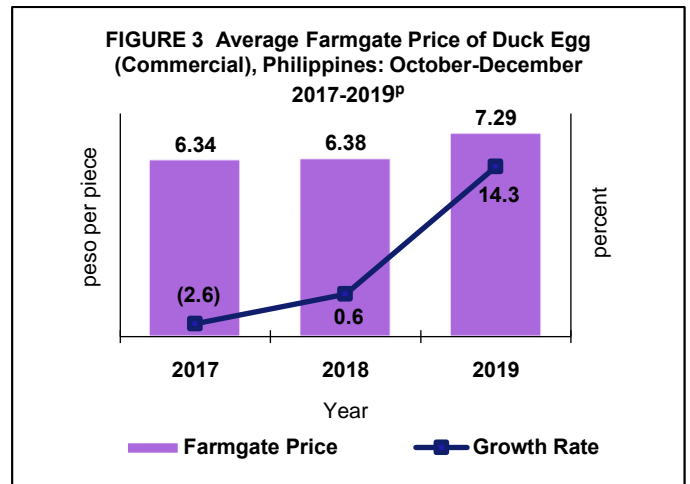


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The average farmgate price of duck egg in commercial farms in October to December 2019 was PhP7.29 per piece. This was higher by 14.3 percent from the previous year's average farmgate price of PhP6.38 per piece.

During the reference period, the highest average farmgate price was in December at PhP7.40 per piece while the lowest was observed in October at PhP7.20 per piece. (Table 3)



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TECHNICAL NOTES

This Duck Egg Situation Report presents the duck egg industry in terms of volume of production, laying flock inventory and average farmgate price. The report was prepared to serve as ready reference for PSA's various clients and stakeholders in the agriculture sector. It is released quarterly in January, May, August and November every year.

Concepts and Definitions

Volume of production refers to the volume of duck egg disposed from locally-raised duck including those duck eggs which were shipped out to other region/province.

Inventory refers to the actual number of duck 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 cost (if any) incurred in selling the produce are not included in the farmgate prices.

STATISTICAL TABLES

TABLE 1 Volume of Duck Egg Production by Region, Philippines: October - December, 2017-2019^P

Region	Production (metric ton)			Difference	Percent Change		Percent Share to 2019
	2017	2018	2019 ^P	2019-2018	2018/2017	2019/2018	
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
PHILIPPINES	12,083	12,449	13,529	1,080	3.0	8.7	100.0
CAR	115	106	114	8	(7.8)	7.5	0.8
Ilocos Region	269	193	177	(16)	(28.3)	(8.3)	1.3
Cagayan Valley	698	616	505	(111)	(11.7)	(18.0)	3.7
Central Luzon	4,443	4868	5,919	1,051	9.6	21.6	43.8
CALABARZON	1,220	950	1,145	195	(22.1)	20.5	8.5
MIMAROPA Region	196	178	185	7	(9.2)	3.9	1.4
Bicol Region	214	224	153	(71)	4.7	(31.7)	1.1
Western Visayas	1,490	1502	1,568	66	0.8	4.4	11.6
Central Visayas	78	74	64	(10)	(5.1)	(13.5)	0.5
Eastern Visayas	58	52	43	(9)	(10.3)	(17.3)	0.3
Zamboanga Peninsula	286	491	726	235	71.7	47.9	5.4
Northern Mindanao	1,308	1,263	1,352	89	(3.4)	7.0	10.0
Davao Region	215	308	321	13	43.3	4.2	2.4
SOCCSKSARGEN	1,169	1,296	940	(356)	10.9	(27.5)	6.9
Caraga	151	167	137	(30)	10.6	(18.0)	1.0
ARMM	173	161	180	19	(6.9)	11.8	1.3

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Note: The percent share of the regions may not sum up to 100 if computed manually due to rounding-off

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TABLE 2 Inventory of Duck Laying Flock by Farmtype Philippines: As of 01 January, 2018-2020^P

Farm type	Inventory (number of birds)			Percent Change		Percent Share to 2020
	2018	2019	2020 ^P	2019/2018	2020/2019	
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
Total	5,655,728	5,996,922	6,543,968	6.0	9.1	100.0
Backyard	3,220,107	3,273,521	3,276,943	1.7	0.1	50.1
Commercial	2,435,621	2,723,401	3,267,025	11.8	20.0	49.9

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**TABLE 3 Monthly Average Farmgate Price of Duck Egg (Commercial)
Philippines: October - December 2017-2019^P**

Month	Average Farmgate Price (peso per piece)			Percent Change	
	2017	2018	2019 ^P	2018/2017	2019/2018
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
Average	6.34	6.38	7.29	0.6	14.3
October	6.35	6.29	7.20	(0.9)	14.5
November	6.17	6.41	7.26	3.9	13.3
December	6.50	6.43	7.40	(1.1)	15.1

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