

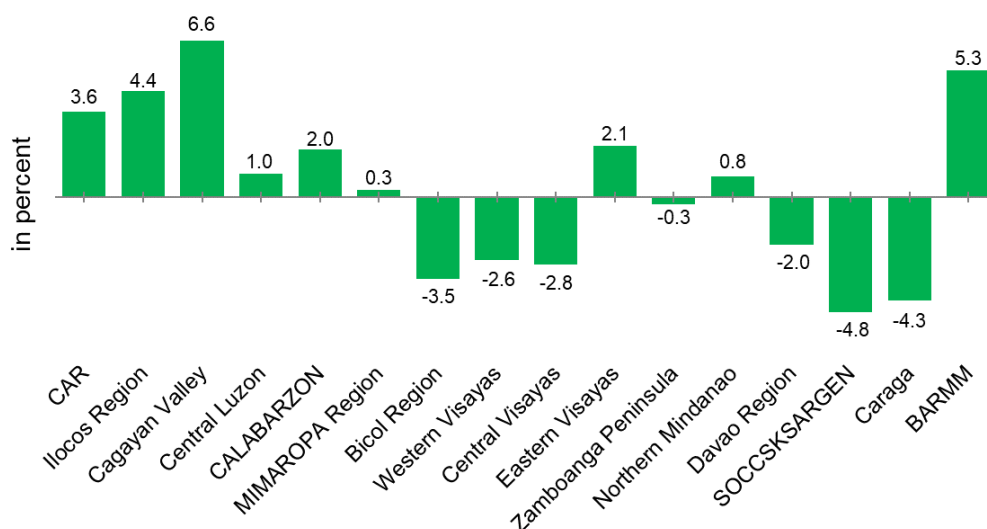
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Cagayan Valley posted the highest increment in agricultural production in 2019 at 6.6 percent

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Figure 1. Growth Rates of Value of Production in Agriculture at Constant 2018 Prices, by Region, 2018 to 2019



In 2019, Cagayan Valley posted the highest increment in agricultural production at 6.6 percent. Agricultural outputs were also higher in BARMM by 5.3 percent, Ilocos Region by 4.4 percent, CAR by 3.6 percent, and Eastern Visayas by 2.1 percent. Likewise, uptrends in production were noted in CALABARZON, Central Luzon, and Northern Mindanao. Agricultural outputs in MIMAROPA Region went up at a slowest pace of 0.3 percent during the period.

Meanwhile, declines in agricultural production were recorded in SOCCSKSARGEN at -4.8 percent, Caraga at -4.3 percent, Bicol Region at -3.5 percent, Central Visayas at -2.8 percent, Western Visayas at -2.6 percent, Davao Region at -2.0 percent, and Zamboanga Peninsula at -0.3 percent (Figure 1 and Table 1.1).

Crop production had the biggest growth in Cagayan Valley at 8.8 percent. Increases in livestock production were highest in SOCCSKSARGEN at 4.2 percent and BARMM at 3.6 percent. Double-digit expansions in poultry production were registered in Bicol Region at 14.0 percent, Eastern Visayas at 12.6 percent, and

Zamboanga Peninsula at 10.7 percent. Fisheries production in Eastern Visayas grew the highest at 13.3 percent (Table 1.1).

Central Luzon accounted for the highest share in the total agricultural output at 14.8 percent. The region also had the biggest production share in livestock at 17.6 percent, poultry at 29.6 percent, and fisheries at 14.7 percent. In terms of crops, Northern Mindanao contributed the largest with 11.2 percent share (Table 1.3).

The value of agricultural production at the regional level serves as input in the estimation of the Gross Regional Domestic Product (GRDP). Following a standard international practice adopted by countries, revision and rebasing of the GRDP is guided by the 2008 UN System of National Accounts.



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Table 1.1 Growth Rates of Value of Production in Agriculture
at Constant 2018 Prices, by Region, 2018 to 2019
(in percent)

Region	Crops	Livestock	Poultry	Fisheries	Agriculture
CAR	4.9	-0.4	-3.8	-4.4	3.6
Ilocos Region	5.3	-0.2	0.0	8.3	4.4
Cagayan Valley	8.8	0.4	-2.8	-4.1	6.6
Central Luzon	3.4	-10.9	7.2	3.7	1.0
CALABARZON	-7.9	3.3	6.4	4.8	2.0
MIMAROPA Region	0.9	-2.9	4.1	0.3	0.3
Bicol Region	-6.6	2.2	14.0	-7.2	-3.5
Western Visayas	-6.7	1.3	5.8	1.7	-2.6
Central Visayas	-10.4	-1.2	3.1	4.2	-2.8
Eastern Visayas	-2.1	0.8	12.6	13.3	2.1
Zamboanga Peninsula	-4.1	-0.5	10.7	5.2	-0.3
Northern Mindanao	0.2	1.8	3.2	0.4	0.8
Davao Region	-3.9	0.7	9.8	-1.8	-2.0
SOCCSKSARGEN	-6.0	4.2	4.8	-10.2	-4.8
Caraga	-4.6	-0.4	-3.8	-6.6	-4.3
BARMM	5.8	3.6	2.5	3.9	5.3

Table 1.2 Growth Rates of Value of Production in Agriculture
at Current Prices, by Region, 2018 to 2019
(in percent)

Region	Crops	Livestock	Poultry	Fisheries	Agriculture
CAR	-10.1	-3.1	7.9	-2.4	-8.1
Ilocos Region	-9.4	-2.5	-2.3	14.1	-4.3
Cagayan Valley	-5.4	-3.8	-2.8	-0.7	-4.9
Central Luzon	-20.6	-21.1	3.2	8.8	-10.5
CALABARZON	-18.6	-8.2	17.8	8.0	-0.6
MIMAROPA Region	-10.1	-10.1	10.9	-4.2	-8.1
Bicol Region	-20.4	-8.7	11.5	-4.0	-12.6
Western Visayas	-12.8	-11.9	4.4	1.8	-8.3
Central Visayas	-17.5	-3.7	0.7	14.1	-5.4
Eastern Visayas	-13.7	-2.4	-10.1	22.4	-5.8
Zamboanga Peninsula	-12.2	-8.0	14.3	5.9	-5.3
Northern Mindanao	-0.6	2.2	3.9	4.1	0.8
Davao Region	9.3	-3.6	8.9	3.0	7.0
SOCCSKSARGEN	-8.1	-3.7	3.8	7.9	-3.7
Caraga	-12.9	-0.7	-5.7	6.7	-7.4
BARMM	3.8	8.1	-15.8	6.8	4.2

Table 1.3 Percentage Distribution of Value of Production in Agriculture
at Constant 2018 Prices, by Region, 2019

Region	Crops	Livestock	Poultry	Fisheries	Agriculture
PHILIPPINES	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
CAR	2.6	1.3	0.6	0.2	1.7
Ilocos Region	7.8	5.4	4.4	6.9	6.8
Cagayan Valley	9.9	3.6	3.2	1.7	6.7
Central Luzon	10.2	17.6	29.6	14.7	14.8
CALABARZON	3.2	16.6	18.8	10.9	8.8
MIMAROPA Region	4.4	3.4	0.9	6.8	4.1
Bicol Region	4.6	6.0	2.9	6.1	4.9
Western Visayas	9.1	8.6	7.7	11.6	9.2
Central Visayas	2.6	8.3	7.1	3.9	4.4
Eastern Visayas	3.7	3.3	2.6	4.3	3.6
Zamboanga Peninsula	4.1	3.4	2.5	7.2	4.2
Northern Mindanao	11.2	8.3	9.0	6.7	9.7
Davao Region	9.5	6.3	4.9	1.9	7.2
SOCCKSARGEN	8.1	5.2	4.1	8.7	7.1
Caraga	2.3	1.5	1.1	2.3	2.0
BARMM	6.8	1.3	0.7	6.4	4.9