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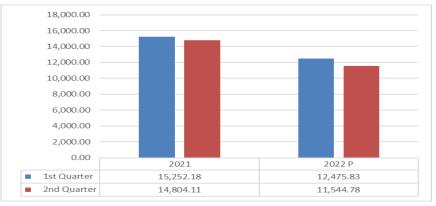
SWINE SITUATION IN ILOCOS REGION 1st Semester 2022

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PRODUCTION

The total hog production in Ilocos Region remarkably narrowed down its output posting a 20.08 percent loss in 2022. The commodity's production was posted at 24,020.61 metric tons, liveweight lower by 6,035.68 metric tons, liveweight from its output in 2021 of 30,056.29 metric tons, liveweight. Both 1st and 2nd quarter 2022 production recorded decreases of 18.20 percent and 22.02 respectively.

Figure 1. Volume of Hog Production by Quarter, Ilocos Region 1st Semester 2021 and 2022 (in metric ton, liveweight)



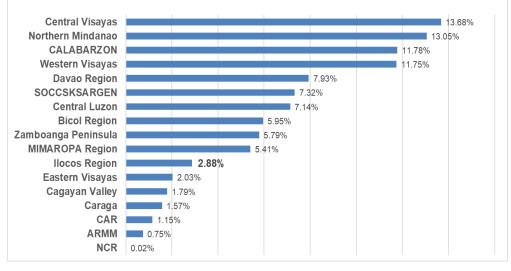
2022P - Preliminary

Source: Philippine Statistics Authority- Backyard Livestock and Poultry Survey (BLPS), Commercial Livestock and Poultry Survey (CLPS), and Compilation of Data from Slaughterhouses and Poultry Dressing Plants (CDSPDP)

Ilocos Region contributed 2.88 percent (Fig. 2) to the national 1st semester 2022 production of 835,125.05 metric tons liveweight, ranking 11th among the hog producing regions in the country.



Figure 2. Percent Contribution to Volume of Hog Production by Region, Philippines,1st Semester 2022 P

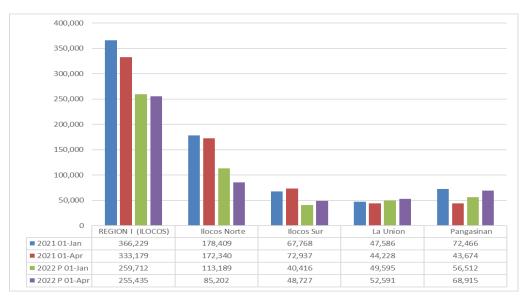


Source: www.psa.gov.ph

INVENTORY

The swine inventory in Ilocos Region as of January 1, 2022 was estimated at 259,712 heads, declined by 29.08 percent from previous year's inventory of 366,229 heads. Moreover, swine inventory as of April 1, 2022 of 255,435 heads decreased by 23.33 percent over last year's level of same reference period.

Figure 3. Inventory of Swine in Ilocos Region by Province as of January 1 and April 1, 2021 and 2022 (in heads)



Source: PSA -2022 BLPS and CLPS 2022 P- Preliminary



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The reduction in the swine population in Ilocos Region as of January 1, 2022 was contributed by Ilocos Norte, Ilocos Sur and Pangasinan with decreases of headcounts by 36.56 percent, 40.36 percent and 22.02 percent respectively. The inventory in Ilocos Norte and Ilocos Sur as of April 1, 2022 further contracted by 50.56 percent and 33.19 percent respectively. On the otherhand, swine headcounts in La Union and Pangasinan as of April 1, 2022 registered increases of 18.91 percent and 57.79 percent respectively as compared to 2021 inventory of same reference period.

PRICES

The average farmgate price of hogs upgraded for slaughter in backyard farms for January to June 2022 went up by 13.30 percent, from PhP 178.73 per kilogram, liveweight in the same period a year ago to PhP 202.51 per kilogram, liveweight this period.

The highest farmgate price was recorded in the month of January 2022 at PhP 214.29 per kilogram, liveweight. The lowest farm price was felt in April 2022 at PhP 187.86 per kilogram, liveweight. Said farmgate price was 1.11 percent lower than the price of April 2021 at Php189.96 per kilogram, liveweight.

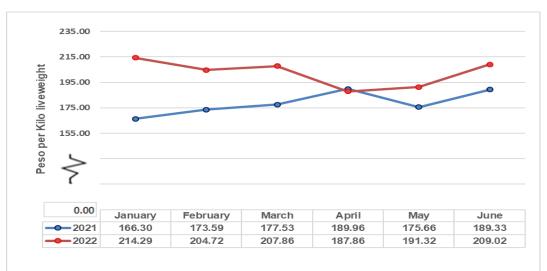


Figure 4. Monthly Average Farmgate Price of Hog for Slaughter (Backyard) Ilocos Region: 1st Semester 2021-2022P

Source: PSA - 2022 Farm Price Survey (FPS)



STATISTICAL TABLES

Table 1. Hog: Volume of Production by Region and by Period, Philippines1st Semester 2021 -2022 (metric tons, liveweight)

	2021			2022			Growth Rate
Geolocation	Q1	Q2	1st Sem	Q1	Q2	1st Sem	1st Sem 2022/2021
PHILIPPINES	421,793.69	406,065.95	827,859.64	416,721.67	418,403.35	835,125.05	0.88
NCR		92.92	92.92	125.88	9.28	135.16	45.46
CAR	5,364.28	5,382.82	10,747.10	5,395.32	4,245.46	9,640.78	-10.29
llocos Region	15,252.18	14,804.11	30,056.29	12,475.83	11,544.78	24,020.61	-20.08
Cagayan Valley	13,825.86	8,462.80	22,288.66	8,160.96	6,822.32	14,983.28	-32.78
Central Luzon	27,193.68	23,952.02	51,145.70	28,547.19	31,060.32	59,607.51	16.54
CALABARZON	44,193.44	39,807.57	84,001.01	51,726.26	46,671.64	98,397.90	17.14
MIMAROPA Region	21,627.87	26,292.61	47,920.48	17,402.96	27,780.06	45,183.02	-5.71
Bicol Region	30,028.34	21,196.53	51,224.87	27,148.85	22,552.55	49,701.40	-2.97
Western Visayas	48,930.92	47,230.58	96,161.50	49,055.32	49,059.00	98,114.32	2.03
Central Visayas	53,660.38	55,152.35	108,812.73	56,834.38	57,429.11	114,263.49	5.01
Eastern Visayas	18,405.58	15,329.84	33,735.42	7,409.02	9,559.39	16,968.41	-49.70
Zamboanga Peninsula	18,336.65	25,719.10	44,055.75	19,543.79	28,799.82	48,343.61	9.73
Northern Mindanao	50,830.44	52,824.49	103,654.93	58,690.81	50,322.59	109,013.40	5.17
Davao Region	32,734.68	29,930.34	62,665.02	34,735.54	31,515.32	66,250.86	5.72
SOCCSKSARGEN	29,419.72	28,966.45	58,386.17	29,767.76	31,396.11	61,163.87	4.76
Caraga	8,557.67	8,329.85	16,887.52	5,966.91	7,123.27	13,090.18	-22.49
ARMM	3,432.00	2,591.57	6,023.57	3,734.90	2,512.35	6,247.25	3.71

Table 2. Inventory of Swine in Ilocos Region by Provinceas of January 1 and April 1, 2021 and 2022 (in heads)

	20	21	202	2 P	Percent Change	
Partculars	01-Jan	01-Apr	01-Jan	01-Apr	Jan 1, 2022/2021	Apr 1, 2022/2021
REGION I (ILOCOS)	366,229	333,179	259,712	255,435	-29.08	-23.33
llocos Norte	178,409	172,340	113,189	85,202	-36.56	-50.56
llocos Sur	67,768	72,937	40,416	48,727	-40.36	-33.19
La Union	47,586	44,228	49,595	52,591	4.22	18.91
Pangasinan	72,466	43,674	56,512	68,915	-22.02	57.79



TECHNICAL NOTES

The data for this report is collected by the PSA through two (2) major surveys, namely the BLPS and the CLPS. Surveys are conducted simultaneously every quarter in all provinces.

Concepts and Definitions

- Volume of Production refers to the number of tended/raised hogs disposed for slaughter including those which were shipped- out for slaughter. This is expressed in metric tons, liveweight.
- **Inventory** refers to the actual number of swine present in the farm as of a specific reference date.
- **Farm price** refers to the price received by raisers for their produce at the location of farm. Thus, marketing costs such as transport and other marketing cost (if any) incurred in selling the produce are not included in the farmgate prices. **Volume of Production**

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