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Marine Municipal Fisheries Production of Ilocos Region Second Quarter 2022

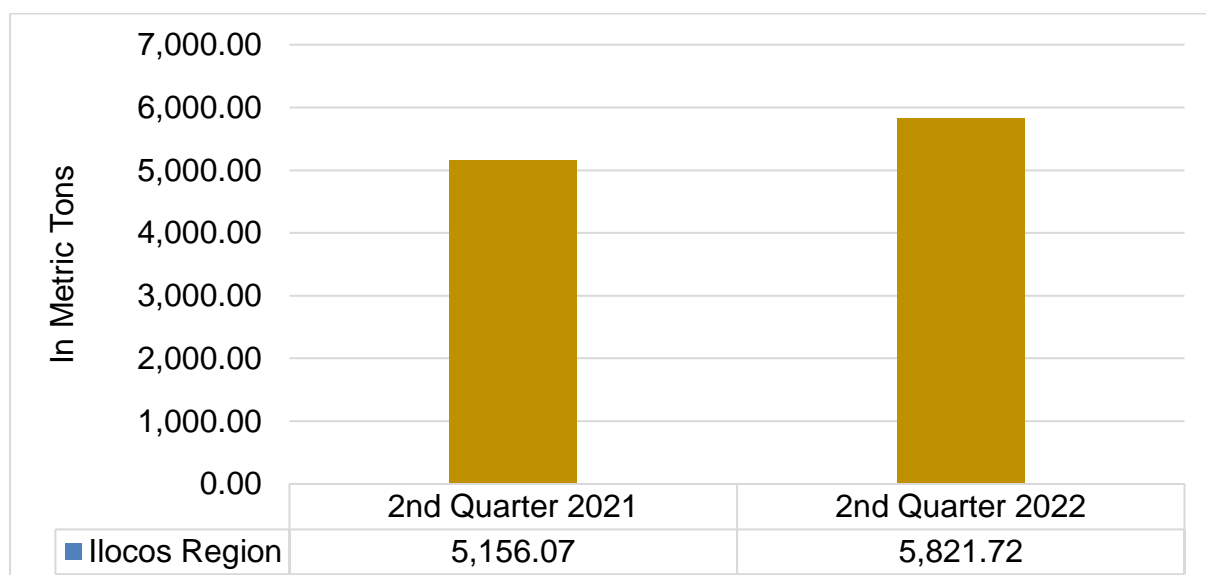
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Marine municipal fisheries volume of production increases to 5,821.72 metric tons

Marine Municipal fisheries volume of production in Ilocos Region was estimated at 5,821.72 metric tons in second quarter 2022. This is higher than the 5,156.07 metric tons production in second quarter 2021 by 12.91 percent. The subsector's output comprised 13.09 percent of the total fisheries volume of production of 44,465.58 metric tons in the region.

Figure 1. Marine Municipal Fisheries Volume of Production Ilocos Region: 2nd Quarter 2021 and 2nd Quarter 2022^P

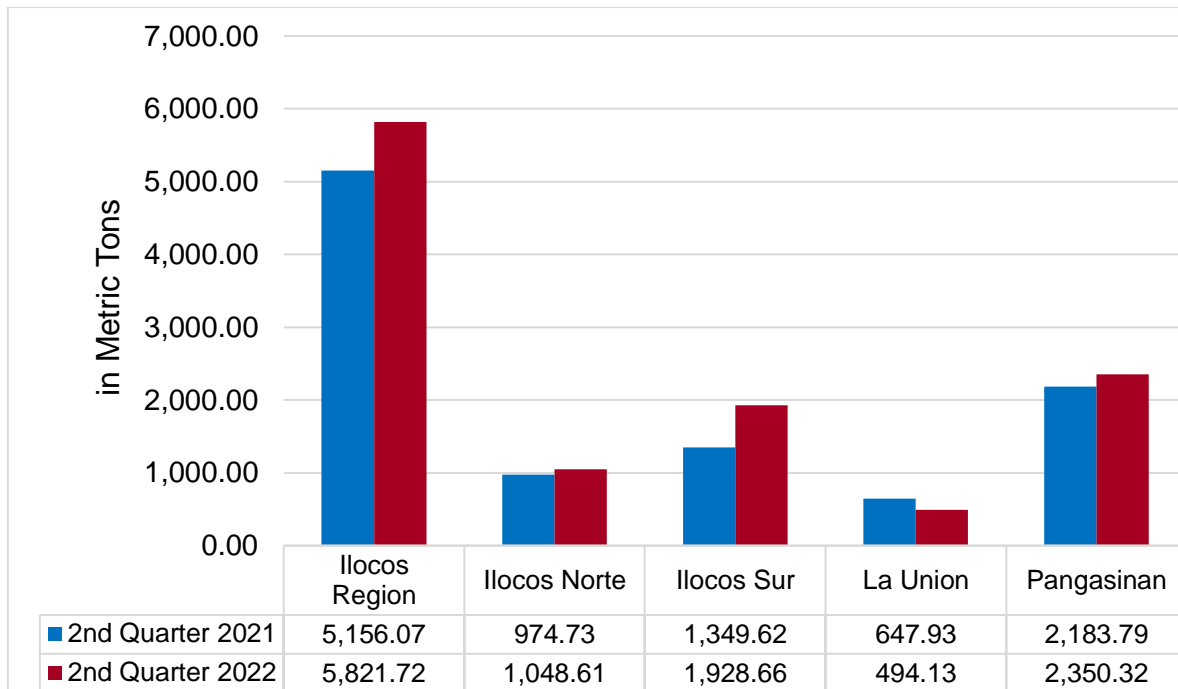


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Source: Philippine Statistics Authority, 2nd Quarter 2021 and 2022 Fisheries Production Survey



Figure 2. Marine Municipal Fisheries Volume of Production by Province, Ilocos Region: 2nd Quarter 2021 and 2nd Quarter 2022^p



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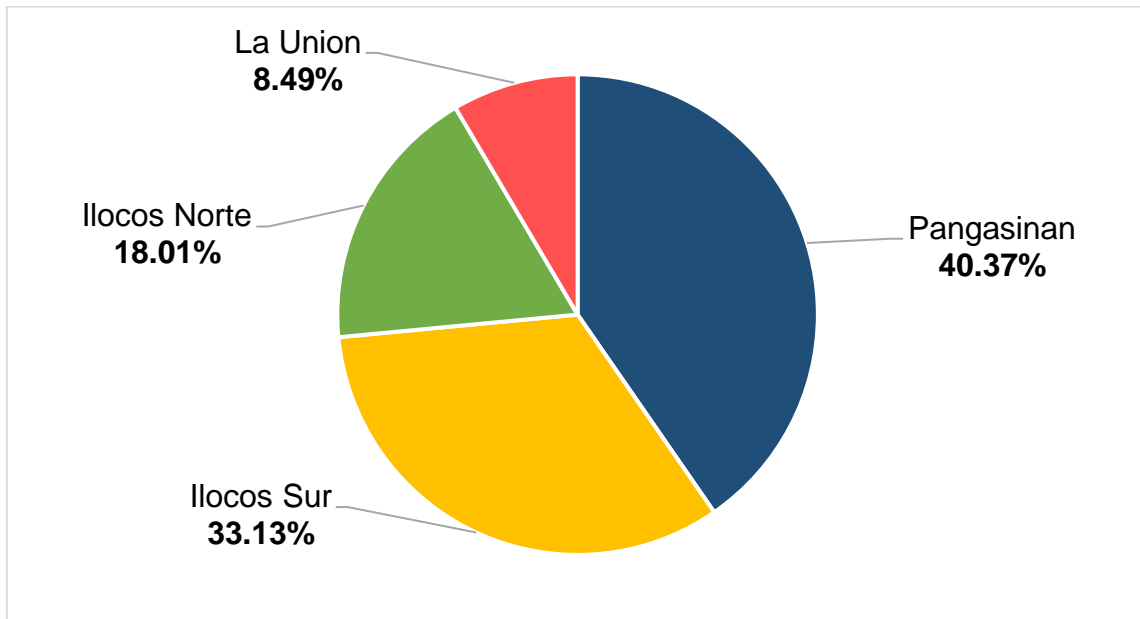
Ilocos Sur registers the highest growth rate in the volume of production

Ilocos Sur had the highest increment in the volume of marine municipal production at 42.90 percent. Pangasinan and Ilocos Norte increases in production by 7.63 percent and 7.58 percent, respectively. On the other hand, the marine municipal fisheries production of La Union declined by 23.74 percent in second quarter 2022.

By provincial share, Pangasinan contributed 2,350.32 metric tons, equivalent to 40.37 percent share of the region's marine municipal production. Ilocos Sur followed with a production of 1,928.66 metric tons or 33.13 percent, and Ilocos Norte at 1,048.61 metric tons equivalent to 18.01 percent. La Union has the least production contributing 494.13 metric tons or 8.49 percent of the total marine municipal production of the region.

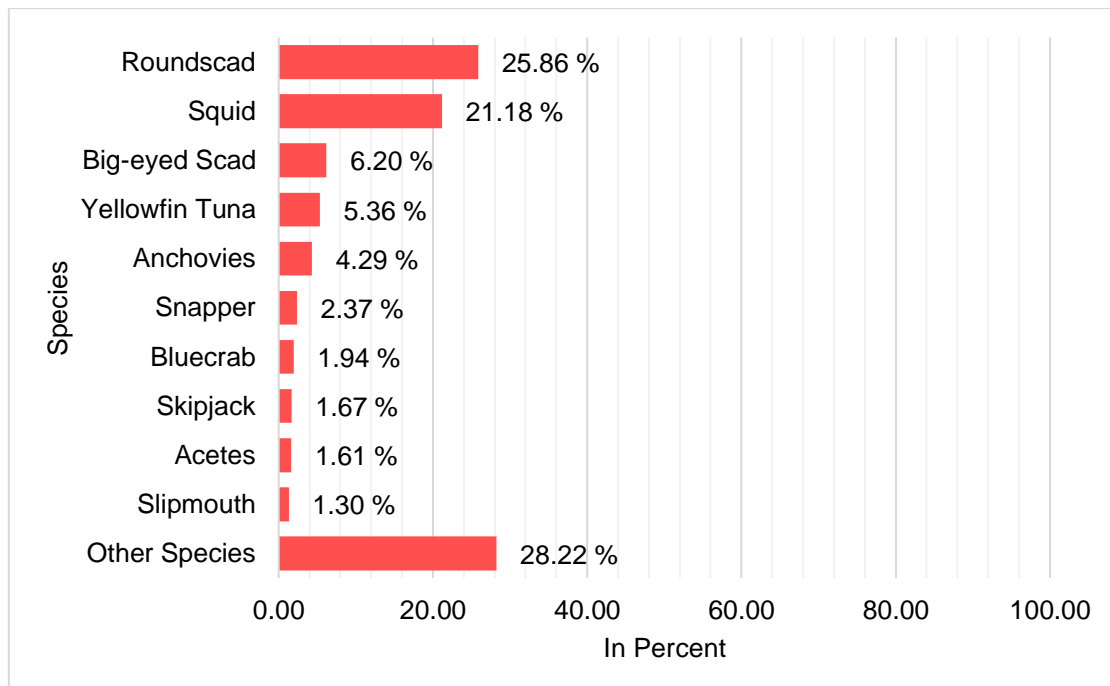


Figure 3. Percentage Distribution of Marine Municipal Fisheries Production by Province, Ilocos Region: 2nd Quarter 2022^p



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Figure 4. Percentage Distribution of Marine Municipal Fisheries Production by Species, Ilocos Region: 2nd Quarter 2022^p



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Roundscad records the highest volume of production

The top 5 species captured in municipal marine fisheries were roundscad, squid, big-eyed scad, yellowfin tuna, and anchovies.

Roundscad posted the highest volume of marine municipal fisheries production of 1,505.54 metric tons, which comprises 25.86 percent of the total marine municipal fisheries production. Squid followed with a production of 1,233.24 metric tons or 21.18 percent, big-eyed scad (360.80 metric tons or 6.20 percent), yellowfin tuna (5.36 percent), and anchovies (4.29 percent).

Table 1. Marine Municipal Fisheries Volume of Production by Specie, Ilocos Region: 2nd Quarter 2021 and 2nd Quarter 2022^p

Species	Volume of Production (In Metric tons)		Growth Rate (%)
	2 nd Quarter 2021	2 nd Quarter 2022 ^p	
TOTAL	5,156.07	5,821.75	12.91
Roundscad	508.70	1,505.54	195.96
Squid	805.89	1,233.24	53.03
Big-eyed Scad	77.64	360.80	364.71
Yellowfin Tuna	388.65	311.86	19.76
Anchovies	109.17	249.80	128.82
Snapper	124.56	137.93	10.73
Bluecrab	171.93	112.75	(34.42)
Skipjack	237.82	97.08	(59.18)
Acetes	31.25	93.89	200.45
Slipmouth	155.60	75.66	(51.38)
Other Species	2,544.86	1,643.20	(35.43)

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TECHNICAL NOTES

The Fisheries Production Survey of the Philippine Statistics Authority (PSA) is divided into four major fisheries surveys. These are the Quarterly Commercial Fisheries Survey (QCFS), Quarterly Municipal Fisheries Survey (QMFS), Quarterly Inland Fisheries Survey (QIFS) and Quarterly Aquaculture Survey (QAqS). The fisheries sector is composed of the three (3) subsectors, namely commercial, municipal fisheries, and aquaculture. The commercial and municipal fisheries surveys aim to provide quarterly data on volume and value of fish production by species, by region, and by province. The aquaculture survey is intended to generate quarterly data on volume and value of cultured species by environment, by type of aquafarm, by region, and by province.

Concepts and Definitions:

Fisheries – all activities relating to the act or business of fishing, culturing, preserving, processing, marketing, developing, conserving and managing aquatic resources and the fishery areas including the privilege to fish or take aquatic resources thereof (RA 8550).

Fisheries Sector – the sector engaged in the production, growing, harvesting, processing, marketing, developing, conserving and managing aquatic resources and fishing areas.

Fishing Grounds – areas in any body of water where fish and other aquatic resources congregate and become the target of capture.

Landing Center – a place where the fish catch and other aquatic products are unloaded and traded.


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