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Performance of Livestock and Poultry in Catanduanes 2019-2020

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PRODUCTION

The total volume of production of livestock and poultry in the province of Catanduanes for the year 2020 reached 8, 793.5 metric tons which was 5.1% higher than the recorded total volume of production of 8, 345.9 metric tons in 2019. (Table 1)

Livestock volume of production in 2020 increased by 4.9% compared to the volume of production in 2019 or from 7, 412.9 metric tons produced in 2019 to 7, 792.1 metric tons produced in 2020. Swine volume of production had the highest increase recorded at 5.1% or from 6, 645.3 metric tons produced in 2019 to 7, 001.3 metric tons produced in 2020. Likewise, Carabao volume of production increased by 4.0% or from 509.4 metric tons produced in 2019 to 530.6 metric tons produced in 2020 while Cattle volume of production posted an increase of 2.8% or from 216.5 metric tons in 2019 to 222.8 metric tons in 2020. Goat volume of production declined by 11.3% or from 41.7 metric tons produced in 2019 to 37.5 metric tons produced in 2020. (Table 1)

On the other hand, poultry volume of production increased by 6.8% or from 933.0 metric tons produced in 2019 to 1, 001.3 metric tons produced in 2020. Duck Egg volume of production increased by 55.2% or from 3.9 metric tons produced in 2019 to 8.0 metric tons produced in 2020. Chicken volume of production increased by 7.4% or from 662.66 metric tons produced in 2019 to 715.3 metric tons produced in 2020 and Chicken Egg volume of production also increased by 4.7% or from 255.9 metric tons produced in 2019 to 268.6 metric tons produced in 2020. Duck volume of production decreased by 22.2% or from 10.8 metric tons produced in 2019 to 8.8% metric tons produced in 2020. (Table 1)

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Table 1. Livestock and Poultry Volume of Production by Animal Type, Catanduanes: 2019-2020

LIVESTOCK/POULTRY	Production (in metric tons)		Percent Change
	2019	2020	
Total	8, 345.9	8, 793.5	5.1
Livestock	7, 412.9	7, 792.1	4.9
Carabao	509.4	530.6	4.0
Cattle	216.5	222.8	2.8
Swine	6, 645.3	7, 001.3	5.1
Goat	41.7	37.5	11.3
Poultry	933.0	1, 001.3	6.8
Chicken	662.6	715.3	7.4
Chicken Egg	255.9	268.6	4.7
Duck	10.8	8.8	22.2
Duck Egg	3.9	8.0	55.2

Source:<http://openstat.psa.gov.ph>

SLAUGHTERED ANIMALS IN SLAUGHTERHOUSES

Slaughtered livestock in slaughterhouses in Catanduanes for 2020 accounted to 102, 311 heads or 9.8% higher than the accounted 92, 284 heads slaughtered in slaughterhouses in 2019. (Table 2)

Swine posted an increase of 10.0% or from 88, 916 heads slaughtered in slaughterhouses in 2019 to 98, 808 heads slaughtered in 2020. Carabao also posted an increase of 4.1% or from 2, 525 heads slaughtered in slaughterhouses in 2019 to 2, 634 heads slaughtered in 2020. Likewise, Cattle increased by 3.0% or from 843 heads slaughtered in slaughterhouses in 2019 to 869 heads slaughtered in 2020.

Table 2. Slaughtered Animals in Slaughterhouses by Type, Catanduanes: 2019-2020

Type of Animal	Slaughtered (Heads)		Percent Change
	2019	2020	
TOTAL	92,284	102,311	9.8
Carabao	2,525	2,634	4.1
Cattle	843	869	3.0
Swine	88,916	98,808	10.0

Source:<http://openstat.psa.gov.ph>

INVENTORY

The total inventory of livestock and poultry in the province of Catanduanes as of 1 January 2021 reached 90, 312 heads which was 88.1% lower than the recorded 169, 882 heads as of 1 January 2020. (Table 3)

Livestock inventory as of 1 January 2021 declined by 151.6% compared to the inventory as of 1 January 2020 or from 77, 854 heads to 30, 943 heads. Carabao, Cattle, Goat and Swine inventory dropped by 9.7%, 11.7%, 11.5% and 205.9% respectively.(Table 3)

On the other hand, Poultry inventory also declined by 55.0% or from 92, 028 birds as of 1 January 2020 to 59, 369 as of 1 January 2021. Chicken inventory declined by 57.5% or from 89, 586 birds to 56, 894 birds. Duck inventory went up by 1.3% or from 2, 442 birds to 2, 475 birds. (Table 3)

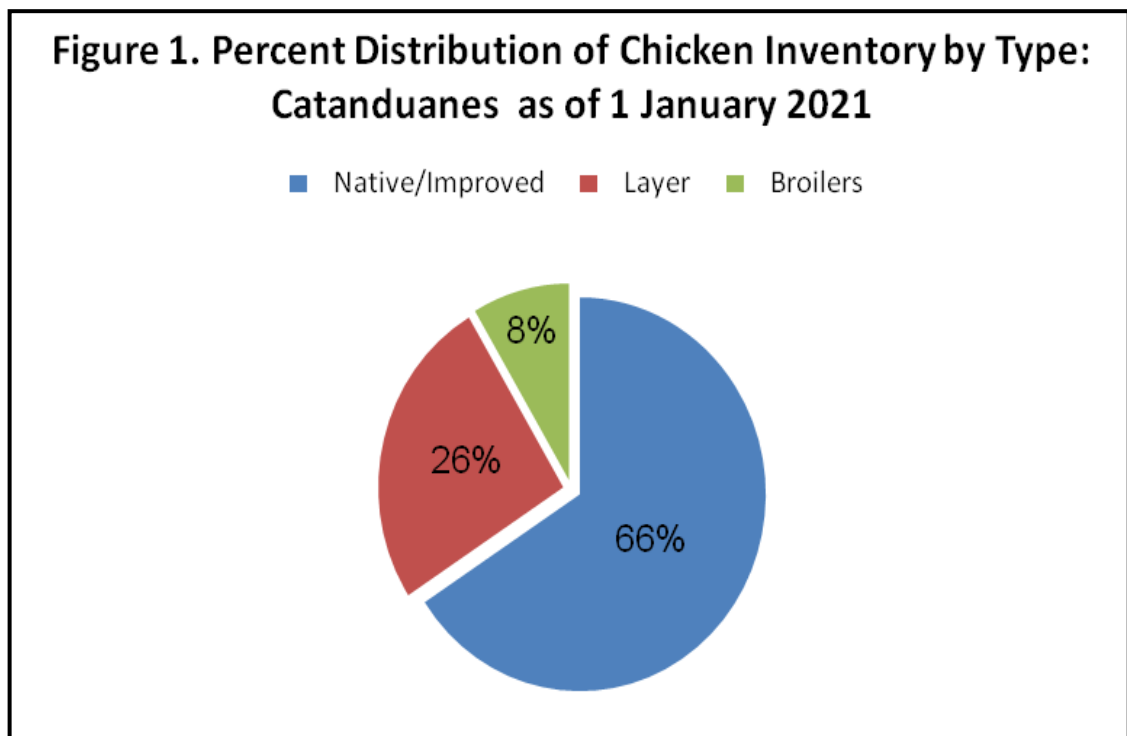
**Table 3. Livestock and Poultry Inventory by Animal Type, Catanduanes:
1 January 2020 and 1 January 2021**

LIVESTOCK/POULTRY	As of 1 January 2020	As of 1 January 2021	Percent Change
TOTAL	169,882	90,312	(88.1)
Livestock	77,854	30,943	(151.6)
Carabao	6,078	5,540	(9.7)
Cattle	1,676	1,560	(11.7)
Goat	1,662	1,490	(11.5)
Swine	68,371	22,353	(205.9)
Poultry	92,028	59,369	(55.0)
Chicken	89,586	56,894	(57.5)
Broilers	6,265	4,863	(28.8)
Layer	15,958	14,613	(9.2)
Native/Improved	67,363	37,418	(80.0)
Duck	2,442	2,475	1.3
Backyard	2,442	705	(246.4)
Commercial	0	1,770	100.0

Source:<http://openstat.psa.gov.ph>

Chicken Inventory

Native/Improved Chicken contributed the highest number of birds with a total chicken inventory of 37, 418 birds or 66% as of 1 January 2021 while Broiler Chicken contributed the least number of birds recorded at 4, 863 birds as of 1 January 2021 or 8%. Layer Chicken contributed 26% of the total Chicken Inventory or 14, 613 birds. (Figure 1)




Source:<http://openstat.psa.gov.ph>

TECHNICAL NOTES

The Livestock and Poultry Performance Report presents the performance situation in terms of production and inventory of carabao, cattle, goat, swine and by type of chicken; and inventory in the slaughterhouses. Moreover, data for this special release were collected by the Philippine Statistics Authority (PSA) through the two (2) major surveys, namely: Backyard Livestock and Poultry Survey (BLPS) and Commercial Livestock and Poultry Survey (CLPS). BLPS is conducted quarterly which covers one (1) of the four (4) replicate samples of the Palay and Corn production Survey (PCPS) while the CLPS collects data in commercial farms.

Another survey that supplements the data requirements of the Livestock and Poultry sector is the Compilation of Data in Slaughterhouses and Poultry Dressing Plants (CDSPDP). This is done monthly and utilizes administrative data from slaughterhouses in the province which is in coordination with the Provincial Veterinary Office (PVO) and Meat Inspectors (MIs).

- **Livestock** – farm animals kept or raised for consumption, work or leisure. In general, poultry is separated as a distinct group of farm animals. For purposes of census and surveys, livestock covers only those that are tended and raised by an operator.
- **Poultry** - a collective term for all domesticated avian for the purpose of food consumption or, the carcass of such avian dressed/processed for human consumption.
- **Animal Inventory (also, Animal Population)** – the number of domesticated animals in head present in the farm at specific reference date.
- **Backyard Farm/Raiser**-refers to any farm or household raising at least one head of animal or bird and does not qualify as a commercial farm.
- **Dressing**-the progressive separation on the dressing floor of food animal into carcass, offal and inedible by- products.
- **Slaughter**- refers to butchering of animal for the purpose of human consumption.
- **Slaughterhouse/Dressing Plant**- the premises that are approved and registered by a controlling authority in which food animals/birds are slaughtered and dressed for human consumption.



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