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## GOAT SITUATION REPORT in Central Visayas July-September 2022 Preliminary Result

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The total goat production of Central Visayas from July to September 2022 was estimated at 2.49 thousand metric tons, liveweight. This was 13.6 percent higher than the previous year’s same quarter production of 2.19 thousand metric tons, liveweight. (Figure 1 and Table 1)

Figure 1. Volume of Production  
 (in thousand metric tons, liveweight)  
 Bv Region: July- September 2022<sup>P</sup>

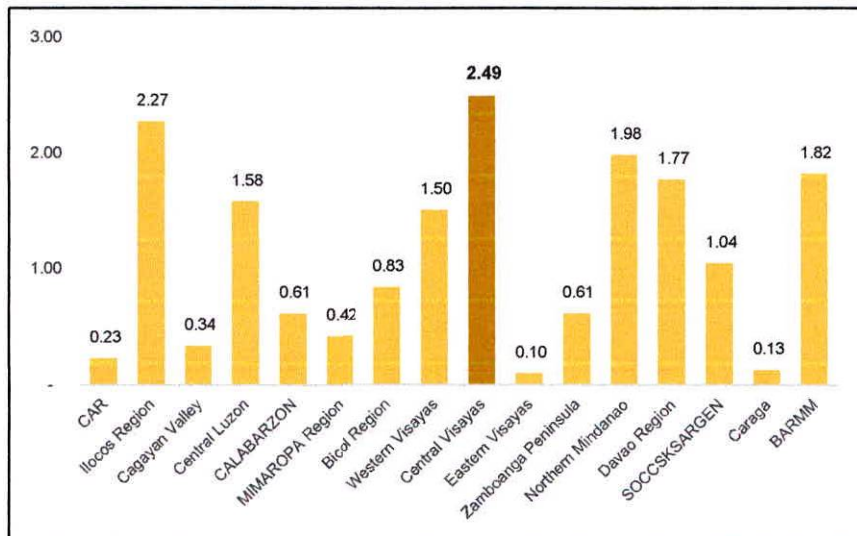
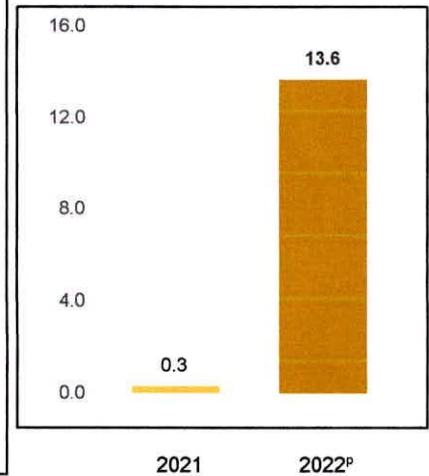
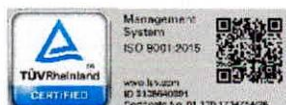


Figure 2 Growth Rate (in percent)  
 Central Visayas



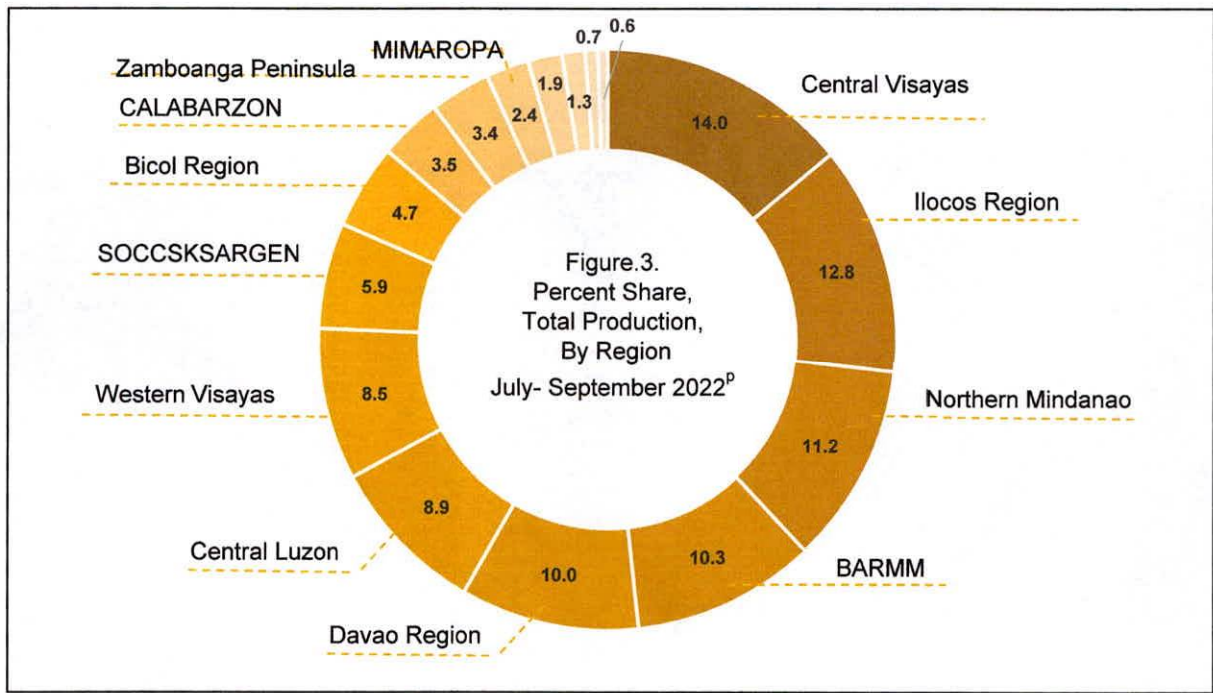
Source: Philippine Statistics Authority  
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Among all regions, Central Visayas was the top producer of goat during the quarter followed by Ilocos Region with 2.27 thousand metric tons, liveweight and Northern Mindanao with 1.98 thousand metric tons, liveweight. Meanwhile, Eastern Visayas accounted with the lowest goat production at 0.10 thousand metric tons, liveweight. (Figure 1 and Table 1)





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In terms of production, the region’s percent share was the biggest among all regions at 14.0 percent to the country’s total goat production. Among the major producing regions were Ilocos Region, Northern Mindanao, and BARMM with 12.8 percent share, 11.2 percent share and 10.3 percent share, respectively. These regions including Central Visayas constituted 48.3 percent share of the country’s total goat production. (Figure 3 and Table 1)

On other hand, the bottom four regions were Cagayan Valley, CAR, Caraga and Eastern Visayas with 1.9 percent share, 1.3 percent share, 0.7 percent share and 0.6 percent share, respectively. (Figure 3 and Table 1)

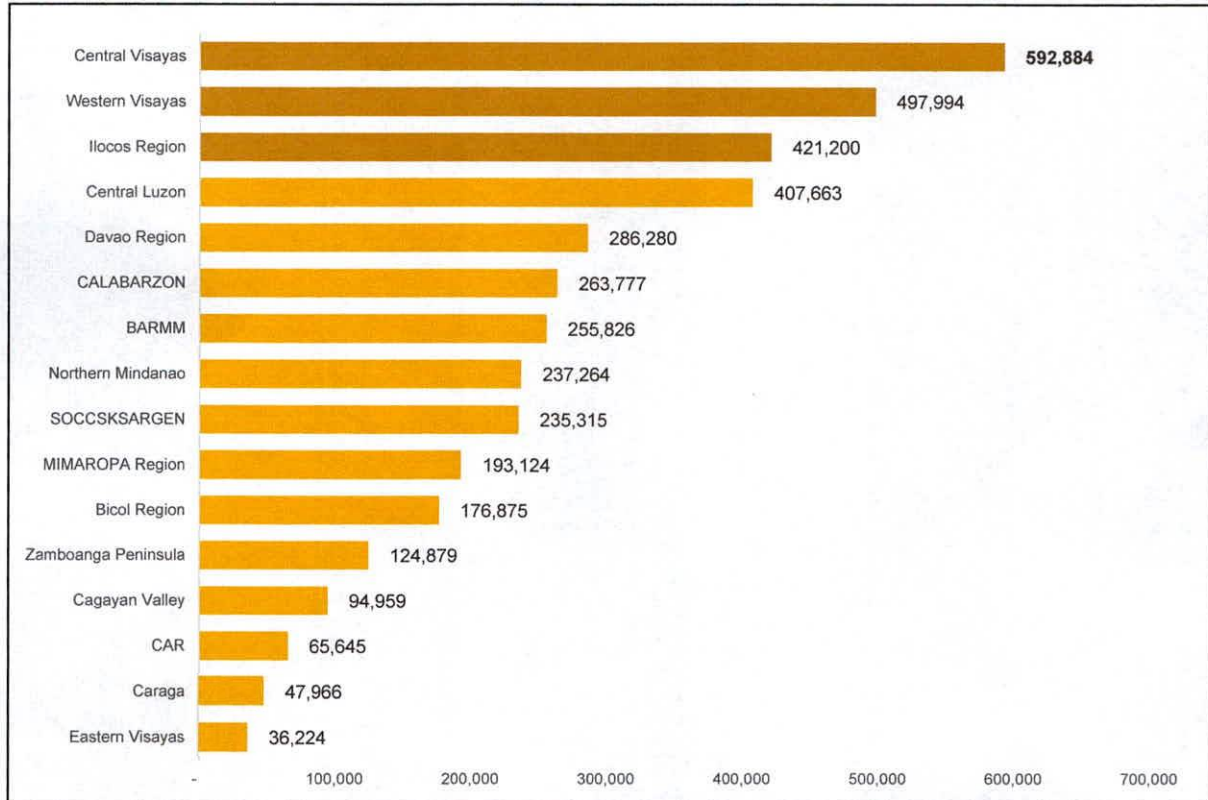
Relative to their levels in the same quarter of 2021, nine regions posted reductions in their output during the quarter. In terms of level, Ilocos Region registered the highest decline of 0.24 thousand metric tons, liveweight from 2.51 thousand metric tons, liveweight in the same quarter of the previous year to 2.27 thousand metric tons, liveweight this third quarter of 2021. (Table 1)





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Fig. 4. Distribution of Goat Inventory, By Region  
As of 30 September 2022<sup>P</sup>



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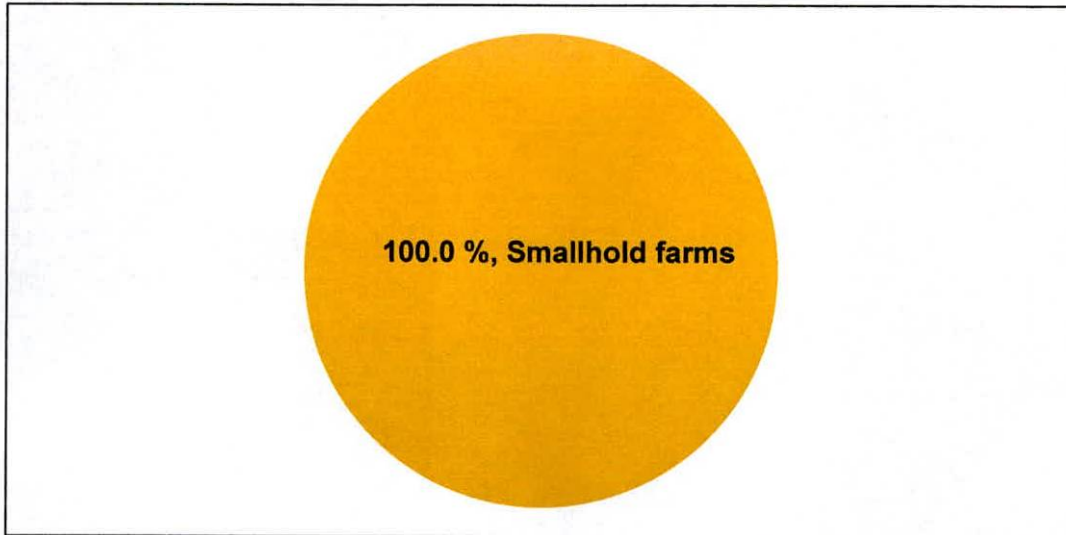
As of 30 September 2022, Central Visayas total goat inventory was estimated at 592,884 heads. The region contributed highest inventory accounted 15.1 percent share of the country’s total goat inventory. This was followed by Western Visayas, and Ilocos Region with respective shares of 12.6 percent, and 10.7 percent. These three regions comprised 38.4 percent share of the country’s total goat population. (Figure 4 and Table 2)





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Fig.5. Distribution of Goat Inventory by Classification\*  
Central Visayas: as of 30 September 2022<sup>P</sup>



\*- Based on new classification of animals per PSA Board Resolution No. 04,  
series of 2022 dated 13 May 2022  
P- preliminary  
Source: Philippine Statistics Authority

The region's total inventory was accounted solely for smallhold farms. No accounted inventory for semi-commercial and commercial farms for the region.

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## STATISTICAL TABLES

**Table 1. Volume of Goat Production by Region, July- September 2022<sup>P</sup>**

Region	Production (in thousand metric tons, liveweight)			Growth Rate		Percent Share to 2022 <sup>P</sup>	Rank
	2020	2021	2022 <sup>P</sup>	19-20	20-21 <sup>P</sup>		
<b>Philippines</b>	<b>19.27</b>	<b>17.74</b>	<b>17.72</b>	<b>-7.9</b>	<b>-0.1</b>	<b>100.0</b>	
CAR	0.21	0.21	0.23	2.9	9.5	1.3	14
Ilocos Region	2.67	2.51	2.27	-6.1	-9.5	12.8	2
Cagayan Valley	0.34	0.34	0.34	1.5	-1.5	1.9	13
Central Luzon	2.43	1.67	1.58	-31.3	-5.1	8.9	6
CALABARZON	0.52	0.60	0.61	13.5	3.0	3.5	10
MIMAROPA Region	0.72	0.48	0.42	-32.9	-13.3	2.4	12
Bicol Region	1.00	0.85	0.83	-15.1	-2.1	4.7	9
Western Visayas	1.64	1.49	1.50	-9.1	0.4	8.5	7
<b>Central Visayas</b>	<b>2.18</b>	<b>2.19</b>	<b>2.49</b>	<b>0.3</b>	<b>13.6</b>	<b>14.0</b>	<b>1</b>
Eastern Visayas	0.11	0.18	0.10	62.5	-46.2	0.6	16
Zamboanga Peninsula	0.92	0.62	0.61	-32.8	-1.9	3.4	11
Northern Mindanao	1.70	1.78	1.98	4.7	11.5	11.2	3
Davao Region	1.10	1.71	1.77	56.0	3.3	10.0	5
SOCCSKSARGEN	1.30	1.01	1.04	-22.2	3.0	5.9	8
Caraga	0.22	0.20	0.13	-10.5	-35.0	0.7	15
BARMM	2.20	1.90	1.82	-13.7	-4.3	10.3	4

<sup>P</sup>-Preliminary

Note: Details may not add up to total due to rounding. Growth rates and percent share may yield different results when computed manually due to rounding.

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**Table 2. Goat Inventory by Region, Philippines  
As of 30 September 2022<sup>p</sup>**

Region	Inventory (in number of heads)				Percent Share to 2022 <sup>p</sup>
	Smallhold	Semi- commercial	Commercial	Total	
<b>Philippines</b>	<b>3,906,049</b>	<b>18,675</b>	<b>13,151</b>	<b>3,937,875</b>	<b>100.0</b>
CAR	65,645	..	..	65,645	1.7
Ilocos Region	420,835	365	..	421,200	10.7
Cagayan Valley	93,859	1,100	..	94,959	2.4
Central Luzon	404,986	645	2,032	407,663	10.4
CALABARZON	246,589	11,224	5,964	263,777	6.7
MIMAROPA Region	190,145	653	2,326	193,124	4.9
Bicol Region	175,706	224	945	176,875	4.5
Western Visayas	495,639	2,355	..	497,994	12.6
<b>Central Visayas</b>	<b>592,884</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>592,884</b>	<b>15.1</b>
Eastern Visayas	36,224	..	..	36,224	0.9
Zamboanga Peninsula	124,576	..	303	124,879	3.2
Northern Mindanao	236,626	638	..	237,264	6.0
Davao Region	285,009	879	392	286,280	7.3
SOCCKSARGEN	234,136	355	824	235,315	6.0
Caraga	47,364	237	365	47,966	1.2
BARMM	255,826	..	..	255,826	6.5

*p -Preliminary*

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## EXPLANATORY NOTES

This Goat Situation Report presents the goat industry in terms of volume of production, inventory by region, and average farmgate prices. The report is prepared to serve as a ready reference for the various clients and stakeholders in the agriculture sector of the Philippine Statistics Authority (PSA). It is released quarterly, that is, every February, May, August, and November.

### Concepts and Definitions

**Volume of production** refers to the number of tended/raised goat disposed for slaughter including animals shipped-out for slaughter. This is expressed in metric tons, liveweight.

**Inventory** refers to the actual number of goat present in the farm as of a specific reference date. The following are the new farm classifications and definitions based on the approved PSA Board Resolution No. 04, series of 2022:

Classification	Definition*
Smallhold	Tending not more than 35 does
Semi-commercial	Tending 36-100 does
Commercial	Tending more than 100 heads of does

\*Based on Animal Unit index.

The data on inventory of goat by farm type (i.e., backyard and commercial) can still be accessed in the OpenSTAT website of PSA with the link: [https://openstat.psa.gov.ph/PXWeb/pxweb/en/DB/DB\\_\\_2E\\_\\_LP/0022E4FINL0.px/?rxid=bdf9d8da-96f1-4100-ae09-18cb3eae313\\_](https://openstat.psa.gov.ph/PXWeb/pxweb/en/DB/DB__2E__LP/0022E4FINL0.px/?rxid=bdf9d8da-96f1-4100-ae09-18cb3eae313_)

**Farmgate price** refers to the price received by raisers for their produce at the location of farm. Thus, marketing costs, such as the transport and other marketing costs (if any) incurred in selling the produce, are not included in the farmgate prices. The 2020 to 2021 farmgate prices included in this special release were sourced from Price Statistics Division (PSD), while the 2022 farmgate prices were based on the surveys of Livestock and Poultry Statistics Division (LPSD).



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