

SPECIAL RELEASE

Livestock and Poultry Volume Production in Aurora: Second Quarter 2024

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Poultry Products Production in metric tons in Aurora Increased by 0.83 percent

The total volume of poultry products in Aurora slightly increased to 204.84 metric tons in 2024 from 203.15 metric tons in 2023 or by 0.83 percent growth. (Table 1)

The total poultry production in Aurora was comprised of all poultry products such as chicken, chicken egg, duck and duck eggs. Among the total poultry production on the second quarter of 2024, chicken recorded the highest production with 142.44 metric tons, followed by chicken egg with 36.56 production. On the other hand, duck egg registered the lowest production with 35.76 percent decrease in 2024.

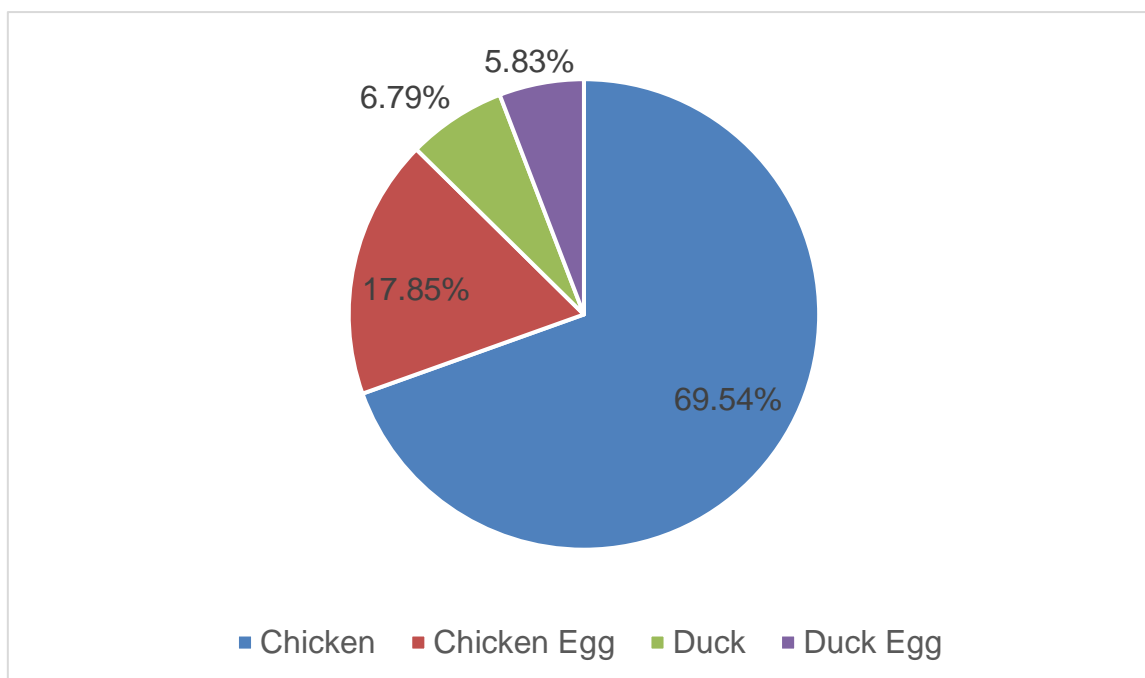
Table 1. Volume of Production by Poultry Products in Aurora, 2024

Poultry	Production (metric tons)		Percent Change
	As of July 01, 2023	As of July 01, 2024	
TOTAL	203.15	204.84	0.83
Chicken	138.52	142.44	2.83
Chicken Egg	32.34	36.56	13.05
Duck	13.73	13.91	1.31
Duck Egg	18.57	11.93	-35.76

Source: Philippine Statistics Authority, Poultry Production by Type Survey

Among these poultry products, chicken contributed 69.54 percent of the total volume of production on the second quarter of 2024, followed by chicken egg at 17.85 percent. Meanwhile, duck egg had the least share in the volume of production with 5.83 percent. (Figure 1)

Figure 1. Percentage of Volume production by Poultry Products in Aurora Second Quarter 2024



Source: Philippine Statistics Authority, Poultry Production by Type Survey

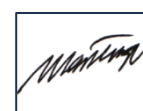
Livestock Production in metric tons in Aurora decreased by 31.29 percent

The total livestock production in Aurora was comprised of carabao, cattle, hog, and goat. Among these animals, hog production contributed to the decrease by recording a 42.02 percent or 600.61 metric tons in 2024 from 1,035.83 metric tons in 2023. Meanwhile, cattle recorded the highest increase at 45.26 percent, followed by goat at 3.55 percent increase. (Table 2)

Table 2. Volume of Livestock Production by Animal Type in Aurora, 2024

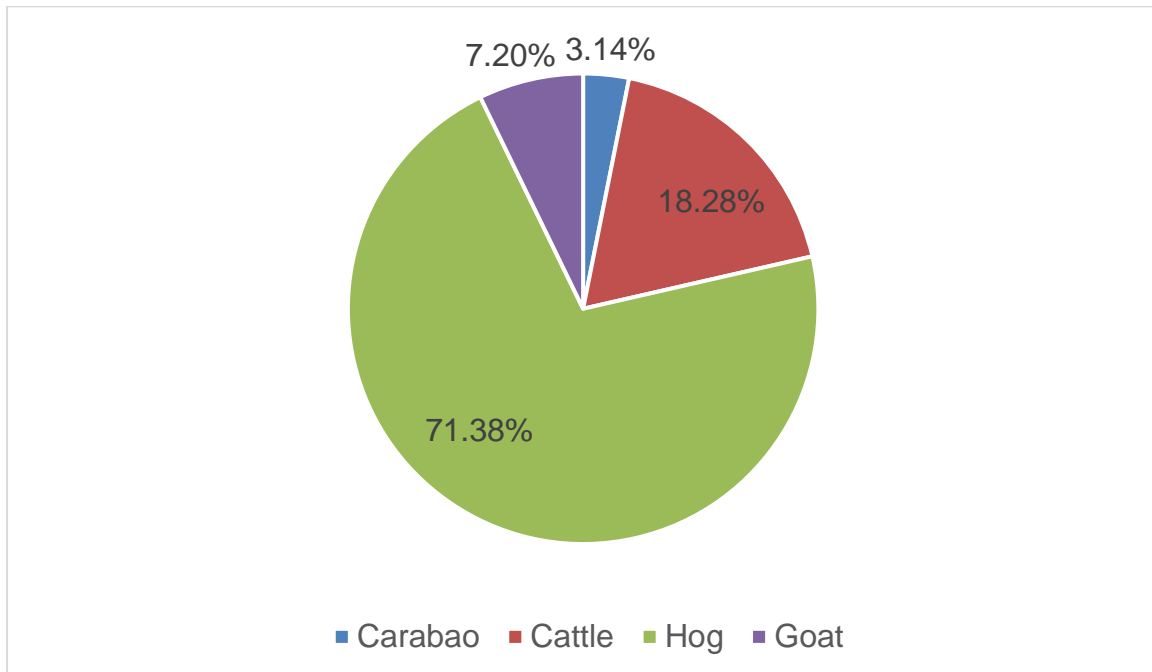
Livestock	Production (metric tons)		Percent Change
	As of July 01, 2023	As of July 01, 2024	
TOTAL	1,224.63	841.42	-31.29
Carabao	24.40	26.40	8.20
Cattle	105.91	153.85	45.26
Hog	1035.83	600.61	-42.02
Goat	58.48	60.56	3.55

Source: Philippine Statistics Authority, Livestock Production by Animal Type Survey



In addition to this, hogs had the highest percent share in livestock production at 71.38 percent on the second quarter of 2024, followed by the production of cattle at 18.28 percent. Carabao had the least contribution on the volume of livestock production with 3.14 percent share. (Figure 2)

Figure 2. Percentage of Volume of Livestock Production: Second Quarter 2024



Source: Philippine Statistics Authority, Livestock Production by Animal Type Survey

Number of Heads of Animals Slaughtered in Slaughterhouses in Aurora Decreased by 10.85 percent

The total heads of livestock slaughtered in Aurora declined to 6,974 heads in 2024 from 7,823 heads in 2023 or by -10.85 percent. Goat posted the highest decline with 60 percent. (Table 3)

Out of the 2024 total heads slaughtered, hogs contributed 6,361 heads or 91.21 percent while cattle came in second with 507 heads or 7.27 percent shared. On the other hand, goat had the least percent share of 0.03 percent. (Table 3 and Figure 3)

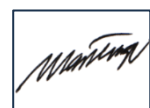
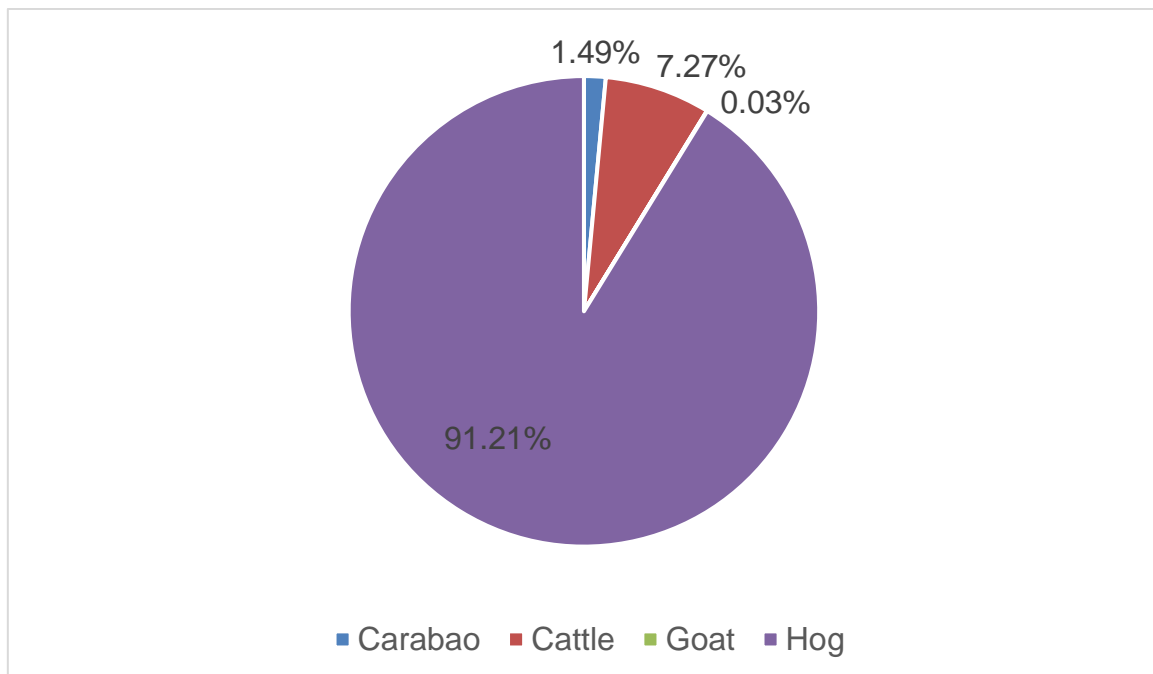


Table 3. Volume of Animals Slaughtered in Slaughterhouses by Animal in Aurora 2024


Livestock	Slaughtered in Slaughterhouses (heads)		Percent Change
	As of July 01, 2023	As of July 01, 2024	
TOTAL	7,823	6,974	-10.85
Carabao	92	104	13.04
Cattle	563	507	-9.95
Hog	7,163	6,361	-11.20
Goat	5	2	-60

Source: Philippine Statistics Authority, Animals Slaughtered in Slaughterhouses by Animal Type Survey

Figure 3. Percentage of Animals Slaughtered in Slaughterhouses in Aurora 2024



Source: Philippine Statistics Authority, Animals Slaughtered in Slaughterhouses by Animal Type Survey


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TECHNICAL NOTES

The Livestock and Poultry Performance Report presents an overview of the performance trends in terms of inventory for carabao, cattle, goat, swine, and various types of chickens, along with the volume of production, including chicken eggs. The data for this special release were meticulously gathered by the Philippine Statistics Authority (PSA) through two primary surveys: (1) The Backyard Livestock and Poultry Survey (BLPS), conducted on a quarterly basis, covers a comprehensive sample size of 200 households. This survey serves to capture the dynamics of livestock and poultry inventory at the household level; (2) The Commercial Livestock and Poultry Survey (CLPS), also administered quarterly, encompasses a broader scope. It involves data collection from various sectors, including swine farms and layer farms, all as of July 1, 2023 and July 1, 2024.

Another survey that supplements the data requirements of the Livestock and Poultry sector is the Compilation of Data Slaughterhouses and Poultry Dressing Plants (CDSPDP). This is done monthly and utilizes administrative data from Locally Registered Meat Establishments (LRMEs) 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.
- 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.

