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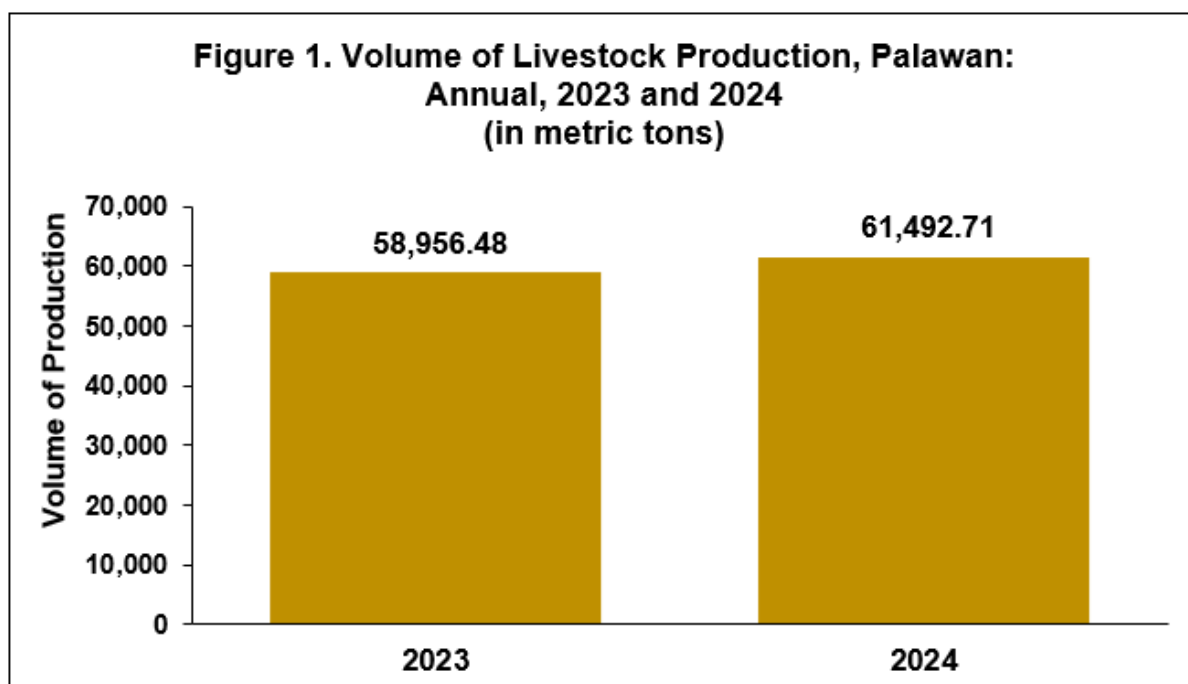
Livestock and Poultry Statistics in Palawan Annual 2024

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Volume of Livestock Production

In 2024, the total volume of livestock production in Palawan was estimated at 61,492.71 metric tons, liveweight. It posted an increase of 4.30 percent from the 58,956.48 metric tons, liveweight production in 2023. By animal type, production from hog and cattle increased, while production from goat and carabao decreased.



Source: Philippine Statistics Authority

Production by Animal Type

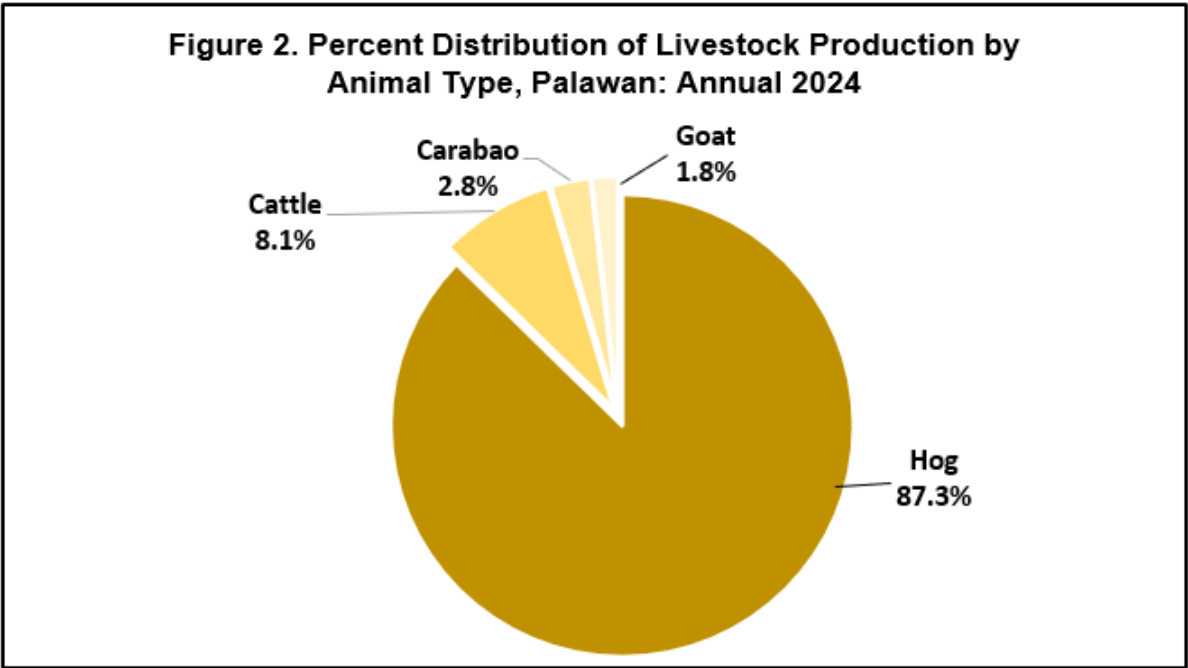
The 2024 hog production in the province was estimated at 53,694.05 metric tons, liveweight. This was 6.31 percent higher (3,187.20 metric tons) than the 2023 output of 50,506.85 metric tons, liveweight. This animal type contributed 87.3 percent share to the total livestock production of the province.

Cattle production in 2024 was estimated at 4,964.83 metric tons, liveweight. This was 3.0 percent higher (144.63 metric tons) than the 2023 output of 4,820.20 metric tons, liveweight. This animal type contributed 8.1 percent share to the total livestock production of the province.

Table 1. Volume of Livestock Production by Animal Type: Palawan, Annual 2023 and Annual 2024 (in metric tons)		
Animal Type	Reference Year	
	2023	2024
Hog	50,506.85	53,694.05
Cattle	4,820.20	4,964.83
Carabao	2,216.06	1,706.48
Goat	1,413.38	1,127.36

Source: Philippine Statistics Authority

Carabao production was estimated at 1,706.48 metric tons, liveweight in 2024. This was 23.0 percent lower (509.58 metric tons) than the 2023 output of 2,216.06 metric tons, liveweight. This animal type contributed 2.8 percent share to the total livestock production of the province.

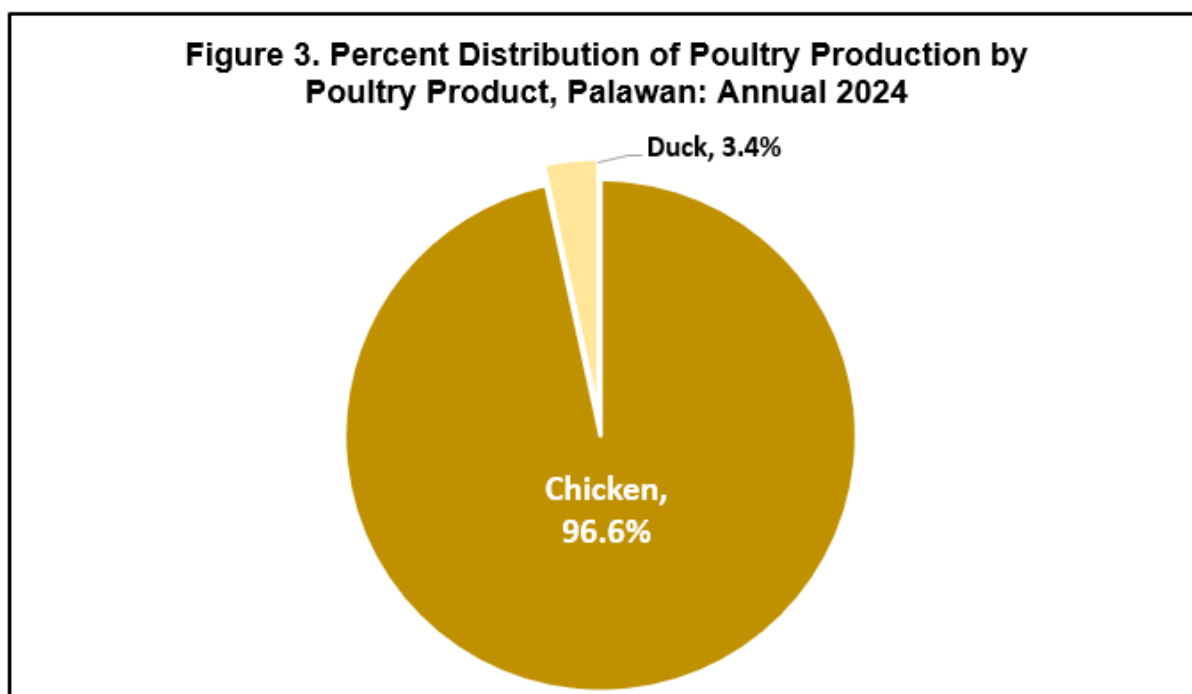


Source: Philippine Statistics Authority

The 2024 goat production was estimated at 1,127.36 metric tons, liveweight. This was 20.24 percent lower (286.03 metric tons) than the 2023 output of 1,413.38 metric tons, liveweight. This animal type contributed 1.8 percent share to the total livestock production of the province.

Volume of Poultry Production

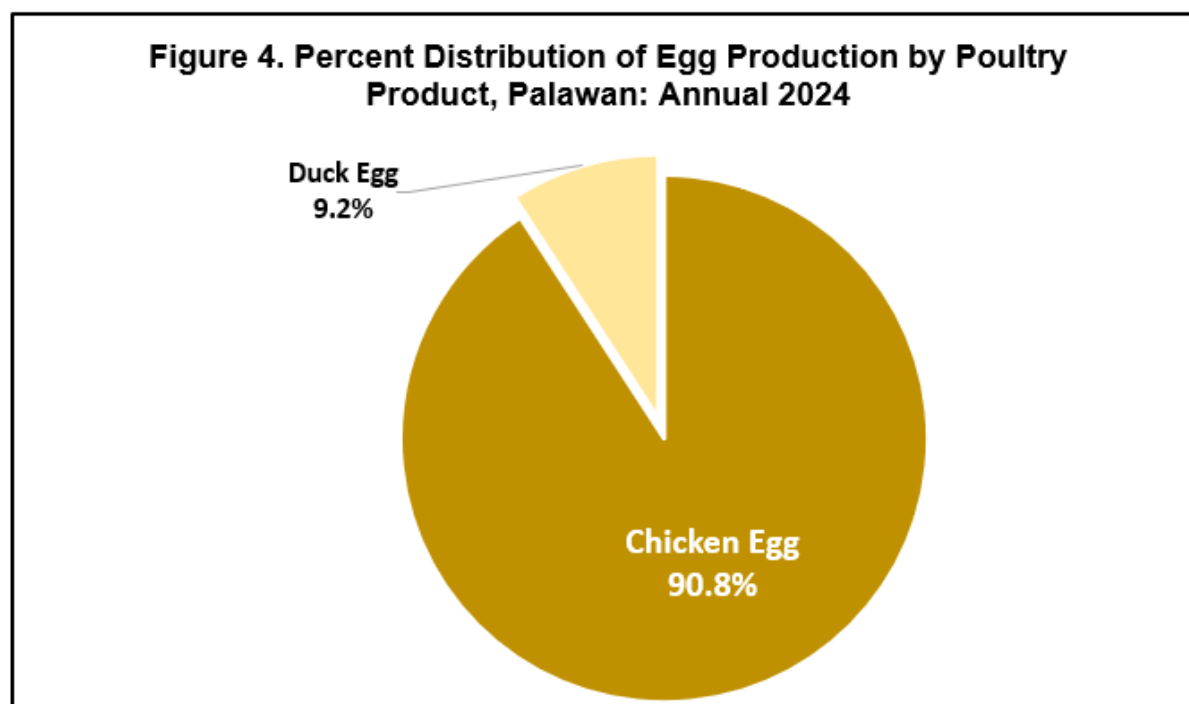
The total volume of poultry production in Palawan was estimated at 6,929.33 metric tons in 2024. It posted an increase of 21.1 percent or about 1,208.81 metric tons from the 5,720.52 metric tons production in 2023. This was brought about by increased chicken production which had 96.6 percent share of the total poultry production in the province.



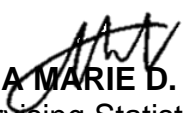
Source: Philippine Statistics Authority

Volume of Eggs Production

In 2024, the total volume of egg production in Palawan was estimated at 3,253.22 metric tons. It posted a decrease of 22.46 percent (942.30 metric tons) from the 4,195.52 metric tons production in 2023. This was brought about by the decrease in chicken egg production which had 90.81 percent share of the total egg production in the province.



Source: Philippine Statistics Authority


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Technical Notes

The **Livestock and Poultry Situation Report** presents the data on volume of production of livestock, poultry and poultry products derived from the Livestock and Poultry Survey-Household and Livestock and Poultry Survey-Establishment conducted by the Philippine Statistics Authority and collected administrative data from Compilation of Data from Slaughterhouses and Poultry Dressing Plants (CDSPDP).

DEFINITION OF TERMS

Livestock is commonly defined as domesticated animals raised in an agricultural setting to produce labor and commodities such as meat, eggs, milk, fur, leather, and wool. Livestock in this publication includes hog, cattle, goat and carabao.

Poultry can be defined as domestic fowls raised for the production of meat or eggs. Poultry in this publication includes chicken and duck.

Volume of Production is total weight in metric tons of the locally- raised livestock and poultry (and poultry products) disposed for slaughter which includes animals shipped-out for slaughter.