

SPECIAL RELEASE

SWINE SITUATION REPORT 3RD QUARTER 2024 DAVAO OCCIDENTAL



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Swine Inventory decreased by 7.7 percent in the province

The total inventory of swine in Davao Occidental recorded at 32,268 heads as of 01 July 2024. This reflects a decline of 7.7 percent compared to the 34,969 heads reported during the same period in 2023 (*Table 1*).

**Table 1. Swine Inventory by Farm Classification as of 01 July 2023 and 01 July 2024¹:
Davao Occidental**

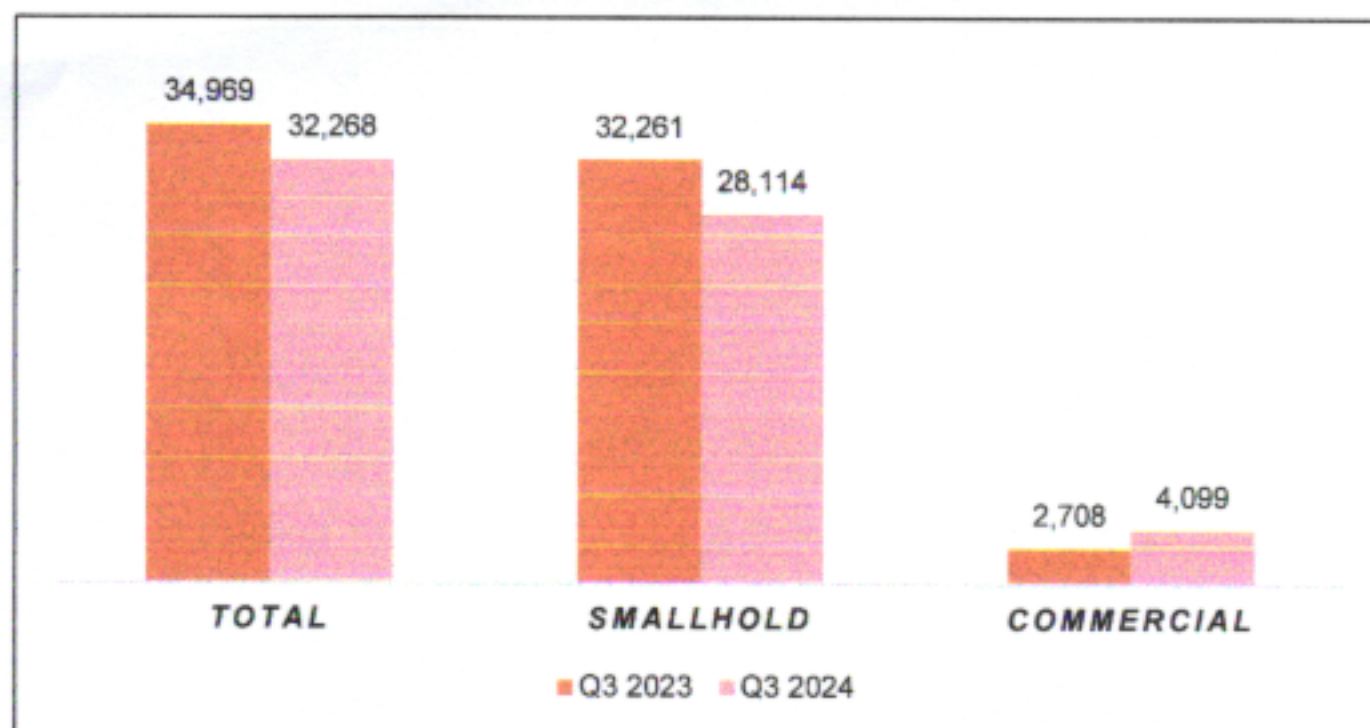
Farm Classification	Swine Inventory (Heads)		% Change
	Q3 2023	Q3 2024	
TOTAL	34,969	32,268	-7.7
Smallhold	32,261	28,114	-12.9
Semi-commercial	-	55	
Commercial	2,708	4,099	51.4

¹: Revised

Source: Philippine Statistics Authority, Livestock and Poultry Survey (openstat.psa.gov.ph)

Commercial farm posted a significant increase of 51.4 percent among the other farm classifications, rising from 2,708 heads in 01 July 2023 to 4,099 heads during the same period in 2024.

Figure 1. Davao Occidental Swine Inventory (in Heads) by Farm Classification: As of 01 July 2023 and 01 July 2024^r

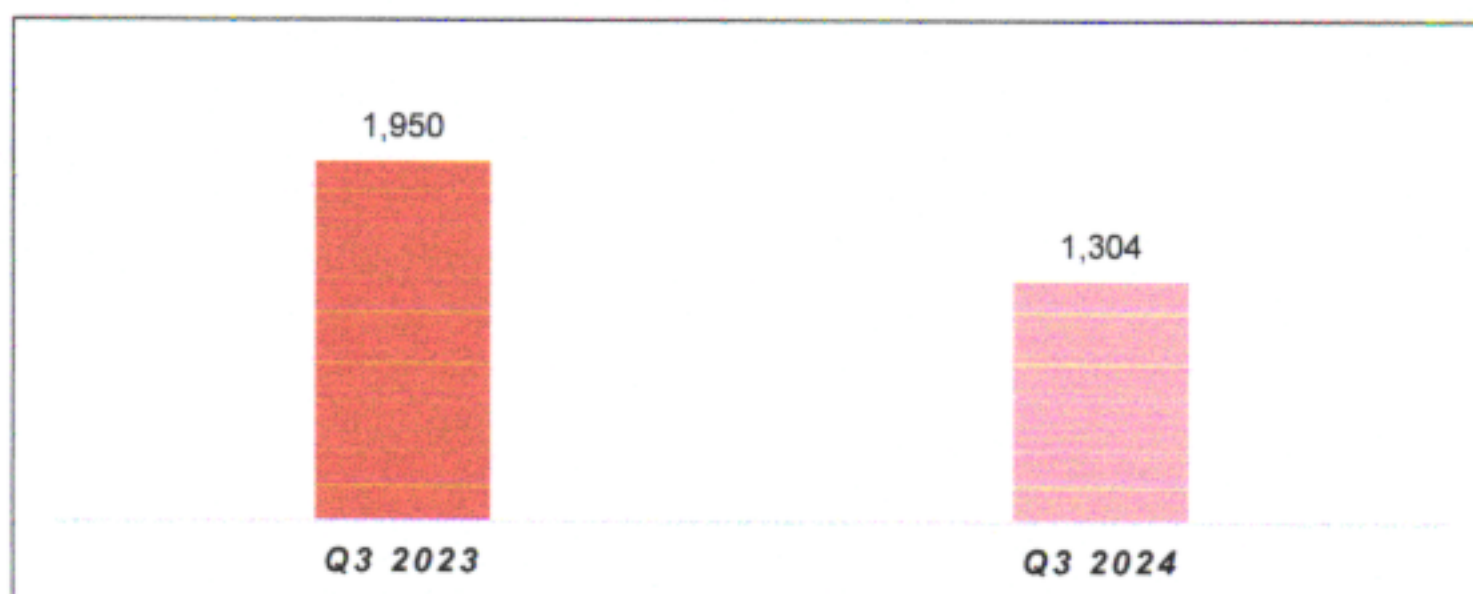


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In terms of the number of heads slaughtered in slaughterhouse as of 3rd Quarter of 2024, the province of Davao Occidental slaughtered 1,304 heads, which is 33% lower compared to same period in 2023 (Figure 2).

Figure 2. Slaughtered in Slaughterhouse (Heads), Davao Occidental: 3rd Quarter 2023 and 3rd Quarter 2024^r



^r: Revised

Source: Philippine Statistics Authority, Livestock and Poultry Survey (openstat.psa.gov.ph)

Table 2. Livestock Inventory of Davao Occidental by Animal Type and Farm Classification: As of 01 July 2024^r

Animal Types	Total	Farm Classification		
		Smallhold	Semi-Commercial	Commercial
Swine	32,268	28,114	55	4,099
Goat	14,318	14,219	99	-
Cattle	9,493	9,331	162	-
Carabao	1,222	1,222	-	-
Total	57,246	52,886	316	4,099

^r: Revised

Source: Philippine Statistics Authority, Livestock and Poultry Survey (openstat.psa.gov.ph)

**Table 3. Livestock Inventory of Davao Occidental by Animal Type and Farm Classification:
As of 01 July 2023**

Animal Types	Total	Farm Classification		
		Smallhold	Semi-Commercial	Commercial
Swine	34,969	32,261	-	2,708
Goat	13,495	13,410	85	-
Cattle	9,851	9,624	227	-
Carabao	1,210	1,210	-	-
Total	59,525	56,505	312	2,708

*: Revised

Source: Philippine Statistics Authority, Livestock and Poultry Survey (openstat.psa.gov.ph)

Technical Notes

Livestock – farm animals kept or raised for consumption and work. For purposes of census and surveys, livestock covers only those that are tended and raised by households.

Swine – a domesticated animal characterized by a stout body, short legs with a long mobile snout. This is also known as pig. This includes foreign breeds, domestic wild pigs (baboy damo), and native breeds such as Q-Black, Markaduke, Sinirangan, ISUbela, Benguet, and Yooka2.

Animal Population (also Animal Inventory) – the actual number of animals (in head/bird) present in the farm as of a specific reference date regardless of ownership.

Smallhold – Tending 1 to 10 sow level or 1 to 100 heads.

Semi-commercial – Tending 11 to 50 sow level or 101 to 500 heads.

Commercial – Tending 51 sow level and above or 501 heads and above.

Household – A person or group of persons who sleep under the same dwelling unit and usually have a common arrangement in the preparation and consumption of food. The household members may not necessarily be related by ties of kinship, although they are usually relatives. In some instances, more than one household may occupy the same dwelling unit.


Establishment – an economic unit which engages under a single ownership or control, i.e., under a single legal entity; in one or predominantly one kind of economic activity at a single fixed physical location. Thus, stores, shops, factories, mining companies, electric plants, transport companies, radio stations, hotels, restaurants, banks, insurance companies, real estate development companies and the like are considered establishments.

Slaughterhouses – premises that are approved and registered by the NMIS and LGUs in which food animals are slaughtered for human consumption.

The following are the new farm classifications and definitions of swine type based on the approved PSA Board Resolution No. 04, series of 2022:

Animal Type	Farm Classification	Definition
Carabao and Cattle	Smallhold	Tending not more than five (5) caracows/cows
	Semi-commercial	Tending six (6) to 50 heads of caracows/cows
	Commercial	Tending 51 caracows/cows and above
Goat	Smallhold	Tending not more than 35 does
	Semi-commercial	Tending 36 to 100 does
	Commercial	Tending more than 100 heads of does
Swine	Smallhold	Tending 1 to 10 sow level or 1 to 100 heads
	Semi-commercial	Tending 11 to 50 sow level or 101 to 500 heads
	Commercial	Tending 51 sow level and above or 501 heads and above

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