



LIVESTOCK STATISTICAL BULLETIN-2024



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Sri Lanka

Chapter 1 - Livestock Farms

1.1 Number of Registered Livestock Farms -2024

Province	Cattle	Buffalo	Goat	Swine	Sheep	Poultry						
						Layer			Broiler			Backyard
						Large Scale (>50,000)	Medium Scale (1001 - 49,999)	Small Scale (<1000)	Large Scale (>50,000)	Medium Scale (5001- 49,999)	Small Scale (<5000)	
Western	11,166	1,408	3,635	1,638	20	1	66	755	16	50	226	17,250
Central	20,264	399	7,348	354	9	-	26	3,692	4	21	423	9,204
Southern	9,473	3,927	2,298	229	6	-	67	1,555	1	9	181	11,529
Northern	23,096	283	21,774	136	132	-	8	2,183	-	-	1,846	102,677
Eastern	70,069	11,968	22,458	67	204	-	31	4,092	1	4	1,080	43,030
North Western	28,270	841	4,922	2,146	98	26	1,082	1,701	38	211	1,177	12,484
North Central	43,152	1,970	3,138	466	24	1	31	2,344	-	13	125	15,130
Uva	12,126	516	2,181	81	3	-	25	4,936	-	7	139	6,899
Sabaragamuwa	4,316	568	3,492	94	1	1	12	1,966	1	31	435	4,652
Sri Lanka	221,932	21,880	71,246	5,211	497	29	1,348	23,224	61	346	5,632	222,855

1.2 Farm Registration Renewal(Online) - up to 31.12. 2024

Province	Cattle	Buffalo	Cattle & Buffalo Mix Farms	Total
Western	1,700	155	204	2,059
Central	14,948	227	27	15,202
Southern	2,244	743	340	3,327
Northern	18,559	39	14	18,612
Eastern	6,040	339	143	6,522
North Western	13,915	135	76	14,126
North Central	1,774	18	7	1,799
Uva	8,214	489	157	8,860
Sabaragamuwa	3,570	298	113	3,981
Sri Lanka	70,964	2,443	1,081	74,488

Chapter 2. Livestock Population Distribution

2.1 Cattle Population - 2024

Province	District	Cows				Other Female Animals		Male Animals		Total Population
		Milking/ Nonpreg.*	Milking/ preg.**	Dry	Unproduct ***	Heifers (>1 year)	Calves (<1 year)	Adults (>1 year)	Calves (<1 year)	
Western	Colombo	864	1,129	252	717	755	620	394	472	5,203
	Gampaha	4,641	3,897	1,609	2,068	3,053	2,677	1,427	2,204	21,576
	Kalutara	2,272	1,801	873	1,737	2,098	1,876	1,144	1,720	13,521
	Total(WP)	7,777	6,827	2,734	4,522	5,906	5,173	2,965	4,396	40,300
Central	Kandy	5,745	4,812	1,975	307	3,243	2,899	1,241	2,467	22,689
	Matale	4,275	4,567	916	345	5,816	3,442	1,518	2,670	23,549
	Nuwara Eliya	7,330	4,151	5,045	446	5,411	5,029	1,159	2,529	31,100
	Total (CP)	17,350	13,530	7,936	1,098	14,470	11,370	3,918	7,666	77,338
Southern	Galle	1,922	1,209	343	941	1,423	1,210	686	1,007	8,741
	Matara	1,570	913	348	640	1,250	793	373	681	6,568
	Hambantota	5,185	3,198	1,563	3,413	5,139	3,700	2,287	3,394	27,879
	Total(SP)	8,677	5,320	2,254	4,994	7,812	5,703	3,346	5,082	43,188
Northern	Jaffna	13,323	6,697	3,232	8,641	9,211	6,714	4,308	4,886	57,012
	Kilinochchi	9,742	8,405	2,938	5,339	11,849	8,712	6,060	5,439	58,484
	Mannar	11,214	9,872	13,857	14,009	17,285	8,622	6,385	6,303	87,547
	Vavuniya	23,549	15,983	1,141	11,701	13,769	11,179	18,641	17,014	112,977
	Mullativu	16,646	12,278	8,334	7,010	16,962	7,672	5,987	8,008	82,897
	Total(NP)	74,474	53,235	29,502	46,700	69,076	42,899	41,381	41,650	398,917
Eastern	Batticaloa	54,660	34,318	54,312	58,809	51,173	35,965	31,829	24,088	345,154
	Ampara	22,782	14,302	5,331	12,166	16,789	14,346	11,026	14,229	110,971
	Trincomalee	24,690	12,819	4,781	10,770	23,377	14,397	9,379	11,785	111,998
	Total (EP)	102,132	61,439	64,424	81,745	91,339	64,708	52,234	50,102	568,123
North Western	Kurunegala	23,871	20,511	8,508	14,118	15,786	12,799	7,274	11,862	114,729
	Puttalam	6,928	5,456	3,253	4,213	7,860	5,286	4,664	5,746	43,406
	Total (NWP)	30,799	25,967	11,761	18,331	23,646	18,085	11,938	17,608	158,135
North Central	Anuradhapura	34,549	28,901	4,062	16,204	18,807	17,708	9,289	16,721	146,241
	Polonnaruwa	11,103	14,001	2,431	2,277	6,142	5,079	1,486	4,832	47,351
	Total (NCP)	45,652	42,902	6,493	18,481	24,949	22,787	10,775	21,553	193,592
Uva	Badulla	9,237	5,626	1,065	2,425	4,776	3,417	2,976	3,044	32,566
	Moneragala	4,450	4,755	1,236	2,178	3,920	3,064	3,010	3,023	25,636
	Total (UP)	13,687	10,381	2,301	4,603	8,696	6,481	5,986	6,067	58,202
Sabaragamuwa	Rathnapura	1,195	920	391	991	1,261	893	642	833	7,126
	Kegalle	1,311	735	254	557	1,223	795	592	646	6,113
	Total (SGP)	2,506	1,655	645	1,548	2,484	1,688	1,234	1,479	13,239
Sri Lanka		303,054	221,256	128,050	182,022	248,378	178,894	133,777	155,603	1,551,034

* Milking non pregnant at Present

** Milking pregnant at Present

*** Unproductive (Infertile/Aged) Cows

2.2 Buffalo Population - 2024

Province	District	Cows				Other Female Animals		Male Animals		Total Population
		Milking/ Nonpreg.*	Milking/ preg.**	Dry	Unproduct ***	Heifers (>1 year)	Calves (<1 year)	Adults (>1 year)	Calves (<1 year)	
Western	Colombo	476	802	403	106	505	374	274	359	3,299
	Gampaha	525	445	283	507	393	295	257	290	2,995
	Kalutara	1,437	839	1,181	631	1,065	1,245	1,040	1,316	8,754
	Total (WP)	2,438	2,086	1,867	1,244	1,963	1,914	1,571	1,965	15,048
Central	Kandy	68	125	54	211	132	106	155	120	971
	Matale	182	200	168	137	558	398	355	385	2,383
	Nuwara Eliya	23	1	2	38	15	13	28	10	130
	Total (CP)	273	326	224	386	705	517	538	515	3,484
Southern	Galle	1,415	936	739	279	936	806	558	729	6,398
	Matara	896	588	430	176	682	545	250	386	3,953
	Hambantota	9,477	4,184	6,354	1,282	8,094	5,412	3,984	4,853	43,640
	Total (SP)	11,788	5,708	7,523	1,737	9,712	6,763	4,792	5,968	53,991
Northern	Jaffna	2	1	2	1	5	6	3	2	22
	Kilinochchi	373	254	353	146	532	454	377	177	2,666
	Mannar	770	645	573	454	319	494	320	336	3,911
	Vavuniya	1,491	425	466	116	637	460	569	313	4,477
	Mullativu	2,644	1,819	1,495	729	1,952	1,469	1,496	1,543	13,147
	Total (NP)	5,280	3,144	2,889	1,446	3,445	2,883	2,765	2,371	24,223
Eastern	Batticaloa	17,302	10,391	14,602	16,789	17,587	11,240	8,173	6,371	102,455
	Ampara	8,469	6,949	4,593	1,505	9,704	6,804	6,434	9,594	54,052
	Trincomalee	18,080	10,006	9,097	3,800	19,768	11,853	8,203	7,932	88,739
	Total (EP)	43,851	27,346	28,292	22,094	47,059	29,897	22,810	23,897	245,246
North Western	Kurunegala	3,159	2,262	2,236	1,612	2,422	2,119	1,252	2,180	17,242
	Puttalam	1,061	590	648	402	910	589	448	566	5,214
	Total (NWP)	4,220	2,852	2,884	2,014	3,332	2,708	1,700	2,746	22,456
North Central	Anuradhapura	7,329	7,497	3,959	876	6,273	4,634	2,412	4,130	37,110
	Polonnaruwa	4,195	4,543	1,414	1,397	2,441	2,144	747	2,177	19,058
	Total (NCP)	11,524	12,040	5,373	2,273	8,714	6,778	3,159	6,307	56,168
Uva	Badulla	528	270	114	83	414	266	188	190	2,053
	Moneragala	4,449	4,915	2,073	995	3,409	2,498	1,595	2,704	22,638
	Total (UP)	4,977	5,185	2,187	1,078	3,823	2,764	1,783	2,894	24,691
Sabaragamuwa	Rathnapura	743	607	849	512	1,371	959	658	693	6,392
	Kegalle	67	32	128	82	100	64	81	64	618
	Total (SGP)	810	639	977	594	1,471	1,023	739	757	7,010
Sri Lanka		85,161	59,326	52,216	32,866	80,224	55,247	39,857	47,420	452,317

* Milking non pregnant at Present

** Milking pregnant at Present

*** Unproductive (Infertile/Aged) Cows

2.3 Goat Population 2020 - 2024

Province	District	Population				
		2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
Western	Colombo	3,790	3,386	3,846	3,849	3,946
	Gampaha	13,396	13,180	14,331	15,710	12,834
	Kalutara	10,054	10,484	9,687	10,030	11,891
	Total (WP)	27,240	27,050	27,864	29,589	28,671
Central	Kandy	25,754	23,712	26,536	21,881	26,890
	Matale	10,708	11,541	12,086	11,049	9,808
	Nuwara Eliya	17,789	22,717	23,775	21,904	16,998
	Total (CP)	54,251	57,970	62,397	54,834	53,696
Southern	Galle	6,153	16,865	7,979	15,132	13,137
	Matara	3,865	4,017	3,738	4,496	4,620
	Hambantota	11,092	11,701	14,353	10,882	10,072
	Total (SP)	21,110	32,583	26,070	30,510	27,829
Northern	Jaffna	78,733	84,339	84,253	84,045	85,393
	Kilinochchi	19,867	22,569	23,688	26,542	28,574
	Mannar	39,509	42,618	44,295	40,701	41,292
	Vavuniya	17,090	24,023	37,709	29,775	31,404
	Mullative	22,140	18,395	18,667	21,308	18,633
	Total (NP)	177,339	191,944	208,612	202,371	205,296
Eastern	Batticaloa	121,368	131,662	141,494	135,144	136,925
	Ampara	48,552	50,164	49,715	48,625	49,886
	Trincomalee	79,263	86,562	87,692	87,347	90,453
	Total (EP)	249,183	268,388	278,901	271,116	277,264
North Western	Kurunegala	41,881	37,205	40,264	37,466	38,299
	Puttalam	25,266	26,853	27,467	27,607	25,019
	Total (NWP)	67,147	64,058	67,731	65,073	63,318
North Central	Anuradhapura	44,213	46,951	44,287	37,206	38,202
	Polonnaruwa	24,951	27,326	19,468	20,416	11,549
	Total (NCP)	69,164	74,277	63,755	57,622	49,751
Uva	Badulla	12,229	16,641	14,942	15,254	12,088
	Moneragala	3,742	3,990	3,853	3,802	3,317
	Total (UP)	15,971	20,631	18,795	19,056	15,405
Sabaragamuwa	Rathnapura	8,095	8,095	6,894	7,201	7,351
	Kegalle	13,392	12,987	12,061	13,615	14,066
	Total (SGP)	21,487	21,082	18,955	20,816	21,417
Sri Lanka		702,892	757,983	773,080	750,987	742,647

2.4 Swine Population 2020 - 2024

Province	District	Population				
		2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
Western	Colombo	13,035	20,311	19,050	22,049	3,665
	Gampaha	36,131	38,284	36,215	36,324	5,568
	Kalutara	3,823	4,814	4,731	5,727	2,787
	Total(WP)	52,989	63,409	59,996	64,100	12,020
Central	Kandy	3,846	4,403	2,637	2,628	1,491
	Matale	13,289	13,086	9,598	5,935	13,869
	Nuwara Eliya	1,946	2,091	2,020	1,463	1,067
	Total (CP)	19,081	19,580	14,255	10,026	16,427
Southern	Galle	2,065	2,721	1,889	2,015	1,109
	Matara	398	250	301	310	128
	Hambantota	3,728	4,135	4,389	3,860	1,832
	Total(SP)	6,191	7,106	6,579	6,185	3,069
Northern	Jaffna	159	240	481	969	879
	Kilinochchi	1,577	2,213	808	1,434	1,924
	Mannar	486	514	969	1,213	1,443
	Vavuniya	2,933	3,368	3,472	3,569	97
	Mullativu	267	442	395	490	137
	Total(NP)	5,422	6,777	6,125	7,675	4,480
Eastern	Batticaloa	1,297	1,307	848	1,288	1,099
	Ampara	2,450	179	236	355	615
	Trincomalee	1,430	587	1,070	869	1,091
	Total (EP)	5,177	2,073	2,154	2,512	2,805
North Western	Kurunrgala	18,253	20,023	22,786	23,284	18,496
	Puttalam	30,872	32,151	31,516	28,572	19,949
	Total (NWP)	49,125	52,174	54,302	51,856	38,445
North Central	Anuradhapura	14,093	16,228	9,449	13,169	8,084
	Polonnaruwa	3,405	3,383	6,197	5,108	4,658
	Total (NCP)	17,498	19,611	15,646	18,277	12,742
Uva	Badulla	1,271	857	1,226	1,625	1,493
	Moneragala	3,565	4,046	6,235	5,170	1,267
	Total (UP)	4,836	4,903	7,461	6,795	2,760
Sabaragamuwa	Rathnapura	1,726	1,630	1,666	1,552	967
	Kegalle	1,639	1,259	1,083	1,431	1,271
	Total (SGP)	3,365	2,889	2,749	2,983	2,238
Sri Lanka		163,684	178,522	169,267	170,409	94,986

2.5 Monthly Average Population of Poultry (2021 - 2024)

Category	Number (Mn)			
	2021	2022	2023	2024
Grand Parents and Parents				
Grand Parents (Broiler)	0.04	0.04	0.04	0.05
Broiler Parents	1.70	1.64	1.60	1.80
Layer Parents	0.15	0.09	0.11	0.15
Commercial Poultry				
Broiler	14.74	13.50	13.90	15.42
Layer	16.02	12.88	12.58	15.40
Backyard	2.20	3.20	3.23	2.70
Total	34.85	31.35	31.46	35.52

2.6 Poultry Breeder Population - 2024

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
GP Parent (Female)												
Chicks & Growers	15,967	15,817	19,612	22,676	15,261	11,044	18,402	18,260	16,273	16,554	24,584	23,650
Layers	30,994	26,741	26,982	24,738	27,930	31,668	31,281	20,804	31,320	30,979	29,829	26,334
Layer Parent												
Chicks & Growers	28,526	23,005	23,113	24,374	21,204	26,571	28,066	22,415	46,647	46,874	36,516	36,189
Layers	113,527	114,305	116,534	119,279	123,485	124,284	123,507	122,507	116,644	124,339	119,194	117,586
Broiler Parent												
Chicks & Growers	698,773	701,315	665,546	687,174	630,080	730,270	724,153	602,262	588,486	659,732	549,543	630,607
Layers	1,085,333	1,065,664	1,124,067	1,085,288	1,092,545	1,159,376	1,089,905	1,122,168	1,211,487	1,147,008	1,195,265	1,366,374

Chapter 3. Meat, Egg and Day Old Chick Production

3.1 Chicken Meat ,Egg and Pork Production 2020 - 2024

Item	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
Chicken Meat Production(000 MT)	216.16	236.79	228.13	236.11	258.54
Egg Production (Mn)	2,435.96	2,934.55	2,089.70	2,043.50	2,953.06
Pork Production (000 MT)	9.01	9.82	9.30	9.37	8.96

3.2 Meat Based Value Added Production 2020 - 2024

Item	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
Chicken Sausages (MT)	8,568.03	10,535.35	10,733.32	12,964.68	17,601.23
Chicken Meat Balls (MT)	1,187.54	2,034.52	3,767.12	4,094.37	4,097.67
Other Further Processed Chicken (MT)	1,464.83	2,259.65	5,045.21	4,261.35	3,913.98
Total Chicken Meat Based Produts (MT)	11,220.40	14,829.52	19,545.65	21,320.40	25,612.88
Pork Products (MT)	645.03	660.08	560.88	572.45	673.22
Beef Products (MT)	83.19	79.31	107.71	192.29	198.22
Mutton Products (MT)	45.88	42.17	20.13	26.92	35.78

3.3 Commercial Chick Production (2023 - 2024)

3.3.1 Broiler Chick Production (Million)

	<i>Jan</i>	<i>Feb</i>	<i>Mar</i>	<i>Apr</i>	<i>May</i>	<i>Jun</i>	<i>Jul</i>	<i>Aug</i>	<i>Sep</i>	<i>Oct</i>	<i>Nov</i>	<i>Dec</i>	<i>Total</i>
Forecast (2023)	13.97	13.65	13.33	13.11	12.54	12.48	12.95	12.85	13.17	13.73	15.06	16.17	163.01
Actual (2023)	13.17	12.32	13.67	13.33	13.34	13.86	12.90	14.10	15.02	14.51	15.61	15.01	166.82
Forecast (2024)	14.37	14.17	15.59	14.37	14.53	14.95	15.67	16.24	16.48	16.91	16.99	17.30	187.57
Actual (2024)	14.46	14.30	16.09	15.90	15.75	16.60	16.49	16.05	14.50	14.94	16.92	15.77	187.77

3.3.2 Layer Chick Production (Million)

	<i>Jan</i>	<i>Feb</i>	<i>Mar</i>	<i>Apr</i>	<i>May</i>	<i>Jun</i>	<i>Jul</i>	<i>Aug</i>	<i>Sep</i>	<i>Oct</i>	<i>Nov</i>	<i>Dec</i>	<i>Total</i>
Forecast (2023)	0.31	0.30	0.33	0.38	0.39	0.42	0.50	0.55	0.58	0.67	0.74	0.78	5.95
Actual (2023)	0.51	0.40	0.49	0.52	0.52	0.47	0.55	0.62	0.65	0.76	0.86	0.93	7.29
Forecast (2024)	0.85	0.82	1.20	0.91	0.87	0.87	0.82	0.76	0.73	0.74	0.85	0.92	10.34
Actual (2024)	0.83	0.83	0.91	1.02	0.87	1.09	1.09	1.00	0.98	1.07	1.00	1.04	11.74

3.4 Beef Production 2020 - 2024

Province	District	Production (kg)				
		2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
Western	Colombo	159,129	73,476	72,708	69,988	68,862
	Gampaha	767,316	916,857	894,917	710,744	1,010,187
	Kalutara	426,351	358,614	450,649	574,518	577,698
	Total (WP)	1,352,796	1,348,947	1,418,274	1,355,250	1,656,747
Central	Kandy	929,418	758,725	1,179,506	893,931	1,191,829
	Matale	743,700	486,274	597,265	654,631	623,228
	Nuwara Eliya	303,769	251,825	341,042	399,586	396,804
	Total (CP)	1,976,887	1,496,824	2,117,813	1,948,148	2,211,861
Southern	Galle	247,920	157,717	158,465	164,403	216,782
	Matara	171,049	231,871	241,760	149,905	196,541
	Hambantota	678,201	577,455	593,000	565,751	544,933
	Total (SP)	1,097,171	967,043	993,225	880,059	958,256
Northern	Jaffna	1,422,441	1,462,016	1,397,381	1,094,033	1,094,393
	Kilinochchi	305,447	387,206	358,431	287,190	482,297
	Mannar	752,644	750,621	745,989	695,615	609,631
	Vavuniya	1,188,047	1,374,971	1,103,262	1,470,289	1,583,512
	Mullativu	582,610	179,228	545,866	520,116	535,285
	Total (NP)	4,251,190	4,154,042	4,150,929	4,067,243	4,305,118
Eastern	Batticaloa	5,309,342	6,056,681	5,300,014	5,314,941	6,249,634
	Ampara	4,487,997	4,371,104	3,900,498	4,137,695	4,403,639
	Trincomalee	2,721,309	2,766,004	2,563,197	2,476,706	2,088,893
	Total (EP)	12,518,648	13,193,789	11,763,709	11,929,342	12,742,166
North Western	Kurunegala	2,434,550	2,145,641	2,463,470	2,298,914	2,602,737
	Puttalam	1,524,057	1,177,253	1,117,160	1,368,374	1,526,993
	Total (NWP)	3,958,606	3,322,894	3,580,630	3,667,287	4,129,730
North Central	Anuradhapura	1,757,446	1,315,519	1,543,138	1,278,572	2,159,723
	Polonnaruwa	713,114	729,242	715,892	796,485	590,957
	Total (NCP)	2,470,560	2,044,761	2,259,030	2,075,056	2,750,680
Uva	Badulla	557,324	358,820	364,745	493,851	150,310
	Moneragala	847,798	592,500	596,070	430,912	417,278
	Total (UP)	1,405,122	951,320	960,815	924,764	567,588
Sabaragamuwa	Rathnapura	322,843	255,177	229,531	300,011	413,601
	Kegalle	189,242	126,519	149,861	132,092	57,558
	Total (SGP)	512,085	381,696	379,392	432,103	471,159
Sri Lanka		29,543,064	27,861,316	27,623,817	27,279,253	29,793,305
Sri Lanka(000 MT)		29.54	27.86	27.62	27.28	29.79

3.5 Mutton Production 2020 - 2024

Province	District	Production (kg)				
		2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
Western	Colombo	10,460	15,160	13,544	15,384	15,396
	Gampaha	24,792	53,584	52,720	57,324	62,840
	Kalutara	22,604	40,216	41,936	38,748	40,120
	Total (WP)	57,856	108,960	108,200	111,456	118,356
Central	Kandy	83,924	103,016	94,848	106,144	87,524
	Matale	31,503	32,124	34,623	36,258	33,147
	Nuwara Eliya	34,083	53,367	68,151	71,325	65,712
	Total (CP)	149,510	188,507	197,622	213,727	186,383
Southern	Galle	13,296	18,459	50,595	23,937	45,396
	Matara	7,029	33,276	12,051	11,214	13,488
	Hambantota	23,064	11,595	35,103	43,059	32,646
	Total (SP)	43,389	63,330	97,749	78,210	91,530
Northern	Jaffna	329,839	283,439	303,620	303,311	302,562
	Kilinochchi	42,192	71,521	81,248	85,277	95,551
	Mannar	68,537	142,232	153,425	159,462	146,524
	Vavuniya	73,476	61,524	86,483	135,752	107,190
	Mullativu	30,391	79,704	66,222	67,201	76,709
	Total (NP)	544,435	638,420	690,998	751,003	728,536
Eastern	Batticaloa	282,053	436,925	473,983	509,378	486,518
	Ampara	168,617	174,787	180,590	178,974	175,050
	Trincomalee	157,662	285,347	311,623	315,691	314,449
	Total (EP)	608,332	897,059	966,196	1,004,044	976,017
North Western	Kurunegala	153,958	150,772	133,938	144,950	134,878
	Puttalam	99,212	90,958	96,671	98,881	99,385
	Total (NWP)	253,170	241,730	230,609	243,832	234,263
North Central	Anuradhapura	127,148	159,167	169,024	159,433	133,942
	Polonnaruwa	64,296	89,824	98,374	70,085	73,498
	Total (NCP)	191,444	248,991	267,398	229,518	207,440
Uva	Badulla	37,926	36,687	49,923	44,826	45,762
	Moneragala	13,641	11,226	11,970	11,559	11,406
	Total (UP)	51,567	47,913	61,893	56,385	57,168
Sabaragamuwa	Rathnapura	17,853	24,285	24,285	20,682	21,603
	Kegalle	38,268	40,176	38,961	36,183	40,845
	Total (SGP)	56,121	64,461	63,246	56,865	62,448
Sri Lanka		1,955,824	2,499,371	2,683,911	2,745,039	2,662,141
Sri Lanka(000 MT)		1.96	2.50	2.68	2.75	2.66

Chapter 4. Milk Production and Collection

4.1 Cow Milk Production 2020 - 2024

Province	District	Production (L)				
		2020	2021**	2022**	2023**	2024**
Western	Colombo	2,716,896	3,621,362	4,471,887	4,482,034	4,512,386
	Gampaha	5,400,550	17,286,828	16,127,574	16,057,869	15,684,242
	Kalutara	2,079,506	6,755,325	6,676,248	7,114,296	6,956,610
	Total (WP)	10,196,952	27,663,515	27,275,709	27,654,199	27,153,238
Central	Kandy	16,572,369	14,231,902	13,231,988	10,976,673	14,787,583
	Matale	17,695,330	12,576,693	11,332,045	10,540,401	14,920,769
	Nuwara Eliya	80,377,527	60,104,500	55,247,392	54,789,721	63,891,204
	Total (CP)	114,645,226	86,913,095	79,811,425	76,306,795	93,599,556
Southern	Galle	3,087,785	9,298,793	7,432,317	5,280,187	5,335,572
	Matara	1,566,798	4,315,464	3,374,107	2,818,966	2,834,557
	Hambantota	13,803,509	10,753,361	6,986,856	6,165,659	6,270,576
	Total (SP)	18,458,092	24,367,618	17,793,280	14,264,812	14,440,705
Northern	Jaffna	19,258,933	22,004,418	16,876,489	17,043,432	18,604,556
	Kilinochchi	2,647,529	4,508,757	5,629,824	5,654,529	5,158,187
	Mannar	6,154,361	2,178,774	1,869,262	1,820,105	2,387,857
	Vavuniya	4,699,179	13,450,552	11,831,682	12,009,132	10,017,442
	Mullativu	3,869,452	5,211,985	4,930,581	5,819,353	5,403,867
	Total (NP)	36,629,454	47,354,486	41,137,838	42,346,551	41,571,909
Eastern	Batticaloa	10,388,524	5,445,949	6,574,850	3,730,341	4,245,991
	Ampara	15,741,071	12,070,140	10,341,153	9,359,428	9,540,847
	Trincomalee	5,218,571	6,049,716	5,590,603	5,620,020	5,601,811
	Total (EP)	31,348,166	23,565,805	22,506,606	18,709,789	19,388,648
North Western	Kurunegala	50,932,617	47,676,683	41,228,075	40,886,942	44,893,359
	Puttalam	11,120,721	14,435,156	13,112,705	12,850,309	13,891,599
	Total (NWP)	62,053,338	62,111,839	54,340,780	53,737,251	58,784,958
North Central	Anuradhapura	41,922,276	42,046,350	40,159,372	44,441,827	48,488,299
	Polonnaruwa	11,524,065	11,860,186	10,334,424	10,753,645	13,095,870
	Total (NCP)	53,446,341	53,906,536	50,493,796	55,195,472	61,584,169
Uva	Badulla	21,907,371	18,915,351	22,729,173	19,409,462	18,990,885
	Moneragala	10,541,076	5,415,087	5,309,143	6,007,159	5,986,044
	Total (UP)	32,448,447	24,330,438	28,038,317	25,416,621	24,976,929
Sabaragamuwa	Rathnapura	3,208,947	3,169,721	2,536,837	2,397,375	2,597,044
	Kegalle	771,419	2,724,979	2,189,400	2,439,430	2,316,876
	Total (SGP)	3,980,366	5,894,700	4,726,237	4,836,805	4,913,920
Sri Lanka (L)		363,206,382	356,108,032	326,123,988	318,468,295	346,414,032
Sri Lanka (Mn.L)		363.21	356.11	326.12	318.47	346.41

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4.2 Buffalo Milk Production 2020 - 2024

Province	District	Production (L)				
		2020	2021**	2022**	2023**	2024**
Western	Colombo	1,164,384	1,762,380	1,853,587	1,843,799	2,018,301
	Gampaha	1,028,676	1,105,876	1,008,670	1,048,873	1,086,129
	Kalutara	1,169,722	3,200,181	3,773,889	3,776,802	3,900,946
	Total (WP)	3,362,782	6,068,437	6,636,146	6,669,474	7,005,376
Central	Kandy	167,398	64,891	28,040	21,925	21,442
	Matale	361,129	589,883	58,363	117,478	132,215
	Nuwara Eliya	34,675	-	-	-	-
	Total (CP)	563,202	654,774	86,403	139,403	153,657
Southern	Galle	2,058,524	5,622,525	4,572,095	3,144,791	2,984,162
	Matara	843,661	3,113,257	2,507,950	2,212,316	1,847,333
	Hambantota	13,803,509	9,735,127	8,852,245	9,025,201	9,277,174
	Total (SP)	16,705,694	18,470,909	15,932,290	14,382,308	14,108,669
Northern	Jaffna	-	-	2,150	1,490	1,007
	Kilinochchi	230,220	172,847	160,705	198,392	129,405
	Mannar	760,651	188,707	158,856	154,804	198,079
	Vavuniya	962,482	1,587,131	1,504,776	1,312,000	814,700
	Mullativu	161,227	774,206	1,110,811	1,108,539	1,053,564
	Total (NP)	2,114,580	2,722,891	2,937,298	2,775,225	2,196,755
Eastern	Batticaloa	2,597,131	1,761,414	2,041,900	1,442,286	1,771,431
	Ampara	3,224,075	3,205,624	2,952,665	3,502,914	4,400,458
	Trincomalee	2,236,530	3,150,603	2,647,773	3,407,194	3,949,484
	Total (EP)	8,057,736	8,117,641	7,642,338	8,352,394	10,121,372
North Western	Kurunegala	4,428,923	2,962,106	2,559,845	2,678,804	3,218,490
	Puttalam	967,019	685,987	124,953	667,898	632,612
	Total (NWP)	5,395,942	3,648,093	2,684,798	3,346,702	3,851,102
North Central	Anuradhapura	7,394,532	5,756,394	6,666,784	6,686,254	6,630,735
	Polonnaruwa	2,529,673	3,528,043	4,684,766	3,611,840	3,425,916
	Total (NCP)	9,924,205	9,284,437	11,351,550	10,298,094	10,056,651
Uva	Badulla	221,287	305,467	344,320	195,877	208,476
	Moneragala	3,513,692	4,996,059	4,773,769	5,692,384	7,133,380
	Total (UP)	3,734,979	5,301,526	5,118,089	5,888,261	7,341,856
Sabaragamuwa	Rathnapura	1,727,895	1,614,936	1,456,070	1,374,250	1,419,223
	Kegalle	40,601	61,551	33,495	36,607	26,035
	Total (SGP)	1,768,496	1,676,487	1,489,565	1,410,857	1,445,258
Sri Lanka (L)		51,627,616	55,945,195	53,878,476	53,262,718	56,280,695
Sri Lanka (Mn.L)		51.63	55.95	53.88	53.26	56.28

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4.3 Total Milk Production 2020 - 2024

Province	District	Production (L)				
		2020	2021**	2022**	2023**	2024**
Western	Colombo	3,881,280	5,383,742	6,325,474	6,325,833	6,530,687
	Gampaha	6,429,226	18,392,704	17,136,244	17,106,742	16,770,371
	Kalutara	3,249,228	9,955,506	10,450,137	10,891,098	10,857,556
	Total (WP)	13,559,734	33,731,952	33,911,855	34,323,673	34,158,614
Central	Kandy	16,739,767	14,296,793	13,260,028	10,998,598	14,809,025
	Matale	18,056,459	13,166,576	11,390,408	10,657,879	15,052,984
	Nuwara Eliya	80,412,202	60,104,500	55,247,392	54,789,721	63,891,204
	Total (CP)	115,208,428	87,567,869	79,897,828	76,446,198	93,753,213
Southern	Galle	5,146,309	14,921,318	12,004,412	8,424,978	8,319,734
	Matara	2,410,459	7,428,721	5,882,057	5,031,282	4,681,890
	Hambantota	27,607,018	20,488,488	15,839,101	15,190,860	15,547,750
	Total (SP)	35,163,786	42,838,527	33,725,570	28,647,120	28,549,374
Northern	Jaffna	19,258,933	22,004,418	16,878,639	17,044,922	18,605,563
	Kilinochchi	2,877,749	4,681,604	5,790,529	5,852,921	5,287,592
	Mannar	6,915,012	2,367,481	2,028,118	1,974,909	2,585,936
	Vavuniya	5,661,661	15,037,683	13,336,458	13,321,132	10,832,142
	Mullativu	4,030,679	5,986,191	6,041,392	6,927,892	6,457,431
	Total (NP)	38,744,034	50,077,377	44,075,136	45,121,776	43,768,664
Eastern	Batticaloa	12,985,655	7,207,363	8,616,751	5,172,627	6,017,422
	Ampara	18,965,146	15,275,764	13,293,819	12,862,342	13,941,305
	Trincomalee	7,455,101	9,200,319	8,238,377	9,027,214	9,551,294
	Total (EP)	39,405,902	31,683,446	30,148,947	27,062,183	29,510,020
North Western	Kurunegala	55,361,540	50,638,789	43,787,920	43,565,746	48,111,849
	Puttalam	12,087,740	15,121,143	13,237,658	13,518,207	14,524,211
	Total (NWP)	67,449,280	65,759,932	57,025,578	57,083,953	62,636,060
NorthCentral	Anuradhapura	49,316,808	47,802,744	46,826,156	51,128,081	55,119,034
	Polonnaruwa	14,053,738	15,388,229	15,019,190	14,365,485	16,521,786
	Total (NCP)	63,370,546	63,190,973	61,845,346	65,493,566	71,640,820
Uva	Badulla	22,128,658	19,220,818	23,073,493	19,605,339	19,199,361
	Moneragala	14,054,768	10,411,146	10,082,912	11,699,543	13,119,424
	Total (UP)	36,183,426	29,631,964	33,156,405	31,304,882	32,318,785
Sabaragamuwa	Rathnapura	4,936,842	4,784,657	3,992,907	3,771,625	4,016,267
	Kegalle	812,020	2,786,530	2,222,895	2,476,037	2,342,911
	Total (SGP)	5,748,862	7,571,187	6,215,802	6,247,662	6,359,178
Sri Lanka (L)		414,833,998	412,053,227	380,002,467	371,731,013	402,694,728
Sri Lanka (Mn.L)		414.83	412.05	380.00	371.73	402.69

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4.4 Milk Collection and Chilling Capacity in Main Collecting Agencies - 2024

Province	District	No of Chilling Centres	Chilling Capacity (L)	Milk Collection (L)
Western	Colombo	3	11,180	1,354,433
	Gampaha	6	10,660	3,271,829
	Kalutara	5	8,600	931,013
	Total (WP)	14	30,440	5,557,275
Central	Kandy	13	33,270	10,876,444
	Matale	14	30,930	20,715,911
	Nuwara Eliya	29	52,300	48,861,616
	Total (CP)	56	116,500	80,453,971
Southern	Galle	2	6,480	667,580
	Matara	2	3,500	437,028
	Hambantota	2	11,960	2,472,332
	Total (SP)	6	21,940	3,576,940
Northern	Jaffna	3	4,500	5,530,792
	Kilinochchi	2	7,200	2,722,916
	Mannar	2	7,000	1,607,774
	Vavuniya	3	10,000	3,383,015
	Mullativu	4	13,200	3,018,807
	Total (NP)	14	41,900	16,263,304
Eastern	Batticaloa	10	28,840	4,024,863
	Ampara	12	32,100	9,985,223
	Trincomalee	9	18,370	4,934,579
	Total (EP)	31	79,310	18,944,665
North Western	Kurunegala	30	59,600	34,391,809
	Puttalam	10	34,800	6,700,263
	Total (NWP)	40	94,400	41,092,072
North Central	Anuradhapura	43	85,830	52,315,745
	Polonnaruwa	15	31,230	10,798,909
	Total (NCP)	58	117,060	63,114,654
Uva	Badulla	15	45,130	14,735,736
	Moneragala	13	24,510	6,901,712
	Total (UP)	28	69,640	21,637,448
Sabaragamuwa	Rathnapura	4	13,500	1,089,050
	Kegalle	1	1,600	321,671
	Total (SGP)	5	15,100	1,410,721
Sri Lanka		252	586,290	252,051,050

Source: Milk Collecting Agencies (Modified DAPH -LPE)

4.5 Milk Collection by Quarters in 2024

Period	Main Collectors (L)	Collection %
1st Quarter	53,482,416	21.22%
2nd Quarter	67,048,057	26.60%
3rd Quarter	72,209,973	28.65%
4th Quarter	59,310,604	23.53%
Total	252,051,050	100%

Source: Milk Collection Figures From Collecting Agencies (Modified DAPH -LPE)

Chapter 5. Imports and Exports (2020 - 2024)

5.1 Import of Milk and Milk Products

Item	Unit	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
Milk and Milk Cream	Quantity (MT)	312.23	289.37	217.17	243.71	357.49
	Value(Rs.Mn)	129.67	160.72	191.47	266.11	343.93
Milk Cream Fat<1.5%	Quantity (MT)	8,705.06	11,052.41	12,117.56	6,219.16	7,539.73
	Value(Rs.Mn)	4,446.71	6,992.38	15,304.82	7,299.07	6,870.97
Milk Cream Fat>1.5%	Quantity (MT)	88,558.22	71,971.99	37,407.97	61,320.87	54,926.40
	Value(Rs.Mn)	54,131.10	52,164.46	48,194.17	76,749.33	59,630.85
Condensed Milk	Quantity (MT)	166.26	351.94	1.85	1.39	28.96
	Value(Rs.Mn)	22.37	51.00	0.71	1.04	12.10
Cheese and Curd	Quantity (MT)	2,843.75	2,966.23	2,207.64	1,765.22	2,474.50
	Value(Rs.Mn)	2,443.17	2,874.46	3,318.50	3,112.13	4,081.39
Butter and Other Fats	Quantity (MT)	547.38	431.19	314.10	278.35	245.29
	Value(Rs.Mn)	523.23	509.63	609.30	630.34	652.69
Butter Milk and Curdled Milk	Quantity (MT)	26.93	41.89	8.10	27.84	28.32
	Value(Rs.Mn)	19.71	35.00	4.80	39.84	39.44
Whey and Whey Powder	Quantity (MT)	1,195.70	1,376.81	1,523.46	1,323.65	1,546.50
	Value(Rs.Mn)	217.13	305.13	706.23	522.21	544.68
Total Milk and Milk Products	Quantity (MT)	102,355.53	88,481.83	53,797.85	71,180.20	67,147.19
	Value(Rs.Mn)	61,933.09	63,092.78	68,330.00	88,620.07	72,176.05

Source: Sri Lanka Customs

5.2 Import of Milk and Milk Products in LME

Item	Unit	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
Milk and Milk Cream	Qty.(000 L)	2,248.08	2,083.45	1,563.64	1,754.72	2,573.89
	Val.(Rs.Mn)	129.67	160.72	191.47	266.11	343.93
Milk Cream Fat<1.5%	Qty.(000 L)	62,676.43	79,577.36	87,246.46	44,777.97	54,286.00
	Val.(Rs.Mn)	4,446.71	6,992.38	15,304.82	7,299.07	6,870.97
Milk Cream Fat>1.5%	Qty.(000 L)	637,619.18	518,198.36	269,337.35	441,510.28	395,470.05
	Val.(Rs.Mn)	54,131.10	52,164.46	48,194.17	76,749.33	59,630.85
Condensed Milk	Qty.(000 L)	831.31	1,759.69	9.24	6.94	144.77
	Val.(Rs.Mn)	22.37	51.00	0.71	1.04	12.10
Cheese and Curd	Qty.(000 L)	32,703.08	34,111.62	25,387.89	20,299.98	28,456.65
	Val.(Rs.Mn)	2,443.17	2,874.46	3,318.50	3,112.13	4,081.39
Butter and Other Fats	Qty.(000 L)	3,941.14	3,104.59	2,261.52	2,004.11	1,766.05
	Val.(Rs.Mn)	523.23	509.63	609.30	630.34	652.69
Butter Milk and Curdled Milk	Qty.(000 L)	193.88	301.59	58.35	200.47	203.89
	Val.(Rs.Mn)	19.71	35.00	4.80	39.84	39.44
Whey and Whey Powder	Qty.(000 L)	8,609.05	9,913.03	10,968.92	9,530.30	11,134.79
	Val.(Rs.Mn)	217.13	305.13	706.23	522.21	544.68
Total Milk and Milk Products	Qty.(000 L)	748,822.15	649,049.69	396,833.37	520,084.77	494,036.09
	Val.(Rs.Mn)	61,933.09	63,092.78	68,330.00	88,620.07	72,176.05

LME - Liquid Milk Equivalent

Source: Sri Lanka Customs (Modified : DAPH -LPE division)

5.3 Average Prices of Whole Milk Powder in International Market

Month	Price (US\$/MT)				
	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
January	3,421	3,419	4,856	4,123	4,125
February	3,350	3,531	5,238	3,856	3,950
March	3,100	3,731	5,413	3,717	3,929
1st Quarter	3,290	3,560	5,169	3,899	4,001
April	2,494	3,867	5,771	3,738	3,881
May	2,406	3,944	5,631	3,756	3,963
June	3,113	3,944	5,625	3,775	4,125
2nd Quarter	2,671	3,918	5,676	3,756	3,990
July	3,154	3,794	5,294	3,844	4,169
August	3,281	3,744	5,006	3,763	4,408
September	3,288	3,825	4,883	3,588	4,856
3rd Quarter	3,241	3,788	5,061	3,732	4,478
October	3,256	4,054	4,800	3,688	4,756
November	3,269	4,444	4,588	3,938	4,644
December	3,350	4,650	4,469	4,088	4,631
4th Quarter	3,292	4,383	4,619	3,905	4,677
Annual Average	3,123	3,912	5,131	3,823	4,286
Minimum	2,406	3,419	4,469	3,588	3,881
Maximum	3,421	4,650	5,771	4,123	4,856

Source : Web site :

Western Europe - International Market Fortnightly prices of Whole Milk Powder (Modified in DAPH-LPE Division)

5.4 Export of Milk and Milk Products

Item	Unit	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
Milk and Milk Cream	Quantity (MT)	9.48	40.89	74.27	114.45	98.33
	Value(Rs.Mn)	2.70	28.21	45.27	40.22	41.55
Milk Cream Fat<1.5%	Quantity (MT)	51.76	161.70	79.36	109.09	114.03
	Value(Rs.Mn)	45.34	172.00	210.24	281.21	310.00
Milk Cream Fat>1.5%	Quantity (MT)	141.86	157.67	186.67	232.09	213.67
	Value(Rs.Mn)	109.50	132.65	291.27	381.09	344.73
Condensed Milk	Quantity (MT)	704.72	1,161.56	1,096.54	995.41	955.96
	Value(Rs.Mn)	342.87	519.39	650.96	784.06	671.04
Cheese and Curd	Quantity (MT)	17.42	25.18	45.77	61.05	65.59
	Value(Rs.Mn)	7.28	11.46	27.95	39.84	30.70
Butter and Other Fats	Quantity (MT)	96.57	29.12	46.58	24.84	59.51
	Value(Rs.Mn)	137.14	49.63	103.09	57.25	108.38
Butter Milk and Curdled Milk	Quantity (MT)	35.20	33.75	61.80	42.51	52.25
	Value(Rs.Mn)	12.72	15.36	40.41	36.74	37.51
Whey and Whey Powder	Quantity (MT)	0.09	0.43	0.06	1.62	4.37
	Value(Rs.Mn)	0.04	0.33	0.22	2.61	2.49
Total Milk and Milk Products	Quantity (MT)	1,057.10	1,610.30	1,591.05	1,581.06	1,563.71
	Value(Rs.Mn)	657.59	929.03	1,369.41	1,623.02	1,546.40

Source: Sri Lanka Customs

5.5 Export of Milk and Milk Products in LME

Item	Unit	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
Milk and Milk Cream	Qty.(000 L)	68.22	294.40	534.74	824.03	707.93
	Val.(Rs.Mn)	2.70	28.21	45.27	40.22	41.55
Milk Cream Fat<1.5%	Qty.(000 L)	372.65	1,164.26	571.38	785.47	820.97
	Val.(Rs.Mn)	45.34	172.00	210.24	281.21	310.00
Milk Cream Fat>1.5%	Qty.(000 L)	1,021.38	1,135.26	1,344.03	1,671.07	1,538.38
	Val.(Rs.Mn)	109.50	132.65	291.27	381.09	344.73
Condensed Milk	Qty.(000 L)	3,523.59	5,807.79	5,482.68	4,977.03	4,779.79
	Val.(Rs.Mn)	342.87	519.39	650.96	784.06	671.04
Cheese and Curd	Qty.(000 L)	200.30	289.58	526.31	439.55	754.18
	Val.(Rs.Mn)	7.28	11.46	27.95	39.84	30.70
Butter and Other Fats	Qty.(000 L)	695.27	209.68	335.41	178.86	428.41
	Val.(Rs.Mn)	137.14	49.63	103.09	57.25	108.38
Butter Milk and Curdled Milk	Qty.(000 L)	253.40	243.03	444.96	488.87	376.17
	Val.(Rs.Mn)	12.72	15.36	40.41	36.74	37.51
Whey and Whey Powder	Qty.(000 L)	0.65	3.12	0.45	11.67	31.45
	Val.(Rs.Mn)	0.04	0.33	0.22	2.61	2.49
Total Milk and Milk Products	Qty.(000 L)	6,135.46	9,147.12	9,239.96	9,376.55	9,437.28
	Val.(Rs.Mn)	657.59	929.03	1,369.41	1,623.02	1,546.40

LME - Liquid Milk Equivalent

Source: Sri Lanka Customs (Modified : DAPH -LPE division)

5.6 Import of Meat and Meat Products

Item	Unit	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
Meat of Bovines	Qty.(MT)	77.68	35.60	61.84	54.35	82.04
	Val.(Rs.Mn)	62.97	35.34	174.03	127.27	236.87
Meat of Sheep and Goats	Qty.(MT)	1,067.19	880.59	353.07	279.07	622.13
	Val.(Rs.Mn)	518.96	539.55	507.35	324.44	880.98
Poultry Meat	Qty.(MT)	128.58	54.73	140.46	231.50	65.79
	Val.(Rs.Mn)	34.47	18.87	131.21	216.64	62.66
Meat of Swine	Qty.(MT)	82.88	67.24	244.33	56.78	80.01
	Val.(Rs.Mn)	54.39	52.82	288.39	72.18	94.82
Other Meat and Edible Offals	Qty.(MT)	3.27	1.00	0.31	0.44	0.21
	Val.(Rs.Mn)	1.59	0.22	3.25	3.42	4.72
Preserved Meat and Pig Fat, Poultry Fat etc.	Qty.(MT)	1.31	1.03	0.30	0.01	2.67
	Val.(Rs.Mn)	1.01	0.37	0.62	0.01	8.90
Total Meat and Meat Products	Qty.(MT)	1,360.91	1,040.19	800.31	622.15	852.85
	Val.(Rs.Mn)	673.39	647.17	1,104.85	743.96	1,288.95

Source: Sri Lanka Customs

5.7 Export of Meat and Meat Products

Item	Unit	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
Meat of Bovines	<i>Qty.(MT)</i>	24.67	34.34	36.62	31.41	21.47
	<i>Val.(Rs.Mn)</i>	32.09	51.57	102.79	94.85	64.62
Meat of Sheep and Goats	<i>Qty.(MT)</i>	0.01	0.02	0.01	n.a.	n.a.
	<i>Val.(Rs.Mn)</i>	0.01	0.02	0.11	n.a.	n.a.
Poultry Meat	<i>Qty.(MT)</i>	1,597.59	770.68	502.76	1,812.52	2,488.00
	<i>Val.(Rs.Mn)</i>	329.20	205.91	399.00	1,184.87	1,620.55
Meat of Swine	<i>Qty.(MT)</i>	6.69	19.09	31.00	20.25	30.97
	<i>Val.(Rs.Mn)</i>	7.32	18.17	49.43	33.56	46.09
Other Meat and Edible Offals	<i>Qty.(MT)</i>	0.76	0.66	10.97	0.28	1.49
	<i>Val.(Rs.Mn)</i>	0.82	0.69	6.53	0.84	5.41
Preserved Meat and Pig Fat, Poultry Fat etc.	<i>Qty.(MT)</i>	3.07	4.22	4.23	7.17	13.47
	<i>Val.(Rs.Mn)</i>	2.83	4.30	11.07	17.20	26.72
Total Meat and Meat Products	<i>Qty.(MT)</i>	1,632.79	829.01	585.59	1,871.63	2,555.40
	<i>Val.(Rs.Mn)</i>	372.27	280.66	568.93	1,331.32	1,763.39

Source: Sri Lanka Customs

5.8 Import of Feed Ingredients

Item	Unit	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
Meat & Bone Meal	Qty.(MT)	34,464	37,678	23,075	28,374	36,252
	Val.(Rs.Mn)	2,256	2,668	1,934	5,122	4,020
Fish Meal	Qty.(MT)	4,384	3,304	1,786	1,839	2,259
	Val.(Rs.Mn)	615	324	379	586	638
Bran	Qty.(MT)	294	744	1,045	444	632
	Val.(Rs.Mn)	32	122	383	119	125
Soya Bean Meal	Qty.(MT)	213,610	227,871	184,358	199,961	257,931
	Val.(Rs.Mn)	17,204	26,601	22,311	39,210	40,350
Maize	Qty.(MT)	26,932	4,838	184,611	178,451	221,935
	Val.(Rs.Mn)	1,171	314	18,306	15,345	18,720
Rape Seed Meal	Qty.(MT)	389	n.a.	133	387	n.a.
	Val.(Rs.Mn)	24	n.a.	15	42	n.a.
DDGS	Qty.(MT)	17,852	20,552	4,780	5,797	19,265
	Val.(Rs.Mn)	2,005	648	304	760	1,617
Wheat	Qty.(MT)	118,755	206,601	34,141	n.a.	n.a.
	Val.(Rs.Mn)	6,159	7,486	3,079	n.a.	n.a.

Source: Sri Lanka Customs and Animal Quarantine Stations (DAPH)

Chapter 6. Feed Production and Prices

6.1 Animal Feed Production (2020 -2024)

Category	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
Commercial Feed Production					
Dairy feed ('000 MT)	68.54	64.48	49.27	55.69	74.58
Poultry feed ('000 MT)	933.31	1,025.93	836.14	995.26	1,187.67
Pig feed ('000 MT)	2.32	3.36	4.45	4.54	3.93
Goat feed ('000 MT)	0.04	0.18	0.04	0.07	0.05
Shrimp feed ('000 MT)/ Fish Feed ('000 MT)	1.52	0.59	1.21	1.21	1.42
Horse feed ('000 MT)	0.40	0.18	0.04	0.17	0.22
Other feed ('000 MT)	1.93	1.85	1.36	0.03	0.31
Feed premixes ('000 MT)	24.00	7.70	24.26	29.45	33.15
Total Commercial Feed Production	1,032.06	1,104.27	916.78	1,086.43	1,301.33
Self mixed ('000 MT)	291.05	258.30	259.85	170.16	177.64
Total Feed production ('000 MT)	1,323.11	1,362.57	1,176.63	1,256.59	1,478.97

Source: VRA Division/ DAPH

6.2 Animal Feed Ingredient Production (2020 - 2024)

Item	Unit	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
Maize						
Local Maize Production (Maha)	MT	267,767	432,153	236,928	198,601	196,871
<i>Extent (Maha)</i>	Ha	66,486	96,061	77,980	69,383	65,300
Local Maize Production (Yala)	MT	45,754	40,291	22,112	22,647	26,626
<i>Extent (Yala)</i>	Ha	11,763	10,696	6,179	6,599	7,401
Imports for Animal Feed*	MT	26,932	4,838	184,611	178,451	221,935
Soya bean						
Local Soya Production (Maha)	MT	130	124	341	456	508
<i>Extent (Maha)</i>	Ha	88	80	211	272	289
Local Soya Production (Yala)	MT	7,749	3,670	3,501	7,324	5,688
<i>Extent (Yala)</i>	Ha	3,450	1,835	1,720	3,714	2,927
Imports for Animal Feeds*	MT	213,610	227,871	184,358	199,961	257,931

Source : Dept.of Census and Statistics,

* AQ Station-DAPH, Sri Lanka Customs

6.3 Compound (Average) Feed Prices (2020 -2024)

Feed Type	Price (Rs/25 kg pack)				
	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
Poultry Feed (Rs/25 kg)					
Broiler Starter	2,818.50	3,573.54	8,917.17	8,206.00	7,246.25
Broiler Finisher	2,703.66	3,414.41	8,492.46	7,932.50	7,059.25
Layer Starter	2,547.76	3,293.40	7,180.79	6,385.25	5,833.50
Layer Grower	2,014.19	2,976.16	6,178.54	5,091.25	4,618.00
Layer	2,191.16	2,682.69	5,796.06	4,745.25	4,263.50
Pig Feed (Rs/25 kg)					
Pig Starter	2,241.60	2,620.17	4,810.81	5,022.75	5,158.25
Pig Grower	1,760.00	2,299.88	4,598.75	3,828.25	4,240.75
Pig Faterner	2,305.75	2,646.56	6,117.25	4,388.25	4,008.00
Cattle Feed (Rs/25 kg)					
Dairy Meal	1,287.37	1,864.62	2,976.23	2,691.50	2,465.25
Calf Starter	1,977.25	2,469.95	3,953.59	4,387.00	3,721.75

Source : Feed Production Companies (Modified - DAPH- LPE Division)

6.4 Retail Prices of Feed Ingredients (2020 - 2024)

Ingredient	Unit Price (Rs/kg)				
	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
Soya Meal	105.21	166.84	360.64	285.27	250.13
Fish Meal(Malaysian)	220.00	265.23	661.08	414.33	321.41
Fish Meal(Danish)	478.11	526.13	974.60	809.72	498.07
Meat & Bone Meal	104.21	158.77	376.84	297.90	215.98
Broken Rice	67.77	87.51	125.42	128.69	154.80
Rice Polish	59.79	69.12	135.11	89.12	118.50
Maize Whole	80.31	99.45	204.74	176.88	174.04
Maize Meal	89.47	103.26	181.48	183.88	n.a.
Coconut Poonac	53.89	76.31	100.10	105.75	105.98

Source: Colombo Market Prices (Modified DAPH -LPE Division)

Chapter 7. Livestock Product Prices

7.1 Prices of Poultry and Poultry Products - 2024

Month	Wholesale Price			Farm Gate Price	
	Egg ^{**} (Rs/each)		Broiler Chicken (Dressed) ^{***} (Rs/kg)	Day Old Chicks (Rs/DOC)*	
	White	Red		Broiler	Layer
January	51.08	53.45	1121.11	227.60	541.17
February	56.72	59.06	1069.17	238.89	573.33
March	48.81	51.25	1151.00	214.34	528.33
April	45.13	47.76	1287.22	203.62	528.33
May	45.83	48.36	1120.00	174.80	507.50
June	48.14	49.97	1060.83	189.16	516.67
July	48.43	51.14	1021.00	181.11	497.50
August	40.22	42.91	1000.50	165.00	496.67
September	36.49	39.39	987.33	170.28	496.25
October	38.45	41.56	955.33	90.25	486.67
November	35.45	38.02	999.00	182.17	482.14
December	34.04	36.68	1155.50	171.25	393.33
Average	44.07	46.63	1077.33	184.04	503.99

Source : * Breeder farms

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7.2 Retail Prices of Meat and Eggs (2022 - 2024)

Product	2022			2023			2024		
	Average	Min	Max	Average	Min	Max	Average	Min	Max
Chicken (Rs/kg)									
Curry Chicken	1,188.08	816.27	1,579.04	1,532.01	1,402.09	1,705.88	1,435.40	1,386.97	1,468.00
Broiler Chicken	1,159.79	794.65	1,521.58	1,364.91	1,185.34	1,583.28	1,215.54	1,114.17	1,305.26
Eggs(Rs/egg)									
White Eggs	39.97	20.46	55.64	50.76	45.62	56.32	46.42	36.53	58.62
Brown Eggs	41.68	21.96	57.47	52.24	47.36	58.24	48.43	37.58	60.37
Beef (Rs/kg)	1,574.78	1,146.92	1,889.48	2,020.08	1,921.93	2,112.27	2,183.24	2,082.91	2,298.29
Mutton (Rs/kg)	2,514.30	2,089.42	2,801.58	3,014.45	2,820.28	3,134.00	3,264.45	3,151.48	3,347.36
Pork (Rs/kg)	1,262.97	881.20	1,692.29	1,626.99	1,520.06	1,697.18	1,443.82	1,393.85	1,503.17

Source : HARTI

Chapter 8. Cost of Production and Availability

8.1 Cost of Production of Livestock Products (2020 - 2024)

Item	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
Cost of Production of Chicken Meat (Rs/kg)					
Large scale					
Live Weight	212.34	342.75	671.95	567.20	446.30
Dressed Weight	287.77	374.28	753.77	784.48	664.80
Frozen Chicken	341.80	389.30	768.86	884.61	764.52
Small Scale					
Live Weight	342.64	333.69	643.95	716.26	627.48
Dressed Weight	412.35	457.78	870.60	1,025.49	918.64
Cost of Production of Eggs (Rs/egg)					
Large Scale	13.87	17.98	35.67	32.82	31.18
Small Scale	14.57	18.06	38.10	37.85	35.17
Cost of Production of Milk (Rs/litre)					
Intensive System	49.28	69.30	81.22	80.92	78.48
Cost of Production of Mutton (Rs/kg)	956.87	1,442.18	1,760.83	1,826.11	1,783.37
Cost of Production of Beef (Rs/kg)	380.77	406.61	476.20	550.95	574.86
Cost of Production of Pork (Rs/kg)					
Live Weight	245.29	288.00	343.23	380.27	407.19
Dressed Weight	353.94	414.96	511.54	565.27	602.90

8.2 Percapita Availability of Livestock Products Per Year (2020 - 2024)

Item	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
Milk and Milk Products(LME) -l	52.81	48.69	34.60	39.98	40.77
Meat (kg)					
Chicken	9.79	10.68	10.27	10.64	11.80
Beef	1.35	1.26	1.25	1.23	1.37
Mutton	0.14	0.15	0.14	0.12	0.15
Pork	0.41	0.44	0.43	0.43	0.41
Eggs(number)	110.71	132.30	93.40	99.74	137.72



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