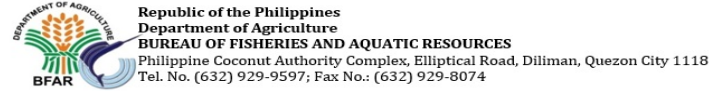


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1 <i>Chanos chanos</i>	Milkfish	Bangus/Bangrus																	-	-	-		
		Small (6pcs and above)	140	130	160	140	140	170	160	120	120	150 & 160	160	120 & 130	140	140 & 150	160	120	120-160	160	170	120	
		Medium (3-5 pcs)	150-190	170	180	160	180	160	200	200	180	160	180	140-160	170	160	170	180	180	180	200	200	140
2 <i>Oreochromis niloticus</i>	Tilapia	Tilapia/Pla-pla																	-	-	-		
		Small (6 pcs and above)	100 & 120	50 & 130	100	100	80	130	100	150	150	200-250	80-150	100	150	70	120 & 140	120	100	250	50		
		Medium (3-5 pcs)	110-150	140	130	120	120	140	160	170	160	160	150 & 160	140	150 & 160	120	160 & 180	120	160	180	110		
3 <i>Penaeus vannamei</i>	Whiteleg shrimp	Hipon/Pasayan/Urang/Bingalo/Sugpo/Suahe/Hipong Puti/Putian/Pansat/Udang																	-	-	-		
		Small (61 pcs and above)	360	300	480	400	370 & 380	400	200	380	300	300	350.00	280	240	260-300	300	360	300	480	200		
		Medium (31 pcs to 60pcs)	400	300	550	450	480	450	500	350	300	380	250	280	280 & 320	360	340	400	280-450	550	250		
4 <i>Gracilaria sp.</i>	Seaweeds	Guso/Gurguraman/Kanot-kanot/Agar-agar/Gulaman/Gamo-gamo			130							50	100	50	40 & 50	40-70	80	70	60	200	50	200	40
		Lato/Ar-arusip/Arorosip/Arosep/Eaba-eaba/Homhom/Latoh/Gosuh	200	200	130 & 200	160	200	60	20 & 30	120	100	50	200	120	200	200	200	50	200	200	200	20	
		Tambalang/Kanut-kanut/Gulaman/Guso/Agal-agal						80						50	40	120	80-170		160	80	170	40	
5 <i>Crassostrea iredalei</i>	Oyster	Talaba/Tirem/Sisi/Tahong		60-100			60 & 120	80	140	40	60	250	25.00	30 & 40	120			100	60	250	25		
6 <i>Perna viridis</i>	Mussel	Tahong/Kinason/Alamahong	120 & 130	120	100	100	100	120	80	60	120	50		60	120	80-140	70-100	120	120	140	50		
7 <i>Scylla serrata</i>	Mudcrab	Alimango/Rasa/Alama/Han-it/Kinis					300	300-700	300	200-500										300	700	200	
		Male		500		600		700	300-600	380	500	500	300-550	350	650		700	700	500 & 700	700	300		
		Female		500		800		700	500	450	500	380-500	600 & 650	650	600		600-800	800	500	800	380		
8 <i>Portunus pelagicus</i>	Blue swimming Crab	Alimasag/Dariway/Galiwey/Kasag/Lambay/Masag/Kagang Sukay/Kalelepa																	-	-	-		
		Small/Medium (7 pcs and above)	260	300		160	300	400	160-360	200	350	200	180 & 350	180 & 200	350	340 & 360	300-350	300	300 & 350	400	160		
		Large (1-6 pcs)		400	280	350	350	500		280	250	350	220	300 & 320	300	400		340 & 350	500	350	500	220	
9 <i>Thunnus albacares</i>	Yellowfin Tuna	Tambakol/Albakora/Tuna/Tulingan/Tangi/Bangkulis/Panit/Bantalaan/Bantaea-an/Bariles/Pakan/Pirit/Karaw/Barilis/Carao																	-	-	-		
		Whole	260-320		380	180	200	150	200	200	200	200	160	180.00	200	340 & 380	180	180-250	300	200	380	150	
		Sliced	350-400		300	300	280	240-300	200-260	220-340	280	280	180	280	400 & 450	280	320-500	340 & 360	280	280	500	180	
Katsuwonus pelamis	Skipjack Tuna	Gulyasan/Dumadara/Buslugan/Tangi/Pundahan/Kanturayan/Gurayan/Budlis/Salimbagon/Budlisan/Tulingan/Puyan/Sambagon/Bulis/Pawayan/Gusayan/Puyan/Langalak																	-	-	-		
		Whole			150	100	200	180	260	180	120	120-250	160	100-150	180	140 & 160	150-600	150 & 180	600	100			
		Sliced				140	220		450	220	100	250	160	180	180	140	250	140-250	450	100			
<i>Auxis thazard</i>	Frigate Tuna	Tulingan/Tangi/Bonito/Tulingan-Lapad/Turingan/Aloy Mangko/Pirit/Bolis/Lapad/Pidlayan/Mangku	280	140	130	200	120 & 200	130 & 180	200	180	200	120	250	140	200	160	120-240	280	200	280	120		
<i>Auxis rochei</i>	Bullet Tuna	Tulingan/Tangi/Bonito/Tulingan-Bilog/Aloy/Mangko Pirit/Turingan/Bolis/Mangku/Pidlayan/Budboron		120 & 180		380	160-200	100	140 & 160	140-180	160	180	120.00	120	200	120-240	160 & 220	200	120 & 160	380	100		

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10	<i>Sardinella fimbriata</i>	Fringescale Sardinella	Tunsoy/Bilis/Tamban/Tawilis/Lawlaw/Tunsoy/M anansi/Tabagak/Mangsi/Tapisok/Tayapad/Kasig				100		30 & 60					100	50	60	35-50		50 & 80	120	50	120	30
	<i>Sardinella lemuru</i>	Bali Sardinella	Tamban/Tunsoy/Lawlaw/Tabagak/Tuloy/Mangsi /Kasig		60-100		120	50 & 70	100	50	120	50	60	50	50-80	100	40-60		80-150	100	50	150	40
	<i>Sardinella gibbosa</i>	Goldstripe Sardinella	Tamban/Tunsoy/Lawlaw/Tabagak/Tuloy/Mangsi /Kasig	120-140	60-100		100	120	100			60 & 80	50-60		50	120			60	90	60	140	50
11	<i>Rastrelliger kanagurta</i>	Indian Mackerel	Alumahan/Kabalias/Kabalyas/Baraniti/Tanigue/T angigue/Buraw/Boraw/Karabalyas/Anduhaw/Cab alyas				280	250	200	200 & 280	250	180	200 & 350	200	100	180			160-280	300	200	350	100
	<i>Scomberomorus commerson</i>	Narrow-barred Spanish Mackerel	Tangigue/Tanigue/Tangi/Karabalyas		200	320	250-350	250-500	250	280-450	360	380	250	240 & 280	400	280	350 & 360	320-450		500	250	500	200
12	<i>Decapterus macrosoma</i>	Shortfin Scad	Galunggong/Baraniti/Bulilit/Galunggong Lalake/Sibobog/Tamodios/Marot Borot/Lambarok sigarilyuon/Burot /Budloy/Tamarong/Moro-moro/Sigarilyo/Tayang																				
			Small (21 pcs and above)	180	140	130	120	240	100	240	160	150		100	140	130 & 200	220-240	150 & 200	200	200 & 240	240	240	100
			Medium (11-20 pcs)		200	160	180	250	120	160 & 200	200	180		140	140	160	120-240	160 & 180	240	160	250	120	
			Large (7-10 pcs)		240	180	200	200	70 & 120		160-200		180	140 & 200	160 & 180	180	150	200	200	200	240	70	
13	<i>Loligo sp.</i>	Squid	Pusit Lumot/Laki/Kanuos/Nokus/Noos Nokos/Nukos/Tostos/Baghak/Choka/Lumiagan/N ukos/Lumayagan/Barawan	280-320	450	380	300	400 & 450	120	300	350	350	120	350.00	140	140	140-180	300-380	360	140-350	450	120	
			Bisaya/Kalawang/ Lapis/Laki/Kanuos/Nokus/Noos Nokos/Nukos/Tostos/Baghak/Choka/Lumiagan/N ukos/Lumayagan/Barawan	180	200	180	200	380	120 & 200	340	220	130	280-350	200		160	200	300-450	280 & 300	200	450	120	
14	<i>Lutjanus sp.</i>	Snapper	Maya-maya/Angrat/Burara/Aluman/Saing- saing/Kutambak	180	350	380	300	150 & 480	220	380	300	350 & 380	200	380	450	300	400	580	350	380	580	150	
15	<i>Epinephelus sp.</i>	Grouper	Lapu- lapu/Baraka/Inid/Pugado/Tingag/Pogapo/Baraka /Lapu-lapo Itum/Pugapo/Kulapu		400	400 & 450	350 & 450	300 & 400	200-240	380	350	450	200	250		400			300	400	450	200	
	<i>Epinephelus sp.</i>	Grouper (Red)	Lapu-lapu pula/Pulahan/Baraka/Inid/Pugado/Tingag/Pogap o/Baraka/Pugapo/Kulapu		300	300 & 350		350-550	250		380	500 & 550	300	380	400	400	480	400	400	400	550	250	
OTHER FISHERY COMMODITIES																							
1	<i>Acanthurus nigricauda</i>	Epaulette Surgeonfish	Labahita/Indangan	-	-	-	-	350	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	350	350	350
2	<i>Acanthurus sp.</i>	Surgeon Fish	Labahita	-	-	-	-	-	80	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	300	80 & 300	300	80	
3	<i>Acetes sp.</i>	Sergestids	Alamang	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	100	-	-	-	50	50 & 100	100	50	
4	<i>Alepis djebaba</i>	Shrimp scad	Salay batang	-	-	-	-	300-360	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	300	300	360	300	
5	<i>Alepes vari</i>	Herring scad	Salay	-	-	-	-	180-200	120	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	120-200	200	120	
6	<i>Aluterus monoceros</i>	Unicorn leatherjacket	Siwarik	-	-	-	-	200	180 & 200	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	200	180	
7	<i>Amblygaster sirm</i>	Spotted Sardinella	Tamban/Hawol-hawol	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	80	80	80	80	
8	<i>Anquilla sp.</i>	Black Eel	Kasili/Igat	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	140	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	140	140	140
9	<i>Anodontia edentula</i>	Mangrove Clam	Imbaw	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	160	-	-	-	200	-	-	-	-	160 & 200	200	160
10	<i>Arius manillensis</i>	Marine sea catfish	Kanduli	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	100	100	100	100	
11	<i>Atule mate</i>	Yellowtail Scad	Salay-salay/Marapati/Budburon/Bagudlong	-	-	-	-	200	120	100	200	-	360	-	-	-	-	-	300	200	360	100	
12	<i>Caesio sp.</i>	Fusilier	Dalagang Bukid	-	-	-	240	-	120	-	-	-	-	-	-	250	-	-	-	120-250	250	120	
13	<i>Caesio caeruleaurea</i>	Blue and Gold Fusilier	Dalagang Bukid Bilog/Sulid	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	350	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	350	350	350	
14	<i>Caesio cuning</i>	Redbelly Yellowtail Fusilier	Dalagang Bukid Lapad/Sinaw-an	-	130-280	250	-	380	80	-	-	300	200	-	-	-	-	-	300	300	380	80	
15	<i>Carangoides armatus</i>	Longfin trevally	Talakitok	-	-	-	-	400	170	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	170 & 400	400	170	
16	<i>Carangoides ferdau</i>	Blue Trevally	Talakitok/Sibo	-	-	-	300	-	-	360	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	250-380	380	250	
17	<i>Carangoides fulvoguttatus</i>	Yellow/Gold-spotted Trevally	Talakitok/Mamsa	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	350	-	-	-	-	-	-	350	350	350	
18	<i>Carangoides malabaricus</i>	Malabar Trevally	Lison	-	-	-	-	-	80	-	300	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	80 & 300	300	80
19	<i>Caranx ignobilis</i>	Giant Trevally	Talakitok	-	-	380	-	400	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	380 & 400	400	380	
20	<i>Caranx sexfasciatus</i>	Big Eye Trevally	Talakitok	-	280-350	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	280-350	350	280	
21	<i>Caranx sp.</i>	Trevally	Talakitok	-	-	-	-	-	200 & 250	-	-	-	-	-	-	280 & 400	-	-	300	200-400	400	200	
22	<i>Caranx melampygus</i>	Bluefin Trevally	Talakitok/Mamsa/Lison	-	-	-	-	-	140	-	-	300	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	140 & 300	300	140
23	<i>Cestraeus plicatilis</i>	Lobed River Mullet	Banak	-	-	-	160	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	160	160	160
24	<i>Channa striata</i>	Mudfish/Striped Snakehead	Haw-An/Dalag/Aluan	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	180 & 200	-	180 & 200	200	180	
25	<i>Clarias batrachus</i>	Philippines Catfish	Hito/Paltat	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	200	200	200	200	
26	<i>Clarias gariepinus</i>	African Catfish	Hito/Pantat	160	-	150	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	150 & 160	160	150	

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89	<i>Rastrelliger sp.</i>	Mackerel	Hasa-hasa	-	-	-	-	-	100	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	240	100 & 240	240	100	
			head	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	140-400	140-400	400	140	
			belly	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	140-750	140-750	750	140	
			meat/ sliced	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	650	650	650	140	
90	<i>Sardinella tawilis</i>	Freshwater tawilis	Tawilis/ Salinyasi	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	160	160	160	160	
91	<i>Saurida tumbil</i>	Greater Lizard Fish	Kalaso/Talho/Tiki-tiki	-	-	-	-	120 & 150	180	-	-	-	80-160	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	80-180	180	80
92	<i>Scarus sp.</i>	Parrotfish	Mul-Mol/Mol-mol/Batagon	-	-	-	-	-	80	-	-	230	180 & 200	-	-	-	-	150-240	120	80-240	240	80	
93	<i>Scatophagus argus</i>	Spotted Scad	Kapiged/Kitang	-	300	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	260	-	-	300 & 380	300	380	260	
94	<i>Scolopsis taeniontera</i>	Lattice Monocle Bream	Silay	-	-	-	-	-	140	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	140	14	140	
95	<i>Scomber japonicus</i>	Chub Mackerel	Salmon	-	-	150	-	-	160	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	150 & 160	160	150	
96	<i>Selar boops</i>	Oxeye Scad	Matang-baka/Matambaka/Tamarong/Kutob	-	280	-	-	-	120 & 200	160	-	-	140-200	-	140	-	-	-	-	140 & 200	200	140	
97	<i>Selar crumenophthalmus</i>	Big-eye Scad	Matangbaka/Matambaka/Mat-an/Salay-salay/Tamarong/Tulay/Kutob	-	-	-	140 & 160	300	160	-	200	250	180-240	-	160	200	150-280	240 & 280	240-320	160 & 240	320	140	
98	<i>Selaroides leptalepis</i>	Yellow-striped Scad	Salay-salay/Salaginto/Salay-ginto/Daliniu-an/Lambiyaw/Karabalyas	-	-	-	-	-	140	-	-	-	200	-	200-450	-	-	-	280	200	450	140	
99	<i>Seriola dumerili</i>	Greater amberjack	Tonto	-	-	-	-	250	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	250	250	250	
100	<i>Siganus canaliculatus</i>	White-spotted Spinefoot	Malaga/Danggit/Samaral/Tambol/Hamol-od/Kitong	-	-	-	-	160	120	-	-	350	250	-	-	280	-	-	-	120-350	350	120	
101	<i>Siganus guttatus</i>	Golden/Yellow/Orange-spotted Spinefoot	Malaga/Barangan/Danggit/Samaral/Tambol/Kitong/Manlalara/Bong	350	-	-	-	180 & 200	140 & 250	180	-	-	300	-	280	260	-	-	-	180	350	140	
102	<i>Siganus virgatus</i>	Barhead Spinefoot	Daragbago	-	-	-	-	-	140-180	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	140-180	180	140	
103	<i>Siganus vermiculatus</i>	Vermiculated spinefoot	Malaga	350	230	-	-	200	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	200-350	350	200	
104	<i>Siganus sp.</i>	Spinefoot/ Rabbitfish/Siganid	Bataway/Danggit/Bawis/Malaga	-	-	-	-	-	120-250	-	250	250	-	-	-	280	-	-	300 & 420	250	420	120	
105	<i>Sillago sihama</i>	Whiting	Asohos	-	-	-	-	300	80 & 120	-	260	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	240-480	80-480	480	80	
106	<i>Spratelloides gracilis</i>	Silver Stripe Round Herring	Dilis/Domod-Ot	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	130-200	-	130-200	200	130	
107	<i>Sphyrna obtusata</i>	Obtuse Barracuda	Torsilyo/Barakuda/Rumpi	-	-	-	-	300	-	-	-	300 & 350	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	300	350	300	
108	<i>Sphyrna sp.</i>	Barracuda	Panghalwan/Lusod/Rumpi	-	-	-	-	120	-	-	200	-	300	-	-	-	-	-	160-300	300	300	120	
109	<i>Stolephorus comersonnii</i>	Commerson's Anchovy	Dilis/Bolinao	-	-	-	-	120	-	-	-	80-160	160	-	-	-	-	-	240-320	160	320	80	
110	<i>Stolephorus indicus</i>	Indian Anchovy	Dilis/Twakang/Munamon/Libgaw/Sinarap/Sarapon	-	-	-	-	350	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	180	-	-	100-140	100-350	350	100	
111	<i>Stolephorus sp.</i>	Anchovy	Dilis/Bolinao/Tuwakang/Bawdnon	-	-	-	-	-	50-160	-	-	-	180	-	-	-	-	-	150 & 280	50-280	280	50	
112	<i>Telescopium telescopium</i>	Horn Snail	Bagungon/Chupakulo	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	50	-	-	-	50	50	50	
113	<i>Terapon jarboa</i>	Crescent grunter	Bagaong	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	240	240	240	240	
114	<i>Terapon sp.</i>	Terapon	Bugaong/Ayungin	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	200	200	200	200	
115	<i>Thunnus obesus</i>	Big-eye tuna	Barilis	-	-	-	-	-	100	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	200	-	100 & 200	200	100	
116	<i>Thunnus tongaat</i>	Longtail tuna	Tambakol	-	-	-	-	-	120	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	120	120	120	
117	<i>Trachinotus blochii</i>	Silver Pompano	Pompano	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	360	-	-	-	360	360	360	
118	<i>Trachinotus sp.</i>	Pompano	Pampano	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	350	350	350	350	
119	<i>Trichiurus japonicus</i>	Cutlass Fish	Espada	-	-	-	-	300	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	300	300	300	
120	<i>Trichiurus lepturus</i>	Largehead Hairtail	Espada/Pingka/Langkoy Lahing/Diwit	-	-	350	-	200 & 250	-	-	-	200	200	-	-	-	-	180-280	300 & 360	200	360	180	
121	<i>Trichiurus sp.</i>	Hairtail	Liwit	-	85-260	-	-	-	80	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	80-260	260	80	
122	<i>Tylosurus acus melanotus</i>	Aguion Needlefish	Balo/Batalay	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	220	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	220	220	220	
123	<i>Tylosurus crocodilus</i>	Hound Needlefish	Balo/Bawo	-	-	-	-	-	60-100	-	-	-	200	-	-	-	-	160	-	60-200	200	60	
124	<i>Tylosurus sp.</i>	Needlefish	Batalay	-	85-260	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	200	-	-	160-240	85-260	260	85	
125	<i>Upeneus mollicensis</i>	Goldband Goatfish	Saramulyete/Balaki/Timbongan/Talikokod/Hinok	-	-	-	-	-	80-160	-	-	-	160	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	160	160	80
126	<i>Upeneus sulphureus</i>	Sulphur Goatfish	Ti-aw/Timbongan	-	-	-	-	-	80 & 180	-	-	-	60	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	60-180	180	60
127	<i>Upeneus spp.</i>	Goatfish	Saramulyete	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	200-240	350	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	200-350	350	200	
128	<i>Varuna literrata</i>	River crab	Talangka	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	180	180	180	180	
129	<i>Venerupis sp.</i>	Clam	Halaan	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	100	100	100	100	
130	<i>Xiphias gladius</i>	Swordfish	Marlin	-	-	-	280	-	-	-	380	-	-	-	-	400	-	-	-	280-400	400	280	

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<p>General: Majority of the fish supplies in the monitored markets are sourced from Region 1, Region 4A, and NCR (particularly at Navotas Fish Port). Ample volumes of Imported-frozen Galunggong and other fresh marine commodities were noted in the region.</p> <p>Week 1: March 1-6, 2021 Despite the pandemic, supply of fish and other fishery commodities coming from major fish ports remain sufficient.</p> <p>Week 3: March 14-20, 2021 Generally, no significant changes were noted in the supply and price situation of the top fishery commodities in the region, except for Bangus, which had a Php5.00/kg to Php10.00/kg increase.</p> <p>Week 4: March 21-27, 2021 Despite the COVID-19 pandemic, supplies of fishery commodities in the region remain sufficient.</p> <p>Week 5: March 28-31, 2021 With the continuously increasing number of COVID-19 cases, safety protocols such as "No face mask and face shield, No entry" remain in place in the major wet markets in Region.</p>																					
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<p>General: Imported-frozen Galunggong was observed in Urdaneta City Public Market and Vigan City public Market, Vigan City, Ilocos Sur. Almost all fishery commodities in the monitored markets are from Dagupan City. Various health protocols targeted against COVID-19 are continuously implemented in the major wet markets.</p> <p>Week 3: March 14-20, 2021 In Laoag City Public Market, low supply of fresh marine commodities was noted due to hampered fishing operations brought by the strong winds. Further, supplies of Malaga and Hipon were also noted in the said market sourced from Cagayan.</p>																					
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<p>Week 2: March 7-13, 2021 Supplies of Alimango were sold at a higher price due to low supply. Other fishery commodities were sustained at their prices.</p>																					
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<p>Week 1: March 1-6, 2021 Medium-sized <i>Sardinella lemuru</i> in the region are sold at a higher price amid its low availability. Similarly, <i>Perna viridis</i> are limited in volumes at Calamba City Public Market and Lucena City Public Market amid the red tide in other provinces. Prices of fresh marine commodities, especially Local-fresh Galunggong, remain high due to its low availability.</p> <p>Week 2: March 7-13, 2021 In Calamba City Public Market and Lucena City Public Market, prices of fishery commodities (especially Local-fresh Galunggong and Tahong) remain high due to their low availability. Further, the occurrence of red tide in some provinces also contributed to the higher selling of Tahong this week.</p> <p>Week 4: March 21-27, 2021 Due to the occurrence of Full Moon, prices of fresh marine commodities was noted to be higher this week.</p> <p>Week 5: March 28-31, 2021 Prices of fishery commodities, especially fresh marine commodities, were higher this week due to its high demand brought by the Lent Season.</p>																					
R4B																					
<p>Weeks 1-4: March 1-27, 2021 Relatively abundant volumes of fishery commodities were noted in the markets, resulting to the low selling price this week.</p> <p>Week 5: March 28-31, 2021 Sufficient supply and stable prices of fishery commodities were noted in the region.</p>																					
R5																					
<p>Weeks 1 & 3: March 1-6 & 14-20, 2021 Lower variety of fishery commodities were noted today due to the bad weather condition in the province.</p> <p>Week 4: March 21-27, 2021 Heavy rains in the region brought lesser volumes and variety of fishery commodities duin the region.</p>																					
R6																					
<p>Weeks 1-5: March 1-31, 2021 Sufficient volumes of fishery commodities and relatively high influx of people was noted in the monitored markets this week.</p>																					
R7																					
<p>Weeks 3 & 5 : March 14-20 & 28-31, 2021 Ample volumes of fishery commodities were noted in the region, resulting to the stable and relatively lower prevailing prices.</p>																					
R8																					
<p>Week 1-3: March 1-6, 2021 In Catbalogan and Catarman Public Market, minimal fish stalls were open as administrators and vendors take precaution against the increasing cases of COVID-19. Minimum health protocols are continuously being observed in all major markets. Nonetheless, prevailing prices of top commodities remain stable despite of the unfavorable weather condition in the region.</p> <p>Week 4: March 21-27, 2021 Despite the unfavorable weather condition, prices of the top fishery commodities (especially aquacultured commodities such as Bangus) remain stable. However, fresh marine commodities was noted to have slight price increments.</p> <p>Week 5: March 28-31, 2021 Prices of fishery commodities, especially aquacultured commodities, remain stable despite of the unfavorable weather condition. Fresh marine commodities, however, had price increments due to its lower availability.</p>																					

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<p>Week 1: March 1-6, 2021 Low influx of people are noted in the market as administrators require Quarantine Passes upon entry. Majority of the residents are reportedly buying fishery commodities in their nearest barangay <i>talipapa</i> to avoid acquiring COVID-19.</p> <p>Week 4: March 21-27, 2021 Significant decrease in demand was noted in the monitored markets. This may have been brought by the implementation of "Quarantine Pass Policy" in the markets, which urged consumers to buy most of their food supplies in the nearest <i>Talipapa</i>.</p>																					
R10																					
<p>General: Lesser consumers were noted in the monitored markets this week as the public continue to take precaution against COVID-19.</p> <p>Weeks 1-2: March 1-13, 2021 Prices of fishery commodities commodities, particularly Tilapia, Bangus and Local-fresh Galunggong, are relatively high.</p> <p>Week 3: March 14-20, 2021 In Camiguin, no fresh marine commodities were noted due to no unloading from local and out-of-province suppliers. In Lanao del Norte, supply and demand as well as the prices of fishery commodities remain stable.</p> <p>Week 4: March 21-27, 2021 Prices of the top fishery commodities, particularly Tilapia, Bangus and Local-fresh Galunggong, were noted to be relatively high this week.</p> <p>Week 5: March 28-31, 2021 An increase in selling prices of fishery commodities was noted in the monitored markets. However, influx of buyers in the markets remain low due to the threat brought by the COVID-19 pandemic.</p>																					
R11																					
<p>Weeks 1-4: March 1-27, 2021 Low supply of fishery commodities was observed in monitored markets due to bad weather condition</p> <p>Week 5: March 28-31, 2021 Higher demand for fishery commodities was noted in the monitored makrets due to the Lent Holidays.</p>																					
R12																					
<p>Week 2: March 7-13, 2021 In General Santos, price of fishery commodities are higher amid the bad weather condition.</p>																					
R13																					
<p>Week 1: March 1-6, 2021 In the Islands of Dinagat and Siargao, prices of fishery commodities are relatively higher this week due to the low supply.</p> <p>Week 5: March 28-31, 2021 Lower demand for fishery commodities was noted in the monitored markets.</p>																					
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<p>Week 1: March 1-6, 2021 Majority of the Local-fresh Galunggong supplies are small-sized as fish caught from major fishing grounds (which recently underwent Closed Fishing Season) are still not mature in sizes. For Alumahan, majority of the available supplies at the retail markets are large-sized. The limited and unpredictable volume of fresh marine commodities may also be effects of the occurrence of full moon last February 28 as well as the cold weather condition brought by the Northeast Moonsoon or "Hanging Amihan." Some vendors in the monitored retail markets are still selling Imported-frozen Galunggong amid the low availability of Local-fresh Galunggong. Tilapia and Bangus continue to have no changes as supplies remain stable and sufficient among the monitored retail markets. Top fishery commodities in the eleven (11) monitored retail markets are sourced mainly from the following areas: a. Bangus - Bulacan b. Tilapia - Batangas c. Local Galunggong - Lucena, Quezon d. Alumahan - Malabon Fish Port (Lucena)</p> <p>Low number of buyers was still noted among the monitored markets. As a result, some vendors, particularly in Trabajo, Commonwealth, Tandang Sora, Kamuning, Galas, Farmers, and Mega-Q Markets, opted not to open their fish stalls only on selected days of the week. On the observance of precautionary safety measures, implementation of social distancing continues to not be strictly observed, in most monitored retail markets. Nonetheless, vendors and buyers continue to wear face mask and face shields to prevent further spread of COVID-19.</p> <p>Week 2: March 7-13, 2021 Large volumes of fresh marine commodities, particularly small-sized Local-fresh Galunggong, were noted at the monitored retail markets this week. The limited and unpredictable availability of medium-sized fresh marine commodities (i.e., Local-fresh Galunggong and Alumahan) may still have been caused by the Northeast Monsoon or "Hanging Amihan," which brings cold weather condition, driving fish to the bottom of the ocean, making them harder to catch. On the other hand, Imported-frozen Galunggong, oremains available as an alternative commodity to its local variant. Prices of aquacultured commodities, particularly Bangus and Tilapia, remain stable amid the sufficient supplies in the monitored markets. Top fishery commodities in the monitored markets were sourced mainly from the following: a. Bangus - Bulacan b. Tilapia - Batangas c. Local-fresh Galunggong - Malabon Fish Port (Lucena, Quezon) d. Imported-frozen Galunggong - Navotas Fish Port e. Alumahan - Malabon Fish Port</p> <p>Low influx of buyers is still apparent in the retail market. As a result, some vendors opted to sell very limited volumes of fishery commodities to ensure that all supplies are sold out by the end of the day and to avoid further loss of profit. Wearing of face masks are strictly observed by vendors and buyers amid the recent order of Department of the Interior and Local Government (DILG) to LGUs and PNP to strictly enforce health protocols due to the recent spike in COVID-19 cases in the country (DILG, 2021).</p>																					

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<p>Week 3: March 14-20, 2021 Small-sized Local-fresh Galunggong continue to dominate the monitored markets this week. However, higher volumes of medium-sized Local-fresh Galunggong (sourced from Palawan and Lucena, Quezon) were noted in the monitored retail markets this week, resulting to the relatively lower selling price of the commodity. Similarly, medium-sized Alumahan also has unstable availability in the monitored retail markets. This may have been brought by the unavailability of the commodity in major fish ports, particularly Navotas Fish Port. Available supplies in the markets are mostly large-sized sourced from Lucena, Quezon.</p> <p>Despite the higher availability of its local variant, Imported-frozen Galunggong remain available in the monitored retail markets but in lower volumes compared to previous weeks.</p> <p>For Bangus and Tilapia, sufficient supply and stable prevailing prices were noted in the monitored retail markets.</p> <p>Top fishery commodities in the 16 monitored retail markets are sourced mainly from the following areas:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Bangus - Bulacan Tilapia - Batangas Local Galunggong -Navotas Fish Port (Palawan) & Lucena, Quezon Alumahan - Malabon Fish Port (Lucena, Quezon) <p>Low influx of buyers remain apparent in most of the monitored markets. As a result, vendors are either selling remaining unsold stocks from previous day or getting only limited volumes of fish for selling to ensure that all stocks are sold out by the end of the day. Due to low sales, some vendors from Malabon Central Market were said to be peddling their fishery commodities in the nearby areas to avoid further loss of profit.</p> <p>Higher selling price of some fishery commodities were recorded in the monitored secondary markets, particularly Mandaluyong, Marikina, Makati, Kamuning, Galas, and Tandang Sora Markets, as these markets only source supplies from primary markets such as Farmers Market.</p> <p>As COVID-19 cases continue to increase, market administrators continue to implement precautionary safety measures in the monitored markets to avoid further spread of the virus. Among these measures are mandatory wearing of face masks and face shields as well as regularly scheduled cleaning and disinfection. No physical price monitoring activities were conducted at Pasay Public Market and Navotas Fish Port this week due to the recent surge of COVID-19 cases in each cities.</p> <p>Week 4: March 21-27, 2021 Sufficient volumes of fresh marine commodities, especially small-sized Local-Fresh Galunggong, were noted in the monitored markets this week. Small volumes of medium-sized Local-fresh Galunggong were also available; however, some were noted to be derived from fish tubs of small-sized Galunggong. With the availability of its local variant, Imported-frozen Galunggong was noted to have lesser availability in the monitored markets this week. In addition, vendors in the markets prefer to sell local-fresh galunggong over the imported variant as it is usually more preferred by consumers.</p> <p>Alumahan, on the other hand, had limited and unpredictable availability in the monitored markets this week coming mainly from Lucena, Quezon.</p> <p>Aquacultured commodities, particularly Bangus and Tilapia, continue to have stable availability and prices in the monitored retail markets.</p> <p>Top fishery commodities in the monitored markets were sourced mainly from the following:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Bangus - Bulacan Tilapia - Batangas Local-fresh Galunggong - Navotas Fish Port Imported-frozen Galunggong - Navotas Fish Port Alumahan - Malabon <p>"Matumal na bentahan" and lesser operational fish stalls were noted in the monitored markets as consumers and vendors continue to take precaution against COVID-19. More specifically, some vendors are opening their fish stalls on weekends where influx of buyers is higher. In addition, due to the low demand, vendors are opting to sell their fishery commodities at a cheaper price in the afternoons to ensure that all supplies are sold out by the end of the day.</p> <p>Market administrators continue to ensure the strict implementation of safety standards in accordance with the General Community Quarantine (GCQ) protocols to mitigate the further spread of COVID-19. Among these measures are wearing of face masks and face shields, mandatory temperature checks, and regularly scheduled cleaning and disinfection.</p> <p>Week 5: March 28-31, 2021 The occurrence of Super Full Moon on Mar. 28 may have caused lesser but still sufficient displays of fresh marine commodities, including Local-fresh Galunggong, in the monitored retail markets during the early part of the week. Upon the start of Lent Season, larger volumes and increased prices of fishery commodities were noted in the monitored markets as consumers divert to from meat products to fish in observance of the Lent Holiday.</p> <p>With the sufficient supplies of its local-fresh variant, a significant decrease in the availability of Imported-frozen Galunggong in the monitored retail markets was noted. More specifically, this week, only Tandang Sora had supplies of the imported commodity, Alumahan, on the other hand, continues to have unstable availability in the monitored retail markets, with majority of available supplies being large-sized and sourced from Malabon Fish Port (Lucena, Quezon).</p> <p>For Bangus and Tilapia, among other aquacultured commodities, were noted to have ample supplies and stable prices in the monitored retail markets.</p> <p>Top fishery commodities in the 16 monitored retail markets are sourced mainly from the following areas:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Bangus - Bulacan Tilapia - Batangas Local Galunggong -Navotas Fish Port (Palawan) & Lucena, Quezon Alumahan - Malabon Fish Port (Lucena, Quezon) <p>Despite the occurrence of Lent Season, low number of buyers in the monitored markets were observed. This may have been influenced by the implementation of Enhanced Community Quarantine (ECQ) in NCR Plus (inc. Bulacan, Rizal, and Laguna) from March 29 until April 4. Relative to this, strict implementation of precautionary safety measures was noted in the monitored retail markets. Among these measures are "One Entry, One Exit" policy, mandatory temperature checks and wearing of face masks and face shields, and regularly scheduled cleaning and disinfection.</p>																					
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