

**MONTHLY CONSOLIDATED WHOLESALE PRICE MONITORING REPORT (CWPMR) IN NAVOTAS FISH PORT COMPLEX (NFPC)**



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**REGION:** NCR  
**NAME OF PORTS/MARKETS:** NAVOTAS FISH PORT COMPLEX  
**DATE COVERED:** September 5-30, 2022

TOP FISHERY COMMODITIES			Monthly Prevailing Wholesale Price (Php/kg)				CONSOLIDATED				
Scientific Name	English Name	Local Name	WEEK 1 (September 5-9, 2022)	WEEK 2 (September 12-16, 2022)	WEEK 3 (September 19-23, 2022)	WEEK 4 (September 26-30, 2022)	Prevailing Wholesale Price (Php/kg)	High	Low	Summary Source Area	
1. <i>Chanos chanos</i>	Milkfish	Bangus									
		Small (5-6pcs and above)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	NA	
		Medium (3-4 pcs)	110-150	130	130	110 & 130	130	150	110	Pangasinan, Bulacan, Laguna	
2. <i>Oreochromis niloticus</i>	Tilapia	Large (1-2)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	NA	
		Small (6 pcs and above)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	NA	
		Medium (3-5 pcs)	100 & 110	100	105 & 110	100 & 105	100	110	100	Batangas	
3. <i>Decapterus macrosoma</i>	Round scad	Large (1-2 pcs)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	NA	
		Galunggong Local									
		Small (6 pcs and above)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	NA
11. <i>Rastrelliger kanagurta</i>	Indian Mackerel	Medium (3-5 pcs)	113-183	**150-200	-	**113-138	113-183	**200	113	Northern Palawan	
		Large (1-2 pcs)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	NA
		Alumahan									
4. <i>Decapterus sp.</i>	Scad	Medium (7-12 pcs)	**170	**170	-	-	**170	**170	**170	Masbate	
		Imported									
		Male	130	130	130	130	130	130	130	China, Vietnam	
		Female	89	89	89	89	89	89	89	China, Vietnam	

**Remarks/Market Observations:**

The following observations were gathered from market personnel and vendors for the month of September:

- In general, minimal but sufficient volume of supplies for fresh marine commodities were observed at Navotas Fish Port (wholesale) throughout the whole month. This may be attributed to the rainy weather condition brought by severe tropical storms and typhoons reported this month. Majority of the commodities recorded were tambakol, gulyasan, matambaka, pusit, lumot, hipon, chabeta, and galunggong variants (i.e., balsa, babae).
- The supply of medium-sized local-fresh galunggong (*Decapterus macrosoma*) remained minimal due to the above mentioned reasons. Most of the supplies were sourced from Northern Palawan. Prices remained volatile due to the unpredictable catch per day. Abundant supply of galunggong "balsa" was observed at Navotas Fish Port this month. Some vendors sell this as a substitute commodity for galunggong "lalaki" There are also other available local galunggong variant like "babae", and "burot".
- For imported-frozen galunggong lalaki, the prevailing wholesale price remained at Php130.00/kg throughout the whole month. This may be attributed to the stable and sufficient supply at the said fishport. There is still a high demand for imported-frozen galunggong due to the limited supply and high wholesale price for local-galunggong.
- Supply of medium-sized alumahan remain unpredictable as supply were only available during the 1st and 2nd week with a recorded actual wholesale price of Php170.00/kg sourced from Masbate. No alumahan was observed during the 3rd to 4th week of the month which might be due to the occurrence of two (2) super typhoons "Karding" and "Josie".
- For bangus, adequate unloadings were still noted this month at the Fish Port. However, minimal supply of bangus from Pangasinan was recorded this month. This resulted to a stable prevailing wholesale price of Php130.00/kg. Prices vary depending on the source area, size, and quality (in terms of freshness) of the commodity.
- For tilapia, the prevailing wholesale price remain relatively high at Php100.00/kg sourced mostly from Batangas. This may be attributed to the continuous high price of gas affecting the country.
- Top fishery commodities at Navotas Fish Port (wholesale) are sourced mainly from the following areas:
  - Bangus - Bulacan, Laguna
  - Tilapia - Batangas
  - Alumahan - Masbate
  - Local-fresh galunggong - Northern Palawan
  - Imported-frozen Galunggong - China and Vietnam
- Precautionary measures (e.g., wearing of face mask and face shields as well as white boots and shirts, mandatory temperature checks, and regularly scheduled cleaning and disinfection) were routinely implemented by the Philippine Fisheries Development Authority (PFDA) at Navotas Fish Port Complex to safeguard vendors and buyers against COVID-19.

(-) - Price and Volume not available during price monitoring

(\*\*) - Actual Wholesale - price data collected did not reach the minimum requirement of three (3) samples per commodity per market. This could be due to limited volumes or no available supplies at the time of monitoring

NA- Source Area not available during price monitoring

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