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NAME OF MARKETS: 1. Trabajo 5. Mega-Q 9. Kamuning 13. Mandaluyong 17. Maypajo Caloocan
2. Quinta 6. Farmers 10. Galas 14. Marikina 18. Ugong Valenzuela
3. Commonwealth 7. Balintawak 11. Navotas 3, 4 & 5 15. Guadalupe
4. Tandang Sora 8. Muñoz 12. Malabon Central 16. Pasig

DATE COVERED: January 2-27, 2023

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1. <i>Chanos chanos</i>	Milkfish	Bangus/Bangrus							
		Small (5pcs and above)	130 & 140	140	140	115, 130, 150	140	150	115
		Medium (3-4 pcs)	180	160	180	180	180	180	160
		Large (1-2 pcs)	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
2. <i>Oreochromis niloticus</i>	Tilapia	Tilapia/Pla-pla							
		Small (6 pcs and above)	120	110-150	120	100 & 120	120	150	100
		Medium (3-5 pcs)	120, 130, 140	120	120	150	120	150	120
		Large (1-2 pcs)	130	130	130	140	130	140	130
3. <i>Litopenaeus vannamei</i>	Whiteleg shrimp	Hipon/Pasayan/Urang/Bingalo/Sugpo/Suahe/Hipong Puti/Putian/Pansat/Udang							
		Small (41 pcs and above)	400	400	400	380, 400, 420	400	420	380
		Medium (31 pcs to 40 pcs)	440 & 480	400 & 450	400	400 & 440	400	480	400
		Large (30 pcs and below)	500	500	480	500	500	500	480
<i>Penaeus monodon</i>	Blacktiger shrimp	Sugpo/Padaw/Lukon/Pansat							
		Small (26 pcs and above)	900	*800-1250	*900 & 1250	1000	900 & 1000 ¹	1000	900
		Medium (16-25 pcs)	600	650	650 & 1300	650	650	1300	600
		Large to Jumbo (15 pcs and below)	1300	1100	950 & 1100	750-1100	1100	1300	750
4. <i>Gracilaria sp.</i>	Seaweeds	Guso/Gurguraman/Kanot-kanot/Agar-agar/Gulaman/Gamogamo	240	240	240	200 & 240	240	240	200
<i>Caulerpa lentillifera</i>	Round sea grapes	Lato/Ar-arusip/Arorosip/Arosep/Eaba-eaba/Homhom/Latoh/Gosuh	200	200	240	200 & 240	200	240	200
<i>Kappaphycus alvarezii</i>	Elkhorn Sea Moss	Tambalang/Kanut-kanut/Gulaman/Guso/Agal-agal	200	160 & 200	160	160	160	200	160
5. <i>Crassostrea iredalae</i>	Oyster	Talaba/Tirem/Sisi/Tahong	100	100-180	100	100 & 140	100	180	100
6. <i>Perna viridis</i>	Green Mussel	Tahong/Kinason/Alamahong	100	100	100	120	100	120	100
7. <i>Scylla serrata</i>	Mangrove Crab	Alimango/Rasa/Alama/Han-it/Kinis							
		Male	1000	800	800	600	800	1000	600
		Female	1200	1100	1200	1100	1100 & 1200 ²	1200	1100
		Mixed (Male & Female)	500	500	400	360	500	500	360
8. <i>Portunus pelagicus</i>	Blue swimming Crab	Alimasag/Dariway/Galiwey/Kasag/Lambay/Masag/Kagang Sukay/Kalelepa							
		Small/Medium (7 pcs and above)	300 & 380	480	240 & 280	450	240-480 ³	480	240
		Large (1-6 pcs)	500	400	400	400	400	500	400
9. <i>Thunnus albacares</i>	Yellow fin Tuna	Tambakol/Tulingan/Tangi/Bangkulis/Panit/Bantalaan/Banta-an/Bariles/Pak-an/Pirit/Karaw/Barilis/Carao							
		Whole	420	280	240	300	240-420 ⁴	420	240
		Sliced	500	360	320	280-500	500	500	280
		Head	240	200	200	200	200	240	200

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<i>Katsuwonus pelamis</i>	Skipjack Tuna	Gulyasan/Dumadara/Buslugan/Tangi/Pundahan/Kanturayan/Gurayan/Budlis/Salimbagon/Budlisan/Tulingan/Puyan/Sambagon/Bulis/Pawayan/Gusayan/Puyan/Langalak							
		Whole	300	200	180	200 & 260	200	300	180
		Sliced	200 & 280	200-280	200 & 280	200-280	200 & 280	280	200
<i>Auxis thazard</i>	Frigate Tuna	Tulingan/Tangi/Bonito/Tulingan Lapad/Turingan/Aloy Mangko/Pirit/Bolis/Lapad/Pidlayan/Mangku	240	200	200	200	200	240	200
<i>Auxis rochei</i>	Bullet Tuna	Tulingan/Tangi/Bonito/Tulingan-Bilog/Aloy/Mangko Pirit/Turingan/Bolis/Mangku/Pidlayan/Budboron	300	280	280	200	280	300	200
10. <i>Sardinella fimbriata</i>	Fringescale Sardinella	Tunsoy/Bilis/Tamban/Tawilis/Lawlaw/Manamsi/Tabagak/Mangsi/Tapisok/Tayapad/Kasig	140 & 200	160	120	120	120	200	120
<i>Sardinella lemuru</i>	Bali Sardinella	Tamban/Bilis/Tunsoy/Salinas/Lawlaw/Tuloy/Tabagak/Anduhaw/Kasig	120	120	100	100 & 120	120	120	100
<i>Sardinella gibosa</i>	Goldstripe Sardinella	Tamban/Tunsoy/Lawlaw/Tabagak/Tuloy/Mangsi/Kasig	*120	-	*100	-	*100 & 120	*120	*100
11. <i>Rastrillegger kanagurta</i>	Indian Mackerel	Alumahan/Kabalias/Kabalyas/Baraniti/Tanigi/Tangigue/Buraw/Boraw/Karabalyas/Anduhaw Cabalyas							
		Small (13 pcs and above)	240	240	240 & 260	300	240	300	240
		Medium (7-12 pcs)	320	300	300	300	300	320	300
		Large (1-6 pcs)	300 & 350	450	300	300	300	450	300
		Mixed sizes		-	*390	380	380	*390	380
<i>Scomberomorus commerson</i>	Narrow-barred Spanish Mackerel	Tangigue/Tanigue/Tangi/Karabalyas							
		Whole	300	400	300	300	300	400	300
		Sliced	500	650	650	650	650	650	500
12. <i>Decapterus macrosoma</i>	Round scad	Galunggong/Baraniti/Bulilit/Galunggong Lalake/Sibobog/Tamodios/Marot Borot/Lambarok sigarilyuon/Burot/Budloy/Tamarong/Moromoro/Sigarilyo/Tayang							
		Small (21 pcs and above)	240	140 & 240	200	180 & 240	240	240	140
		Medium	240	240	260 & 280	280	240 & 280	280	240
		Large (7-10 pcs)	200 & 240	240	240	240	240	240	240
13. <i>Loligo sp.</i>	Squid	Pusit/Lukos/Nocos							
<i>Sepioteuthis lessoniana</i>	Bigfin reef squid	Lumot/Laki/Kanuos/Nokus/Noos	500	400	500	400	400 & 500 ⁵	500	400
<i>Uroteuthis bartschi</i>	Bartsch's squid	Lapis/Sigarilyo/Tarorot/Tostos	400	400	400	400	400	400	400
<i>Uroteuthis sp.</i>	Squid	Bisaya/Nukos/Noos	400	400	400	400	400	400	400
<i>Todarodes sp.</i>	Squid	Kalawang/Bulingit/Pusit-pula	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
14. <i>Lutjanus sp.</i>	Snapper	Maya-maya/Angrat/Burara/Aluman/Saing-saing/Kutambak	400	400	500	400	400	500	400
15. <i>Epinephelus sp.</i>	Grouper	Lapu-lapu pula/Baraka/Inid/Pugado/Tingag/Pogapo/Baraka/Pugapo/Kulapu	350 & 400	500 & 550	350	350	350	550	350
<i>Epinephelus sp.</i>	Grouper (Red)	Lapu-lapu pula/Baraka/Inid/Pugado/Tingag/Pogapo/Baraka/Pugapo/Kulapu	1200	300	300	650	300	1200	300
OTHER FISHERY COMMODITIES									
<i>Acanthurus sp.</i>	Surgeon Fish	Labahita	350	350	350	350	350	350	350
<i>Acetes sp.</i>	Sergestids	Alamang	100	160	100	100	100	160	100
<i>Alepis djebaba</i>	Shrimp scad	Salay batang	400	350	400	320-400	400	400	320
<i>Alepes vari</i>	Herring scad	Salay	300-350	-	*280 & 320	-	300-350	350	*280
<i>Atule mate</i>	Yellowtail Scad	Salay-salay/Marapati/Budburon/Bagudlong	300 & 350	400	400	360	400	400	300

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<i>Amblygaster sirm</i>	Spotted sardinella	Turay	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<i>Caesio caerulaurea</i>	Blue and Gold Fusilier	Dalagang Bukid Bilog/Sulid	*280-320	300	*300-480	280 & 300	300	*480	280
<i>Caesio cuning</i>	Redbelly Yellowtail Fusilier	Lapad	400	320 & 350	350	360	350	400	320
<i>Carangoides spp.</i>	Trevally	Talakitok	*450	-	-	-	*450	*450	*450
<i>Caranx spp.</i>	Trevally	Talakitok	460	450	380	450	450	460	380
<i>Channa striata</i>	Mudfish/Striped Snakehead	Haw-An/Dalag/Aluan	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<i>Cilarias spp.</i>	Catfish	Hito	150	150	150-200	150-200	150	200	150
<i>Coryphaena spp.</i>	Dolphin Fish	Pandawan	270	240	170	140-180	140-270 ⁶	270	140
<i>Cypselurus spp.</i>	Flying Fish	Iliw/Barongoy/Baro-baro	-	*150	*100-200	-	*100-200	*200	*100
<i>Decapterus kurroides</i>	Redtail Scad	Burot/Budloy/Tabilos/Butsawan	*220 & 300	200-240	*200-350	200	200	*350	200
<i>Decapterus macarellus</i>	Mackerel Scad	Balsa	300	250	180 & 200	240	180-300 ⁷	300	180
<i>Decapterus macrossoma</i>	Shortfin Scad	Galunggong (Imported)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		Medium (11-20 pcs)	240	200 & 240	220 & 260	240	240	260	200
		Large (7-10 pcs)	280	200	200	220	200	280	200
<i>Decapterus russelli</i>	Indian scad	Galunggong Babae	160 & 170	*280-320	-	*240-320	160 & 170	*320	160
		Galunggong Babae Imported	-	160 & 180	160 & 180	160	160	180	160
<i>Dendrophysa russelii</i>	Croaker	Alakaak	280	240-280	240	240 & 280	240 & 280	280	240
<i>Elaagatis bipinnulata</i>	Rainbow Runner	Salmon/Malasalmon/Salindato/Salmon/Malasalid/Manilaay/S	180	*200 & 240	*220	-	180	*240	180
<i>Euthynnus affinis</i>	Eastern Little Tuna	Tambakol	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<i>Faunus ater</i>	Brackish water snail	Banisil	-	*80	-	*80	*80	*80	*80
<i>Gerres spp.</i>	Mojarras	Latab	260	260 & 350	240 & 260	260	260	350	240
<i>Glossogobius celebius</i>	Round goby fish	Biya	500	-	-	-	500	500	500
<i>Glossogobius giuris</i>	Tank Goby	Pijanga/Bias	-	500	-	500	500	500	500
<i>Gobiopertus lacustris</i>	Lacustrine Goby	Dulong	200	280	300	300	300	300	200
<i>Hemiramphus sp.</i>	Halfbeak	Salurasid/Borokon/Suasid/Bugiw/Buging	140	*200	*150-250	-	140	*250	140
<i>Istiophorus platypterus</i>	Indo-Pacific Sailfish/Sailfish	Malasugi/Marang/Solisogi/Liplipan	*450	*450	500	*400	500	500	*400
<i>Jaqora asperata</i>	Snail	Suso pilipit	100-200	100-200	-	100-200	100-200 ⁸	200	100
<i>Johnius amblycephalus</i>	Croaker	Abu/Alakaak	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<i>Lates calcarifer</i>	Sea bass	Apahap	-	-	*200	-	*200	*200	*200
<i>Leiognathus spp.</i>	Pony Fish/Slipmouth	Lawayan/Tambong/Sapsap	400	350	500	500	500	500	350
<i>Leiopotherapon plumbeus</i>	Silver perch	Ayungin	*300	700	700	300	700	700	300
<i>Lethrinus spp.</i>	Emperor fish	Kanuping	400	260	300	260	260	400	260
<i>Macrobrachium rosenbergii</i>	Giant Freshwater Prawn	Pasayan/Ulang	-	-	*320 & 400	-	*320 & 400	*400	*320
<i>Makaira spp.</i>	Marlin	Malasugi	*480	*480	-	600-650	600-650	650	*480
<i>Mene maculata</i>	Moonfish	Chabeta/Sapatero/Kadis/Hiwaw/Chabita/Pateros/Bilong-	200 & 280	200	280	200	200	280	200
<i>Metapenaeus ensis</i>	Greasy - back shrimp	Suwahe	400	420 & 480	400	420 & 440	400 & 420	480	400
<i>Muqil cephalus</i>	Mullet	Banak	*100 & 120	*100	*130 & 280	*160 & 280	*100-280	*280	*100
<i>Mullus surmuletrus</i>	Striped red mullet	Salmonete	300	300	-	300-360	300	360	300
<i>Naso unicornis</i>	Bluespine Unicorn Fish	Surahan/Gangis/Indangan/Kais	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<i>Nemipterus spp.</i>	Threadfin Bream	Bisugo	320 & 400	300	320 & 360	360	320 & 360	400	300
<i>Octopus vulgaris</i>	Common Octopus	Kugita/Pugita	*180-350	*180-350	380	200	200 & 380 ⁹	380	*180
<i>Oratosquilla spp.</i>	Mantis shrimp	Tatampal pula	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
		Tatampal Puti	250	250	250	250	250	250	250
<i>Pagellus centrodontus</i>	sea beam	Bakoko	300-350	320 & 350	220-400	320 & 350	350	400	300
<i>Pangasius hypenthalmus</i>	Cream dory	Pangasius	180	180	-	180	180	180	180
<i>Parastromateus niger</i>	Black Pompano	Pompano Itim	300-450	300 & 350	450	250-450	450	450	250
<i>Parupeneus spp.</i>	Goatfish	Saramulvete	*360	180 & 200	*260-380	*320-380	180 & 200	*380	180
<i>Pila luzonica</i>	Snail	Kuhol	100 & 160	100 & 160	100 & 160	160	160	160	100
<i>Pecten sp.</i>	Scallop	Tipav	*650	*650	-	-	*650	*650	*650
<i>Pinna bicolor</i>	Pen shell	Baloko	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<i>Pinna nobilis</i>	Noble Penshell	Sarad	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<i>Plectrohinchus spp.</i>	Sweetlips	Linti/Lanbian/Gabilan/Alatan	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<i>Priacanthus spp.</i>	Red Bullseye / Red Big Eye	Bukawon/Budlatan/Bukaw/Dilat	320	280 & 320	220-300	300	300 & 320	320	220
<i>Pseudorhombus sp.</i>	Flounder	Dapa/ Tampil	300-320	-	-	-	300-320	320	300
<i>Pterocaesio chrysozona</i>	Goldband Fusilier	Dalagang Bukid Bilog	360	-	300-380	-	300-380	380	300
<i>Pterocaesio diaramma</i>	Double-lined Fusilier	Dalagang Bukid Bilog/Solid	280	300-380	300	300	300	300	380
<i>Pterocaesio tile</i>	Dark-banded Fusilier	Dalagang Bukid Bilog	-	-	*320-450	280	280	*450	280
<i>Rastrelliger brachysoma</i>	Short-bodied Mackerel	Hasa-	400	380	400	320 & 380	380 & 400	400	320
<i>Salmo salar</i>	Atlantic Salmon	Salmon	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		head	150 & 180	180	200	200	180 & 200	200	150
		belly	300	300	300	400	300	400	300
		meat/ sliced	900	900	880	900	900	900	880

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<i>Sardinella tawilis</i>	Freshwater tawilis	Tawilis/ Salinyasi	160 & 200	180 & 200	160	200	200	200	160
<i>Saurida tumbil</i>	Greater Lizard Fish	Kalaso/Talho/Tiki-tiki	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<i>Scarus spp.</i>	Parrotfish	Mul-Mol/Mol-mol/Batagon	*200-350	*100-350	*140 & 240	220	220	*350	*100
<i>Scatophagus argus</i>	Spotted Scad	Kapiged/Kitang	250-380	300	350	380	380	380	250
<i>Scomber japonicus</i>	Chub Mackerel	Salmon	160	130-200	130-180	160	130 & 160	180	130
<i>Sepia spp.</i>	Cuttlefish	Bagulan/Baghak	-	-	*180 & 200	-	*180 & 200	*200	*180
<i>Selar boops</i>	Oxeye Scad	Matangbaka/Matambaka/Tamarong/Kutob	350	-	240 & 270	-	240-350 ¹⁰	350	240
<i>Selar crumenophthalmus</i>	Big-eye Scad	Matangbaka/Matambaka/Mat-an/Salay-	360	400	300	360	360	400	300
<i>Selaroides leptolepis</i>	Yellow-striped Scad	Salay-salay/Salaginto/Salay-ginto/Dalinu-	300	300	300	380	300	380	300
<i>Seriola dumerili</i>	Greater amberjack	Tonto	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<i>Siganus canaliculatus</i>	White-spotted Spinefoot	Malaga/Danggit/Samaral/Tambol/	450	*240	*200 & 360	-	450	450	*200
<i>Siganus guttatus</i>	Golden/Yellow/Orange-spotted	Malaga/Barangan/Danggit/Samaral/Tambol/Kitong/Manlalar	*320 & 340	-	-	-	*320 & 340	*340	320
<i>Siganus virgatus</i>	Barhead Spinefoot	Daragbago	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<i>Siganus vermiculatus</i>	Vermiculated spinefoot	Malaga	-	*380 & 420	-	*360	*360-420	*420	*360
<i>Siganus sp.</i>	Spinefoot/ Rabbitfish/Siganid	Bataway/Danggit/Bawis/Malaga	300	320 & 360	280 & 320	300 & 320	320	360	280
<i>Sillago sihama</i>	Whiting	Asohos	360	240-360	-	360	360	360	240
<i>Spratelloides gracilis</i>	Silver Stripe Round Herring	Dilis/Domod-Ot	-	*350	-	*150	*150 & 350	*350	*150
<i>Sphraena spp.</i>	Barracuda	Panghalwan/Lusod/Rumpi	300	300	300	300 & 320	300	320	320
<i>Stolephorus comersonnii</i>	Commerson's Anchovy	Dilis/Bolinao	-	400	-	120-200	120-400 ¹¹	400	120
<i>Stolephorus indicus</i>	Indian Anchovy	Dilis/Twakang/Munamon/Libgaw/Sinarap/Sarapon	-	200	-	-	200	200	200
<i>Stolephorus spp.</i>	Anchovy	Dilis/Bolinao/Tuwakang/Bawdnon	200	140	320	100	100-320 ¹²	320	100
<i>Telescopium telescopium</i>	Horn Snail	Bagunon/Chunakulo	*80	*80 & 90	-	-	*80 & 90	*90	*80
<i>Terapon spp.</i>	Terapon	Bugaong	160 & 240	160 & 240	-	160 & 240	160 & 240	240	160
<i>Teuthida sp.</i>	Squid	Pusit	-	400	-	360	360 & 400	400	360
<i>Thunnus obesus</i>	Big-eye tuna	Barilis	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<i>Trachinotus blochii</i>	Silver Pompano	Pompano Puti	400	400	400	400	400	400	400
<i>Trichiurus japonicus</i>	Cutlass Fish	Espada	-	380	-	280 & 360	280-380 ¹³	380	280
<i>Trichiurus spp.</i>	Hairtail	Espada/	200-280	-	400	-	200-400 ¹⁴	400	200
<i>Tylosorus spp.</i>	Needlefish	Batalav	*130-200	200 & 280	180	440 & 460	180-460 ¹⁵	460	180
<i>Upeneus mollicensis</i>	Goldband Goatfish	Saramulyete/Balaki/Timbangan/Talikokod/Hinok	-	*200-380	-	220	220	*380	*200
<i>Upeneus spp.</i>	Goldband Goatfish	Saramulyete/Balaki/Timbangan/Talikokod/Hinok	*360	-	300	-	300	*360	300
<i>Venerupis sp.</i>	Clam	Halaan	100, 140, 240	100-240	180	120	100 & 240 ¹⁶	240	100
<i>Xiphias gladius</i>	Swordfish	Marlin	-	*250-280	*140 & 160	*400	*140-400	*400	*140

Remarks/Market Observations

The following observations were gathered from market vendors and administrators for the month of January:

- Still, limited display of fresh marine commodities were observed among the monitored retail markets this month. Consequently, minimal availability of medium-sized alumahan (*Rastrelliger kanagurta*) and local-fresh galunggong lakali (*Decapterus macrosoma*) were recorded. This might have been due to the following reasons:
 - * Hampered fishing operations brought by the unfavorable weather condition caused by the Low Pressure Area (LPA);
 - * Closed fishing season (CFS) of galunggong (*Decapterus spp.*) in Northern Palawan; and
 - * Closed fishing season of sardines, mackerel, and herring in Visayan Sea;
- Nonetheless, supply of other variants of galunggong (i.e., balsa and galunggong babae) were present this month. Moreover, supply of hasa-hasa (*Rastrelliger brachysoma*) was also observed throughout the month.
- Ample supplies of imported-frozen galunggong lakali were still observed this month as majority of the vendors prefer to sell the imported galunggong due to its affordable price and considered as substitute for local galunggong. Presence of other imported-frozen commodities (i.e., Atlantic Salmon, Chub mackerel, Squid, Pampano, Moonfish, Indian scad, and Bullet tuna) were also noted.
- Sufficient availability of aquaculture commodities (i.e., bangus and tilapia) were still observed among the monitored retail markets this month. On the other hand, only large-sized bangus was recorded in Tandang Sora market as vendors prefer larger sizes due to its better demand and pricing. For tilapia, majority of the supplies particularly in Commonwealth market were from Pampanga due to its lower price as compared to the supply from Batangas.
- Top fishery commodities in the seventeen (17) monitored retail markets are sourced mainly from the following areas:
 - Bangus - Bulacan, Pangasinan
 - Tilapia - Batangas, Pampanga
 - Local Galunggong - Malabon Fish Port
 - Imported Galunggong - Navotas Fish Port
 - Alumahan - Malabon Fish Port
- Fluctuations in the prices of the top fifteen (15) and other commodities are influenced by a number of factors such as the commodity's size, quality, volume of supply, source area, as well as the weather condition and other natural phenomena.
 - * *Penaeus monodon* or Sugpo (Small) - (Php900.00 & 1000.00/kg)- both prevailing price of Php900.00 & 1000.00/kg were recorded in Farmers market, wherein the lowest recorded price of Php900.00/kg was noted in the first week of the month. Meanwhile, the highest recorded price of Php1000.00/kg was recorded in the fourth week of the month wherein minimal supply of the commodity was reported by vendors, hence the higher price.
 - * *Scylla serrata* or Alimango - (Php1100.00 & 1200.00/kg)- lowest prevailing price of Php1100.00/kg was noted in the second and fourth week of the month wherein supplies were noted smaller as compared to the supplies recorded on the first and third week of the month which observed the highest prevailing price of Php1200.00/kg.
 - * *Portunus pelagicus* or Alimasag (Small-Medium) - (Php240-480.00/kg) - lowest prevailing price of Php240.00/kg were noted in the third week of the month wherein supplies observed at Galas and Pasig Market are noted low in quality (supplies from previous days). Meanwhile, the highest prevailing price of Php480.00/kg was noted in the second week Mega-Q Market which supplies recorded have better quality (in terms of freshness).
 - * *Thunnus albacares* or Tambakol (Php240.00-420.00/kg)- lowest prevailing price of Php240.00/kg was recorded in the third week of the month wherein ample supplies was recorded hence the lower price. Meanwhile, highest recorded price of Php420.00/kg was observed in secondary market noted in the first week wherein supplies are usually sourced only from primary markets (i.e., Farmers market), hence offer relatively higher.
 - * *Septoteuthis lessoniana* or Lumot (Php400.00 & 500.00/kg)- lowest prevailing price of Php400.00/kg recorded in second and fourth week of the month were observed lower in quality (supplies from the previous market day) as compared to supply recorded on the first and third week of the month wherein noted to have better quality (in terms of freshness), hence the higher price.
 - * *Coryphaena spp.* or Dorado (Php140.00-270.00/kg)- lowest prevailing price of Php140.00/kg recorded on the fourth week of the month was offer in wholeround fish as compared to the supply recorded in the first week which are offer in sliced, hence the higher price.
 - * *Decapterus macarellus* or Balsa (Php180.00-300.00/kg)- lowest prevailing price of Php180.00/kg was noted on the third week of the month wherein abundant supply of the commodity was recorded, hence the low price. As compared to supply observed on the first week wherein only Mega-Q market have recorded sourced from Malabon Fish Port.
 - * *Jagora asperata* or Suso pilipit (Php100.00-200.00/kg)- the highest and lowest prevailing price was noted from 1st to 4th week of the month wherein the lowest price at Php100.00/kg was noted at Malabon Market where price tend to be cheaper as supplies were mainly sourced from Malabon Fish Port. smaller in size. The highest price at Php200.00/kg was recorded at Marikina Market where supplies observed were sourced from a secondary market resulting to a higher price.

TOP FISHERY COMMODITIES			Weekly Prevailing Price (Php/kg)				NCR													
			WEEK 1 (January 2-6, 2023)	WEEK 2 (January 9-13, 2023)	WEEK 3 (January 16-20, 2023)	WEEK 4 (January 23-27, 2023)														
Scientific Name	English Name	Local Name	Prevailing Price (Php/kg)	Prevailing Price (Php/kg)	Prevailing Price (Php/kg)	Prevailing Price (Php/kg)	Prevailing Price (Php/kg)	High	Low											
			<p>*<i>Octopus vulgaris</i> or Pugita (Php200.00-380.00/kg)- lowest prevailing price of Php200.00/kg was recorded on the fourth week of the month wherein observed to have low quality in terms of freshness as compared to the supply recorded in Muñoz market on the third week of the month which have better quality, hence offer relatively higher.</p> <p>*<i>Selar boops</i> or Matambaka (Php240.00-350.00/kg)- lowest prevailing price of Php240.00/kg was recorded on the third week of the month wherein low quality in terms of freshness as compared to the supply observed in the first week of the month which observed to have better quality, hence the high price.</p> <p>*<i>Stolephorus comersonnii</i> or Dilis (Php120.00-400.00/kg)- lowest prevailing price of 120.00/kg noted on the fourth week of the month was noted smaller as compared to the supply noted on the second week of the month wherein larger sizes of the commodity was observed.</p> <p>*<i>Stolephorus</i> spp. or Dilis- (Php100.00-320.00/kg)- Similarly, smaller sizes of the commodity was recorded on the fourth week of the month as compared to the supply recorded on third week, hence the variation of price.</p> <p>*<i>Trichiurus japonicus</i> or Espada (Php280.00-380.00/kg)- lowest prevailing price of 280.00/kg noted in fourth week was observed lower in quality (stocks from the previous market days) as compared to the supplies recorded in the second week which observed to have better quality, hence the higher price.</p> <p>*<i>Trichiurus</i> spp. or Espada (Php200.00-400.00/kg)- in relation, lowest prevailing price of Php200.00/kg noted in the first week of the month were recorded in primary markets (i.e., Commonwealth and Malabon Central market). Meanwhile, highest recorded price of Php400.00/kg was observed in the third week of the month wherein supplies noted in Muñoz market where observed to have premium quality in term of freshness, hence the high price.</p> <p>*<i>Tylosorus</i> spp. or Batalay (Php180.00-460.00)- lowest prevailing price of Php180.00/kg was noted in 3rd week of the month wherein supplies are observed smaller as compared to the highest recorded price of Php460.00/kg noted in the 4th week of the month.</p> <p>*<i>Venerupis</i> sp. or Halaan- (Php100.00 & 240.00/kg)- lowest prevailing price of Php100.00/kg were observed smaller as compared to the highest recorded price of Php240.00/kg which observed to have larger size, hence the variation in price.</p>																	
Source Areas:			Mindoro, GenSan, Cardona, Laguna, Quezon, Zambales, Cavite, Bicol, Palawan, Iloilo, Marinduque, Pangasinan, Parañaque, Bulacan, Pampanga, Batangas, Samar, Lucena, Farmers, Malabon, Navotas																	
<p>(-) - Price and Volume not available during price monitoring (*) - Actual Price - price data collected did not reach the minimum requirement of three (3) samples per commodity per market. This could be due to limited or no available supplies at the time of monitoring NA- Source Area not available during price monitoring</p> <p>Markets 1-11 (Trabajo to Navotas Fish Port 3,4,5 retail) - Monitored by BFAR-FIDSSD (CO) Enumerators Markets 12-17 (Malabon Central to Ugong Valenzuela) - Monitored by BFAR-NCR Enumerators</p> <p>MONITORED BY:</p> <table style="width: 100%; border: none;"> <tr> <td style="text-align: center; width: 33%;"> SGD ANNIE P. CONCEPCION Enumerator </td> <td style="text-align: center; width: 33%;"> SGD ABELARDO V. ESTRELLES Enumerator </td> <td style="text-align: center; width: 33%;"> SGD SITTI SHEHA H. IRIN Reviewer (1st Level) </td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: center;"> SGD DAVE P. GUZMAN Enumerator </td> <td></td> <td style="text-align: center;"> SGD FARRAMAE C. FRANCISCO Program Leader, National Fisheries Price Monitoring Program (2nd Level) </td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: center;"> SGD QUEEN D. BESMONTE Enumerator </td> <td></td> <td></td> </tr> </table> <p>CONSOLIDATED BY:</p> <table style="width: 100%; border: none;"> <tr> <td style="text-align: center; width: 60%;"> SGD IONATHAN A. MADERA Enumerator/NCR Consolidator </td> <td style="text-align: center; width: 40%;"> NOTED BY: SGD AMOR G. DIAZ FIDSSD, Chief </td> </tr> </table>										SGD ANNIE P. CONCEPCION Enumerator	SGD ABELARDO V. ESTRELLES Enumerator	SGD SITTI SHEHA H. IRIN Reviewer (1st Level)	SGD DAVE P. GUZMAN Enumerator		SGD FARRAMAE C. FRANCISCO Program Leader, National Fisheries Price Monitoring Program (2nd Level)	SGD QUEEN D. BESMONTE Enumerator			SGD IONATHAN A. MADERA Enumerator/NCR Consolidator	NOTED BY: SGD AMOR G. DIAZ FIDSSD, Chief
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