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This situation report focuses on five (5) fruit crops, namely, banana, mango, pineapple, calamansi and papaya. The reference period was January to December 2008. The report provides updates on production, area planted, prices and trade.

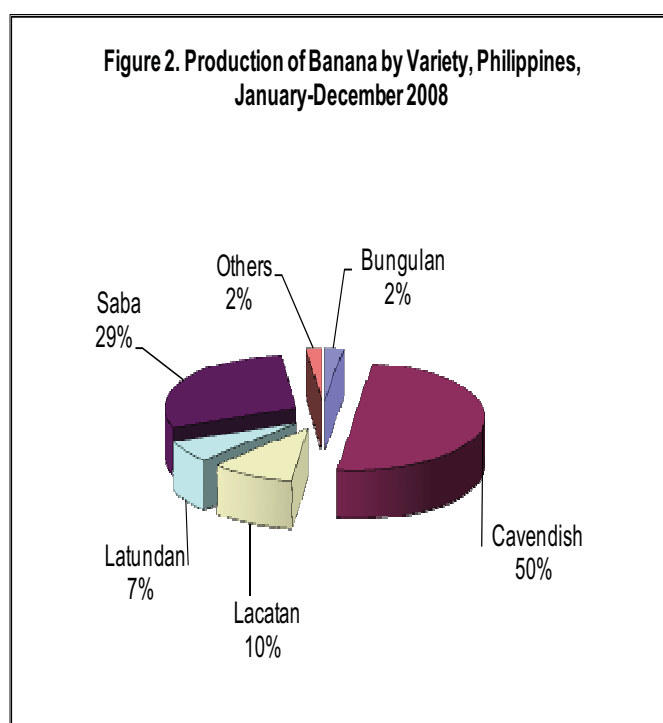
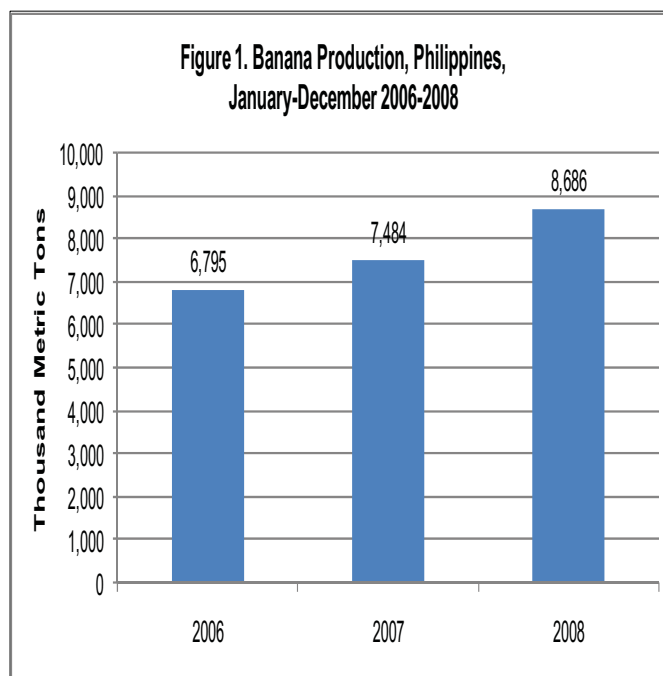
Data on production are based on the results of the quarterly Crop Production Survey (CPS) of BAS. Price data are sourced from the BAS Farm Price Survey (FPS) and the Integrated Agricultural Marketing Information System-Agricultural Marketing News Service (AGMARIS-AMNEWSS). Data on foreign trade are obtained from the National Statistics Office (NSO) and organized by Agricultural Marketing Statistics Analysis Division (AMSAD) of the BAS.

A. Production

Banana. Production of banana rose from 7,484 thousand MT in 2007 to 8,686 thousand MT in 2008. This represented a 16.06 percent growth in 2008.

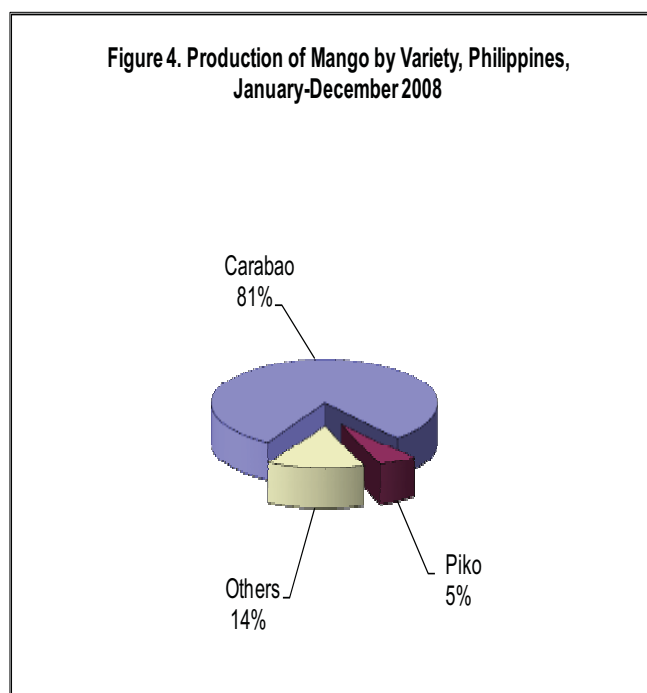
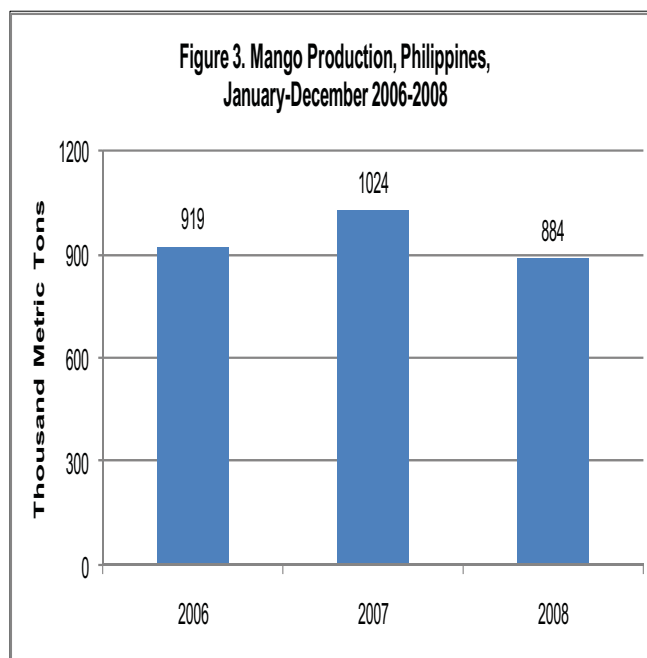
All varieties posted production increases as a result of the continued expansion in cultivated areas and additional bearing hills in the top three (3) producing regions, namely, **Davao, Northern Mindanao** and **SOCCSKSARGEN**.

Cavendish variety as the main growth driver, registered an increase of 23.01 percent in 2008. **Saba** variety production grew by 3.21 percent during the period. Production on **Lacatan** variety went up by 1.76 percent. The estimated 2008 production for the following varieties were: **Cavendish**, 2144 thousand MT; **Saba**, 1,260 MT; and **Lacatan**, 456 thousand MT.

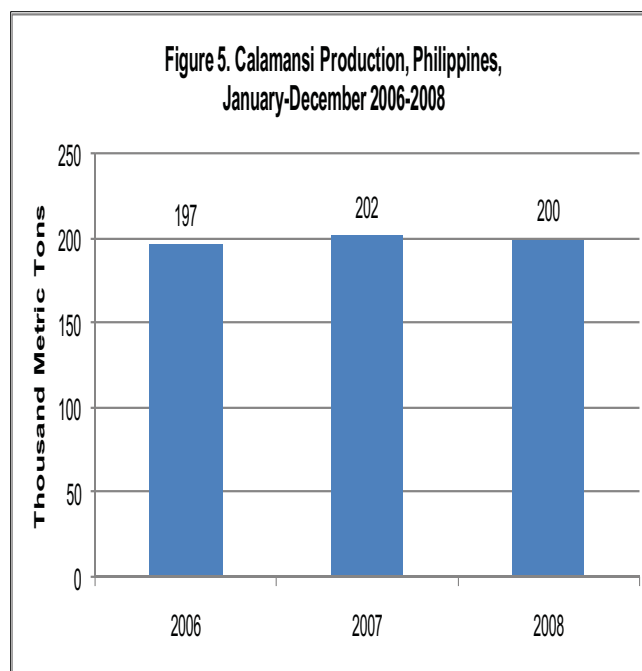


Mango. The 2008 production of mango was estimated at 844 thousand MT, 13.66 percent lower than the 1,024 thousand MT reported last year. All varieties experienced decreases in production, 7.12 percent for **Carabao** variety, 8.89 percent for **Piko** variety, and 6.40 percent for other varieties.

The drop in production was observed in almost all regions due to adverse weather conditions and typhoons **Cosme** and **Frank** which affected bearing trees in the country. There were reports of lesser flower induction in **Ilocos Region**, minimal fruit development in **Cagayan Valley** and poor flower setting in **Central Luzon** due to continuous rains. The presence of leafhoppers in **Nueva Ecija** and anthracnose disease in **Ilocos Region** also contributed to lower output in 2008.



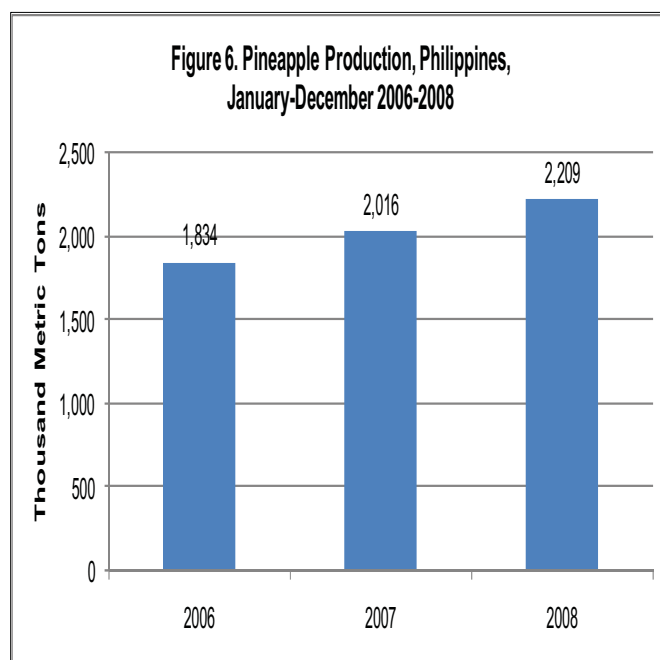
Calamansi. In 2008, total production at 200 thousand MT was down by 0.96 percent. This was mainly due to lower production in **MIMAROPA**. The region's production accounted for nearly 60 percent of the country's production. Bearing trees in the region were affected by the excessive rains which pulled down production.



Pineapple. Pineapple production expanded from 2,016 thousand Mt in 2007 to 2,209 thousand MT in 2008. This was an increase of almost 10 percent.

The gain was attributed to area expansion in **Northern Mindanao** and **SOCCKSARGEN**. Producers were encouraged by the increasing market demand.

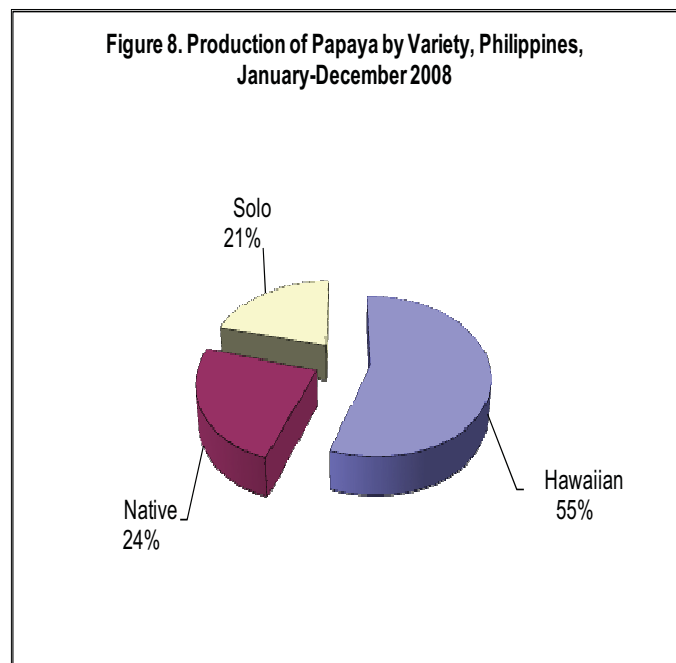
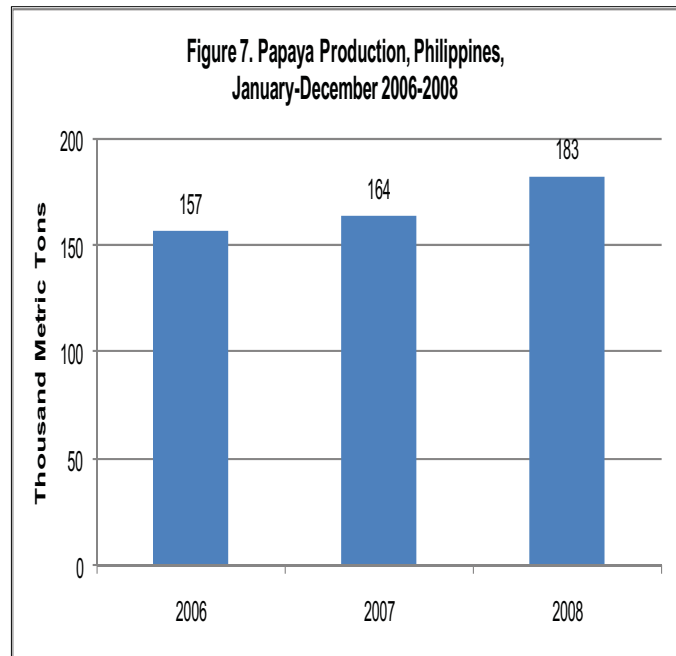
Northern Mindanao, home to giant corporate farms **Dole**, **Del Monte** and **Lapanday** remained the top producer and accounted for more than 45 percent of the total production. This was followed by **SOCCKSARGEN** which shared 41 percent of the country's output.



Papaya. Total papaya production in 2008 reached 183 thousand MT. This was 11.4 percent higher than last year's 164 thousand MT.

SOCCKSARGEN, the top producing region, accounted for 37 percent of the national production. **Northern Mindanao** was second with more than 21 percent share.

The high demand from Dole cannery in **SOCCKSARGEN** as well as the increase in the contract growers of Del Monte in **Northern Mindanao** boosted production in these regions. The increase in bearing trees in **Davao** Region, specifically in the provinces of **Davao Sur** and **Davao Norte** also contributed to higher production level in 2008.



B. Area Planted

Total area planted to **banana** was estimated at 439 thousand hectares. It posted a 0.48 percent increase against last year's 437 thousand hectares. Mindanao accounted for more than 50 percent of the country's total banana area. Area planted to **Cavendish** increased by 1.54 percent from the 2007 level. Those planted to **Lacatan** and **Saba** posted increases of less than 1 percent each.

The country's area planted to **mango** expanded by 1.41 percent in 2008 from its level in 2007. Of the 187 thousand hectares in 2008, 77.2 percent were planted to **carabao** mango and 7.3 percent were planted to **piko** variety. Most of these mango areas were located in Luzon. About 47 percent of the national total area of mango were noted in Luzon.

Area planted to **calamansi** in 2008 grew by 2.01 percent or from 20.5 thousand hectares in 2007, it increased to 20.9 thousand hectares in 2008. Calamansi was planted extensively in **MIMAROPA**. This region accounted for 38 percent of the country's area planted to calamansi.

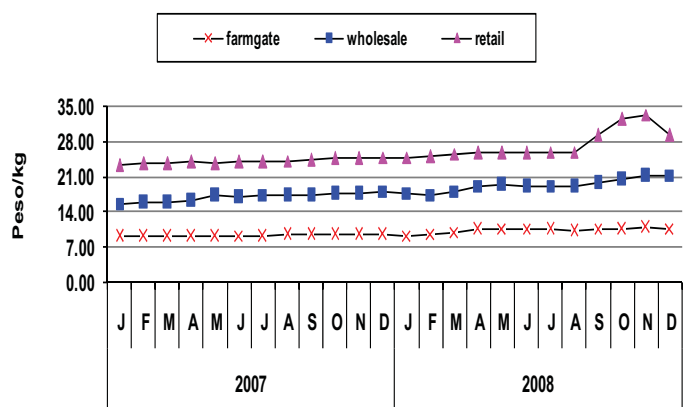
In 2008, area planted to **pineapple** increased by 7.91 percent. From 54 thousand hectares in 2007, area expanded to 58 thousand hectares.

There was a 0.55 percent increase in area planted to papaya. From 9,124 hectares in 2007, area was recorded at 9,177 hectares in 2008.

C. Prices

Banana. Average retail prices of **lacatan** were rising in the last four (4) months of 2008. In November 2008, prices hit P33.39 per kilogram, P8.46 higher than it was ten(10) months earlier. On the other hand, farmgate and wholesale prices remained relatively stable.

Figure 9. Lacatan: Average Monthly Prices, Philippines, January-December 2007-2008



Mango. The year's average wholesale price of *carabao, ripe* was P44.87 per kilogram, higher by P8.37 from its 2007 level. Retail price of *carabao, ripe*, averaged P61.68 per kilogram, higher by P16.81 from last year's price.

Calamansi. Average farmgate price was recorded at P11.71 per kilogram in 2008. This was P1.57 above last year's price. At retail, average price went up by P5.18 from its 2007 level.

Line graph showing monthly average prices (Peso/kg) for three sectors: farmgate, wholesale, and retail, from January 2007 to December 2008. The Y-axis represents Price in Pesos/kg, ranging from 0.00 to 20.00. The X-axis shows months (J, F, M, A, M, J, J, A, S, O, N, D) for 2007 and 2008. Farmgate prices are the lowest, wholesale prices are in the middle, and retail prices are the highest. All sectors show a significant increase in prices starting around August 2007, peaking in late 2007/early 2008, and then fluctuating at higher levels through 2008.

Year	Month	Farmgate (Peso/kg)	Wholesale (Peso/kg)	Retail (Peso/kg)
2007	J	5.0	9.5	14.0
2007	F	5.0	10.0	14.5
2007	M	5.0	10.5	15.0
2007	A	6.0	10.5	15.5
2007	M	6.0	10.0	15.5
2007	J	6.0	10.0	15.0
2007	J	6.0	10.5	15.0
2007	A	6.0	10.5	15.5
2007	S	6.0	10.5	15.5
2007	O	6.0	10.5	15.5
2007	N	6.0	11.0	15.5
2007	D	5.5	11.5	15.5
2008	J	5.5	11.0	15.5
2008	F	5.5	11.0	15.5
2008	M	5.5	10.5	15.0
2008	A	5.5	11.0	15.0
2008	M	5.5	10.5	15.0
2008	J	5.5	10.5	15.5
2008	J	5.5	10.5	15.0
2008	A	5.5	11.5	16.0
2008	S	5.5	11.5	18.5
2008	O	5.5	11.5	19.0
2008	N	5.5	11.5	16.0
2008	D	5.5	11.5	16.0

The graph illustrates the monthly price trends for sugar in Kenya. Wholesale prices (blue line with squares) start at approximately 35.00 in Jan 2007, dip to 28.00 in Feb, and then fluctuate between 30.00 and 65.00. Retail prices (pink line with triangles) start at 50.00 in Jan 2007, dip to 42.00 in Feb, and fluctuate between 45.00 and 75.00. Both series show a significant peak in late 2007 and early 2008, followed by a decline and then a recovery in 2008.

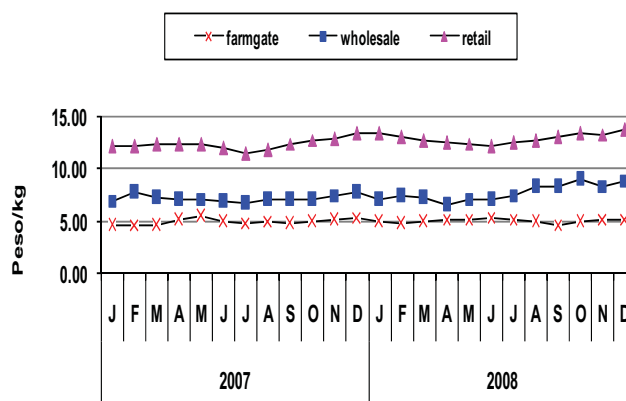
Year	Month	Wholesale Price (KSh/kg)	Retail Price (KSh/kg)
2007	Jan	35.00	50.00
2007	Feb	28.00	42.00
2007	Mar	30.00	45.00
2007	Apr	32.00	48.00
2007	May	30.00	42.00
2007	Jun	28.00	40.00
2007	Jul	35.00	48.00
2007	Aug	40.00	55.00
2007	Sep	60.00	68.00
2007	Oct	55.00	72.00
2007	Nov	48.00	68.00
2007	Dec	50.00	68.00
2008	Jan	48.00	68.00
2008	Feb	48.00	65.00
2008	Mar	45.00	55.00
2008	Apr	32.00	48.00
2008	May	35.00	50.00
2008	Jun	42.00	55.00
2008	Jul	45.00	60.00
2008	Aug	55.00	70.00
2008	Sep	52.00	75.00
2008	Oct	52.00	72.00
2008	Nov	48.00	72.00
2008	Dec	48.00	72.00

Legend: farmgate (red line with 'x'), wholesale (blue line with square), retail (purple line with triangle).

Month	Farmgate (Price/kg)	Wholesale (Price/kg)	Retail (Price/kg)
Jan 2007	14.0	21.0	32.0
Feb 2007	18.0	24.0	36.0
Mar 2007	18.0	24.0	36.0
Apr 2007	14.0	24.0	36.0
May 2007	24.0	28.0	42.0
Jun 2007	14.0	21.0	36.0
Jul 2007	14.0	18.0	30.0
Aug 2007	4.0	14.0	24.0
Sep 2007	4.0	10.0	20.0
Oct 2007	8.0	14.0	24.0
Nov 2007	8.0	18.0	30.0
Dec 2007	8.0	18.0	34.0
Jan 2008	14.0	24.0	34.0
Feb 2008	24.0	34.0	42.0
Mar 2008	24.0	34.0	46.0
Apr 2008	14.0	24.0	42.0
May 2008	18.0	34.0	46.0
Jun 2008	18.0	24.0	38.0
Jul 2008	4.0	14.0	24.0
Aug 2008	4.0	14.0	24.0
Sep 2008	8.0	18.0	28.0
Oct 2008	8.0	18.0	30.0
Nov 2008	8.0	18.0	30.0
Dec 2008	10.0	24.0	36.0

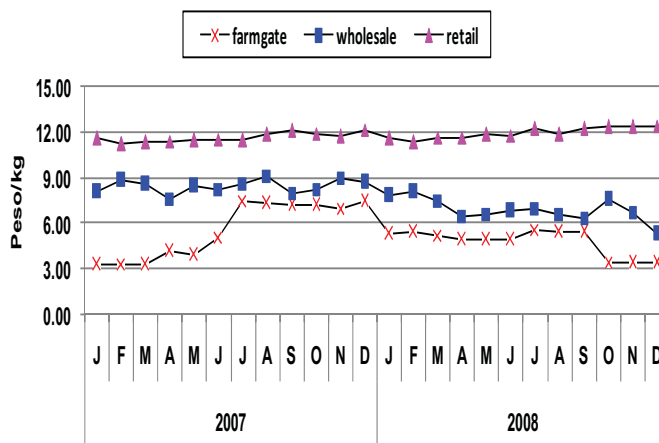
Pineapple. The January to December 2008 average whole-sale price of pineapple was P7.00 per kilogram. This was lower by P0.08 from the reported price in 2007. Average retail price was pegged at P12.46, higher by P0.31 from last year's price.

Figure 13. Pineapple: Average Monthly Prices, Philippines, January-December 2007-2008



Papaya. In the last quarter of 2008, average retail prices rose while farmgate and wholesale prices dropped. Average wholesale price was P2.14 higher than farmgate price and P7.15 lower than retail price.

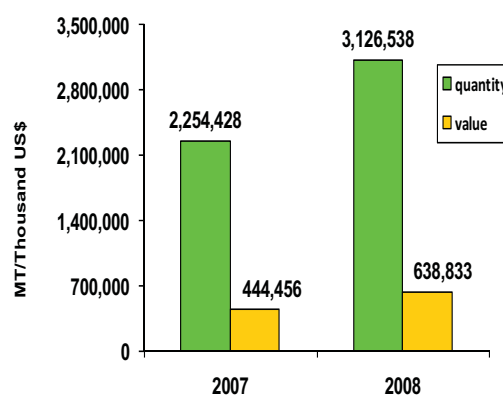
Figure 14. Hawaiian Papaya: Average Monthly Prices, Philippines, January-December 2007-2008



D. TRADE

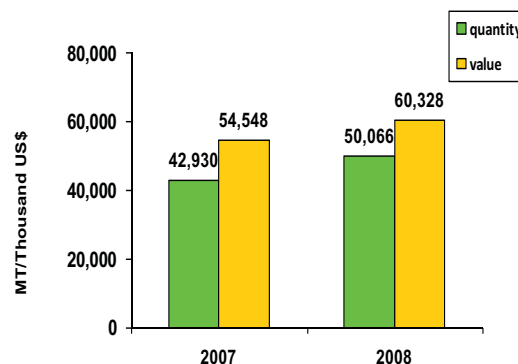
Total export earnings from banana products reached US\$ 638.8 million in 2008. This was 43.73 percent higher than last year's US\$ 444.5 million. Japan continued to be the Philippines' main market for fresh banana. The United States of America absorbed most of the processed products.

Figure 15. Banana: Volume and Value of Exports, January-December 2007-2008



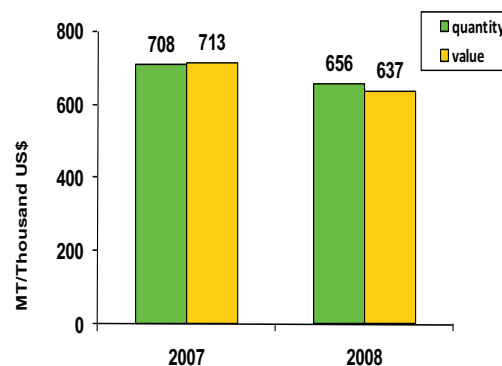
The value of mango exports increased from US\$ 54.5 million in 2007 to US\$ 60.3 million in 2008. Likewise, volume of exports increased by 16.62 percent compared to the 2007 level. The key markets for mangoes were Japan for fresh mango and United States of America for processed mango.

Figure 16. Mango: Volume and Value of Exports, January-December 2007-2008



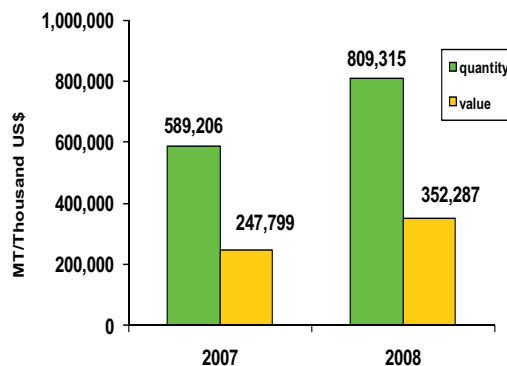
Export earnings from calamansi products went down from US\$ 0.71 million in 2007 to US\$ 0.64 million in 2008, despite a substantial increase in exports to the Canadian and American markets. Value of processed calamansi exported to other countries declined by 39.53 percent. This pulled down export earnings in 2008.

Figure 17. Calamansi: Volume and Value of Exports, January-December 2007-2008



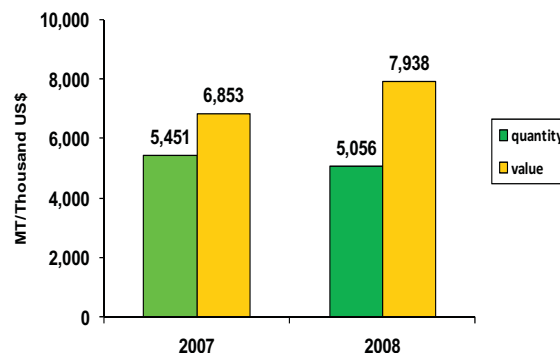
Pineapple exports generated US\$ 352.3 million in revenues from 809.3 thousand MT of pineapple products in 2008. This registered a 42.17 percent increase from last year's level. More than 60 percent of these export earnings were contributed by Japan and United States of America, the country's major markets for pineapple.

Figure 18. Pineapple: Volume and Value of Exports, January-December 2007-2008



The Philippines exported more than US\$ 7.9 million of papaya products in 2008. This was 15.84 percent higher than last year's US\$ 6.8 million. Most of these products were exported to Japan and Hongkong which accounted for more than 67 percent of the country's papaya exports.

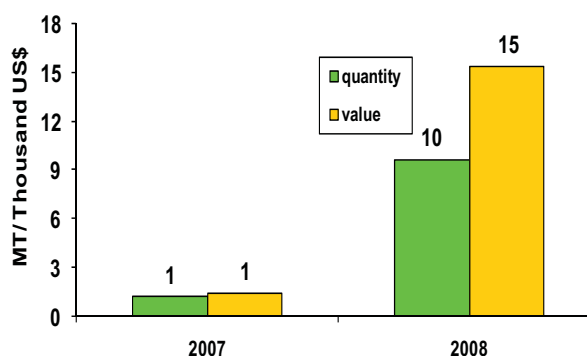
Figure 19. Papaya: Volume and Value of Exports, January-December 2007-2008



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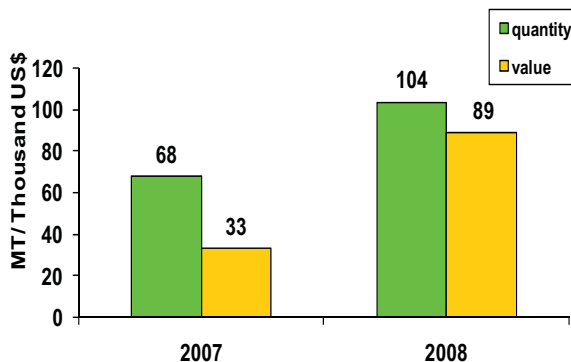
In 2008, the country imported around US\$ 15 thousand of processed banana. This was ten (10) times more than the US\$ 1 thousand reported the previous year. The total volume of imports for 2008 was 10 MT, seven (7) times higher than last year's 1 MT.

Figure 20. Processed Banana: Volume and Value of Imports, January-December 2007-2008

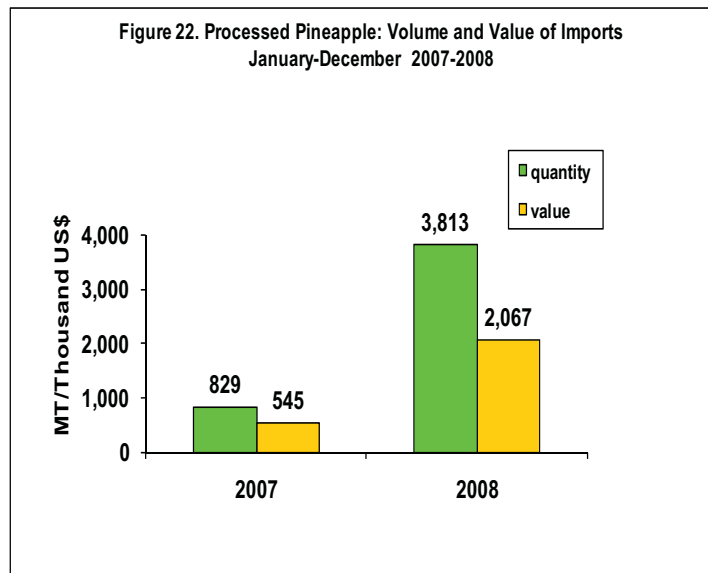


There was also a marked increase in mango imports in 2008. Imports of processed mango increased by 168 percent, from US\$ 33 thousand in 2007 to US\$ 89 thousand in 2008.

Figure 21. Processed Mango: Volume and Value of Imports, January-December 2007-2008



Imports of pineapple products in 2008 also increased by more than 279 percent compared to last year's level. Total value of imported processed pineapple amounted to US\$ 2,067 thousand in 2008 while this was US\$ 545 thousand in 2007.



Tables

Table 1. Volume of Production of Major Fruit Crops, Philippines, January-December 2006-2008
(in '000' Metric Tons)

Crop	2006	2007	2008	Percent Change	
				2007/2006	2008P/2007
Banana	6,795	7,484	8,686	10.15	16.06
Bungulan	182	192	197	5.24	2.68
Cavendish	2,811	3,323	4,329	18.22	30.26
Lacatan	836	875	891	4.70	1.76
Latundan	551	575	597	4.38	3.73
Saba	2,286	2,386	2,526	4.37	5.87
Others	129	133	148	3.65	10.80
Mango	919	1,024	884	11.41	(13.66)
Carabao	739	828	712	12.15	(14.00)
Piko	56	55	48	(1.42)	(13.48)
Others	124	140	124	12.81	(11.72)
Calamansi	197	202	200	2.56	(0.96)
Pineapple	1,834	2,016	2,209	9.95	9.56
Papaya	157	164	183	4.53	11.36

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Source: CSD, BAS

Table 2A. Volume of Production of Banana by Region, Philippines, January-December 2006-2008
(in '000 Metric Tons)

Crop	2006	2007	2008P	% Change 2008P/2007	% Share
Philippines	6,794.56	7,484.07	8,686.18	16.1	100.0
CAR	25.05	26.79	26.70	(0.32)	0.31
Ilocos Region	41.95	46.39	46.11	(0.60)	0.53
Cagayan Valley	351.00	386.93	378.20	(2.26)	4.35
Central Luzon	50.82	51.63	53.57	3.75	0.62
CALABARZON	105.52	101.68	105.37	3.62	1.21
MIMAROPA	185.54	188.59	196.10	3.98	2.26
Bicol Region	63.77	55.46	67.60	21.89	0.78
Western Visayas	315.97	331.65	328.17	(1.05)	3.78
Central Visayas	163.29	157.15	169.64	7.95	1.95
Eastern Visayas	229.95	246.14	269.13	9.34	3.10
Zamboanga Peninsula	237.69	247.27	253.67	2.59	2.92
Northern Mindanao	662.19	933.11	1,631.30	74.82	18.78
Davao Region	2,945.85	3,180.33	3,569.08	12.22	41.09
SOCCSKSARGEN	830.82	935.56	998.63	6.74	11.50
CARAGA	213.16	222.70	219.64	(1.38)	2.53
ARMM	371.99	372.68	373.27	0.16	4.30

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Source: CSD, BAS

Table 2B. Volume of Production of Cavendish by Region, Philippines, January-December 2006-2008
(in '000 Metric Tons)

Crop	2006	2007	2008P	% Change 2008P/2007	% Share
Philippines	2,810.99	3,323.07	4,328.77	30.26	100.0
CAR	-	-	-	-	-
Ilocos Region	-	-	-	-	-
Cagayan Valley	-	-	-	-	-
Central Luzon	-	-	-	-	-
CALABARZON	-	-	-	-	-
MIMAROPA	-	-	-	-	-
Bicol Region	-	-	-	-	-
Western Visayas	1.58	1.59	1.57	(1.43)	0.04
Central Visayas	0.12	0.13	0.28	118.25	0.01
Eastern Visayas	-	-	-	-	-
Zamboanga Peninsula	0.20	0.19	0.20	1.42	0.00
Northern Mindanao	172.01	412.71	1,076.75	160.90	24.87
Davao Region	2,231.41	2,439.99	2,746.34	12.56	63.44
SOCCSKSARGEN	294.29	358.44	392.89	9.61	9.08
CARAGA	12.79	13.77	14.53	5.51	0.34
ARMM	98.58	96.25	96.17	(0.08)	2.22

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Source: CSD, BAS

Table 2C. Volume of Production of Lacatan by Region, Philippines, January-December 2006-2008
(in '000 Metric Tons)

Crop	2006	2007	2008P	% Change 2008P/2007	% Share
Philippines	836.02	875.27	890.70	1.76	100.00
CAR	4.10	4.85	4.80	(0.87)	0.54
Ilocos Region	1.16	1.14	1.10	(3.52)	0.12
Cagayan Valley	40.15	42.81	41.80	(2.35)	4.69
Central Luzon	11.17	11.64	12.83	10.26	1.44
CALABARZON	8.73	8.07	8.24	2.04	0.92
MIMAROPA	34.15	35.02	36.40	3.92	4.09
Bicol Region	2.94	2.63	3.36	27.73	0.38
Western Visayas	19.27	19.67	19.02	(3.31)	2.14
Central Visayas	12.29	11.19	12.52	11.85	1.41
Eastern Visayas	12.76	14.38	15.50	7.72	1.74
Zamboanga Peninsula	45.24	48.51	49.89	2.84	5.60
Northern Mindanao	135.80	145.59	152.63	4.84	17.14
Davao Region	174.86	187.30	188.76	0.78	21.19
SOCCSKSARGEN	216.79	225.88	228.54	1.18	25.66
CARAGA	28.10	29.04	27.82	(4.19)	3.12
ARMM	88.51	87.55	87.50	(0.05)	9.82

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Source: CSD, BAS

Table 2D. Volume of Production of Saba by Region, Philippines, January-December 2006-2008
(in '000 Metric Tons)

Crop	2006	2007	2008P	% Change 2008P/2007	% Share
Philippines	2,285.81	2,385.61	2,525.61	5.9	100.0
CAR	8.07	8.72	8.99	3.14	0.36
Ilocos Region	21.91	23.45	23.12	(1.41)	0.92
Cagayan Valley	244.84	272.86	268.66	(1.54)	10.64
Central Luzon	23.88	23.86	24.34	2.01	0.96
CALABARZON	67.43	65.30	67.57	3.47	2.68
MIMAROPA	112.93	115.18	121.09	5.13	4.79
Bicol Region	32.55	29.05	35.44	22.03	1.40
Western Visayas	190.13	201.77	200.39	(0.68)	7.93
Central Visayas	110.67	107.16	116.21	8.45	4.60
Eastern Visayas	153.91	162.83	176.90	8.64	7.00
Zamboanga Peninsula	127.38	134.10	136.98	2.15	5.42
Northern Mindanao	226.99	238.69	253.22	6.08	10.03
Davao Region	470.97	480.17	548.34	14.20	21.71
SOCCSKSARGEN	263.29	285.56	307.19	7.58	12.16
CARAGA	114.11	117.36	116.94	(0.36)	4.63
ARMM	116.74	119.57	120.23	0.55	4.76

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Source: CSD, BAS

Table 2E. Volume of Production of Mango by Region, Philippines, January-December 2006-2008
(in '000 Metric Tons)

Crop	2006	2007	2008P	% Change 2008P/2007	% Share
Philippines	919.03	1,023.91	884.01	(13.66)	100.0
CAR	3.46	3.76	3.70	(1.51)	0.42
Ilocos Region	422.53	445.05	382.57	(14.04)	43.28
Cagayan Valley	51.08	90.11	66.21	(26.52)	7.49
Central Luzon	85.93	84.13	68.31	(18.80)	7.73
CALABARZON	41.58	45.42	40.89	(9.99)	4.63
MIMAROPA	8.08	7.90	8.02	1.60	0.91
Bicol Region	1.69	1.62	1.44	(11.36)	0.16
Western Visayas	55.16	58.07	46.42	(20.06)	5.25
Central Visayas	54.21	72.92	65.82	(9.74)	7.45
Eastern Visayas	0.55	0.72	0.83	14.92	0.09
Zamboanga Peninsula	53.93	59.60	53.11	(10.89)	6.01
Northern Mindanao	33.58	33.68	33.25	(1.29)	3.76
Davao Region	33.52	38.08	36.60	(3.90)	4.14
SOCCSKSARGEN	43.36	51.15	47.52	(7.11)	5.37
CARAGA	15.96	16.84	17.23	2.29	1.95
ARMM	14.41	14.85	12.09	(18.54)	1.37

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Source: CSD, BAS

Table 2F. Volume of Production of Carabao Mango, by Region, Philippines, January-December 2006-2008
(in '000 Metric Tons)

Crop	2006	2007	2008P	% Change 2008P/2007	% Share
Philippines	738.66	828.41	712.41	(14.00)	100.0
CAR	3.35	3.65	3.60	(1.17)	0.51
Ilocos Region	366.42	388.01	331.63	(14.53)	46.55
Cagayan Valley	35.62	63.93	46.72	(26.92)	6.56
Central Luzon	66.87	65.19	52.58	(19.34)	7.38
CALABARZON	21.49	24.45	22.68	(7.27)	3.18
MIMAROPA	4.87	4.79	4.88	2.05	0.69
Bicol Region	0.14	0.24	0.25	3.26	0.04
Western Visayas	52.13	54.75	43.10	(21.29)	6.05
Central Visayas	47.94	65.85	59.63	(9.45)	8.37
Eastern Visayas	0.23	0.33	0.40	20.55	0.06
Zamboanga Peninsula	36.63	41.15	36.76	(10.66)	5.16
Northern Mindanao	30.43	30.63	30.30	(1.09)	4.25
Davao Region	26.08	30.77	29.81	(3.11)	4.18
SOCCKSARGEN	32.39	39.27	36.50	(7.06)	5.12
CARAGA	10.75	11.39	11.80	3.67	1.66
ARMM	3.32	4.00	1.75	(56.20)	0.25

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Source: CSD, BAS

Table 2G. Volume of Production of Calamansi by Region, Philippines, January-December 2006-2008
(in '000 Metric Tons)

Crop	2006	2007	2008P	% Change 2008P/2007	% Share
Philippines	196.60	201.62	199.68	(0.96)	100.0
CAR	0.45	0.45	0.44	(2.68)	0.22
Ilocos Region	3.16	3.40	3.43	0.93	1.72
Cagayan Valley	6.10	8.53	8.48	(0.56)	4.25
Central Luzon	9.44	10.07	10.24	1.72	5.13
CALABARZON	13.88	14.96	15.34	2.51	7.68
MIMAROPA	120.71	121.05	118.24	(2.31)	59.22
Bicol Region	2.29	2.25	2.51	11.73	1.26
Western Visayas	7.49	7.28	6.94	(4.63)	3.48
Central Visayas	1.36	1.21	1.23	1.45	0.61
Eastern Visayas	2.40	2.43	2.45	0.91	1.23
Zamboanga Peninsula	5.55	5.38	5.91	9.72	2.96
Northern Mindanao	1.16	1.29	1.27	(1.88)	0.63
Davao Region	10.12	10.33	10.19	(1.30)	5.10
SOCCKSARGEN	6.54	6.94	6.65	(4.17)	3.33
CARAGA	4.79	4.90	5.20	6.26	2.61
ARMM	1.14	1.16	1.15	(0.93)	0.58

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Source: CSD, BAS

Table 2H. Volume of Production of Pineapple by Region, Philippines, January-December 2006-2008
(in '000 Metric Tons)

Crop	2006	2007	2008P	% Change 2008P/2007	% Share
Philippines	1,833.91	2,016.46	2,209.34	9.6	100.0
CAR	0.71	0.69	0.71	3.38	0.03
Ilocos Region	0.22	0.20	0.21	1.90	0.01
Cagayan Valley	23.98	28.63	30.82	7.63	1.39
Central Luzon	1.25	1.29	1.36	5.54	0.06
CALABARZON	82.46	84.05	86.17	2.52	3.90
MIMAROPA	0.19	0.19	0.22	18.15	0.01
Bicol Region	112.21	116.82	111.53	(4.53)	5.05
Western Visayas	15.04	14.78	15.18	2.76	0.69
Central Visayas	3.98	4.53	4.89	7.78	0.22
Eastern Visayas	6.41	6.85	7.40	7.98	0.33
Zamboanga Peninsula	2.38	2.34	2.44	4.22	0.11
Northern Mindanao	911.16	924.51	1,007.02	8.93	45.58
Davao Region	19.41	22.45	22.30	(0.66)	1.01
SOCCSKSARGEN	649.30	803.76	913.28	13.63	41.34
CARAGA	4.17	4.34	4.74	9.05	0.21
ARMM	1.04	1.04	1.07	3.45	0.05

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Source: CSD, BAS

Table 2I. Volume of Production of Papaya by Region, Philippines, January-December 2006-2008
(in '000 Metric Tons)

Crop	2006	2007	2008P	% Change 2008P/2007	% Share
Philippines	157.12	164.23	182.89	11.4	100.0
CAR	1.64	1.65	1.67	0.72	0.91
Ilocos Region	4.12	4.12	3.98	(3.42)	2.18
Cagayan Valley	2.75	3.04	3.00	(1.53)	1.64
Central Luzon	3.24	3.39	3.98	17.29	2.17
CALABARZON	14.57	10.53	10.36	(1.64)	5.66
MIMAROPA	3.12	3.26	3.54	8.60	1.94
Bicol Region	8.55	8.24	9.30	12.87	5.09
Western Visayas	7.34	7.12	6.44	(9.58)	3.52
Central Visayas	7.54	7.42	7.43	0.04	4.06
Eastern Visayas	2.72	2.85	2.96	3.71	1.62
Zamboanga Peninsula	6.06	5.85	5.88	0.41	3.21
Northern Mindanao	32.50	35.63	39.04	9.59	21.35
Davao Region	13.50	18.42	21.41	16.21	11.71
SOCCSKSARGEN	44.27	47.46	58.73	23.74	32.11
CARAGA	2.10	2.12	2.10	(1.08)	1.15
ARMM	3.10	3.10	3.08	(0.84)	1.68

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Source: CSD, BAS

Table 3. Area planted of Major Fruit Crops, Philippines, January-December 2006-2008
(in '000 hectares)

Crop	2006	2007	2008P	% Change 2008P/2007	% Share
Banana	429	437	439	0.42	100.00
Bungulan	21	20	20	(0.53)	4.63
Cavendish	68	74	75	1.54	17.13
Lacatan	52	53	54	0.82	12.22
Latundan	80	80	80	0.11	18.33
Saba	182	183	183	0.06	41.76
Others	27	26	26	0.63	5.93
Mango	172	184	187	1.41	100.00
Carabao	129	142	144	1.88	77.26
Piko	14	14	14	(0.93)	7.28
Others	28	29	29	0.07	15.46
Calamansi	20	21	21	2.01	
Pineapple	50	54	58	7.91	
Papaya	9	9	9	0.55	

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Source: CSD, BAS

Table 4. Quantity and Value of Exports by Product Form and Country of Destination, Philippines, January-December 2007-2008 (Quantity in MT, F.O.B. values in '000 US\$)

Product Form/Country of Destination	2007		2008		% Change	
	Quantity	F.O.B. Value	Quantity	F.O.B. Value	Quantity	F.O.B. Value
Banana	2,254,428	444,456	3,126,538	638,833	38.68	43.73
Fresh	2,217,741	400,848	3,074,882	568,430	38.65	41.81
Japan (Excludes Okinawa)	914,223	175,917	1,502,304	297,100	64.33	68.89
Others	1,303,518	224,931	1,572,578	271,330	20.64	20.63
Processed	36,687	43,608	51,657	70,403	40.80	61.45
United States of America	6,753	8,207	8,288	10,990	22.73	33.90
Others	29,934	35,400	43,369	59,413	44.88	67.83
Calamansi	708	713	656	637	(7.32)	(10.69)
Fresh	8	5	26	25	245.71	364.13
Canada	1	2	7	8	355.00	335.82
Others	6	4	19	17	218.71	378.42
Processed	700	708	630	612	(10.04)	(13.55)
United States of America	311	313	375	373	20.61	19.28
Others	389	395	255	239	(34.55)	(39.53)
Mango	42,930	54,548	50,066	60,328	16.62	10.60
Fresh	26,338	23,285	32,258	30,114	22.48	29.33
Japan (Excludes Okinawa)	5,190	12,653	7,088	15,866	36.55	25.40
Others	21,147	10,632	25,171	14,248	19.03	34.01
Processed	16,593	31,264	17,808	30,214	7.32	(3.36)
United States of America	5,468	10,044	4,282	7,333	(21.69)	(26.99)
Others	11,125	21,220	13,526	22,881	21.58	7.83

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Table 4. Quantity and Value of Exports by Product Form and Country of Destination, Philippines, (Continued)
January-December 2007-2008 (Quantity in MT, F.O.B. values in '000 US\$)

Product Form/Country of Destination	2007		2008		% Change	
	Quantity	F.O.B. Value	Quantity	F.O.B. Value	Quantity	F.O.B. Value
Pineapple	589,206	247,799	809,315	352,287	37.36	42.17
Fresh	276,400	57,702	402,426	85,042	45.60	47.38
Japan (Excludes Okinawa)	171,637	37,167	290,708	61,462	69.37	65.37
Others	104,763	20,535	111,718	23,579	6.64	14.83
Processed	312,807	190,097	406,889	267,245	30.08	40.58
United States of America	199,815	115,988	256,280	161,290	28.26	39.06
Others	112,992	74,109	150,609	105,955	33.29	42.97
Papaya	5,451	6,853	5,056	7,938	(7.24)	15.84
Fresh	4,060	5,030	4,081	6,052	0.53	20.30
Japan (Excludes Okinawa)	2,800	3,675	2,942	4,372	5.08	18.97
Others	1,260	1,355	1,139	1,679	(9.59)	23.93
Processed	1,391	1,823	975	1,886	(29.92)	3.51
Hongkong	820	921	538	990	(34.44)	7.51
Others	571	902	437	896	(23.41)	(0.58)

Source of Basic Data: NSO

Table 5. Quantity and Value of Imports, Philippines, January-December 2007-2008
(Quantity in MT, C.I.F. values in '000 US\$)

Product Form	2007		2008		% Change	
	Quantity	C.I.F. Value	Quantity	C.I.F. Value	Quantity	F.O.B. Value
Mango, Processed	68	33	104	89	53	168
Pineapple, Processed	829	545	3,813	2,067	360	279
Banana, Processed	1	1	10	15	702	981

Source of Basic Data: NSO