

Livestock Sector Data

Number of Registered Livestock Farms

	2014	2015
Cattle	295,481	290,628
Buffalo	28,203	25,820
Goat	64,004	71,689
Sheep	354	245
Swine	8,280	8,425
Poultry		
Commercial	27,609	29,399
Backyard	128,174	139,058

Source: LPE (DAPH)

Compound Animal Feed Production by Type

Type of Feed	Qty ('000 MT)	
	2014	2015
Poultry Feed	426.63	528.52
Cattle Feed	25.32	30.54
Swine Feed	1.47	2.70
Shrimp Feed	0.01	0.00
Horse Feed	0.24	0.53
Goat Feed	0.10	0.46
Feed Premixes	0.55	0.77
	461.18	563.67
Self-mixed	386.00	396.00
Total feed production	847.18	959.69

Source: VRA (DAPH)

Local Production of Animal Feed Ingredients

Crop	Season	Ext prod Av .Yld		
		(ha)	(MT)	(MT/ha)
Maize	2014/15 Maha	60,954	230,871	3.79
	2015 Yala	9,017	30,244	3.35
	Annual	69,971	261,115	0.37
Soya bean	2014/15Maha	318	619	1.95
	2015 Yala	6,065	10,635	1.75
	Annual	6,383	11,254	1.76

Source: Department of Census & Statistics

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Imports and Exports of Maize

		Qty	Value	CIF Price
		('000 MT)	(Mn Rs)	(Rs/kg)
Imports	2014	88.14	3,752.69	42.58
	2015	68.64	3,030.22	44.15
		Qty	Value	FOB Price
		(kg)	(Rs)	(Rs/kg)
Exports	2014	225,031	10,020,669	44.53
	2015	760	98,135	29.13

Source: Sri Lanka Custom

Per-Capita Availability of Livestock Products *

	2014	2015
Milk & milk products (LME)-L	45.16	48.56
Meat (kg)		
Chicken	7.19	7.82
Beef	1.55	1.53
Mutton	0.08	0.09
Pork	0.34	0.34
Egg (Number)	107.91	109.05

Source: LPE (DAPH)

* Based on Estimated Human Population

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LIVESTOCK OUTLOOK OF SRI LANKA 2014 & 2015



The livestock sector of Sri Lanka has shown a steady growth in recent years. In 2015, The total milk production amounts to 403.2 million liters. The total domestic milk production supplies around 40% of the national requirement and the balance 60% is being imported annually. Milk powder represents 95 % of total importation.

The poultry sector continues to play an important role in fulfilling animal protein requirement for more than 20 million people in Sri Lanka. Chicken production increased by 9.4% compared to 2014 to reach 164,45 MT. The egg production has increased to 2,294 million in 2015. The export of table eggs declined by 51% in 2015 compared to the previous year.

Country Profile

Land Use Types of Sri Lanka - 2014

Land Use	Extent (ha)	Percentage
Agricultural Lands	3,535,646	53.88
Non-Agricultural Lands	60,062	0.93
Forest Lands	2,030,858	30.95
Water Bodies	488,028	7.44
Other*	446,406	6.80
Total	6,561,000	100.00

Source: Land Use & Policy Planning Department, Ministry of Lands.

Note: *(Marsh, Barren Land, Distorted Surface, Grassland, Mangrove, Sand, Rock & Play ground etc.)

Socio Economic Data

	2014	2015
Mid Year Population ('000 person)	20,771	20,966
Population Growth (%)	0.9	0.9
Population Density (Person's per sq km)	331	334
Labour Force ('000 persons)	8,805	8,973
Labour Force Participation Rate (%)		
Male	74.6	74.7
Female	34.7	36.0
Total	53.3	53.8
Unemployment Rate (% of labour force)	4.3	4.6
Real GDP Growth Rate (%)	4.9	4.8
Agriculture Contribution to GDP (%)	7.8	7.9
Livestock GDP Contribution (% of total)	0.6	0.6

Source: Central Bank Annual Report 2015

Total No. of DS Divisions	331	331
Total No. of VS Divisions	323	324
Total No. of GN Divisions	14,022	14,022

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Animal Population

Cattle

Cows	(Number)	
	2014	2015
Milking Cows	223,400	249,953
Non-milking Cows	237,579	244,048
Other Cows	141,294	145,329
Young Female Animals		
Heifers	172,219	190,404
Calves	118,551	143,117
Male Animals		
Adults	102,389	116,954
Calves	122,656	137,574
Total Cattle	1,118,089	1,227,379

Buffaloes

Cows		
Milking Cows	92,050	95,591
Non-milking Cows	71,439	64,932
Other Cows	36,148	35,795
Young Female Animals		
Heifers	57,351	56,649
Calves	52,458	52,994
Male Animals		
Adults	27,212	27,287
Calves	38,904	48,183
Total Buffaloes	375,562	381,431

Goats 312,846 358,233

Swine 71,838 94,612

Source: LPE (DAPH)

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Contribution of Animal Production Subsectors to the Total GDP (2015)

Commodity	Share (%)
Diary	0.16
Chicken meat	0.25
Egg	0.08
Beef	0.07
Mutton	0.01
Pork	0.03

Source: National Accounts, DCS

Livestock Production

Annual Milk Production

	2014	2015
Cow Milk (Mn L)	344.68	331.20
Buffalo Milk (Mn L)	74.21	72.03
Total Milk (Mn L)	418.89	403.23

Meat & Egg Production

	2014	2015
Chicken meat ('000 MT)	150.32	164.45
Egg (Mn)	2,232.02	2,294.08
Pork Production ('000 MT)	7.08	7.18
Beef ('000 MT)	33.84	32.18
Mutton ('000 MT)	1.34	1.35

Source: LPE (DAPH)

Imports and Exports

	Qty (MT)	
	2014	2015
Imports		
Meat & Meat Products	944.80	1,193.04
Milk & Milk Products	71,026.84	86,327.49
Eggs	0.17	4.37
Feed Ingredients	183,904.58	202,451.27
Exports		
Meat & Meat Products	2,103.71	1,169.99
Milk & Milk Products	595.06	718.76
Eggs	965.77	467.99
Feed Ingredients (Bran)	86,487.12	79,763.58

Source: Sri Lanka Custom

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