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## PSA AGUSAN DEL SUR CONDUCTS THE SEPTEMBER 2023 MONTHLY PALAY AND CORN SITUATION REPORT (MPCSR)

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The Philippine Statistics Authority (PSA) of Agusan del Sur is conducting the September 2023 Monthly Palay and Corn Situation Report (MPCSR) which primarily aims to update the estimates of the current quarter based on standing crop on area and production of palay across the province. Such estimates are subject to changes depending on weather conditions, inputs and outputs, prices, and other factors which contribute largely to the deviations of the actual data from the early estimates. A close monitoring of the growing conditions of the crop is deemed necessary.



The survey is conducted in the first five (5) days of the month, in between the Palay Production Survey (PPS) rounds, during February, March, May, June, August, September and November. To ensure the success of this endeavor, the 3<sup>rd</sup> Level Training was conducted on August 29, 2023 at the PSA Agusan del Sur Training Room and was participated by hired Statistical Researchers, Contract of Service Workers (COSW's) and Assistant Statistician Argie S. Gortifacion who acted as a trainer. Field data collection activities are scheduled to take place on September 1-10. Selected sample respondents will be visited and interviewed in all sample barangays from the different municipalities in the province.

*Mock Interview during 3<sup>rd</sup> Level Training on September 2023 Monthly Palay and Corn Situation Report (MPCSR) held on August 29, 2023 at PSA Agusan del Sur Training Room*

All information collected by the hired Statistical Researchers from sample farmers shall be kept strictly confidential and shall not be used for purposes of taxation, investigation or regulation as provided under Article 55 of RA 10625.

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