

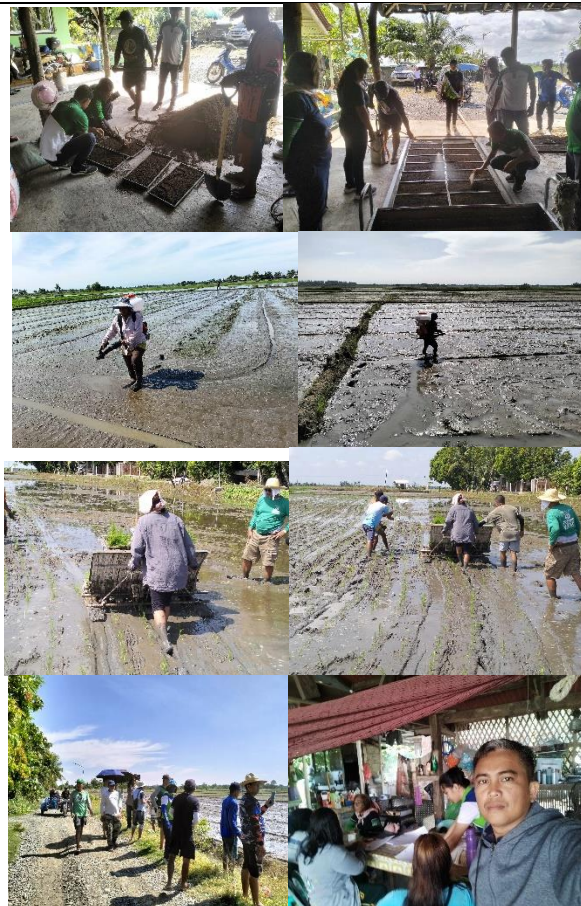
	OFFICE OF THE PROVINCIAL AGRICULTURIST	JUNE
		MONTH
	Accomplishment Report	2023
		YEAR

PROGRAM/ PROJECT/ ACTIVITIES	BRIEF DESCRIPTION	ACCOMPLISHMENT																																									
I. RICE DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM AND SERVICES a. Seed Assistance Program a.1 Seed Production	DA-PLGU Collaborative Project. Commitment of individual accredited seed growers to provide certified seeds for buffer seeds and stocking	<p>As of June 2023, for Wet Season (WS) crop 2023 a total of 114 Local Seed Growers (SG) planted an area of 671.51hectares for Registered to Certified Inbred seeds production and 6 hectares for foundation to registered seeds with 6 seed growers. For Seed Certification there were about 318,369 bags (20kg/ha) and 2,427 bags (40kg/ha) submitted for laboratory analysis. Varieties Planted in the Seed Production for Wet Season 2023 were as follows:</p> <table><tr><th rowspan="2">Province</th><th rowspan="2">Variety</th><th colspan="2">Seed Class</th></tr><tr><th>F</th><th>R</th></tr><tr><td rowspan="11">Isabela</td><td>NSIC Rc 160</td><td></td><td>3.00</td></tr><tr><td>NSIC Rc 216</td><td></td><td>3.40</td></tr><tr><td>NSIC Rc 218</td><td></td><td>6.50</td></tr><tr><td>NSIC Rc 222</td><td>4.00</td><td>341.33</td></tr><tr><td>NSIC Rc 436</td><td></td><td>66.78</td></tr><tr><td>NSIC Rc 480</td><td></td><td>55.88</td></tr><tr><td>NSIC Rc 508</td><td></td><td>111.30</td></tr><tr><td>NSIC Rc 512</td><td>2.00</td><td>85.22</td></tr><tr><td>NSIC Rc 514</td><td></td><td>6.30</td></tr><tr><td>PSB Rc 18</td><td></td><td>7.80</td></tr><tr><td>S.Total---</td><td></td><td>6.00</td><td>687.51</td></tr></table>	Province	Variety	Seed Class		F	R	Isabela	NSIC Rc 160		3.00	NSIC Rc 216		3.40	NSIC Rc 218		6.50	NSIC Rc 222	4.00	341.33	NSIC Rc 436		66.78	NSIC Rc 480		55.88	NSIC Rc 508		111.30	NSIC Rc 512	2.00	85.22	NSIC Rc 514		6.30	PSB Rc 18		7.80	S.Total---		6.00	687.51
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b.Technology Demonstration	PLGU Funded. Initiated project of PLGU in collaboration with MLGU Establishment of Technology Demonstration showcasing Direct Seeded Rice with the use of drum seeder and also serve as the learning field.	<p>Established the techno demo field at the two FFS sites at Barangay Pabil, Ramon, Isabela and Malalinta, San Manuel, Isabela. Each techno demo field has an area of 1 ha. wherein the interventions are the different methods of planting like Transplanting and Direct Seeding using mechanical transplanster and mechanical spreader with the application of soil analysis/Balance Fertilization Strategy (BFS). This techno demo field will serve as learning field during the conduct of seasonlong training/Farmers Field School (FFS). This techno demo aims to showcase the affectivity and efficiency of the hybrid rice varieties with different method of planting using farm machineries.</p>																																									

b.1. Technology Demonstration on Rice Production through Farm Mechanization

b.1.1. Season-Long Farmers' Field School




PLGU Funded. Initiated project of PLGU in collaboration with MLGU combination of lectures and hands-on training for farmer-participants to enhance their capacity and farming practices






Seed sowing using seedling tray, Direct Seeding using spreader, Mechanical Transplanting and Farmers Profiling

The team conducted the launching program of the two sites for Mechanized Technology Demonstration on Hybrid Rice Production cum Farmers Field School (FFS) for this Wet Season 2023 held at Barangay Pabil, Ramon, Isabela and Malalinta, San Manuel, Isabela. The Assistant Provincial Agriculturist, Municipal Agriculturist, Municipal Administrator and representative of SL-Agritech Corporation attended and graced the program. A total of 80 participants per site attended in the said program. The seasonlong training/ Farmers Field School (FFS) was designed for 1 cropping season or 16 weeks meeting at half day per session. This is to enhance the capability of the rice farmers in rice production with the promotion of farm mechanization and new technologies.




<p>b.1.2 Provincial Rice Technology Forum (PRTF)</p>	<p>PLGU Funded. Initiated project of PLGU in collaboration with DA-RFO, MLGU and Private Seed Companies</p> <p>A technology showcase in cluster farms of the different hybrid rice varieties and technologies</p>	<div data-bbox="695 190 1382 459"></div> <div data-bbox="756 459 1330 494" data-label="Caption"><p>Launching Program at Brgy.Pabil,Ramon, Isabela</p></div> <div data-bbox="729 567 1357 1042"></div> <div data-bbox="703 1042 1385 1077" data-label="Caption"><p>Launching Program at Brgy. Malalinta San Manuel, Isabela</p></div> <p>The OPA team facilitated and supervised the establishment of the techno demo field at the Provincial Rice Technology Forum (PRTF) site at Barangay San Jose Norte 1, Mallig, Isabela. The techno demo has a total area of 27.2 ha wherein it was planted using the mechanical transplanter. This program aims to showcase the different hybrid rice varieties to determine its adaptability to the locality and yield with the application of company protocol, Balanced Fertilization Strategy (BFS) and promotion of farm mechanization. The team conducted a meeting with the partner technician and other stakeholders for the planning of launching program and discussed the issues and concerns in relation to the implementation of the project/program. The launching program will be conducted on July 7, 2023.</p> <div data-bbox="722 1776 1364 2260"></div>
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<p>c. Good Agricultural Practices (GAP)</p>	<p>PLGU Funded. Initiated project of PLGU in collaboration with MLGU Training on Good Agricultural Practices (GAP) on Rice</p>	<div data-bbox="727 193 1364 672"></div> <p>Conducted meeting, supervision of planting and monitoring of the status of the crops</p> <p>The OPA Team conducted the 2-day training on Good Agricultural Practices (GAP) on Rice at Barangay San Fabian, Echague, Isabela with a total of 20 Participants. The participants were interested and willing to apply for the GAP certification. They were initially evaluated by the team to guide them in preparation for their final evaluation and also in collecting their soil samples as part of their training and one requirement for the GAP application. This training aimed to help the farm owners to maximize yields and optimize business operations while also minimizing production costs and environment impact.</p> <div data-bbox="735 1271 1352 1736"></div> <p>Collection of soil samples and graduation of participants</p>
<p>c . Monitoring of Palay Price</p>	<p>Data collection of prevailing price per kilo of palay from the different commercial centers</p>	<p>Dry: Php20.46/kg Wet: Php17.94/kg</p>



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a. Attendance and participation to Meetings/Symposium																														
b. Program/Project Coordination and validation	For smooth implementation of program/project	Assisted in the Distribution of Seeds through Rice Seeds Monitoring System (RSMS) in the different municipalities/cities of Isabela. As of this month of June, about 90 percent of the total allocations were distributed.																												

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		<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. TREATMENT 1 – Balanced Fertilization Strategy (BFS) which features the use of organic fertilizers based on soil analysis, adopting the Double Row (30 X 80) planting distance, use of BIO-N, BCAs (trichogramma and earwig), use of agro chemicals and POT of corn.2. TREATMENT 2 – Corn Seed Company Technology protocols3. TREATMENT 3 – Corn Silage Production @ 75 – 85 days, and4. TREATMENT 4 – Farmer’s Practice as CONTROL																				
		<div></div> <p>Remarks: Stakeholders’ Meeting was held on June 27, 2023 @ OPA Conference Room, Capitol, City of Ilagan, Isabela attended by National Agencies (DA-RFO2, DA-CVRC/RCPC) CLGU, OPA Office and private partners from the Corn Seed and Agro Chemical Companies. IPCD project launching was agreed to be held on July 12, 2023 and discussed other concerns needed in the said launching program at Covered Court, Cabisera #2, San Antonio, City of Ilagan, Isabela.</p>																				


<p>4. Sustainable Corn Production in Sloping Areas (SCOPSA) cum Farmers Field School (FFS) Season 1,Wet Cropping Season 2023</p>	<p>Technology Demonstration for the control of soil erosion in hilly/sloping areas cultivated to corn with the Seasonlong on-site Farmers' Field School (FFS) targeting 30 prospective farmer participants to be educated on corn production using the demo site as the learning field.</p>	<p>SCoPSA and HIT TECHNOLOGY DEMONSTRATION WITH FARMERS' FIELD SCHOOL PROJECT IN THE PROVINCE OF ISABELA FOR WET CROP SEASON 2023</p> <p>SCoPSA Demo with Farmers' Field School (FFS) DISTRICT-I</p> <p>1. Cabagan, Isabela</p> <p>Cooperator : 1. Rolando B. Gonzales, Sr. 2. Florentino Pascua 3. Cornelio C. Ossao</p> <p>Location : Masipi East, Cabagan, Isabela</p> <p>Area : Two (2.0) hectares</p> <p>EcoZone : Hilly</p> <p>Slope : 25% slope</p> <p>Date Established : June 14, 2023</p>  <p>Remarks: Schedule of profiling of 30 prospective farmer-participants prior to the conduct of Launching Program will be on July, 2023.</p> <p>DISTRICT - IV</p> <p>2. Cordon, Isabela</p> <p>Cooperator : Jeanraytopher D. Lanila</p> <p>Location : Dallao, Cordon, Isabela</p> <p>Area : Two (2.0) hectares</p> <p>EcoZone : Hilly</p> <p>Slope : 25% slope</p> <p>Date Established : June 3, 2023</p> <p>Corn Variety Used : NK-8840</p>  <p>Remarks: Profiling of 30 prospective farmer-participants for SCoPSA with Seasonlong on-site Farmers' Field School (FFS) project in the community this Wet Crop Season 2023 is currently conducting, for now at least 24 corn farmers have been profiled, 19 of them are males ages from 28 to 54, while 3 of them are females ages from 32 to 49 years old. Remaining 6 farmers to be included in the list of participants will be worked out by project focal of LGU-</p>
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		<p>Cordon, Isabela. Launching for the project is tentatively scheduled on the 2nd week of July, 2023.</p> <p>DISTRICT-VI</p> <p>3. Echague, Isabela</p> <p>Cooperator : Brgy. Captain Victoria Saclayan.</p> <p>Location : San Carlos, Echague, Isabela</p> <p>Area : Two (2.0) hectares</p> <p>EcoZone : Hilly</p> <p>Slope : 35% slope</p> <p>Date Established : June 2023</p> <p>Corn Variety Used : NK-6414</p>  <p>Remarks: Profiled 27 interested corn farmers out of 30 target farmers for the Seasonlong on-site Farmers' Field School (FFS) in the barangay this Wet Crop Season 2023. 3 remaining farmers will be profiled by next travel. Launching for the project is tentatively scheduled on the 3rd week of July, 2023.</p> <p>HIT Demo with Farmers' Field School (FFS)</p> <p>DISTRICT-I</p> <p>4. Sta. Maria, Isabela</p> <p>Cooperator : Jhonny L. Vinarao</p> <p>Location : Villa Buena, Sta. Maria, Isabela</p> <p>Area : One (1.0) hectare</p> <p>EcoZone : Broadplain</p> <p>Date Established : June 30, 2023</p>  <p>Remarks: Late crop establishment due to intermittent rainfall to the area brought by dry weather condition.</p>
<p>5. High Innovative Technology (HIT) cum Farmers Field School (FFS) Season 1, Wet Cropping Season 2023</p>	<p>Technology Demonstration showcasing Double Row planting method, using Jabber Planter , BCAs, BIO-N and Package of Technology on Corn Production in the broad plain areas with Seasonlong on-site Farmers' Field School (FFS) targeting 30 prospective corn farmer= participants on corn production using the demo site as the learning field.</p>	

<p>6. Corn Production Enhancement Project (CPEP)</p>	<p>CPEP is under the Corn Banner program of the Department of Agriculture and shall cover yellow corn and starts on the first cropping of CY 2023 in priority corn production areas. It is a cluster organization (FCA) approach where cluster members are to be the beneficiaries of corn seeds and inorganic fertilizers.</p> <p>The program aimed to increase the grain yield per hectare from 3.07MT/ha to 5.0MT/ha for yellow corn and 2.03 MT/ha to 4.0MT/ha for white corn in close coordination and partnership with PLGUs/LGUs, active corn cluster and lending conduit, farmer cooperatives/ associations as well as other financing institutions.</p>	<p>30,390.00 hectares or 21% of a total production area of the province was programmed under Corn Production Enhancement Project (CPEP) for the Wet Crop Season 2023, this is equivalent to 60,780 bags of GMO Hybrid Corn Seeds and 30,390 bags of Urea and Complete Fertilizer.</p> <p>Distribution Scheme will be 2 bags corn hybrid seeds per hectare plus 1 bg each of urea and complete fertilizer PER GUIDELINES OF THE PROJECT.</p> <p>Distribution of the said CPEP Farm Inputs to corn farmers are now on-going through the Office of the Municipal Agriculturist in LGUs province wide. DA-RFO2 with their Area Monitors are visiting MLGUs/CLGUs in the province to get the partial copy of accomplished masterlist of CPEP recipients or even soft copy of it for them to do the encoding for region's rate of accomplishment, per assessment as of to date still below 50%.</p> <p>Hard copies of masterlist they have received/collected from MLGUs will be returned back to OMA/OPA Offices for MAs and PAs signatures.</p> 
<p>7. Training of Trainers (TOT) on Corn Cluster Development</p>	<p>Corn Clustering and Consolidation is one of the key strategies in modernizing the industry. It aims to increase production of quality corn for human consumption, feeds and industrial uses, as well as empower the stakeholders to increase their income, thereby by improving their quality of life.</p>	<p>There were 19 Agricultural Extension Workers (AEWs) and 17 member-representatives of an active FCAs from selected LGUs in the 4 provinces of region 2 who were invited for the 5-day Training of Trainers on Corn Cluster Development on June 19-23, 2023 at ATI-RTC 02, San Mateo, Isabela. It aimed to equip the knowledge and skills of the participants in the preparation of Corn Cluster Development Plan.</p> 

<p>8. Organization and Strengthening of Farmer Cooperatives/Associations.</p>	<p>Administrative Order No. 27 on August 2, 2020 for “Establishing the Farm and Fisheries Clustering and Consolidation (F2C2) Program Towards Greater Inclusive Agri-Business Development in the Country”.</p>	<p>Farmer’s Association named TIMPUYOG TI SAMADI SCoPSA FARMER’S ASSOCIATION (TISACOFA) of San Pedro, San Mariano, Isabela is a new organization organized by the corn team and DA-IDU Region 2 on April 27, 2023, the group of farmers are active beneficiaries of the 2-year project initiative of PGI-OPA on Sustainable Corn Production in Sloping Areas (SCoPSA) which terminated last April Dry Crop Season 2022-2023. The program’s goal is to organize the group of farmer-graduates of SCoPSA with Season-long Farmers’ Field School (FFS) batches of seasons 1,2,3 and 4 in support to Farm and Fisheries Clustering and Consolidation (F2C2) program.</p> <p>Said Association is now moving to DA Region to finally submit complete pertinent documents with attached Endorsement Letter of the Isabela Provincial Governor for their intent to be accredited by the Department of Agriculture in the implementation of Agri-Fishery programs and projects in the region in consonance with the Provincial –Led Agriculture and Fishery Extension Services through Farm and Fisheries Clustering and Consolidation (F2C2) Program.</p> 
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III. HIGH VALUE COMMERCIAL CROPS DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM																																															
A. Operation and Maintenance of Provincial Nursery	<p>PLGU initiated. Production of assorted vegetable seedlings for distribution to farmers.</p> <p>PLGU initiated. Production of sexually propagated fruit trees.</p>	<p>Produced a total of 11,193 pieces assorted vegetable seedlings which were distributed to 28 walkin-clients also, distributed 338 packs of assorted vegetable seeds to 9 farmers.</p> <p>Distributed 165 pieces of assorted fruit tree seedlings to 14 farmer recipients and maintenance of produced 2,000 pieces of assorted fruit tree seedlings. Maintenance of the seed nuts from the Philippine Coconut Authority under the expanded PCA response to Covid 19 program.</p> <p>Continues production of assorted vegetable and fruit tree seedlings, Production of vermi compost and production of assorted vegetables for seed purposes. Hauled carbonized rice hull, animal manure and madre cacao leaves for vermicast production at Cabagan and San Pablo, Isabela.</p> <div></div>																																													
B. Monitoring of Planting		<p>Conducted monitoring of planting reports within the whole province.</p> <p>SUMMARY OF HVCC STANDING CROP As of June 21, 2023</p> <table><tr><th>Commodity</th><th>Seedlings stage Newly Transplanted (ha)</th><th>Vegetative (ha)</th><th>Reproduc tive/ Maturity (ha)</th><th>Total</th></tr><tr><td>Ampalaya</td><td>30.53</td><td>84.93</td><td>151.90</td><td>267.36</td></tr><tr><td>Eggplant</td><td>43.02</td><td>112.09</td><td>177.94</td><td>333.05</td></tr><tr><td>Tomato</td><td>30.22</td><td>72.28</td><td>120.12</td><td>222.62</td></tr><tr><td>Pole sitao</td><td>29.43</td><td>93.96</td><td>206.60</td><td>329.98</td></tr><tr><td>Okra</td><td>21.98</td><td>71.00</td><td>155.34</td><td>248.32</td></tr><tr><td>Upo</td><td>16.31</td><td>76.78</td><td>145.54</td><td>238.63</td></tr><tr><td>Squash</td><td>16.20</td><td>77.28</td><td>137.67</td><td>231.15</td></tr><tr><td>Pepper</td><td>13.24</td><td>56.29</td><td>120.13</td><td>189.66</td></tr></table>	Commodity	Seedlings stage Newly Transplanted (ha)	Vegetative (ha)	Reproduc tive/ Maturity (ha)	Total	Ampalaya	30.53	84.93	151.90	267.36	Eggplant	43.02	112.09	177.94	333.05	Tomato	30.22	72.28	120.12	222.62	Pole sitao	29.43	93.96	206.60	329.98	Okra	21.98	71.00	155.34	248.32	Upo	16.31	76.78	145.54	238.63	Squash	16.20	77.28	137.67	231.15	Pepper	13.24	56.29	120.13	189.66
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C. Meetings/Trainings, Workshops and other activities attended/conducted		Winged Bean	1.49	13.05	43.05	57.59
		Sponge Gourd	4.25	13.49	54.64	72.38
		Assorted Vegetable Total	206.67	671.15	1,312.93	2,190.74
		Root crops	35.45	45.22	60.81	141.48
		Banana	895.00	2,228.38	5,127.10	8,250.48
		Citrus	37.54	109.20	757.33	904.07
		Pineapple	46.55	300.94	350.89	698.38
		Mango	342.53	1,213.83	1,847.60	3,403.95
		Cacao	0.30	84.51	51.56	136.37
		Coffee	4.00	8.62	57.53	70.15
		Mungbean	371.20	3.75	963.59	1,338.54
		Watermelon/Melon	19.00	5.00	19.67	43.67
		Papaya	0.50	1.20	6.60	8.30
		Guyabano	1.50	15.50	32.00	49.00
		Peanut	15.00	3.20	29.97	48.17
		Red Onion	0.80	1.40	-	2.20
		Yellow Onion	-	-	2.21	2.21
		Total	1,976.03	4,691.90	10,619.78	17,287.71
		- The Field day of the FFS seasonlong training on mango production was attended by SB Member Delfin Bagunu, Committee on Agriculture, the team from the Office of the Provincial Agriculturist headed by Dr. Marites E. Frogoso, DA-CVRC represented by Ms. Jessica I. Bernardo, Agriculture Technician I, staff of the Municipal Agriculture Office, participants of the 5-month long training and guests from the VetMate chemical company.				
						
		- The Consultative Meeting for the Regional Bantay Presyo Monitoring Team (RBPMT) and Local Price Coordinating Council (LPCC) was attended by the following: Representatives from the Bureaus of Animal and Plant Industry, National Food Authority, National Meat Inspection Services, Sugar Regulatory Administration, Bureau of Fisheries and Aquatic Resources, Philippine Statistics Authority, Office of the Provincial Agriculturist of Isabela, Nueva Vizcaya, Cagayan and Quirino, SCRC, NVES, IAPTC, AMAD and the host DA RFO 02.				
		Sir Roberto C. Busania presented the overview of the activity followed by the presentation on the cost structure of various commodities by Mr. Arjie B. Baquiran, price trend analysis of agricultural commodities in Region 02 and lastly updates re: RBPMT by the attached agencies respectively BAI, BPI, BFAR, SRA, NFA, PSA, NFA and NMIS.				

		<p>During the presentation of updates by the attached agencies, it was agreed that the respective agencies must use the same or standard template being presented by Mr. Baquiran where it will be used in the next schedule meeting. It was also raised and suggested that the price trend analysis should be disseminated to every concerned municipalities as a guide in planting for regular and off season and prevent the oversupply or surplus of produce which leads to low farm gate and retail prices.</p> <div></div> <p>- Assisted/facilitated in the educational tour of the Seasonlong Farmers' Field School at Laoag, Ilocos Norte being sponsored by LGU Cabagan. The objective of the educational tour was to equip the participants with additional knowledge in Mango Production Practices up to processing of mango fruits, from the Mango King himself, Mr. Ricardo Tolentino. Mr. Tolentino welcomed the group in his processing center, where the process in producing their export quality dried mango products was demonstrated.</p> <div></div> <p>- In collaboration with the Municipal Agriculture Office of Cabagan was the culmination of the Seasonlong Farmers' Field School on Mango Production with 35 farmer graduates. The graduation ceremony took place at the Bgry.Hall of Cubag, Cabagan, Isabela and was graced by the Municipal Mayor of Cabagan, Hon. Christopher A. Mamauag, SB Member/ Committee on Agriculture, Hon. Delfin Bagunu and APCO of DA-CVRC, Engr. Willian V. Contillo. It was also attended by the OPA Asst.Deparatment Head,Sir. Sergio T. Galamgam, Municipal Agriculturist of Cabagan, Mr. Reynold M. Gumiran, EnP.</p>
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The 4-month training launched last February 17, 2023 and ended with the recently conducted Mango Field Day last June 9, 2023. The activities of this training were composed of series of lectures (technology transfer), hands-on demo and an educational tour on mango production which was held at Laoag, Ilocos Norte.









- Attended the Stakeholders Consultation Meeting held at Nueva Vizcaya, Experiment Station (NVES) at Tapaya, Bagabag, Nueva Vizcaya. This consultation meeting was conducted by Philippine Rural Development Program - Regional Project Coordination Office 02 (PRDP- RPCO 02) I-Plan Component. The meeting was attended by 28 farmers/stakeholders from the municipalities identified as onion producing municipalities in Isabela namely; Ramon, Roxas and Mallig, Isabela together with the Onion FCAS in Nueva Vizcaya. The consultation aimed to consult the onion stakeholders in the provinces of Region II for the correctness of the previous data gathered and to gather additional inputs for the proposed interventions based on the identified constraints, to describe the competitiveness vision of the industry and to solicit the recommendation for overall result of the onion industry.



- Monitored the status of vegetable seeds/seedlings distributed to BROEd Scholars. Most of the distributed seedlings had already bear fruits and harvested by the beneficiaries. Simultaneously, OPA staffs together with the staff of LGU-Delfin Albano validated the 1000 sqm. area intended for the Halina't Magtanim ng Prutas at Gulay (HAPAG) project of the province, where each municipality will be awarded assorted vegetable seeds and seedlings.

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IV. FISHERY DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM AND SERVICES		
A. Volume of Provincial Fish Production	Consolidation of fish production report from various fishery resources (freshwater and marine)	<div><div><div>Fishpond – 725.345 MT</div><div>Fishcage – 129.921 MT</div><div>CBWs – 262.280 MT</div><div>SWIP – 23.999 MT</div><div>Marine – 161.253 MT</div></div><div><div>Summary:</div><div>Municipal – 879.264 MT</div><div>Aquaculture – <u>423.533 MT</u></div><div>TOTAL – 1,302.797 MT</div></div></div> <div></div>
1. Production Support Services 1.1. Fisheries production and dispersal at San Pablo Freshwater Fish Farm, San Pablo, Isabela	Operation and management of existing fishery facilities to support the province's requirements for fish stocks	<div><div>- Conducted routinary farm activities such as monitoring, feeding, cleaning, gardening and mending of fish nets.</div><div>No. of fingerlings dispersed - 193,000 pcs.</div><div>Fishpond - 85,000 pcs</div><div>SWIP - 28,000 pcs</div><div>CBW- 80,000 pcs.</div><div>No. of beneficiaries -12</div><div>Area of Fishpond - 1.7 ha.</div></div> <div></div> <div><div></div></div>
2. Pond Based Technology Demonstration Project cum Fisherfolk Field School	A season long activity showcasing semi-intensive polyculture technology demonstration project which aims to increase production and income of fisherfolk	<div><div>- The Pond Based Semi-Intensive Polyculture Technology Demonstration Project cum Fisherfolk Field School (FFS) aimed to showcase existing and adoptable technologies in aquaculture towards increase production and income of fisherfolk.</div><div>Twenty (20) fisherfolk participants were targeted for the season-long activity. The project commenced on June 09, 2023 with setting-up of rules and guidelines in the operation of the project.</div><div>It was followed by group formation necessary in the</div></div>

		<p>performance of group activities. Lecture, discussion and demonstration on pond preparation was conducted and application of organic fertilizer (vermicast) through broadcast method was done to promote production of natural food (planktons) before stocking of tilapia fingerlings. Brief introduction on the Basic Biology of Tilapia and Hito were conducted to familiarize the participants on tilapia and hito available or existing in the market and in the locality, moreover, sex differentiation and identification of male and female tilapia which is very significant in hatchery operation. On June 23, 2023, one thousand seven hundred (1,750) pieces tilapia fingerlings size 14 were stocked at the pond based project headed by group 2. The fingerlings were acclimatized for 15 minutes prior to stocking to avoid thermal shock. The fingerlings were sourced out from the accredited hatchery farm at San Mateo, Isabela. On June 30, 2023, The following topics were presented and discussed with the participants: Tilapia Hatchery Management, Tilapia Sex Reverse Technique and Fish Health Management. Fin clipping of fish were also demonstrated.</p> <div></div>
3. Training on Fishing Gear Construction and Distribution	To strengthen Fisherfolk Association by provision of fishing gears as livelihood assistance and training to equip them with knowledge and skills. The project was initiated by OPA-PGI and BFAR R02.	<p>- The Provincial Government of Isabela through the Office of the Provincial Agriculturist in collaboration with DA-Bureau of Fisheries and Aquatic Resources (BFAR) RO2 conducted a Training on Fishing Gears Construction and Fishing Gears Distribution (Multiple Handline & Troll Line) to the marginalized fisherfolk beneficiaries and associations at Dinapigue, Isabela. The training aimed to strengthen fisherfolk organizations/associations for</p>

4. Training on Hatchery and Grow-out Management of Tilapia

To enhance knowledge and skills of fisherfolk in the operation of livelihood project on fisheries

their active involvement in various fishery programs and to enhance the skills of fisherfolk participants on fishing gear construction and provision of fishing gears to participating associations. Part of the training conducted were:

- Overview of Training and Orientation on Different Types & Uses of Fishing Gears
- Orientation on Municipal Payao Ordinance and Payao Zonation
- Hands-on Training on Fishing Gear Construction
- Awarding of Fishing Gears
- No. of Fishing Gears Distributed: 20 troll lines, 20 multiple handline (PGI) and counterpart of (BFAR) 40 troll lines and 50 squid jiggers








- Coordinated two 2-day training in selected participating municipalities.
- The 2-day training on Tilapia Grow-out and Hatchery Management was conducted by OPA Fisheries Team at San Pablo Freshwater Fish Farm, San Pablo, Isabela on June 21-22, 2023 to capacitate and enhance knowledge and skills of fisherfolk participants and farm workers in the management





and operation of fishery projects. It was attended by 30 fisherfolk participants and stakeholders. The activities conducted were lectures/discussions on the basic biology of tilapia, pond preparation, fertilization, stocking and feeding management. Computation of average body weight of fish stocks to determine feeding ration and identification of male and female tilapia was demonstrated through hands on method.



<p>B. Support to other Agri- Fishery Programs and Projects</p> <p>1. Attendance to Season Long Training on Red Tilapia Breeding and Hatchery Management</p>	<p>The training aimed to educate Fisheries Technician in breeding and grow-out culture and management of Red Tilapia in freshwater ponds.</p>	<p>- The OPA Fisheries Technical Staff had attended the Seasonlong Activity to capacitate technical staff in various technologies in fishery.</p> <div data-bbox="924 354 1549 594">  </div> <div data-bbox="987 612 1482 983">  </div> <p>2. Attendance to Fisherfolk Assembly</p> <p>To disseminate information and updates on fishery industry</p> <p>- The OPA Fisheries Staff had attended the Fisherfolk Assembly on June 07, 2023. The assembly meeting was initiated by BFAR RO2 and it was attended by Fishery Coordinators and Fishery Technicians from different municipalities of the province. The assembly meeting highlighted on the following issues and concerns;</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Road Map of Tilapia Industry - Investment Opportunities in Fisheries - Briefing on Good Aquaculture Practices and - PCIC Fisheries Insurance Program <div data-bbox="924 1438 1549 1720">  </div> <div data-bbox="924 1749 1549 2032">  </div>
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	<p>To promote women self-worth; bring-out the right to influence change for themselves and others; to produce vegetable seedlings as source of livelihood for their family; and make a way for them to achieve productivity through provision of vegetable seeds and seedlings as start-up enterprise/livelihood project.</p>	<p>The OPA through RBO program conducted “Agri-Entrepreneurship Development Training on Plant Nursery Management for Rural Women’s Group” held at Barangay Lingligay Gamu, Isabela. There were thirty-five (35) RIC Members attended from different barangays of Gamu on the said training. Likewise, same training conducted for the newly organized group of women at Brgy. Minanga, San Pablo, Isabela as officially enrolled /masterlisted the so called Rural Improvement Club(RIC) organization in the agriculture and fishery sector in the province</p> <p>GAMU</p> <div></div> <p>SAN PABLO</p> <p>Conducted field evaluation and monitoring of projects of the regional winner for outstanding Rural women Ms.Thelma Alabon at Brgy. Del Pilar, San Mariano, Isabela together with the DA-Regional evaluation team led by Ms. Gemma Bagunu, GAD Focal of the DA-RF02.</p> <div></div>																											

Search for Outstanding Rural Women	To strengthening of Women organization	<p>Conducted 2nd provincewide quarterly meeting with Municipal RIC Coordinators on organization of new enrollees, reorganization and strengthening of Women organization from 29 municipalities of the province. Topic discussed were the following:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Submission of RIC Enrolment2. Updating of Livelihood Projects3. Search for Outstanding Rural Women Cy-20234.Trainings to be Conducted 												
VI. Young Farmer Organization (4H Club)	To encourage more youth/young farmers to participate in the program in support to their livelihood undertakings	<p>The office extended assistance for the enrolment/ registration and strengthening of 4-H members / organization for submission to DA-ATI RTC 02 and for SEC registration to DA Central Office</p> <table><tr><th>Name of Municipalities involved</th><th>No. of Clubs</th><th>Total Membership</th></tr><tr><td>4-H Angadanan</td><td>11</td><td>312</td></tr><tr><td>4-H San Mariano</td><td>8</td><td>684</td></tr><tr><td>Total</td><td>19</td><td>996</td></tr></table> <p>Supervised and manned in the establishment of peri-urban gardening project of the 4-H Club organization of Gamu. The said project was awarded to the 4Hers Isabela province through worth of project given by DA-ATI R02, Malasin, San Mateo, Isabela as a reward for being the over-all champion during the Regional 4H Youth Summit CY-2022</p> <p>Conducted 2nd provincial 4-H Consultative Meeting and Planning Workshop, agenda discussed were the following:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Submission of 4-H Enrollees/Masterlist2. Regional 4-H Summit Program and its preparation3. Updating of Livelihood Projects	Name of Municipalities involved	No. of Clubs	Total Membership	4-H Angadanan	11	312	4-H San Mariano	8	684	Total	19	996
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VII. Provincial Agriculture and Fishery Council (PAFC)		<p>Attended Agricultural and Fisheries Council Joint Meeting held at Saint Jerome’s Parish Multi-Purpose Cooperative Hall, San Geronimo, Bagabag, Nueva Vizcaya in preparation to the forthcoming 2023 Luzon Congress of which Region 02 will be the host for this year. Engr. Melanie Medrano, AFC Regional Coordinator presided the meeting together with the PCAF area coordinator Ms. Cyrille Uy Dancel where they presented the program activities to be undertaken during the said Luzon Congress. Present during the meeting were the PAFC Chairpersons and Coordinators of Cagayan, Isabela, Nueva Vizcaya, and Quirino respectively.</p> <div></div> <p>The Philippine Council for Agriculture Fisheries (PCAF) conducted the Luzon Congress held at NGN Hotel, Tuguegarao City on June 21-23,2023 with the theme, “Empowering AFCs: Enhancing Adaptability to the Ever- Changing Agriculture and Fisheries State Toward Food Security and Improved Productivity,” the event gathered over</p>

		<div>150 Provincial and Regional AFC Chairpersons and Coordinators, and Regional Executive Officers from Cordillera Administrative Region (CAR), Ilocos Region, Cagayan Valley, Central Luzon, CALABARZON, MIMAROPA, and Bicol Region.</div> <div></div> <div></div>
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