



The Present Status on World Shrimp Production and Market: Challenges and Trends

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Wild-catch certification



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- Charitable organization founded in 2009 to pursue education and applied research
- Knowledge sharing through online educational modules and Community Platform with 750 members
- Applied research projects:



Infectious salmon anemia, Chile

Early mortality syndrome, Vietnam 10 15 20 25 30 Time (s)

Electroencephalograph for fish welfare



Revitalizing black tiger shrimp farming



Conserving hammerhead sharks in ETP



Present Status of Global Shrimp Production



Courtesy of Gorjan Nikolik, Rabobank GOAL 2022 in Seattle







Source: Rabobank, FAO, Robins McIntosh, CP Foods, GOAL Survey 2022

Note* Other Americas include Mexico, Honduras, Peru, Venezuela, Brazil, Guatemala, Nicaragua, Colombia, Costa Rica, Cuba, Panama, Note* Other Asia include Bangladesh, Myanmar, Brunei, Japan, South Korea, Taiwan, Philippines, Malaysia, Saudi Arabia and Iran







Ecuador's shrimp industry is the fastest growing major aquaculture industry in the world





















Driven by Ecuador Americas shrimp production set to reach 2 million MT in 2023



Source: Rabobank, FAO, GOAL Survey 2022 Other Americas* Colombia, Costa Rica, Cuba, Panama,



Rabobank





Note: 2010 - FAO Data, 2011 to 2019 - Manoj Sharma, Industry Expert, 2020 to 2023 - GOAL Data Note* Others include Giant river prawn, Indian white prawn, Penaeus shrimps nei, River prawns nei



Rabobank



Vietnamese shrimp production seems to have slowed down considerably since 2020













Asia: Shrimp supply to decline slightly in 2022 (first decline since 2013) but growth will resume in 2023 to reach nearly 4m MT



Source: Rabobank, FAO, Robins McIntosh, CP Foods, GOAL Survey 2022 Note* All Others include Bangladesh, Myanmar, Brunei, Japan, South Korea, Taiwan, Philippines, Malaysia, Saudi Arabia and Iran







Production Summary: Optimistic outlook for 2023 Why is Ecuador booming, while others are flat?

Region	CAGR 2010-2020	2021 expected	2022 expected	2023 expected
India	19.2%	11.2%	-4.7%	3.5%
<mark>Ecuador</mark>	<mark>13.6%</mark>	<mark>40.9%</mark>	<mark>18.4%</mark>	<mark>14.4%</mark>
Vietnam	10.9%	1.5%	0.7%	0.6%
China	-1.0%	6.8%	-0.8%	9.5%
Indonesia	10.2%	5.2%	3.5%	6.2%
Thailand	-3.7%	6.2%	2.3%	4.0%
Brazil	-0.9%	2.4%	5.0%	6.1%
Total	5.6%	11.5%	4.2%	7.0%

Source: Rabobank, 2022





Ecuador's Remarkable Solution to WSSV

- After the catastrophic WSSV outbreak of 1999, Ecuadorian farms were unable to control WSSV through biosecurity.
- A few tenacious hatcheries attempted selective breeding. It took several years to see results.
- The approach was simple. Select the best survivors from production ponds and use them as breeders in the hatchery.





Ecuador's Shrimp Performance Gains

2013

- 0.9 g/week at 10/m2
- 2 cycles/yr of 150-200 days
- 1,100–1,400 kg/ha
- FCR 1.9-2.0

2021

- 2.0 g/week at 20/m2
- 3 cycles/yr of 100-120 days
- 3,200 4,100 kg/ha
- FCR 1.5-1.6







Joao Rocha, the geneticist for Ecuador's largest hatchery



Ecuador's steady growth has inspired huge investment



- Massive and sophisticated feed mills (extrusion)
- Value added processing to access the new markets





Many Improvements at Farms

- Greatly improved feeds and feeding efficiency using autofeeders
- Higher stocking densities, nursery systems, aeration, recirculation.
- Improved water quality management
- Improved bottom soil management and bioremediation protocols





Asia's Remarkable Solution to WSSV

- In 2000, SPF *L. vannamei* were introduced to Asia from breeding programs in the US.
- *L. vannamei* rapidly became the dominant global species
- By 2010, global production of shrimp had quadrupled
- Continued breeding further improved growth, disease resistance, and fecundity





Asia's increasing control, but not enough

- Basic pond designs have changed little in 40 years
 - 0.5 ha earthen, flat bottom, paddlewheel aeration
 - 5-10 mt/ha/cycle
 - Moderate biosecurity and sustainability
- Continuing challenge
 - Chronic disease issues and volatile survival







Intensive L. vannamei Tank Farms

- New generation of tank farms
 - Round tanks of 500-1,000 m2 with steel frame and plastic liners of 1 mm
 - Stocking densities of 100-500/m2
- Strong biosecurity
- SPF broodstock bred for fast growth
- Use of automatic feeders and aeration





Minh Phu Production Data

- Nursery:
 - 230 m3 round tanks
 - Stock PL10 and harvest 1g in 30 days
- Growout
 - 1000 m3 round tanks
 - Stocking density: 300-500/m2
 - Partial harvest of 16g at 60 days and 25g at 80 days
 - Final harvest of 50 g at 110-115 days
 - 4 cycles per year
 - Yields of 200-400 mt/ha/year







Market Trends





Market supply of farmed vannamei shrimp Global Market of 4.58 million MTLSE growing at 7.6% ('18-'21)

Supply of farmed Vannamei (MT LSE)



Source: Kontali – Shrimp Market models

KONTALI

Systemizing the world of aquaculture and fisheries



How to gain market access? Consumer Trust







AP Investigation: Slaves may have caught the fish you bought

March 24, 2015



BAP market endorsers supporting four pillars of sustainability

3rd party certification has become mainstream



Food Safety

Assurance that no banned antibiotics or other chemicals are used and that all approved chemical treatments are carried out in a responsible fashion.

Social Responsibility

Adherence to local laws & international norms for worker health & safety, fair labor practices and community empowerment.

Environmental Responsibility

Compliance with standards that address important issues like habitat conservation, water quality and effluent control.

Animal Health & Welfare

Best practices in animal husbandry, addressing issues such as disease control, stocking density & harvesting.

BAP is comprehensive, benchmarked







Principal Features

COMPREHENSIVE

	All Encompassing Standard		
	Farm		
	Hatchery		
	Feed Mill		
	Processing Plant		
	Issues Addressed		
	Environmental		
	Social		
	Food Safety		
	Animal Welfare		
ROVEN			
	Third Party International Benchmarking		
	Global Sustainable Seafood Initiative (GSSI)		
	Global Food Safety Initiative (GFSI)		
	Global Social Compliance Programme (GSCP)		
RUSTED			
	Only 100% Compliance Gains Certification/No Variance		
	Supply Chain Transparency Technology		
	Robust Internal Program Integrity		
	Chain of Custody Verification		
	Mass Balancing Verification		
	Third Party Food Safety, Residue and Effluent Testin		
	Exclusively Seafood		



How can certification reach small farms?





- Global Farmed Seafood Volume
 - 85.3 MMT
- Only 6% is certified
 - BAP: 2.6 MMT
 - ASC: 2.2 MMT
- Small holder farmers produce 80% of the world's food supply
- The majority of aquaculture
 - production comes from small holder
 - farms that lie outside the reach of
 - certification programs



Major Buyers Often Allow for AlPs

- **By 2025**, based on price, availability, quality, customer demand, and unique regulatory environments across our global retail markets, Walmart U.S., Sam's Club, Walmart Canada, Walmart Mexico, and Walmart Central America will require all fresh and frozen, farmed and wild seafood suppliers to source from fisheries who are:
- Third-party certified as sustainable using Marine Stewardship Council (**MSC**) or Best Aquaculture Practices (**BAP**), or certified by a program which follows the FAO Guidelines¹ and is recognized by the Global Sustainable Seafood Initiative (GSSI) as such. For our farmed supply, we expect suppliers to ensure sustainable production and sourcing throughout the supply chain, including final processing plant, farms, hatcheries and feed mills.
- Actively working toward certification or in a Fishery Improvement Project (FIP) or Aquaculture **Improvement Project (AIP)** that has definitive and ambitious goals, measurable metrics, and time bound milestones.



Organize farms into Clusters





Women-managed shrimp cluster in Bangladesh



How to Expand Markets in a Unified Way: How can we expand the market? The Avocado Marketing Story in the US



Mandatory fee: collected by USDA and managed by importers and exporters to expand markets Accurate Data: current and expected volumes from each export country Quality Grading: Inspected and graded as A, B, C

Future Challenges and Directions



Walmart CEO, Doug McMillon

- In 2020, Walmart committed to become a Regenerative Company and achieve zero emissions by 2040
- Other ma & Gambl McDonal similar co
- Produce stringent access.
- Other major companies like Amazon, Procter & Gamble, Kroger, Apple, Google,
- McDonalds, Cargill, and Dannon have made similar commitments
- Producers will be expected to adapt to these
 - stringent demands or risk losing market



Population and Food Demand in 2050

- Population hit 8 billion on Nov 15
- It will reach ~10 billion by 2050
- Per capita consumption is also increasing
- Food demand will increase 50%





World Population

A Fundamental Food Transformation is Needed

- Food production systems already account for about 25% of global GHGe
- To increase food production 50%, we cannot simply expand existing systems without huge climate change impacts as well as:
 - -Biodiversity loss
 - -Soil loss
 - -Habitat destruction
- A fundamental transformation is needed to produce more with less resources





BAP Vanguard Standards

- Climate Action
- Sustainable Feed Ingredients
- RAS Systems
- Raised without Antibiotics
- Biosecurity Area Management







Feeds comprise over 50% of GHG emissions







Carbon Farming and Blue Carbon Farming

- Carbon Farming
 - In 2011 Australia started a <u>cap-and-</u> <u>trade</u> program. Farmers who <u>sequester</u> <u>carbon</u> can sell <u>carbon credits</u> to companies in need of <u>carbon offsets</u>
- Blue Carbon Farming
 - Mangroves
 - Seagrasses
 - Seaweed





Emissions Intensity of shrimp farms





Optimizing intensive shrimp tank design TCRS, The Nature Conservancy, and The Freshwater Institute

- -Area -Depth -Slope -Current velocity -Aeration
- -Lighting



(c)







Reducing Water Use and Managing Effluent

- GSA presented Innovation Award to Werner Jost, AquaScience, Brazil in 2016
 - -21 g in 116 days at 200/m2
 - -Yield: 43 MT/ha
 - -No discharge. Water reused for 5 production cycles using nitrification and denitrification. Ionic balance.







Responsible Shrimp Farming Summit HCMC, Vietnam in July 2023

- Hybrid format
- Topics:
 - -Marketing
 - -Breeding
 - -Carbon emissions
 - -Growout optimization
 - -Improver programs
 - -Sustainable financing
- Tours
 - -Minh Phu intensive tank farm
 - -Traditional black tiger shrimp farms



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Summary

- Global shrimp production is expected to increase from 4.8 to 6.0 MMT in 2023
- Ecuador is booming, based on high survival from all-pathogen-exposed breeding
- Asia is flat and struggling with chronic diseases
- Sustainability is the key to our future and certification has become mainstream
- Food production systems must transform to increase production without worsening climate change
- Intensive tank farms are a promising new technology emerging in Asia
- Improver programs are needed to help millions of small holder shrimp farms
- Join us in person or virtually to dive deeper into these critical issues at the *Responsible Shrimp Farming Summit* in Vietnam next July



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