Supply and Demand Trend of Tropical Fruits in Indonesia



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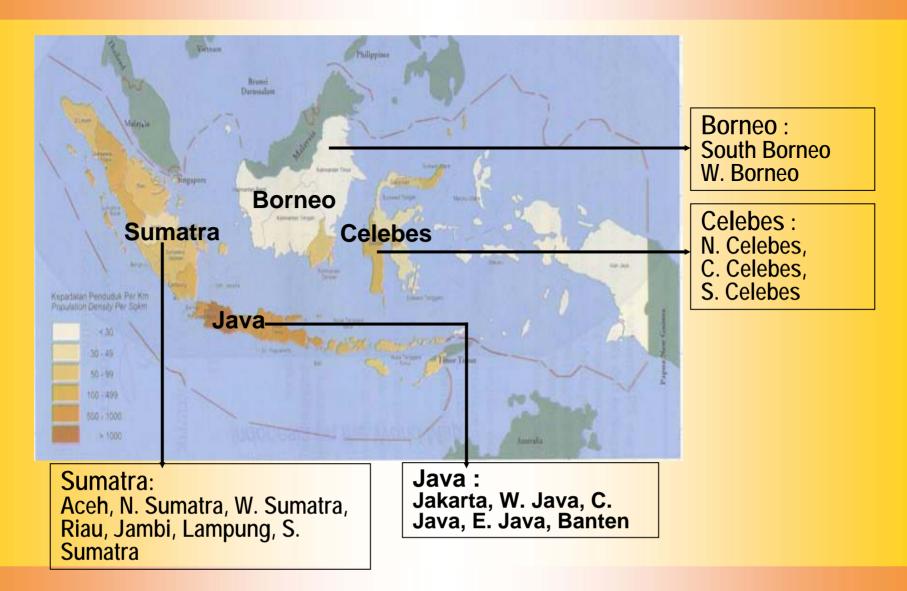
Lying astride the equator in South East Asia Region, Indonesia is one of the tropical countries with wide biological diversity

Archipelagoes



- ✓ Numerous edible fruit species are found over the archipelagoes, offering wide variation of nutritional quality, taste, flavor and seasonal availability.
- ✓Some of fruit species have become commercial, but have not been explored optimally.
- ✓ Recently, market potential of tropical fruits, both for foreign as well as domestic market, increased significantly due to population growth, better living condition, and promotion of international tourism

Main Fruit Production Area



Fruits Production

- The total fruit production of 2001-2005 periods ranged from 9.96 to 14.79 million tons/years, fruits production will increase to be 17.83 million tons in 2009.
- The most fruit produced in Indonesia so far has been banana and next came citrus, mangoes, salacca fruits, and pineapples.
- In 2005, the bananas production reached 5 million tons,
- which of citrus was more than 2 million tons,
- mangoes was more than 1 million tons,
- while that of other fruits was below 1 million tons.
- Fruits having production between 500 thousand 1 million tons/year were salacca fruits, pineapples, jack fruits, rambutan, durian, and papayas;
- those produced between 100-500 thousand tons/year were water melons, avocados, duku, guavas, and rose apples.
- Mangosteen, star fruits, sapodillas, soursops, breadfruits, watermelons, and other minor fruits were produced less than 100 thousand tons/year.

The Most Fruit Produce in Indonesia

1.526,474

928.613

677.089

694.654

815.438

741.831

626.745

455,464

255.957

232.814

239.108

115.210

79.073

455.986

13.551.435

2005

1.437.665

800.975

709.918

710.795

709.857

675.902

732.611

410.195

221.774

146.067

210.320

117.576

62.117

457.161

14.348.456

5.177.608

2.214.020

1.412.884

937.931

925.082

712.693

675.578

566.205

548.657

366.702

227.577

163,389

178.509

110.704

64.711

504.349

14.786.599

Comodities	Production (ton)						
	2001	2002	2003	2004	2		
Bananas	4.300.422	4.384.384	4.177.155	4.874.439			
Citrus	691.433	968.132	1.529.824	2.071.084			

1.402.906

768.015

555.588

536.186

476.941

525.064

605.194

266.904

238.182

208.350

162.120

97,296

62.055

406.200

11.663.517

923.294

681.255

494.968

415.079

350.875

347.118

500.571

240.298

141.703

113.071

137.598

73.302

25.812

522.233

9.959.032

Mangoes

Salacca Fruits

Pineapples

Jack fruits

Rambutan

Durian

Papayas

Avocados

Duku

Guavas

Rose Apples

Mangosteen

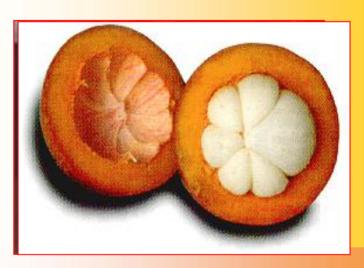
Others

Total

Water melons

Competitiveness of Indonesian Fruits

- Indonesia is not yet categorized into a major exporter of fruits.
- Domestic demand on fruits is still a limiting factor in export.
- In spite of some existing problems faced, agribusiness in Indonesian fruits has strong competitiveness potential with regard to:
 - Species and varieties which are very specific
 - **Different harvesting season from those of other countries**
 - © Relatively low selling price
 - **Mostly organic**



Species & Varieties

- Indonesia has several specific fruit species which have been cultivated well and have very good potential for development.
 - Indonesian salacca fruits is the best in the world, much better than that of other tropical countries.
 - Salacca fruits 'Pondoh' has low tannins content, thus it does not taste astringent though unripe;
 - **J** 'Gula Batu' salacca fruits from Bali has a very sweet taste and 'Sidempuan' Salacca fruits from North Sumatra is big with reddish flesh.





Mangosteen

- Although mangosteen has not been cultivated intensively in Indonesia, it has been a favorite fruit among international communities.
- World's demand on mangosteen cannot be met by Indonesia and Thailand.



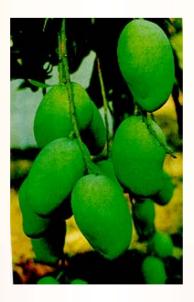




Mangoes

- The varieties of mangoes in Indonesia has been considerably high, but two superior varieties,
- 'Arumanis' and 'Gedong Gincu' are recommended to be developed.
 - 'Arumanis' variety has a very sophisticated taste despite its green peel.
 - **Gedong Gincu' variety, however, has an interesting peel color, nice aroma and taste.**







Rambutan

- Indonesia also has a superior rambutan variety, 'Binjai'.
- The other popular varieties are:
 - **Garuda**
 - **©** Rapiah
 - **Use Lebak Bulus**









Garuda

Binjai

Rapiah

Lebak Bulus

Durian

- Indonesian durian usually has a stronger taste than that of 'Monthong'.
- True durian lovers would choose 'Petruk', 'Sunan', 'Sitokong' or 'Tembaga' durian because of its strong aroma and taste.



Bananas & Duku

- •There are also superior varieties of bananas in Indonesia, which have won an International Banana Contest in Thailand: those of 'Raja Bulu' and 'Tanduk'.
- Duku 'Palembang' form South Sumatra is one of the best duku in Indonesia.







Pineapple



Banana

Harvesting Season

- Other tropical fruit producers in Asia are Thailand, the Philippines, Malaysia, and Vietnam, being in the northern part of the continent and having different wet season from Indonesia.
- Flower induction and then fruit harvesting season are highly dependent on changes in season.
- Due to difference in the beginning of rainy season between Indonesia and the countries mentioned above, fruiting season among most fruits is also different.
- This is a favorable condition as market demand on tropical fruits can be met all year round by the related exporting countries by turns.

Constrains and Problems

- Tropical fruits industry in Indonesia started to develop faster in 1980's though still have several constrain:
 - Limited business scale for fruit orchard
 - Less intensive cultivation
 - Comparison Limited superior varieties
 - Less developed technology
 - Weakness in the information system
 - Low production
 - Limited cargo for export
 - Limited human resources



Constrains & Problems

- Fruit export from Indonesia has been very low as there are only few private enterprises which have a serious interest in fruit orchard development:
 - ☑ Big orchards available (in a limited number) are of seasonal fruits, pineapples and bananas. PT Great Giant Pineapple in Lampung Province has an area of 32.000 ha, PT Nusantara Tropical Fruit Industry has an area of 2000 hectares in Lampung Province, 800 hectares of which is used for bananas plantation.
 - ② As far as annual fruit trees are concerned, so far there have only been mangoes, oranges, durian, rambutan, star fruits, guavas, and salacca fruits cultivated in an agribusiness manner in a relatively wide extent of land.
 - There is not yet any company that extensively cultivates other annual fruit trees such as mangosteen, duku, rose apples, jack fruits and many others.

Constrains & Problems

- The majority of fruit producers are small holder farmers, operating on land less than one hectare, and home-yard.
- In this small holder farmer's fruit orchards and the home-yard, there are several constraints and problems arising. They include those of:
 - **Product standardization**
 - **Quality and quality assurance**
 - Implementation of good cultivation practices
 - **Output** Post-harvest handling
 - **Continuity of supplies**



Quality & Product Standardization

- Currently Indonesia already has a national quality standard for several horticulture commodities, but it so far has only been implemented in export commodities of horticulture.
- This quality standard has not yet been applied in commodities sold in domestic market.
- Fruits sold in supermarkets are subject to a standard set by any related supermarket itself.
- Applying a quality standard nationally helps increase the quality of commodities available in market and thus satisfies consumers, but this will be hard on the farmers' side as with production systems practiced so far, there is no guarantee for commodities produced to reach a particular level of quality.

Food Safety, Sanitary, and Phytosanitary

- In term of food safety, some species of Indonesian fruits are considered safe.
- There are a lot of fruit produced without application of pesticide and thus there will be no pesticide residue found in them.







Good Agriculture Practice (GAP)

- There has been a guideline for implementing Good Agriculture Practices (GAP) and Standard Operation Procedures (SOP) for various existing fruit commodities prepared either by local community, universities, research centers, or by Directorate General of Horticulture.
- However, most farmers have not applied or implemented this GAP yet.





Problems in Fruit Orchard Investment

- There are a few things to be taken into consideration in increasing fruit production in Indonesia, which are among others:
 - Investors being reluctant in investing in fruit orchards;
 - Difficulties in finding areas of land highly suitable for fruit growing as what is available has not been allocated for that purpose;
 - Very little technology used in orchards cultivated by small holder farmers that results in low production and quality of fruit;
 - **Output** Very little incentive encouraging investment in agriculture such as:
 - supply of capital
 - irrigation facilities
 - infrastructures
 - fiscal policies
 - international trading



Fruits Export

- Indonesia was a considerably exporter of bananas (ranging from 70-101 thousand tons/year), but in 2001 export of bananas declined drastically to only 293 tons as a result of *Fusarium* wilt disease. The bananas export increased again in 2005 to be 3.6 thousand tons.
- The export volume of mangosteen has been increasing consistently since 1997. In 2005, the export volume of mangosteen came to 8.5 thousand tons.
- The export volume of fresh citrus reached 1.2 thousand tons making it takes the third position in export volume.
- Those of mangoes, rambutan, melons and water melons were between 300 tons to 1,500 tons,
- while that of papayas and durian were less than 100 tons.
- Pineapples have been exported both fresh and canned. The export volume of canned pineapples from Indonesia has come close to 200 thousand tons, the third biggest in the world

Fresh and Canned Fruits Export from Indonesia 2001-2005 Co

2001

4.868.528

293.715

1.919.703

424.917

2.020.442

399.458

202.934

4.934

13.734

2.602

474.347

156.741.709

2002

6.512.423

1.796.061

1.574.836

3.734.414

487.031

362.637

3.287

84.828

32.052

16.921

89.463

846.442

177.360.782

512.569

Volume (kg)

2003

9.304.511

1.403.781

244.732

584.500

282.300

603.612

187.972

169.049

76.488

21.044

13.707

145.768.692

2.284.432

2004

3.045.379

1.197.495

2.046.221

1.879.664

2.431.263

307.976

134.772

524.686

106.274

5.416

1.643

1.494

167.324.764

2005

8.472.770

3.647.027

1.248.559

964.294

643.716

321.445

60.485

5.121

15.277

2.911

197.975.248

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Mangosteen

Bananas

Mangoes

Melon &

Rambutan

Avocados

Papayas

Guavas

Duku

Durian

Canned

Salacca Fruits

Pineapples

Pineapples

Watermelon

Citrus

Fruits Import

- The volume of imported fruits in Indonesia keeps increasing, it decreased at the beginning of 1998's monetary crisis, but it increased again in the following year becoming even higher in 2005.
- Fruits that have been imported the most are those of temperate and subtropical climate comprising apples, citrus, pears, grapes, dates, longans and lychees.
- Durian has been imported from Thailand since 1997.
- Indonesia has also imported small amount of certain tropical fruits including mangoes, melons, and pineapples; and also kiwi fruits

Commodities

Apples

Citrus

Pears

Grapes

Dates

Longans

Lychees

Durian

Mangoes

Fresh Fruit Import to Indonesia 2001-2005

2001

83.227.620

75.622.339

41.614.193

11.377.741

8.823.051

3.779.662

267.180

Volume (kg)

2003

72.244.642

59.534.727

32.738.462

16.263.778

10.106.381

3.098.939

447.812

2004

115.314.290

95.744.709

74.310.097

38.735.805

10.623.575

11.086.846

688.737

2005

126.972.770

93.430.399

80.395.063

25.330.279

11.524.549

38.640.711

2.039.569

11.351.425

868.692

2002

85.056.682

76.650.280

43.577.212

16.218.263

10.269.010

7.266.934

314.029

Fruits Consumption

- Due to economic crisis in the year of 1997/1998:
 - average fruits consumption per capita in Indonesia decreased from 29,9 kg/capita/year in 1990
 - complete became 18,7 kg/capita/year in 1999,
 - **but increased again to be 29,4 kg/capita/year in 2002 and**
 - 31,6 kg/capita/year in 2005
- The consumption will also increase steadily to be;
 - 32,4; 34,8; 36,5; and 38,4 kg/capita/year respectively in the year of 2006 to 2009







Consumption in 2005

Population: 225 millions people

Fruit consumption/capita: 31,56 kg/year

Total consumption: 7,10 million tons

Production: 14,79 million tons

Available: 8,87 million tons (loss 40%)

Import: 413 thousand tons (5,82% to national consumption)

Export: 272 thousand tons



Fruits Consumption

The major fruits consumed by Indonesian are

- **banana**,
- contraction representation represent
- © citrus,
- © papayas,
- **uku**,
- © durian,
- © salacca fruits,
- contract and mangoes.

Among those fruits,

- banana is the largest; however the growth rate in consumption from 1990 to 2005 showed a negative rate.
- The consumption growth rate of papayas and pineapples was also decreased.
- The highest positive growth rate was shown by citrus, followed by duku, durian, water melon and salacca fruits



		Fruit Co	onsumption				
Fruits	Consumption per Capita (kg/year)						
	1990	1993	1996	1999	2002	2005	
Bananas	13,83	12,58	9,05	8,27	7,80	7,85	
Rambutan	4,78	3,48	2,44	1,98	3,44	4,37	
Citrus	0,88	0,94	1,30	1,20	1,98	2,60	
Papayas	3,12	3,02	2,86	3,12	2,24	2,29	
Duku	1,14	0,16	0,16	0,05	1,82	2,29	
Durian	1,25	0,52	0,52	0,16	0,94	1,61	
Salacca fruits	0,42	0,62	0,20	0,73	0,94	1,20	
Water Melons	0,31	0,47	0,78	0,47	0,83	0,99	
Mangoes	0,42	0,52	2,13	0,26	0,31	0,62	
Apples	0,10	0,21	0,68	0,16	0,62	0,62	
Pineapples	1,09	1,04	0,94	0,68	0,47	0,57	
Avocado	0,26	0,16	0,21	0,26	0,26	0,47	
Jack Fruits	0,99	0,88	0,99	0,42	0,47	0,42	

0,31

0,16

1,97

24,7

0,26

0,31

6.71

29,4

0,26

0,05

0.63

18,7

0,21

0,16

5.33

31,6

0,62

21,0

0,62

0,69

29,9

Rose Apples

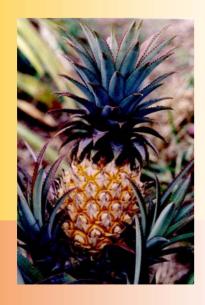
Melon

Total

Others

Share of Fruits Expenditure to Total Expenditure

- Share of fruits expenditure to total expenditures decreased from 2,84 in 2002 to be 2,10 in 2006.
- The highest share was in 2003 that is 2,97%. The share is relatively very low compared to developed countries.
- Expenditure for fruits of urban households is slightly higher then the rural ones.
- There is a positive relationship between income and household expenditure for fruits. The higher household income, more expenditure for fruits.







Share of Fruits Expenditure to Total Expenditure

	2002	2003	2004	2004	2006
Indonesia	2,84	2,97	2,61	2,76	2,10
Rural	2,80	3,04	2,64	3,00	2,10
Urban	2,87	2,92	2,59	2,60	2,04
Income					
Low	2,12	2,34	1,55	1,81	1,48
Medium	2,76	2,84	2,53	2,64	1,89
High	3,07	3,15	2,67	2,79	2,23

Fruit Consumption and Share of Individual Fruit Expenditures to Total Fruit Expenditures in Java Island

- Citrus and banana has the highest per capita consumption.
 This is due to the availability of both fruits in every place in Indonesia along the year.
- However there are some interesting differences of consumption pattern among the fruits:
 - The citrus, papaya and watermelon consumptions are higher in urban rather than in rural area.
 - However banana and salacca fruits consumption is higher in rural compared to urban area. This may be due to the fact that banana and salacca fruits consumption is from own production in rural area

The Consumption Pattern between Income Strata

- The consumption pattern also differs between income strata among the fruits
- The citrus, watermelon and papaya consumption shows a very significant difference between low, middle and high income group:
 - ② Part of citrus are imported from tropical and sub-tropical countries. The citrus price is relatively cheap for citrus from China, but relatively high for citrus from Australia, Thailand and other countries. The high level income group will consume more imported citrus compared to low income one.
- Banana consumption is relatively the same between income groups:
 - Many kinds of banana are available in rural and urban areas where prices vary from the very cheap to relative high prices in both traditional and modern markets.

Fruit Consumption and Share of Individual Fruit **Expenditures to Total Fruit Expenditures in Java Island**

	Java	Rural	Urban	Income				
	Island			Low	Middle	High		
Consumption (kg/cap/year)								
Citrus	2,05	1,40	2,46	0,67	1,84	3,78		
Banana	2,43	3,13	1,94	2,03	2,70	2,87		
Papaya	1,18	0,72	1,48	0,66	1,13	2,04		
Salacca fruits	0,25	0,39	0,31	0,13	0,39	0,57		
Water Melon	0,54	0,50	0,64	0,22	0,65	1,31		
Share to Total Fruits Expenditure								

0,404

0,069

0,067

0,044

0,264

0,098

0,038

0,040

Banana

Papaya

Salacca fruits

Water Melon

0,195

0,112

0,046

0,044

0,451

0,116

0,043

0,039

0,292

0,099

0,067

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Papaya	1,18	0,72	1,48	0,66	1,13	2,04		
Salacca fruits	0,25	0,39	0,31	0,13	0,39	0,57		
Water Melon	0,54	0,50	0,64	0,22	0,65	1,31		
Share to Total Fruits Expenditure								
Citrus	0,387	0,334	0,417	0,291	0,389	0,398		

Price and Expenditures Elasticity

From own price elasticity indicators,

- the demand for fruits is generally inelastic; for citrus, banana and papaya; for all income and education strata.
 - This means that if there is a change in one percent of fruit price, the fruit consumption will change less than one percent

Expenditure elasticity:

- citrus and papayas are generally inelastic in rural and urban area and in all income and education strata
- However banana is generally elastic for all criteria
 - This finding means that household demand for banana is relative sensitive to change in price. This may be due to the fact that banana elasticity is higher because it is available from home production, and several kinds of banana are sold in cheap price.

Price Elasticity Expenditure Elasticity Citrus Banana Papaya Citrus Banana Papaya

-0,6829

-0,5855

-0,7332

-0,959

-0,925

-0,819

-0,9394

-0,9402

-0,7916

0,9352

0,8694

0,9608

0,9329

0,9568

1,0280

0,9200

0,8865

1,0314

1,1174

1,1355

1,1001

1,0757

1,1064

1,1302

1,1417

1,1029

1,0189

0,9486

1,0253

0,9335

1,0059

0,9299

0,7449

0,9389

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-0,8059

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-0,8080

-0,7718

-0,7680

-0,8156

-0,7830

-0,8279

-0,8176

-0,8057

-0,8312

-0,7992

-0,7840

-0,9249

Java Island

Rural

Urban

Income

Medium

Education

Low

High

Low

High

Medium

Price and Expenditures Elasticity of Citrus, Banana, and Papayas

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