



PARTICIPATORY GUARANTEE SYSTEM LESTARI

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PGS LESTARI



As partners working on an EU Switch project on Sustainable Production and Consumption developed standards and PGS Systems for 7 food products in the context of the “Local Harvest” project

- these partners were Hivos, WWF Indonesia, ASPPUK, AMAN, NTFP-EP

By 2021 there were functioning PGS systems at the subdistrict level in 7 areas. There were also guidelines and guidebooks made for each of these systems. The products and areas are the following:

- Forest Honey - Kalimantan
- Ilippe Nut- Kapuas Hulu, West Kalimantan, ,
- Salt - Rembang, Central Java,
- Organic Rice- Nunukan, North Kalimantan,
- Palm Sugar- Southeast Sulawesi,
- Sagu - Meranti, Riau and
- Coffee - South Sulawesi



Geography

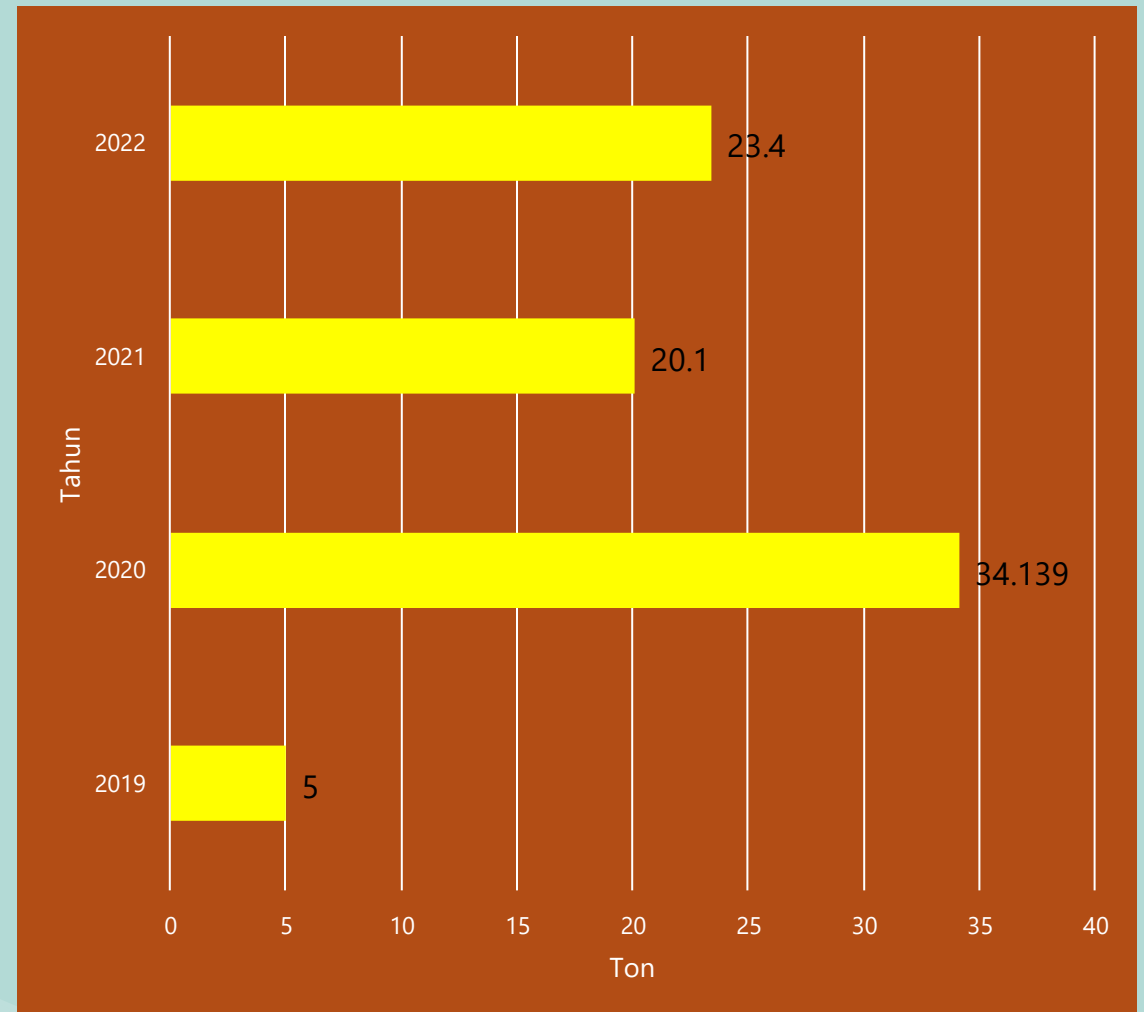
PGS Lestari has made its mark at the sub-district level expanding products to additional 7 food products, improving standards and practices, and coordinating with stakeholders at the local level including government bodies

PGS Lestari is yet to have a national umbrella structure to make its operations effective at national and inter island scale and for any promising developments at international level



**Local
Health
Fair
Sustainable**

Honey Production



Into the Future



It is envisioned to have a **national PGS system to cover especially non-timber forest products and possibly other agroforest products** that are outside the realm of traditional agriculture and, therefore, regulated by other laws and policies on agriculture (right the respective regulation here on the use of the term “organic”).

This system is envisioned to provide proof of traceability, sustainability, and fair trade practice from the local to the international scale on a variety of products



Next steps

1. Structure the National Council Formation
2. Updating on Guidelines, Procedures
3. Building / strengthening local PGS Unit
4. Networking, Promotion, Stakeholder involvement
5. Consumer Education
6. Recognition PGS by the government



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