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### Statistics on Interisland Shipments of Goats State of Hawai‘i, 2023 – 2025

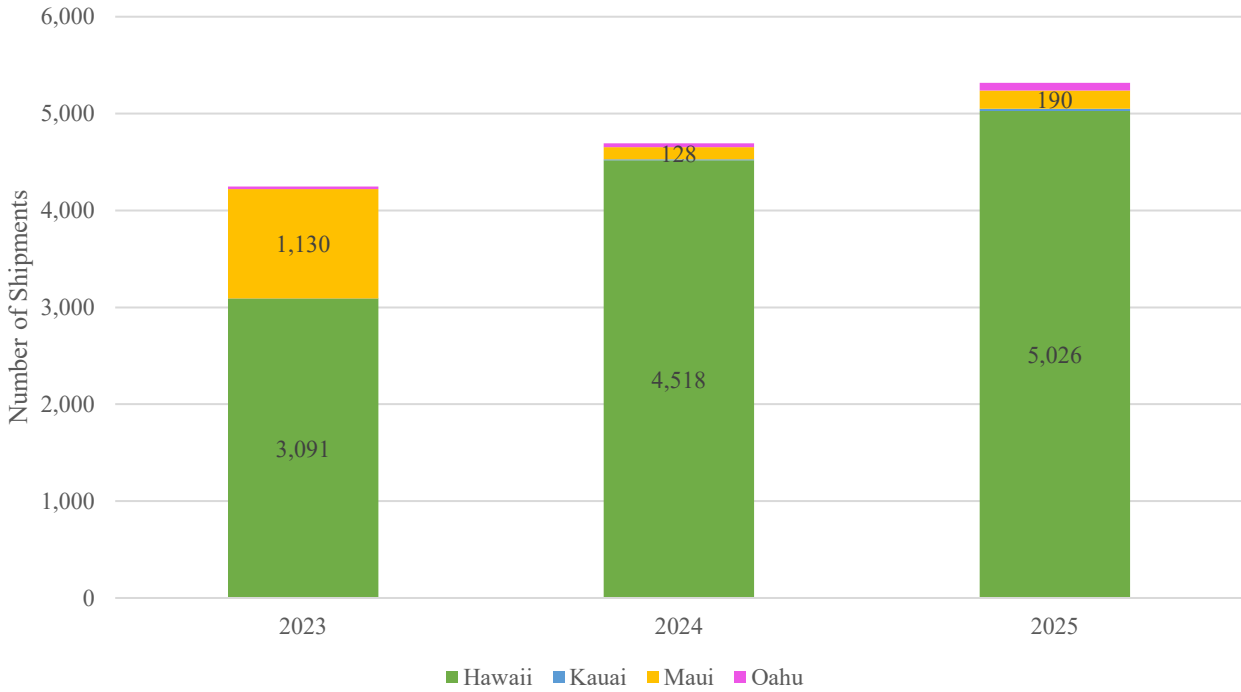
Goat is the second most common type of animal transported between the Hawaiian Islands after cattle. Interisland shipments of goats increased steadily from 4,248 in 2023 to 5,316 in 2025, representing a 25% rise and a cumulative total of 14,256 goats over the three-year period. Hawai‘i Island was by far the dominant origin of interisland goat shipments, accounting for approximately 89% of the state total (12,635 out of 14,256). Nearly all shipments from Hawai‘i Island were destined for Oahu (12,609 out of 12,635) for slaughter and sale. Maui was the second-largest origin island with 1,448 goats shipped during the same period (10% of the total). However, shipments from Maui declined significantly from 1,130 in 2023 to 190 in 2025. As with Hawai‘i Island, most of Maui’s shipments were also bound for Oahu (1,403 out of 1,448) for slaughter and sale. Although Oahu served as the primary destination for almost all interisland goat shipments, it also shipped a total of 140 goats to other islands over the same period: Kauai (43), Maui (49), and Hawai‘i Island (48).

**Table 1: Total Number of Goat Shipments by Origin Island and Destination, Hawai‘i, 2023 – 2025**

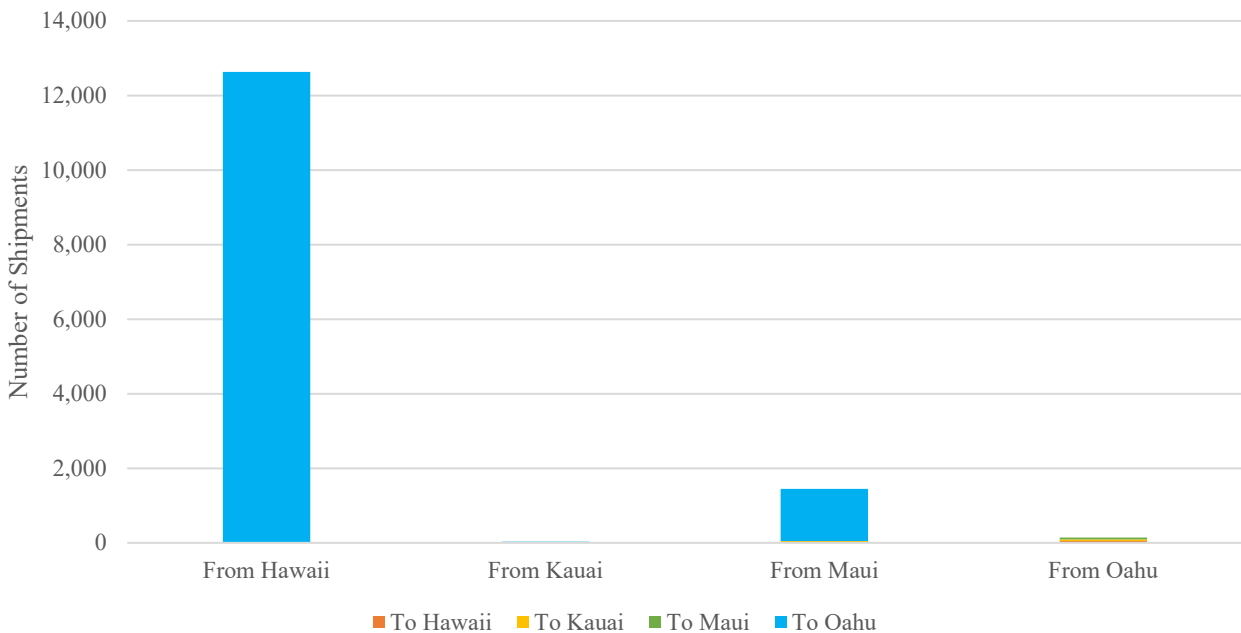
Origin Island	Year	Destination				Grand Total (3-Year)
		Hawai‘i	Kauai	Maui	Oahu	
Hawai‘i	2023	0	10	0	3,081	3,091
	2024	0	0	1	4,517	4,518
	2025	0	15	0	5,011	5,026
	<b>3-Yr Total</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>12,609</b>	<b>12,635</b>
Kauai	2023	0	0	0	1	1
	2024	0	0	0	9	9
	2025	0	0	0	23	23
	<b>3-Yr Total</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>33</b>
Maui	2023	0	1	0	1,129	1,130
	2024	1	3	0	124	128
	2025	8	32	0	150	190
	<b>3-Yr Total</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1,403</b>	<b>1,448</b>
Oahu	2023	1	22	3	0	26
	2024	0	9	28	0	37
	2025	47	12	18	0	77
	<b>3-Yr Total</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>49</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>140</b>
Grand Total	2023	1	33	3	4,211	4,248
	2024	1	12	29	4,650	4,692
	2025	55	59	18	5,184	5,316
	<b>3-Yr Total</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>104</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>14,045</b>	<b>14,256</b>

Source: Animal Disease Control Branch, Animal Industry Division, Hawai‘i Department of Agriculture and Biosecurity.

**Chart 1: Total Number of Goat Shipments by Origin Island, Hawai‘i, 2023 – 2025**



**Chart 2: Total Number of Goats Shipped by Origin Island and Destination, Hawai‘i, 2023 – 2025 (3-Year Combined)**



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