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## CHICKEN SITUATION REPORT July-September 2018

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From July to September 2018, the total chicken production was registered at 428.77 thousand metric tons. This went up by 4.31 percent compared to the previous year's same period data. Of the total chicken produced, broiler chicken contributed 79.38 percent.

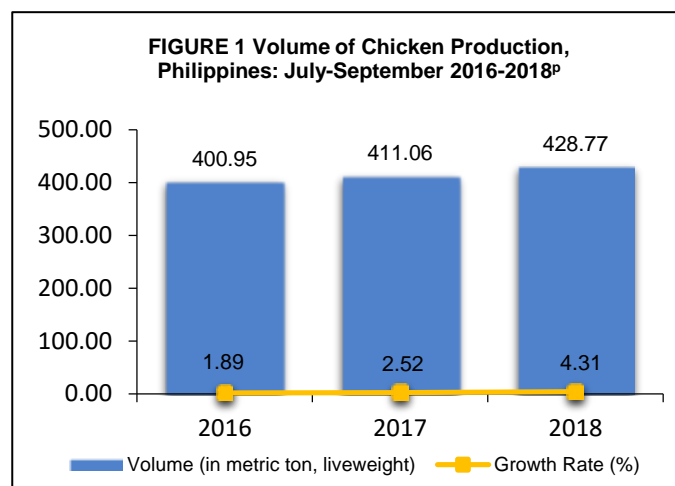
Most regions recorded increase in chicken production during the 3rd quarter of 2018. CAR, Central Luzon and Zamboanga Peninsula recorded otherwise. Despite the decrease in production, Central Luzon remained the top producing region, contributing 33.84 percent share to total chicken production.

More than half or 61.19 percent of the total chicken produced were from Central Luzon, CALABARZON and Northern Mindanao. (Table 1)

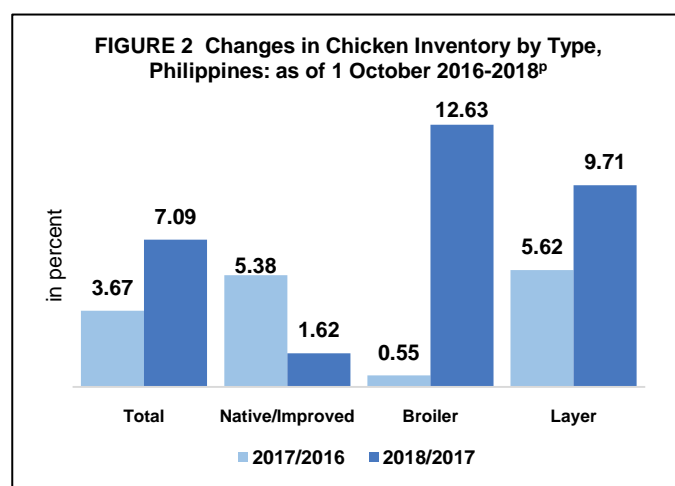
The total inventory of chicken in the country as of 1 October 2018 was estimated at 194.69 million birds. This posted a 7.09 percent increase from the previous year's 181.79 million birds. Native/improved chicken contributed 42.78 percent to the total chicken inventory.

All three types of chicken posted positive growth in inventory with broiler chicken recording the highest increase by 12.63 percent. Native/improved chicken and layer chicken grew by 1.62 percent and 9.71 percent, respectively.

Central Luzon, CALABARZON and Northern Mindanao were the top three regions in terms of chicken inventory. (Table 2)



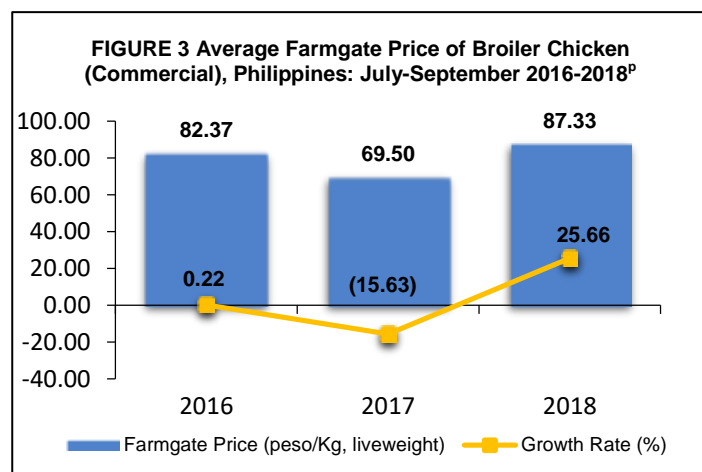
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The average farmgate price of broiler chicken during the 3rd quarter of 2018 was recorded at PhP 87.33 per kilogram, liveweight or 25.66 percent higher compared to its previous year's average farmgate price. On the average, broiler chicken price was recorded highest in July at PhP 91.57 pesos per kilogram, liveweight. (Table 3)



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## TECHNICAL NOTES

This Chicken Situation Report presents the chicken industry in terms of volume of production, inventory by type, and average farmgate price. The report was prepared to serve as ready reference for PSA's various clients and stakeholders in the agriculture sector. It is released quarterly in January, May, August and November every year.

### Concepts and Definitions

**Volume of Production** refers to the volume of locally-raised animals disposed for slaughter which include animals shipped-out for slaughter. This is expressed in metric tons, liveweight.

**Inventory** refers to the actual number of domesticated animals present in the farm as of a specific reference date.

**Farmgate Price** refers to the price received by farmers, livestock and poultry raisers for the sale of their produce at the first point of sale net of freight.

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## STATISTICAL TABLES

**TABLE 1 Volume of Chicken Production, by Region, Philippines: July-September, 2016-2018<sup>P</sup>**  
(metric ton, liveweight)

REGION	2016	2017	2018 <sup>P</sup>	Difference Level	Growth Rate		Percent Share to 2018
					2017/2016	2018/2017	
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
<b>PHILIPPINES</b>	<b>400,951</b>	<b>411,057</b>	<b>428,768</b>	<b>17,710</b>	<b>2.52</b>	<b>4.31</b>	<b>100.00</b>
CAR	2,022	2,058	1,639	(419)	1.78	(20.35)	0.38
ILOCOS REGION	17,601	17,207	18,528	1,321	(2.24)	7.68	4.32
CAGAYAN VALLEY	15,553	14,772	14,890	118	(5.02)	0.80	3.47
CENTRAL LUZON	138,708	145,211	145,082	(129)	4.69	(0.09)	33.84
CALABARZON	83,276	79,593	80,843	1,250	(4.42)	1.57	18.85
MIMAROPA	2,684	2,649	2,975	326	(1.29)	12.29	0.69
BICOL REGION	9,341	10,065	11,086	1,020	7.76	10.14	2.59
WESTERN VISAYAS	24,499	24,513	26,956	2,443	0.06	9.97	6.29
CENTRAL VISAYAS	24,092	26,178	28,281	2,103	8.66	8.03	6.60
EASTERN VISAYAS	8,931	12,092	14,280	2,188	35.40	18.09	3.33
ZAMBOANGA PENINSULA	7,087	7,478	7,422	(56)	5.53	(0.75)	1.73
NORTHERN MINDANAO	33,203	34,482	36,427	1,945	3.85	5.64	8.50
DAVAO REGION	16,590	17,468	19,236	1,768	5.29	10.12	4.49
SOCCSKSARGEN	13,020	12,428	15,953	3,525	(4.55)	28.37	3.72
CARAGA	3,257	3,777	4,074	297	15.94	7.87	0.95
A R M M	1,088	1,086	1,096	10	(0.20)	0.90	0.26

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**TABLE 2 Chicken Inventory by Type and Region,  
Philippines: as of 1 October 2016-2018<sup>p</sup>  
(number of birds)**

REGION	2016	2017	2018 <sup>p</sup>	Growth Rate		Percent Share to 2018
				2017/2016	2018/2017	
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
<b>TOTAL</b>						
<b>PHILIPPINES</b>	<b>175,358,349</b>	<b>181,792,452</b>	<b>194,688,840</b>	<b>3.67</b>	<b>7.09</b>	<b>100.00</b>
CAR	1,497,279	1,627,326	1,709,387	8.69	5.04	0.88
ILOCOS REGION	8,449,085	9,532,432	9,816,192	12.82	2.98	5.04
CAGAYAN VALLEY	6,590,500	6,693,675	7,140,813	1.57	6.68	3.67
CENTRAL LUZON	28,927,347	28,150,343	38,086,964	(2.69)	35.30	19.56
CALABARZON	26,951,303	27,887,178	26,583,650	3.47	(4.67)	13.65
MIMAROPA	4,358,163	4,479,362	4,661,519	2.78	4.07	2.39
BICOL REGION	10,159,151	10,618,500	10,021,510	4.52	(5.62)	5.15
WESTERN VISAYAS	19,840,890	20,066,771	19,780,328	1.14	(1.43)	10.16
CENTRAL VISAYAS	14,444,654	14,586,503	16,334,785	0.98	11.99	8.39
EASTERN VISAYAS	2,938,827	3,365,703	3,268,844	14.53	(2.88)	1.68
ZAMBOANGA PENINSULA	6,466,543	6,465,559	8,288,883	(0.02)	28.20	4.26
NORTHERN MINDANAO	20,972,791	22,340,271	22,927,439	6.52	2.63	11.78
DAVAO REGION	11,654,729	12,086,104	11,608,307	3.70	(3.95)	5.96
SOCCKSARGEN	8,207,139	10,086,040	10,296,172	22.89	2.08	5.29
CARAGA	2,164,051	2,094,397	2,460,845	(3.22)	17.50	1.26
A R M M	1,735,897	1,712,288	1,703,202	(1.36)	(0.53)	0.87
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<b>NATIVE/IMPROVED</b>						
<b>PHILIPPINES</b>	<b>77,778,402</b>	<b>81,966,498</b>	<b>83,290,449</b>	<b>5.38</b>	<b>1.62</b>	<b>100.00</b>
CAR	1,336,573	1,437,895	1,485,253	7.58	3.29	1.78
ILOCOS REGION	4,730,730	5,237,055	5,102,475	10.70	(2.57)	6.13
CAGAYAN VALLEY	4,040,206	4,405,847	4,615,385	9.05	4.76	5.54
CENTRAL LUZON	5,749,941	5,902,203	6,259,254	2.65	6.05	7.51
CALABARZON	3,226,941	3,224,723	2,996,718	(0.07)	(7.07)	3.60
MIMAROPA	4,102,330	4,192,561	4,137,053	2.20	(1.32)	4.97
BICOL REGION	4,873,751	5,522,612	5,745,097	13.31	4.03	6.90
WESTERN VISAYAS	12,888,616	12,923,388	12,758,329	0.27	(1.28)	15.32
CENTRAL VISAYAS	7,023,001	7,779,903	7,925,679	10.78	1.87	9.52
EASTERN VISAYAS	1,827,743	1,789,478	1,735,045	(2.09)	(3.04)	2.08
ZAMBOANGA PENINSULA	4,660,126	4,959,663	5,296,613	6.43	6.79	6.36
NORTHERN MINDANAO	8,266,224	9,166,965	9,406,570	10.90	2.61	11.29
DAVAO REGION	7,475,270	7,454,356	7,626,547	(0.28)	2.31	9.16
SOCCKSARGEN	4,383,523	4,792,588	5,015,130	9.33	4.64	6.02
CARAGA	1,457,830	1,465,173	1,482,099	0.50	1.16	1.78
A R M M	1,735,597	1,712,088	1,703,202	(1.35)	(0.52)	2.04
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REGION	2016	2017	2018 <sup>P</sup>	Growth Rate		Percent Share to 2018
				2017/2016	2018/2017	
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
<b>BROILER</b>						
<b>PHILIPPINES</b>	<b>63,935,759</b>	<b>64,289,751</b>	<b>72,410,492</b>	<b>0.55</b>	<b>12.63</b>	<b>100.00</b>
CAR	2,621	41,664	42,230	1,489.62	1.36	0.06
ILOCOS REGION	3,081,394	3,515,206	3,770,175	14.08	7.25	5.21
CAGAYAN VALLEY	1,943,456	1,625,481	1,736,371	(16.36)	6.82	2.40
CENTRAL LUZON	15,091,756	14,402,532	23,542,671	(4.57)	63.46	32.51
CALABARZON	11,937,072	12,330,245	10,309,481	3.29	(16.39)	14.24
MIMAROPA	158,345	148,251	310,679	(6.37)	109.56	0.43
BICOL REGION	4,661,240	4,533,560	3,611,034	(2.74)	(20.35)	4.99
WESTERN VISAYAS	5,380,019	5,663,310	5,496,986	5.27	(2.94)	7.59
CENTRAL VISAYAS	4,479,205	3,691,840	5,299,727	(17.58)	43.55	7.32
EASTERN VISAYAS	794,790	1,201,372	1,068,950	51.16	(11.02)	1.48
ZAMBOANGA PENINSULA	1,268,448	936,721	2,040,566	(26.15)	117.84	2.82
NORTHERN MINDANAO	9,065,192	9,362,841	9,546,131	3.28	1.96	13.18
DAVAO REGION	2,703,198	3,102,498	2,345,756	14.77	(24.39)	3.24
SOCCSKSARGEN	2,932,611	3,390,712	2,961,972	15.62	(12.64)	4.09
CARAGA	436,412	343,518	327,763	(21.29)	(4.59)	0.45
A R M M	-	-	-	-	-	0.00
<b>LAYER</b>						
<b>PHILIPPINES</b>	<b>33,644,188</b>	<b>35,536,203</b>	<b>38,987,899</b>	<b>5.62</b>	<b>9.71</b>	<b>100.00</b>
CAR	158,085	147,767	181,904	(6.53)	23.10	0.47
ILOCOS REGION	636,961	780,171	943,542	22.48	20.94	2.42
CAGAYAN VALLEY	606,838	662,347	789,057	9.15	19.13	2.02
CENTRAL LUZON	8,085,650	7,845,608	8,285,039	(2.97)	5.60	21.25
CALABARZON	11,787,290	12,332,210	13,277,451	4.62	7.66	34.06
MIMAROPA	97,488	138,550	213,787	42.12	54.30	0.55
BICOL REGION	624,160	562,328	665,379	(9.91)	18.33	1.71
WESTERN VISAYAS	1,572,255	1,480,073	1,525,013	(5.86)	3.04	3.91
CENTRAL VISAYAS	2,942,448	3,114,760	3,109,379	5.86	(0.17)	7.98
EASTERN VISAYAS	316,294	374,853	464,849	18.51	24.01	1.19
ZAMBOANGA PENINSULA	537,969	569,175	951,704	5.80	67.21	2.44
NORTHERN MINDANAO	3,641,375	3,810,465	3,974,738	4.64	4.31	10.19
DAVAO REGION	1,476,261	1,529,250	1,636,004	3.59	6.98	4.20
SOCCSKSARGEN	891,005	1,902,740	2,319,070	113.55	21.88	5.95
CARAGA	269,809	285,706	650,983	5.89	127.85	1.67
A R M M	300	200	-	(33.33)	(100.00)	0.00

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**TABLE 3 Monthly Average Farmgate Prices of Broiler (Commercial),  
Philippines: July-September 2016-2018<sup>p</sup>  
(in peso per kilogram, liveweight)**

MONTH	2016	2017	2018 <sup>p</sup>	Growth Rate	
				2017/2016	2018/2017
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
<b>Average</b>	<b>82.37</b>	<b>69.50</b>	<b>87.33</b>	<b>(15.63)</b>	<b>25.66</b>
July	91.91	83.50	91.57	(9.15)	9.67
August	80.07	61.81	91.34	(22.81)	47.78
September	75.12	63.18	79.07	(15.89)	25.15

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