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## SWINE SITUATION REPORT April - June 2018

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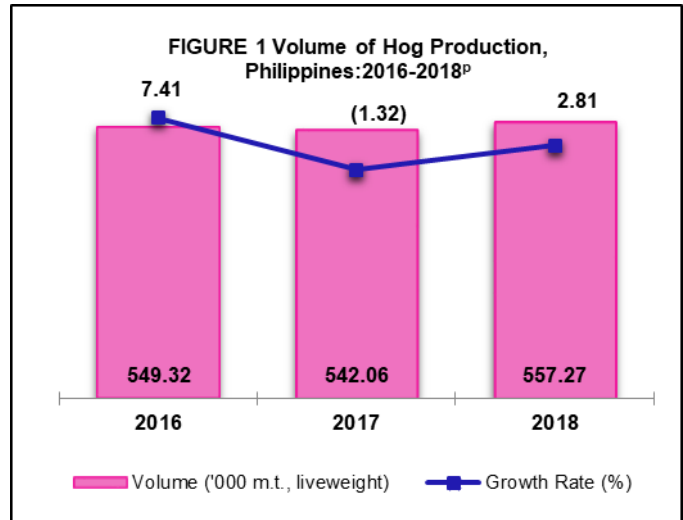
The volume of hog production for the second quarter of 2018 was 557.27 thousand metric tons. This was a recovery from a 1.32 percent decline in production recorded in the second quarter of 2017 to a 2.81 percent increase in output this period.

Eight (8) regions reported increases in production. Central Luzon, the top producing region for hog, registered the highest increase with 9.37 percent. Likewise, CALABARZON and Northern Mindanao posted positive growth in production with 2.32 percent and 4.88 percent increase, respectively. These three (3) regions contributed 44.35 percent to the total hog production. (Table 1)

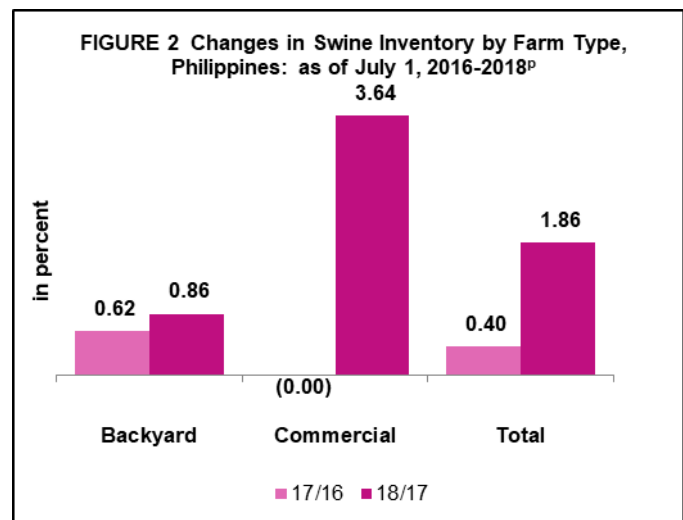
As of July 1, 2018, total swine population reached 12.78 million heads. This was 1.86 percent higher compared with the previous year's inventory of 12.55 million heads. (Table 2)

Inventory in both backyard and commercial farms increased by 0.86 percent and 3.64 percent, respectively. Stocks in commercial farms shared 36.49 percent to the total swine population.

The top five (5) regions with the highest inventory were Central Luzon CALABARZON, Western Visayas, Central Visayas and Northern Mindanao. These regions accounted for 55.59 percent of the country's total swine inventory.

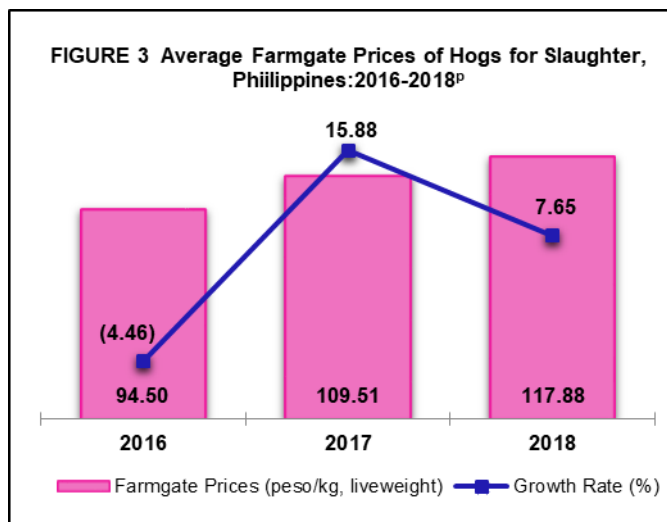


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The average farmgate price of live hogs for slaughter from April to June 2018 increased by 7.65 percent, or from the PhP 109.51 per kilogram, liveweight in 2017, to PhP 117.88 per kilogram, liveweight this year. (Table 3)



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### TECHNICAL NOTES

This Swine Situation Report presents the swine industry in terms of volume of production, inventory by farm type and average farmgate price. This report was prepared to serve as ready reference for our 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 ton, 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 Hog Production by Region, Philippines: April - June, 2016-2018<sup>p</sup>**  
(metric ton, liveweight)

REGION	2,016	2,017	2018p	Growth Rate		Percent Share to 2018
				2017/2016	2018/2017	
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(6.00)	(7.00)	(8.00)
<b>PHILIPPINES</b>	<b>549,315</b>	<b>542,065</b>	<b>557,273</b>	<b>(1.32)</b>	<b>2.81</b>	<b>100.00</b>
CAR	6,757	6,310	5,941	(6.62)	(5.85)	1.07
ILOCOS REGION	22,589	23,482	25,607	3.95	9.05	4.60
CAGAYAN VALLEY	18,426	18,270	17,102	(0.85)	(6.39)	3.07
CENTRAL LUZON	110,047	93,030	101,748	(15.46)	9.37	18.26
CALABARZON	94,908	95,370	97,579	0.49	2.32	17.51
MIMAROPA	23,413	24,886	24,828	6.29	(0.23)	4.46
BICOL REGION	28,427	30,306	31,589	6.61	4.23	5.67
WESTERN VISAYAS	44,301	44,956	44,920	1.48	(0.08)	8.06
CENTRAL VISAYAS	41,914	46,916	47,367	11.93	0.96	8.50
EASTERN VISAYAS	15,882	16,802	18,316	5.79	9.01	3.29
ZAMBOANGA PENINSULA	20,361	21,006	20,668	3.17	(1.61)	3.71
NORTHERN MINDANAO	42,887	45,577	47,800	6.27	4.88	8.58
DAVAO REGION	35,999	36,175	35,846	0.49	(0.91)	6.43
SOCCSKSARGEN	30,099	26,937	26,020	(10.51)	(3.40)	4.67
CARAGA	10,948	9,918	9,756	(9.41)	(1.63)	1.75
A R M M	2,357	2,124	2,186	(9.89)	2.92	0.39

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**TABLE 2 Inventory of Swine by Farm Type and Region,  
Philippines: as of July 1, 2016-2018<sup>p</sup>  
(number of head)**

REGION/ FARM TYPE	2,016	2,017	2018p	Growth Rate		Percent Share to 2018
				2017/2016	2018/2017	
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5.00)	(6.00)	(7.00)
<b>TOTAL</b>						
<b>PHILIPPINES</b>	<b>12,497,862</b>	<b>12,547,245</b>	<b>12,780,069</b>	<b>0.40</b>	<b>1.86</b>	<b>100.00</b>
CAR	201,695	209,404	234,904	3.82	12.18	1.84
ILOCOS REGION	549,646	557,358	605,777	1.40	8.69	4.74
CAGAYAN VALLEY	426,475	445,800	466,263	4.53	4.59	3.65
CENTRAL LUZON	2,261,977	2,163,910	2,248,219	(4.34)	3.90	17.59
CALABARZON	1,585,437	1,554,508	1,558,269	(1.95)	0.24	12.19
MIMAROPA	577,667	580,866	557,159	0.55	(4.08)	4.36
BICOL REGION	918,591	953,721	956,440	3.82	0.29	7.48
WESTERN VISAYAS	1,275,350	1,266,350	1,259,086	(0.71)	(0.57)	9.85
CENTRAL VISAYAS	960,129	1,040,340	1,052,624	8.35	1.18	8.24
EASTERN VISAYAS	362,948	320,775	321,346	(11.62)	0.18	2.51
ZAMBOANGA PENINSULA	527,532	528,384	525,378	0.16	(0.57)	4.11
NORTHERN MINDANAO	928,875	975,024	986,704	4.97	1.20	7.72
DAVAO REGION	877,099	911,615	920,603	3.94	0.99	7.20
SOCCSKSARGEN	762,405	769,346	806,746	0.91	4.86	6.31
CARAGA	233,149	226,772	230,677	(2.74)	1.72	1.80
A R M M	48,887	43,072	49,874	(11.89)	15.79	0.39
<b>BACKYARD</b>						
<b>PHILIPPINES</b>	<b>7,997,728</b>	<b>8,047,156</b>	<b>8,116,393</b>	<b>0.62</b>	<b>0.86</b>	<b>100.00</b>
CAR	197,765	205,550	231,414	3.94	12.58	2.85
ILOCOS REGION	442,074	442,735	478,484	0.15	8.07	5.90
CAGAYAN VALLEY	388,742	409,248	425,812	5.27	4.05	5.25
CENTRAL LUZON	559,706	544,495	547,970	(2.72)	0.64	6.75
CALABARZON	395,283	377,760	379,540	(4.43)	0.47	4.68
MIMAROPA	467,711	458,824	435,857	(1.90)	(5.01)	5.37
BICOL REGION	768,683	790,092	775,061	2.79	(1.90)	9.55
WESTERN VISAYAS	1,125,688	1,123,538	1,118,901	(0.19)	(0.41)	13.79
CENTRAL VISAYAS	734,406	801,795	816,452	9.18	1.83	10.06
EASTERN VISAYAS	350,667	307,136	309,710	(12.41)	0.84	3.82
ZAMBOANGA PENINSULA	519,466	515,746	509,610	(0.72)	(1.19)	6.28
NORTHERN MINDANAO	576,858	593,700	590,278	2.92	(0.58)	7.27
DAVAO REGION	742,823	766,840	763,022	3.23	(0.50)	9.40
SOCCSKSARGEN	459,808	450,963	468,010	(1.92)	3.78	5.77
CARAGA	219,161	215,662	216,398	(1.60)	0.34	2.67
A R M M	48,887	43,072	49,874	(11.89)	15.79	0.61
<b>COMMERCIAL</b>						
<b>PHILIPPINES</b>	<b>4,500,134</b>	<b>4,500,089</b>	<b>4,663,676</b>	<b>(0.00)</b>	<b>3.64</b>	<b>100.00</b>
CAR	3,930	3,854	3,490	(1.93)	(9.44)	0.07
ILOCOS REGION	107,572	114,623	127,293	6.55	11.05	2.73
CAGAYAN VALLEY	37,733	36,552	40,451	(3.13)	10.67	0.87
CENTRAL LUZON	1,702,271	1,619,415	1,700,249	(4.87)	4.99	36.46
CALABARZON	1,190,154	1,176,748	1,178,729	(1.13)	0.17	25.27
MIMAROPA	109,956	122,042	121,302	10.99	(0.61)	2.60
BICOL REGION	149,908	163,629	181,379	9.15	10.85	3.89
WESTERN VISAYAS	149,662	142,812	140,185	(4.58)	(1.84)	3.01
CENTRAL VISAYAS	225,723	238,545	236,172	5.68	(0.99)	5.06
EASTERN VISAYAS	12,281	13,639	11,636	11.06	(14.69)	0.25
ZAMBOANGA PENINSULA	8,066	12,638	15,768	56.68	24.77	0.34
NORTHERN MINDANAO	352,017	381,324	396,426	8.33	3.96	8.50
DAVAO REGION	134,276	144,775	157,581	7.82	8.85	3.38
SOCCSKSARGEN	302,597	318,383	338,736	5.22	6.39	7.26
CARAGA	13,988	11,110	14,279	(20.57)	28.52	0.31
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**TABLE 3 Monthly Average Farmgate Prices of Hogs for Slaughter,  
Philippines: April - June 2016-2018<sup>p</sup>  
(peso per kilogram, liveweight)**

MONTH	2016	2017	2018 <sup>p</sup>	Growth Rate	
				2017/2016	2018/2017
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5.00)	(6.00)
<b>Average</b>	<b>94</b>	<b>110</b>	<b>118</b>	<b>15.88</b>	<b>7.65</b>
April	94	108	117	14.28	8.26
May	94	110	118	16.13	7.53
June	95	111	119	17.24	7.17

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