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## SWINE SITUATION REPORT July - September 2018

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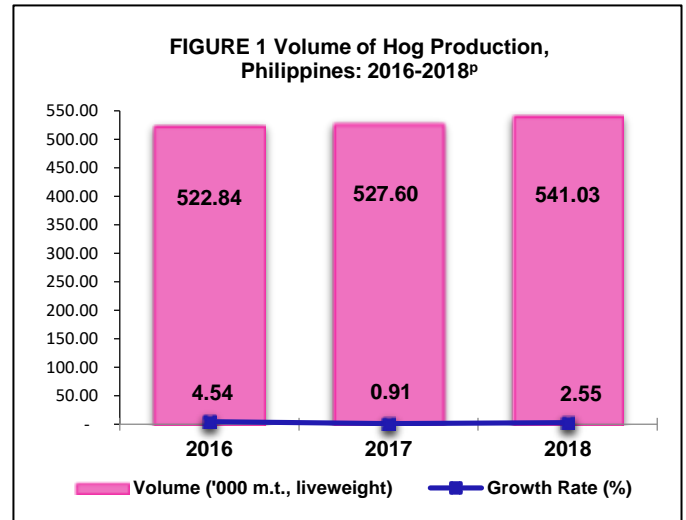
For the third quarter of 2018, volume of hog production expanded to 541.03 thousand metric tons. Output for this quarter was 2.55 percent higher compared with the 2017 level of 527.60 thousand metric tons.

All regions except MIMAROPA reported increases in production. Central Luzon, CALABARZON and Western Visayas were the top three producing regions, posting a positive growth of 4.87 percent, 0.55 percent, and 0.50 percent, respectively. These three regions accounted for 44.28 percent of the total hog production. (Table 1)

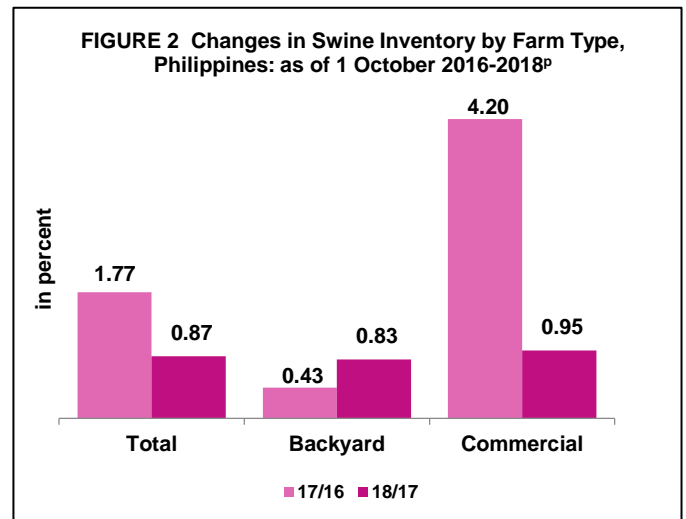
As of 1 October 2018, total swine population reached 13.13 million heads. This was slightly higher by 0.87 percent compared with the previous year's inventory of 13.01 million heads.

Both backyard and commercial farms reported increases in swine population by 0.83 percent and 0.95 percent, respectively. Stocks in backyard farms accounted for 63.55 percent of the total swine population.

Central Luzon CALABARZON, Western Visayas, Central Visayas and Northern Mindanao remained to be the regions with highest swine population. These regions accounted for 55.55 percent of the country's total swine inventory. (Table 2)



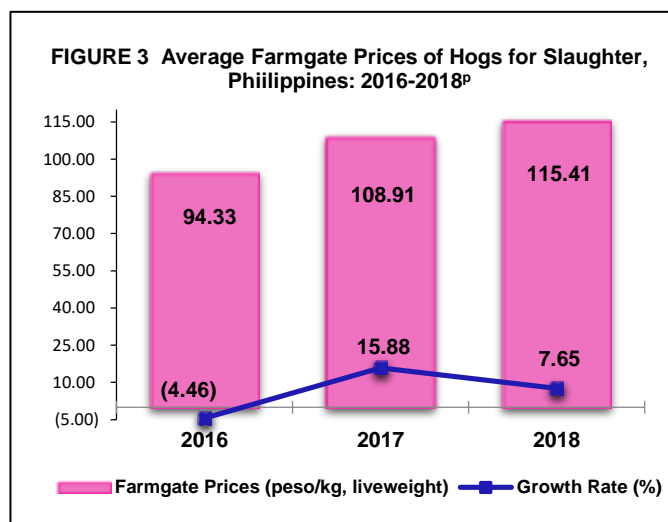
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The average farmgate price of live hogs for slaughter in the third quarter reached PhP 115.41 per kilogram, liveweight. This was 5.96 percent higher than average farmgate price in 2017 at PhP 108.91 per kilogram, liveweight. (Table 3)



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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 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 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: July-September, 2016-2018<sup>p</sup>**  
(metric ton, liveweight)

REGION	2016	2017	2018 <sup>p</sup>	Growth Rate		Percent Share to 2018
				2017/2016	2018/2017	
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(6)	(7)	(8)
<b>PHILIPPINES</b>	<b>522,837</b>	<b>527,602</b>	<b>541,034</b>	<b>0.91</b>	<b>2.55</b>	<b>100.00</b>
CAR	6,044	6,151	6,694	1.77	8.83	1.24
ILOCOS REGION	19,412	19,957	21,649	2.81	8.48	4.00
CAGAYAN VALLEY	17,205	17,529	17,694	1.88	0.94	3.27
CENTRAL LUZON	105,608	99,610	104,463	(5.68)	4.87	19.31
CALABARZON	87,539	88,771	89,260	1.41	0.55	16.50
MIMAROPA	17,878	18,940	17,906	5.94	(5.46)	3.31
BICOL REGION	29,304	29,722	31,236	1.43	5.09	5.77
WESTERN VISAYAS	46,657	45,605	45,831	(2.25)	0.50	8.47
CENTRAL VISAYAS	39,366	43,293	45,148	9.98	4.28	8.34
EASTERN VISAYAS	17,954	17,433	18,501	(2.90)	6.13	3.42
ZAMBOANGA PENINSULA	17,726	17,314	17,572	(2.32)	1.49	3.25
NORTHERN MINDANAO	39,885	42,863	44,064	7.47	2.80	8.14
DAVAO REGION	36,873	37,527	37,709	1.77	0.48	6.97
SOCCSKSARGEN	30,103	31,098	31,119	3.31	0.07	5.75
CARAGA	9,262	9,799	9,997	5.80	2.02	1.85
A R M M	2,021	1,990	2,191	(1.53)	10.10	0.40

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

REGION/ FARM TYPE	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>12,787,340</b>	<b>13,013,912</b>	<b>13,127,670</b>	<b>1.77</b>	<b>0.87</b>	<b>100.00</b>
CAR	209,218	225,979	251,067	8.01	11.10	1.91
ILOCOS REGION	569,839	587,952	605,174	3.18	2.93	4.61
CAGAYAN VALLEY	433,839	464,713	471,079	7.12	1.37	3.59
CENTRAL LUZON	2,304,152	2,285,420	2,296,872	(0.81)	0.50	17.50
CALABARZON	1,584,517	1,606,244	1,593,545	1.37	(0.79)	12.14
MIMAROPA	595,219	598,822	565,042	0.61	(5.64)	4.30
BICOL REGION	942,223	1,022,670	1,014,967	8.54	(0.75)	7.73
WESTERN VISAYAS	1,290,996	1,274,439	1,303,060	(1.28)	2.25	9.93
CENTRAL VISAYAS	1,022,472	1,085,929	1,068,669	6.21	(1.59)	8.14
EASTERN VISAYAS	370,305	329,131	323,170	(11.12)	(1.81)	2.46
ZAMBOANGA PENINSULA	573,798	576,320	588,108	0.44	2.05	4.48
NORTHERN MINDANAO	974,344	1,022,269	1,030,361	4.92	0.79	7.85
DAVAO REGION	879,444	893,778	930,592	1.63	4.12	7.09
SOCCSKSARGEN	766,754	774,227	808,304	0.97	4.40	6.16
CARAGA	228,355	223,631	232,711	(2.07)	4.06	1.77
A R M M	41,865	42,388	44,949	1.25	6.04	0.34
<b>BACKYARD</b>						
<b>PHILIPPINES</b>	<b>8,239,096</b>	<b>8,274,556</b>	<b>8,343,121</b>	<b>0.43</b>	<b>0.83</b>	<b>100.00</b>
CAR	204,670	222,199	247,655	8.56	11.46	2.97
ILOCOS REGION	456,301	462,394	482,800	1.34	4.41	5.79
CAGAYAN VALLEY	397,112	427,132	429,518	7.56	0.56	5.15
CENTRAL LUZON	616,959	552,211	535,069	(10.49)	(3.10)	6.41
CALABARZON	410,360	399,240	403,156	(2.71)	0.98	4.83
MIMAROPA	474,114	462,258	436,218	(2.50)	(5.63)	5.23
BICOL REGION	787,716	840,315	846,348	6.68	0.72	10.14
WESTERN VISAYAS	1,141,361	1,135,417	1,162,738	(0.52)	2.41	13.94
CENTRAL VISAYAS	776,529	826,854	827,615	6.48	0.09	9.92
EASTERN VISAYAS	357,867	318,472	310,975	(11.01)	(2.35)	3.73
ZAMBOANGA PENINSULA	563,889	561,008	571,014	(0.51)	1.78	6.84
NORTHERN MINDANAO	591,163	603,661	607,133	2.11	0.58	7.28
DAVAO REGION	737,638	754,578	755,693	2.30	0.15	9.06
SOCCSKSARGEN	465,399	453,182	463,561	(2.63)	2.29	5.56
CARAGA	216,153	213,247	218,679	(1.34)	2.55	2.62
A R M M	41,865	42,388	44,949	1.25	6.04	0.54
<b>COMMERCIAL</b>						
<b>PHILIPPINES</b>	<b>4,548,244</b>	<b>4,739,356</b>	<b>4,784,549</b>	<b>4.20</b>	<b>0.95</b>	<b>100.00</b>
CAR	4,548	3,780	3,412	(16.89)	(9.74)	0.07
ILOCOS REGION	113,538	125,558	122,374	10.59	(2.54)	2.56
CAGAYAN VALLEY	36,727	37,581	41,561	2.33	10.59	0.87
CENTRAL LUZON	1,687,193	1,733,209	1,761,803	2.73	1.65	36.82
CALABARZON	1,174,157	1,207,004	1,190,389	2.80	(1.38)	24.88
MIMAROPA	121,105	136,564	128,824	12.76	(5.67)	2.69
BICOL REGION	154,507	182,355	168,619	18.02	(7.53)	3.52
WESTERN VISAYAS	149,635	139,022	140,322	(7.09)	0.94	2.93
CENTRAL VISAYAS	245,943	259,075	241,054	5.34	(6.96)	5.04
EASTERN VISAYAS	12,438	10,659	12,195	(14.30)	14.41	0.25
ZAMBOANGA PENINSULA	9,909	15,312	17,094	54.53	11.64	0.36
NORTHERN MINDANAO	383,181	418,608	423,228	9.25	1.10	8.85
DAVAO REGION	141,806	139,200	174,899	(1.84)	25.65	3.66
SOCCSKSARGEN	301,355	321,045	344,743	6.53	7.38	7.21
CARAGA	12,202	10,384	14,032	(14.90)	35.13	0.29
A R M M	0	0	0	0.00	0.00	0.00

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**TABLE 3 Monthly Average Farmgate Prices of Hogs for Slaughter,  
(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>94.33</b>	<b>108.91</b>	<b>115.41</b>	<b>15.46</b>	<b>5.96</b>
July	94.39	110.94	117.20	17.53	5.64
August	94.68	108.72	115.13	14.83	5.90
September	93.92	107.08	113.88	14.01	6.35

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