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ABSTRACT

A Farm Practice was conducted at Cavite State University (formerly Don Severino College) Piggery Project, Indang, Cavite from August to December, 1995 to acquire and have managerial and manipulative skills on hog raising and to determine its actual cost and return.

Ten weanlings with an average of 10 kgs. were used in the project. The animals were fed three times a day (7:00 in the morning, 12:00 noon, and 5:00 in the afternoon) with pure commercial hog starter mash on the first month and pure commercial hog grower mash from second up to third of feeding operation. On the fourth month, pure commercial hog finisher mash was given. Wet feeding was followed all throughout the production period.

The project had an actual cost P 37,128.33 and earned a net profit of P 6,411.67. The actual return on investment (ROI) of 17.27 % was better than the projected 11.97 %.

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INTRODUCTION

Swine raising is common not only among families and well developed urban localities but all over the country. This is one of the phases of livestock production that has achieved great advances in the field of Animal Husbandry. Swine can be raised either in small or large scale production. However, not all farmers realize that swine raising can be one of the supplementary sources of income that can be accomplished even at home.

Like other farm animals, swine are easy to raise since they are very adaptable in their feeding habits and produce well on diet base mainly on concentrates or on feeds consisting roughages and crop and household residues. The reproductive activity and performance in meat production are considerably improved thus making a considerable contribution to the production of livestock product so greatly needed in the country especially in poor areas of Cavite Province.