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ABSTRACT

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This project was conducted at the Animal Production Project of Cavite State University – Main Campus, Indang, Cavite for 98 days from December 14, 2018 until March 22, 2019. The project was aimed for the student entrepreneur to gain knowledge and understanding in swine production, evaluate the different problems related to swine raising and gain profit from fattening hogs.

The four hogs were provided with proper care and management. As weanlings they had an average initial weight of 17.6 kg and ended with an average final weight of 89.5 kg. After 98 days of rearing the hogs attained an average daily gain (ADG) of 741.24 g, feed consumption of 206.25 kg and feed conversion efficiency (FCE) of 2.87.

The total production cost for the project was ₱41,922. The net income was ₱6,654.17, giving a return on investment of 6.60%.

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INTRODUCTION

Raising hogs is important because pork is the highest consumed meat here in the Philippines, which is about 60% of a total consumption (DOST-PCAARRD, 2016). In the Philippines, the swine industry is the second largest contributor to the country's agriculture second to rice (Bradford, 2018). Pork is considered as one of the most favorite meat of most Filipino. Having a business like raising a swine gives a lot of opportunities. It can provide employment and also it can be a source of income (Beth, 2018).

Swine production is easier and cheaper than raising ruminant animal because of the ability of swine as a fast grower unlike ruminant where a long period of time is needed to. Swine is easy to raise and do not require much space. Their manure can also be used as fertilizer (Melissa, 2015) also it can be converted into a biogas. The gas manifested can be used directly for cooking and generating electricity (Jyoti, 2017).