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# AGRICULTURE OF GEORGIA 2018 FIRST QUARTER

(PRELIMINARY DATA ON ANIMAL HUSBANDRY)



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**Agriculture in Georgia**  
**First Quarter, 2018**  
(Preliminary Data on Animal Husbandry)

According to preliminary data for 2018, at the end of the first quarter the number of bovine animals down by 5.0 percent compared to the first quarter of 2017 and amounted to 984.1 thousands. The number of dairy cows and buffaloes decreased by 6.0 percent from the same period of the previous year and equaled 473.2 thousands.

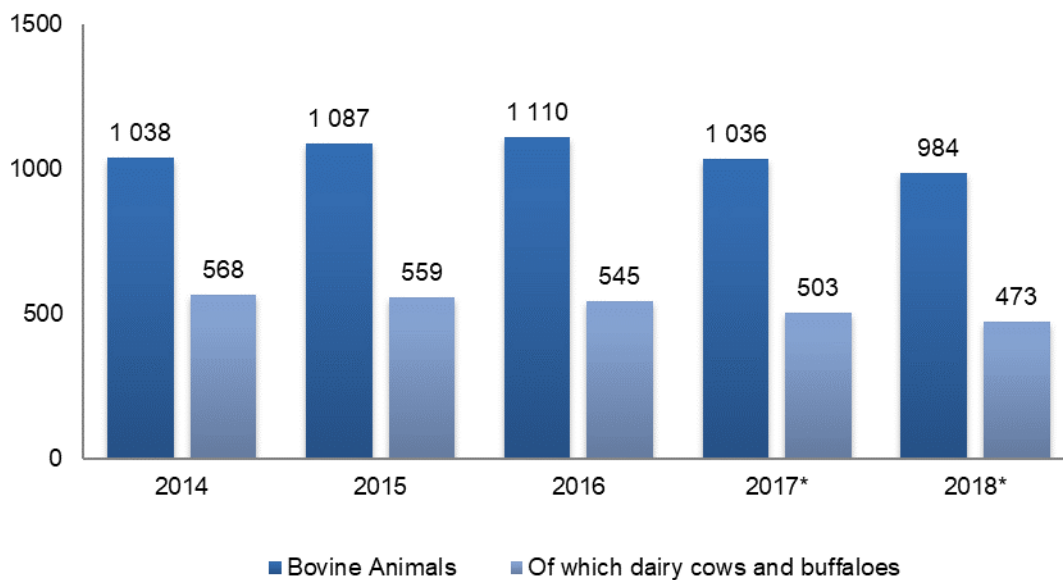
The total number of sheep and goats increased by 3.2 percent year-on-year reaching 1.3 million.

The number of pigs increased by 10.2 percent compared to the same period of the previous year and amounted to 177.2 thousands.

The number of poultry increased by 2.4 percent from the same period of the previous year reaching 8.4 million.

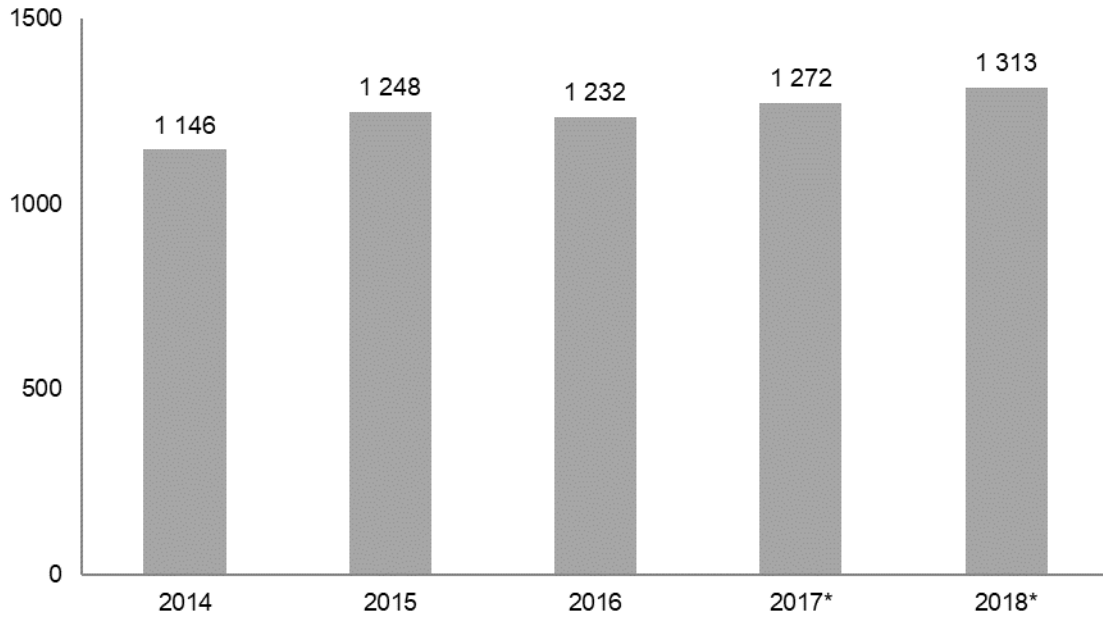
The charts below present the number of bovine animals, sheep and goats, pigs and poultry by the end of the first quarter of 2014-2018.

**The number of the bovine animals by the end of the first quarter of 2014-2018 (ths. heads)**



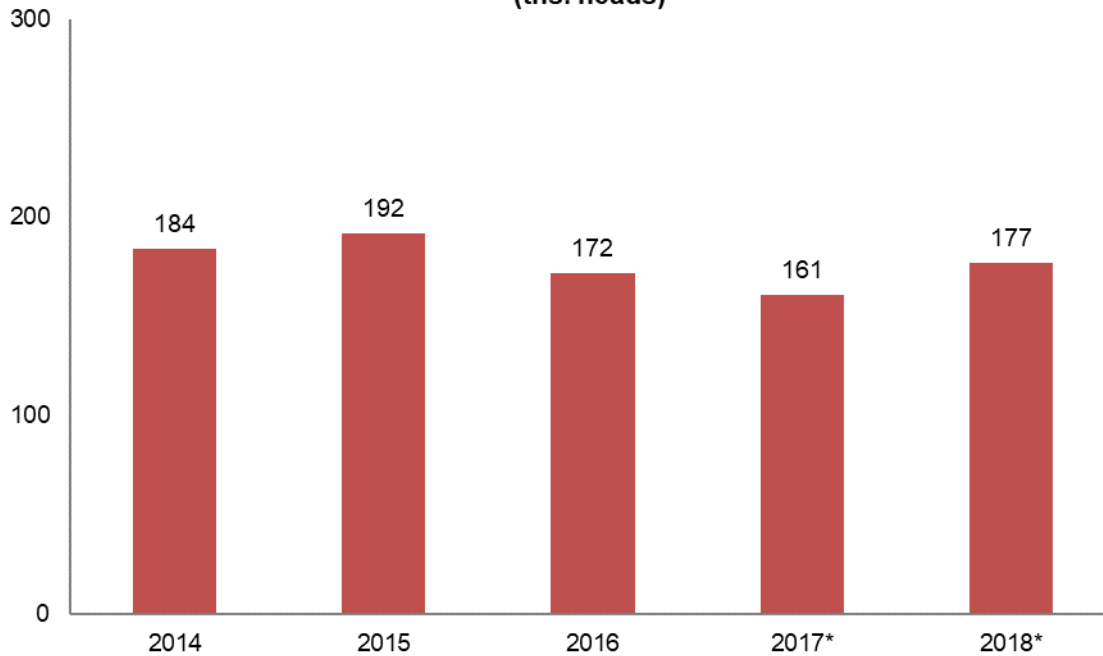
\* Preliminary data.

**The number of sheep and goats by the end of the first quarter of 2014-2018 (ths. heads)**



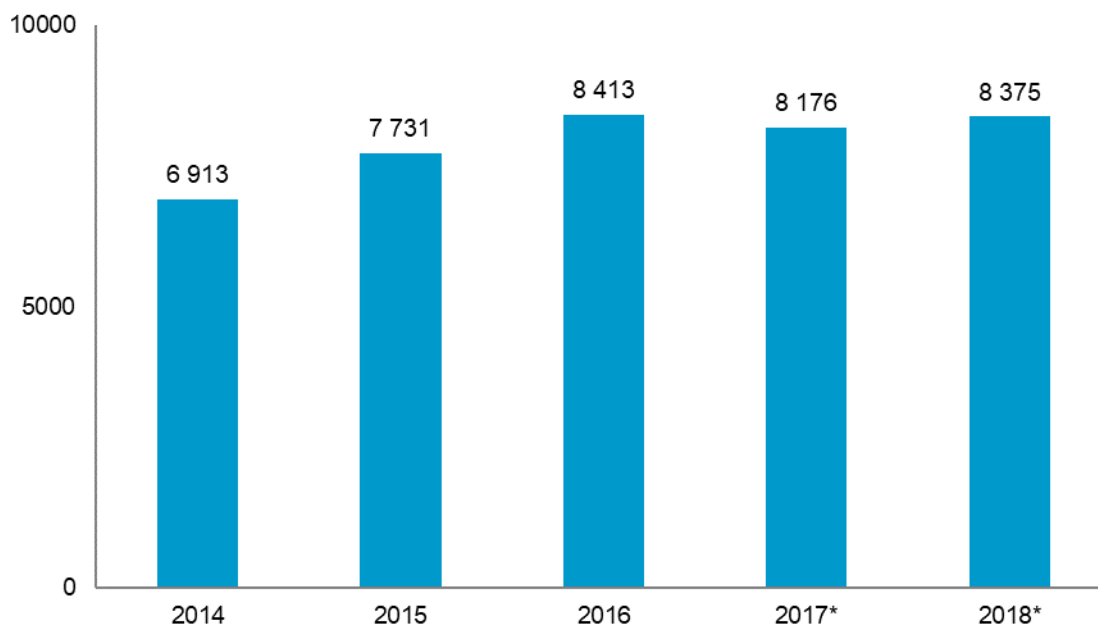
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**The number of pigs by the end of the first quarter of 2014-2018 (ths. heads)**



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**The number of poultry by the end of the first quarter of 2014-2018  
(ths. heads)**



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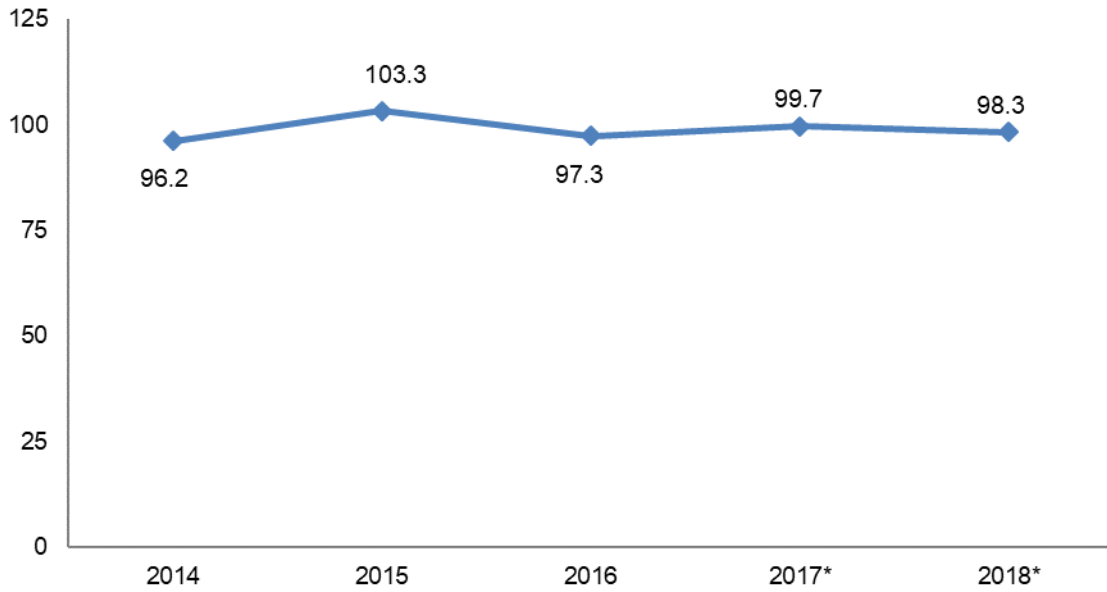
According to preliminary data, in Q1 2018 milk production decreased by 1.4 percent compared to the same period of the previous year reaching 98.3 million litres.

Meat production increased by 9.5 percent from the same period of the previous year and stood at 15.0 thousand tons.

In Q1 2018 egg production increased by 10.2 percent compared to the same period of the previous year and amounted to 161.7 million.

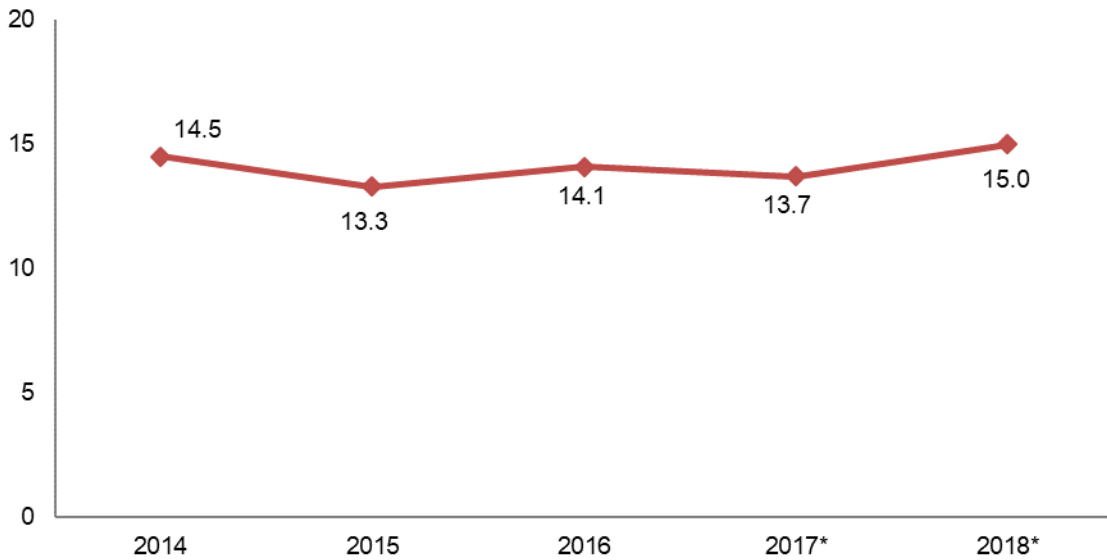
The diagrams below present the volume of animal products produced in Q1 of 2014-2018.

**Milk production in the first quarter of 2014-2018 (mln. litres)**

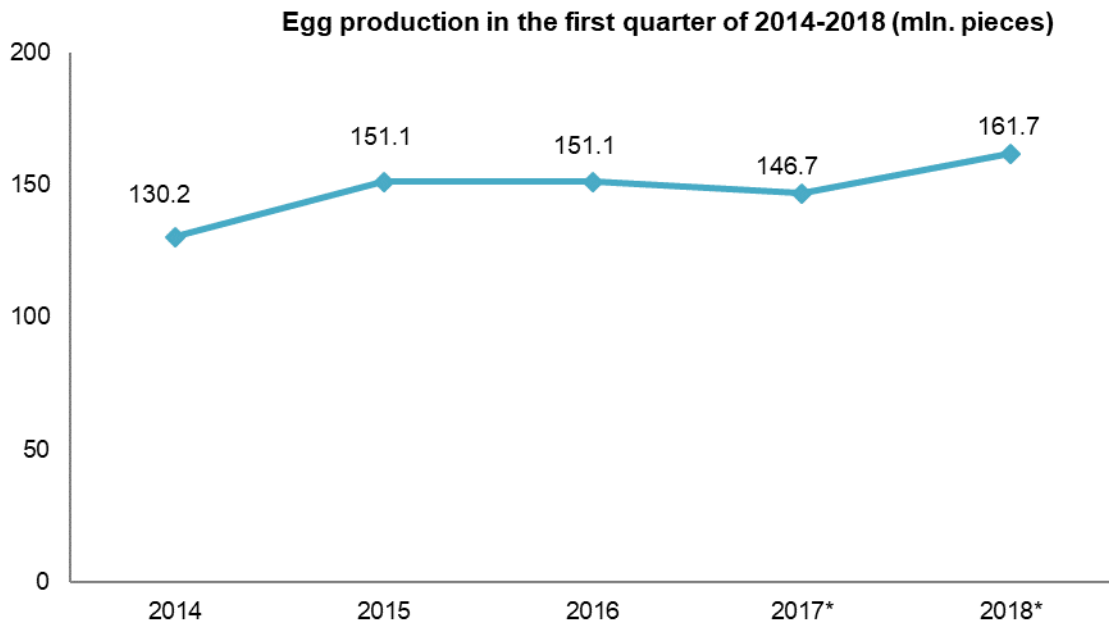


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**Meat production in the first quarter of 2014-2018  
(in slaughtered weight, ths. tons)**



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The following tables include 2017-2018 data on the number of livestock, export and import of livestock and animal production in quarterly terms.

**Number of livestock in 2017-2018 (ths. heads)**

	2017*				2018*
	I Q	II Q	III Q	IV Q	I Q
Bovine Animals	1 035.7	1 018.9	952.5	900.4	984.1
Of which dairy cows and buffaloes	503.3	492.3	473.4	462.8	473.2
Pigs	160.8	194.6	233.8	164.5	177.2
Sheep and Goats	1 272.4	1 231.9	1 057.4	966.5	1 313.1
Poultry	8 175.6	11 718.2	9 528.0	8 046.4	8 374.5

\* Preliminary data.

**Export of livestock in 2017-2018 (ths. heads)**

	2017*				2018*
	I Q	II Q	III Q	IV Q	I Q
Bovine Animals	37.5	32.7	42.1	20.5	18.5
Pigs	-	-	-	-	-
Sheep and Goats	14.5	16.2	51.0	9.3	2.4
Poultry	337.0	854.5	761.9	419.2	619.6

\* Preliminary data.

### Import of livestock in 2017-2018 (ths. heads)

	2017*				2018*
	I Q	II Q	III Q	IV Q	I Q
Bovine Animals	0.9	1.6	1.3	1.3	0.6
Pigs	7.1	10.5	10.2	10.0	5.5
Sheep and Goats	-	6.4	0.8	11.6	31.6
Poultry	502.6	446.5	480.0	346.6	529.1

\* Preliminary data.

### Animal production in 2017-2018

	2017*				2018*
	I Q	II Q	III Q	IV Q	I Q
Meat (ths. tons)	13.7	14.4	12.0	19.3	15.0
Milk (mln. litres)	99.7	183.6	142.0	76.6	98.3
Eggs (mln. pieces)	146.7	151.4	135.3	145.8	161.7

\* Preliminary data.

Final data of 2017 will be available on June 15, 2018.

Final data of 2018 will be available on June 17, 2019.

**Source:** National Statistics Office of Georgia.

**Explanation of symbol:**

- Not applicable.