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PRELIMINARY DATA ON LIVESTOCK



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According to the preliminary data, at the end of 2018 the number of bovine animals consisted of 874.8 thousand heads which is 3.8 percent less compared to 2017. Among them, the total number of dairy cows and buffaloes amounted to 438.6 thousand heads which is 8.1 percent less compared to the same period of the previous year.

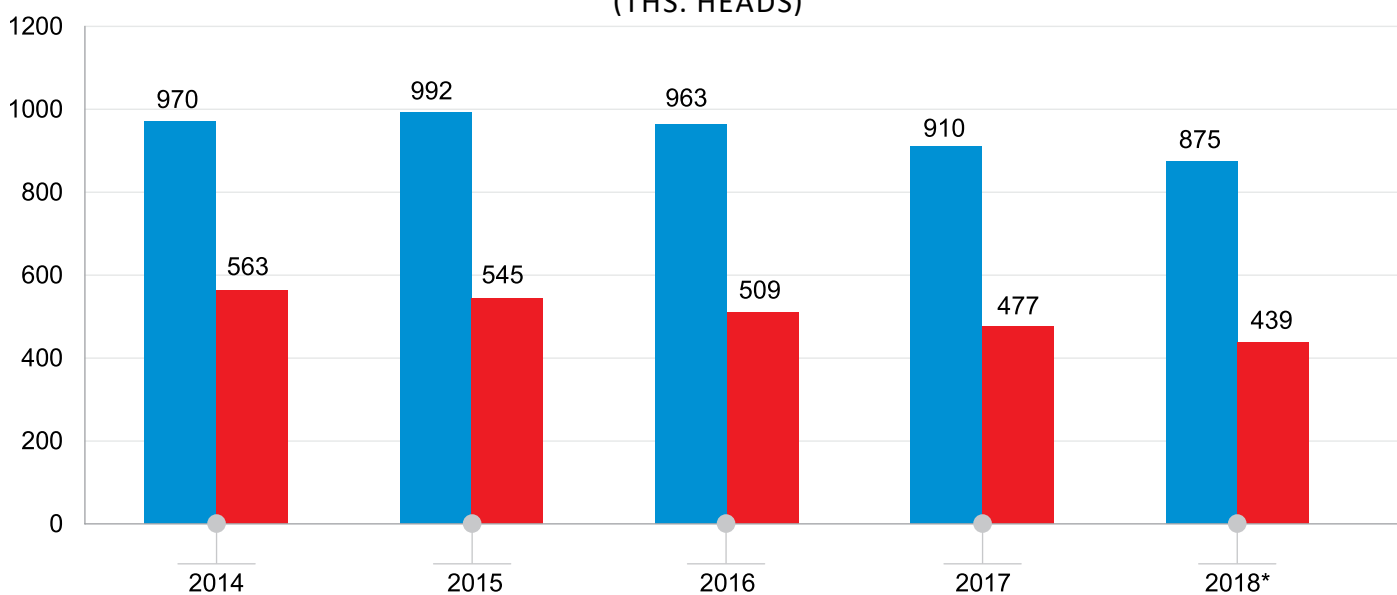
The total number of sheep and goats increased by 0.3 percent and it has reached 909.4 thousand heads.

The number of pigs equaled to 157.5 thousand heads which is 4.5 percent more than at the same period of the previous year.

The number of poultry consisted of 7.9 million heads which is 6.3 percent less compared to the same period of the previous year.

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

**NUMBER OF BOVINE ANIMALS BY THE ENDS OF 2014-2018**  
(THS. HEADS)

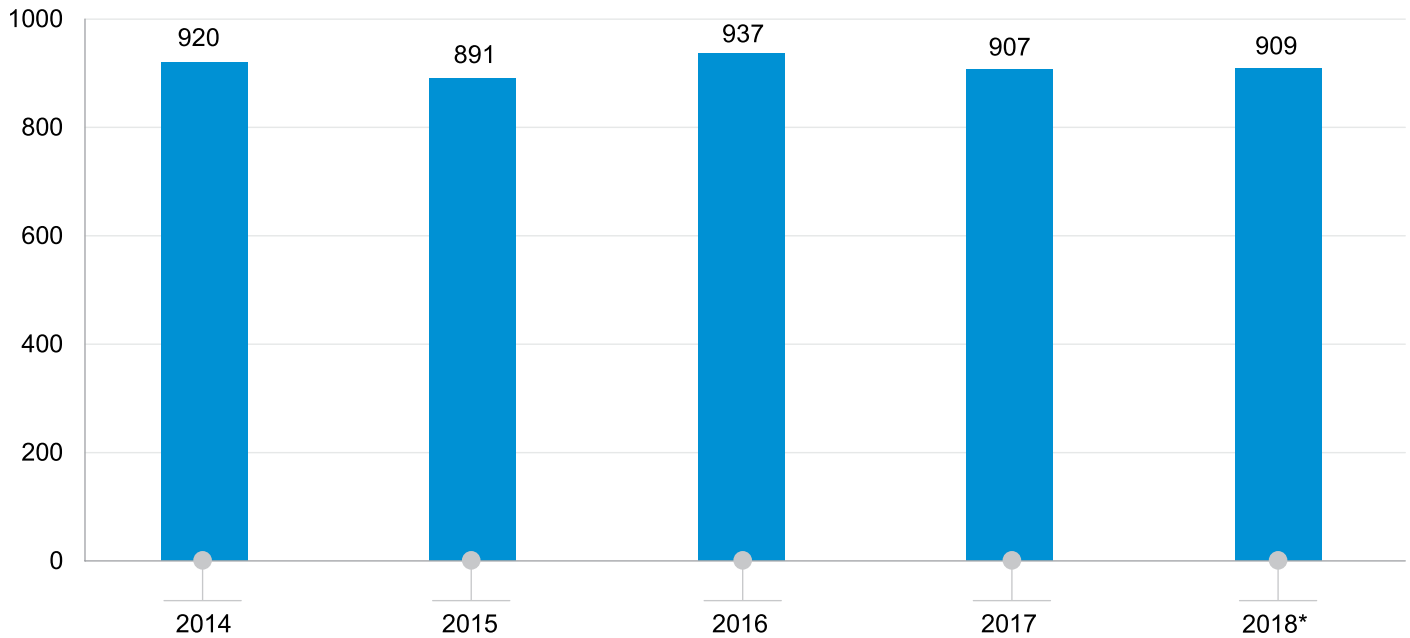


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BOVINE ANIMALS  
OF WHICH DAIRY COWS AND BUFFALOES

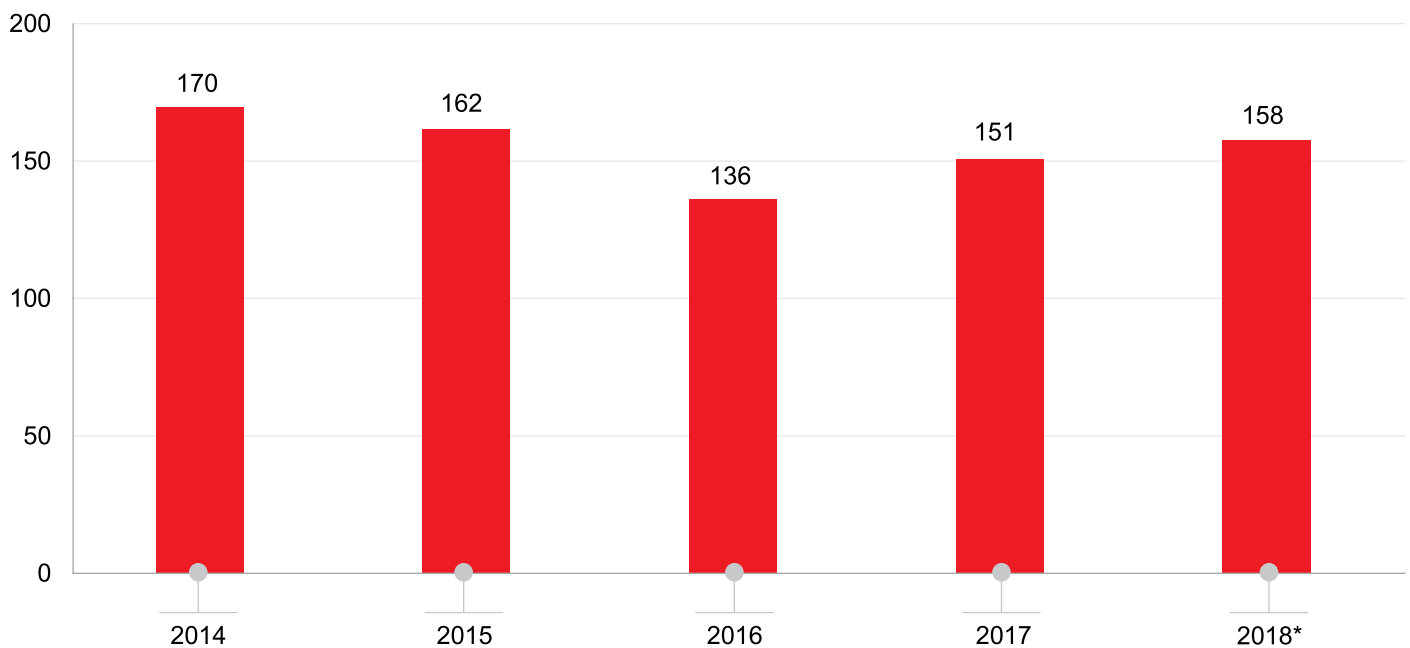
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**NUMBER OF SHEEP AND GOATS BY THE ENDS OF 2014-2018**  
(THS. HEADS)



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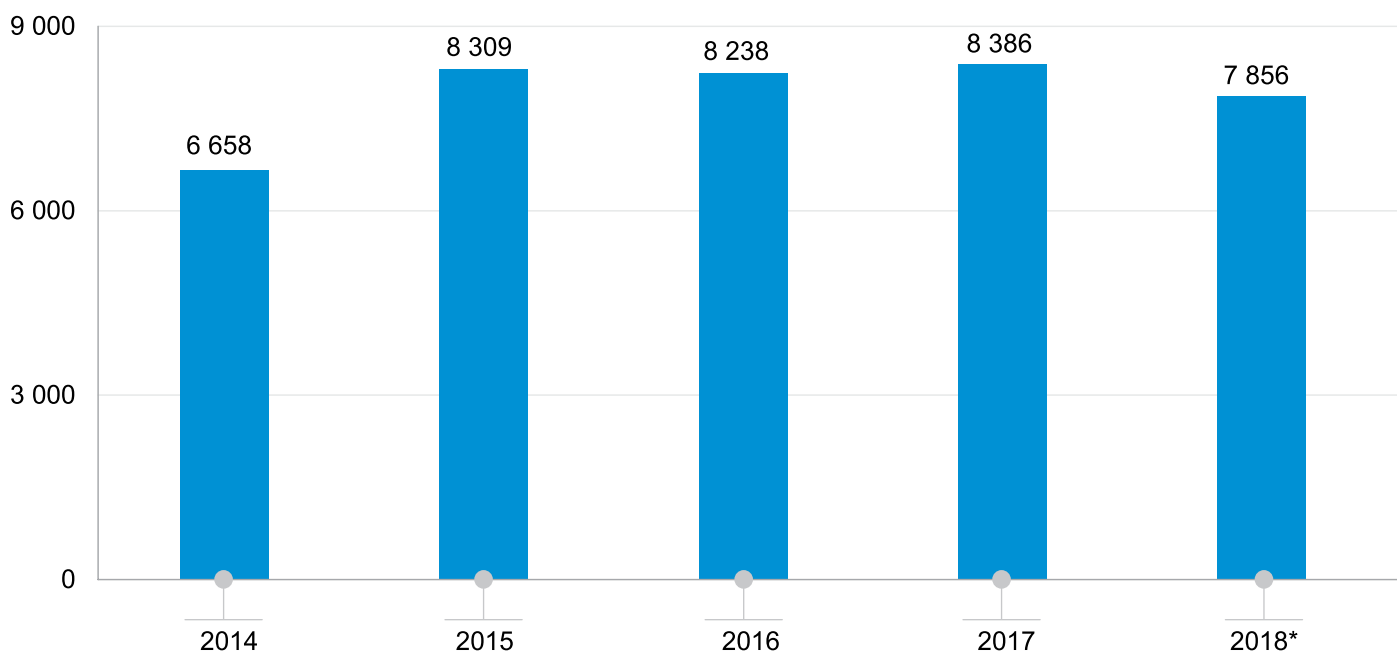
**NUMBER OF PIGS BY THE ENDS OF 2014-2018**  
(THS. HEADS)



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**NUMBER OF POULTRY BY THE ENDS OF 2014-2018**  
(THS. HEADS)



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According to the preliminary data, in the 4th quarter of 2018 milk production increased by 4.6 percent compared to the same period of the previous year and it has reached 87.0 million litres. The annual milk production of 2018 increased by 0.7 percent compared to results of 2017 and it consisted of 532.0 million litres.

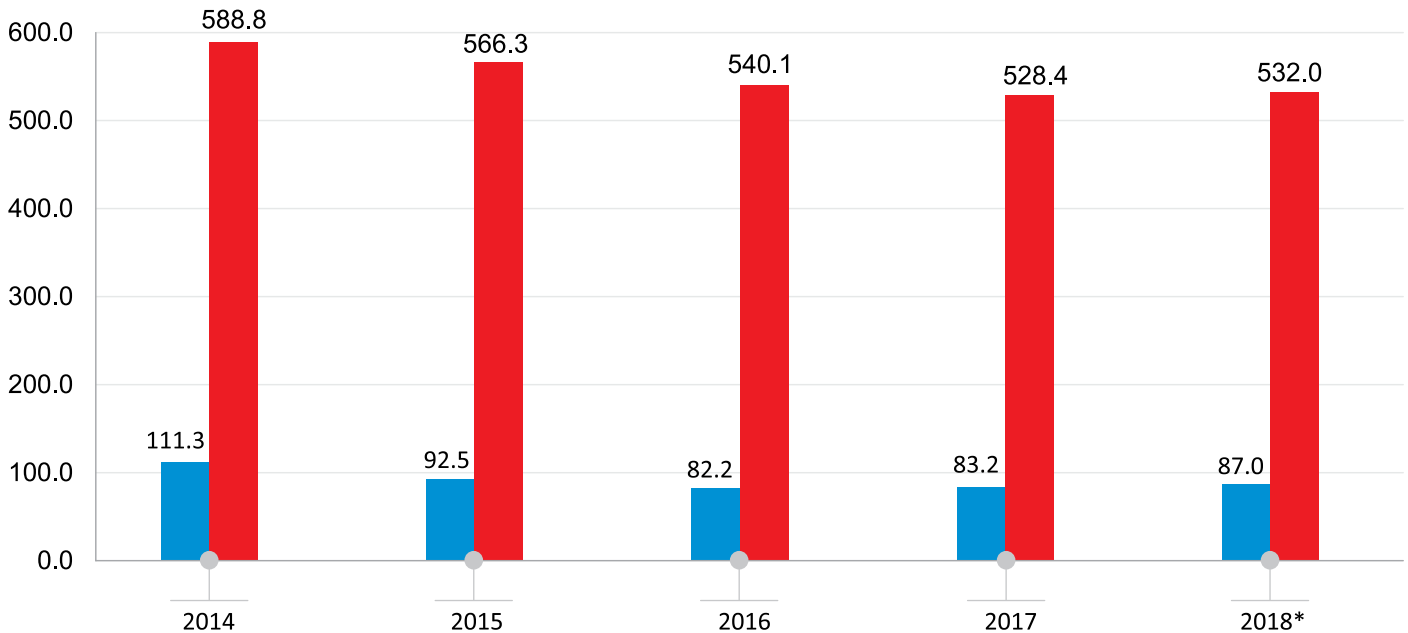
In the 4th quarter of 2018 meat production was 9.6 percent more than at the same period of 2017 and it amounted to 22.9 thousand tons. In 2018 the annual production of meat increased by 1.2 percent compared to 2017 and it equaled to 67.0 thousand tons.

In the 4th quarter of 2018 egg production amounted to 146.7 million pieces which is 2.9 percent less than in the same period of the previous year. The annual egg production of 2018 increased by 2.1 percent compared to 2017 and it has amounted to 612.6 million pieces.

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

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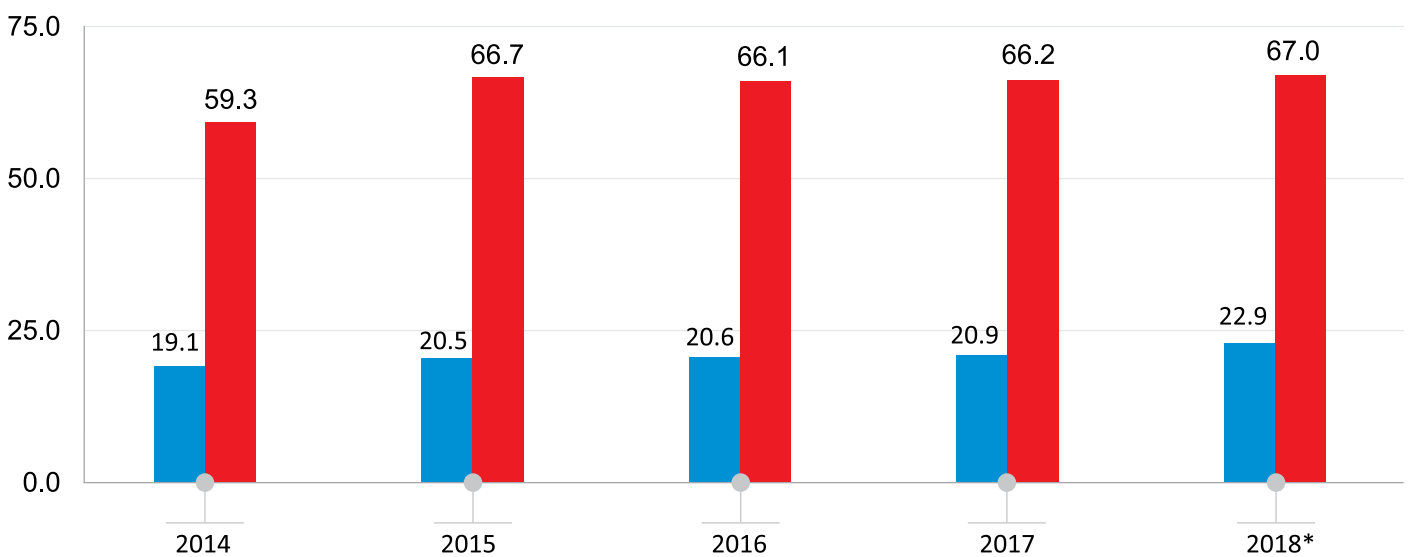
**MILK PRODUCTION IN 2014-2018**  
(MLN. LITRE)



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**MEAT PRODUCTION IN 2014-2018**  
(IN SLAUGHTERED WEIGHT, THS. TONS)

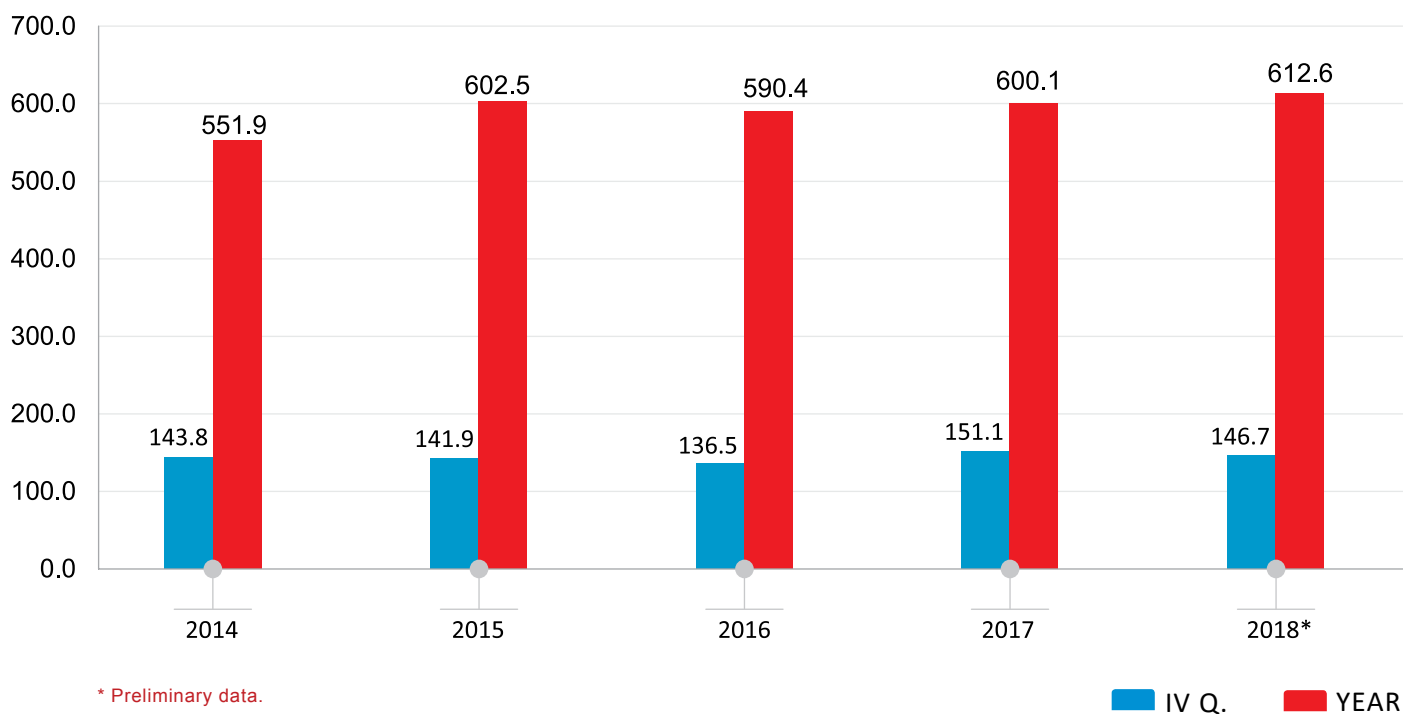


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**EGG PRODUCTION IN 2014-2018**  
(MLN. PIECES)



The following tables include data of 2017-2018 on the numbers of livestock and poultry, their export and import data, as well as production of livestock products in quarterly terms.

**NUMBERS OF LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY BY THE ENDS OF PERIODS**  
(THS. HEADS)

	2017				2018*			
	I Q	II Q	III Q	IV Q	I Q	II Q	III Q	IV Q
Bovine Animals	1 057.2	1 038.6	965.9	909.7	986.2	977.4	923.0	874.8
Of which dairy cows and buffaloes	512.5	504.9	487.6	477.4	475.3	467.0	454.1	438.6
Pigs	166.9	198.1	230.4	150.7	178.1	226.5	237.6	157.5
Sheep and Goats	1 230.5	1 133.0	942.8	907.0	1 225.3	1 158.1	980.9	909.4
Poultry	8 471.7	11 513.3	9 988.3	8 386.0	8 454.3	11 560.6	9 576.9	7 856.2

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### EXPORT OF LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY (THS. HEADS)

	2017					2018*				
	I Q	II Q	III Q	IV Q	Year	I Q	II Q	III Q	IV Q	Year
Bovine Animals	37.7	32.7	42.3	20.5	133.3	18.5	37.1	34.7	36.5	126.9
Pigs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sheep and Goats	14.5	16.2	51.0	9.3	91.0	2.4	17.6	46.3	0.5	66.9
Poultry	337.0	854.5	761.9	419.2	2 372.6	619.6	601.3	670.7	414.9	2 306.5

\* Preliminary data.

### IMPORT OF LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY (THS. HEADS)

	2017					2018*				
	I Q	II Q	III Q	IV Q	Year	I Q	II Q	III Q	IV Q	Year
Bovine Animals	0.9	1.6	1.3	1.3	5.1	0.6	0.5	0.3	0.4	1.9
Pigs	7.1	10.5	10.2	10.0	37.8	5.5	7.8	11.5	8.5	33.2
Sheep and Goats	-	6.4	0.8	11.6	18.9	31.6	21.5	0.9	72.1	126.1
Poultry	502.6	446.5	480.0	346.6	1 775.6	529.1	529.6	424.3	422.1	1 905.2

\* Preliminary data.

### PRODUCTION OF LIVESTOCK PRODUCTS

	2017					2018*				
	I Q	II Q	III Q	IV Q	Year	I Q	II Q	III Q	IV Q	Year
Meat (in slaughtered weight, ths. tons)	15.0	16.1	14.2	20.9	66.2	15.6	14.0	14.5	22.9	67.0
Milk (mln. litres)	104.4	193.5	147.2	83.2	528.4	99.5	183.4	162.1	87.0	532.0
Eggs (mln. pieces)	149.2	156.4	143.4	151.1	600.1	161.4	156.5	148.0	146.7	612.6

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

**Note:** In some cases, the discrepancy between the totals and the sum can be explained by using rounded data.

**Explanation of symbol:**

- Magnitude nil.

**Final data of 2018 will be available on June 14, 2019.**

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