



# Charoen Pokphand Foods Plc.

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### **CPF pig farm in the Philippines**

*The Nation, October 7, 2013*

CPF steps forward investing in the Philippines with the launch of world-class technology to encourage local farmers earn more income as well as ensure food safety.

Charoen Pokphand Foods Philippines Corporation will open three new pig farms at the investment cost of 1 billion peso (more than 700 million baht) to produce 20,000 pigs per year as well as to encourage small farmers to have higher income.

Arnnop Jeanprasert, senior vice president – Livestock Feed Business of the company, said three new pig farm will be opened this year, under which the first parent farm has already started operation and the other two farms will be completed within this October. Total production from the new farms will reach a combined of 20,200 pigs.

The farm expansion has come under the company's investment after feed and farm business have been operated. The company will step further the investment to cooperate more with local farmers to led them easier access good parent stock both pig and chicken. Then they will be the company's contracted farmers and earn higher income in the near future. The plan is to ensure that local people in the country will have high quality and safety meat at reasonable prices.

CPF's business policy is clear to produce high quality parent stock both livestock and aquacultural animals particularly shrimp, chicken and pig. In addition, the company has to manufacture high quality feed meal and implement world-class technology to local farmers. This plan ensures those people to farm successfully and allow people to have food safety goods.

The company also targets to increase number of pig from 5,200 this year to 20,200 pigs next year.

Arnnop added that CPF's investment is drawn to encourage its plan to launch supplementary job to small farmers. The company plans to create extra income to those farmers.

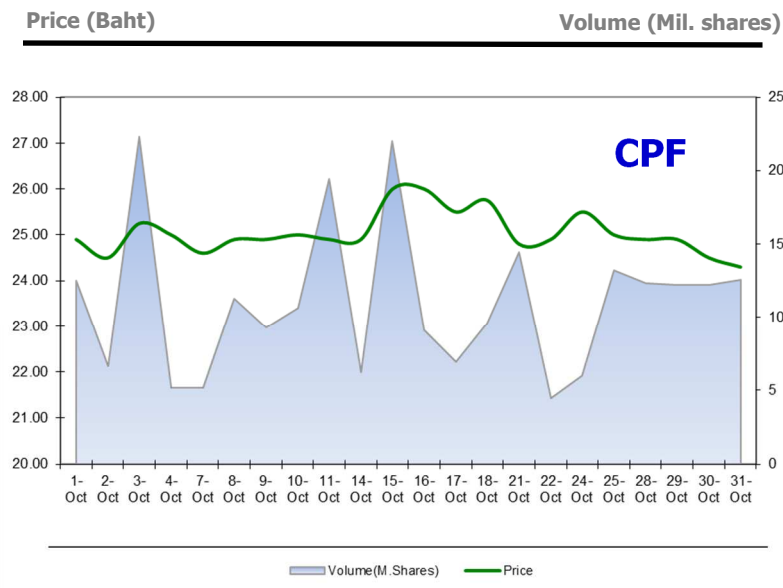
Currently, CPF's business in the Philippines consists feed manufacturing both livestock and aquaculture animals. The production draws mainly to serve domestic market.

## CPF received Excellent Corporate Governance Scoring

Charoen Pokphand Foods Public Company Limited received Excellent Corporate Governance Scoring according to the Corporate Governance Report of Thai Listed Companies 2013. The Report was developed by the Thai Institute of Directors Association (IOD), in collaboration with the Securities and Exchange Commission of Thailand (SEC) and The Stock Exchange of Thailand (SET).

The assessment was based on principles of the Organization for Economic Corporation and Development (OECD) consisting of five major categories, including rights of shareholders, equitable treatment of shareholders, roles of stakeholders, information disclosure and transparency, and responsibilities of the Board.

## Price Performances: CPF



September 2013	
Highest Price	26.50
Lowest Price	24.00
Closed Price	24.30
Average Volume/Day (Shares)	11,070,000

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