**PHILIPPINES**

The Philippines was the first country in Southeast Asia to plant biotech corn in 2003 after its approval for commercial planting in 2002.

**630,000 HECTARES**

BIOTECH CORN PLANTED IN THE PHILIPPINES IN 2018

**470,500**

FILIPINO FARMERS & THEIR FAMILIES BENEFITED FROM BIOTECH CORN IN 2018

**PHILIPPINES IS ONE OF 9 COUNTRIES IN ASIA PACIFIC PLANTING BIOTECH CROPS IN 2018**

**13TH BIGGEST PRODUCER OF BIOTECH/GM CROPS IN THE WORLD IN 2018**

**BIOTECH CROP APPROVALS**

13 biotech corn events approved for commercial planting since 2002

218 approvals for food, feed & cultivation for 105 events

**FILIPINO FARMERS BENEFIT FROM BIOTECH CORN**

“The adoption of biotech corn uplifted our lives as farmers. It gave us income far higher than income from conventional corn.”

DELSON SONZA

Sara, Iloilo

“I was able to buy my own farm machines. My steady income allowed me to explore other business opportunities.”

ROSALIE ELLASUS

San Jacinto, Pangasinan

“We no longer need to visit our corn field everyday and this gives us peace of mind.”

RYAN LISING

Magalang, Pampanga


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