

Contents

Abstract	4
1. Introduction	5
2. The Chilean pork sector	8
3. Methodology.....	10
3.1. Data treatment	11
3.2. Definition de variables.....	12
3.3. Factor analysis	13
3.4. Regression analysis	14
4. Results and Discussion	15
4.1. Strategies	15
4.2. Indicators	16
4.3. Labor indicators	17
4.4. Factor analysis	18
4.5. Labor productivity	23
5. Conclusions	31
6. References	31
7. Annex	36

List of Figures

Figure 1: Relation between energy expenditures per employee (thousands of pesos (M\$)/ employee) and labor productivity (tons/employee), and the input expenditures per employee (thousands of pesos (M\$)/ employee) and labor productivity (tons/ employee) 18

List of Tables

Table 1: Constructs obtained from the factor analysis 19