

hogs and pigs



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SEPTEMBER 1 INVENTORY

10 CORN BELT STATES: Hogs and pigs on farms September 1, 1973 in the 10 Corn Belt States are estimated at 45.9 million, virtually the same as a year earlier. According to the Crop Reporting Board:

- Number kept for breeding at 6.6 million head is up 1 percent.
- Market hogs and pigs, at 39.3 million head, are about the same as a year earlier.

14 QUARTERLY STATES: Farms held nearly 52.2 million head in the 14 States now included in the quarterly report.

- Number for breeding, 7.5 million head.
- Market hogs and pigs, 44.6 million head.

No comparison is available for a year earlier.

JUNE-AUGUST PIG CROP

10 CORN BELT STATES: The pig crop from June 1973 through August 1973, 15.7 million head, was down 4 percent from previous year. During the period, 2.2 million sows farrowed, 1 percent less than a year earlier. Number per litter averaged 7.08 pigs, down 2 percent from the June-August 1972 rate.

14 QUARTERLY STATES: The crop from June 1973 through August 1973 totaled 17.9 million pigs.

INTENDED FARROWINGS

10 CORN BELT STATES: Producers intend to farrow 2.3 million sows, September through November 1973, a minimal change from last year.

Intentions are to farrow nearly 2.0 million sows December 1973 through February 1974, about the same as farrowings last December through this February.

14 QUARTERLY STATES: Producers intend to farrow 2.6 million sows, September 1973 through November 1973, up fractionally from September through November 1972.

Intentions in the 14 States are to farrow 2.3 million sows, December 1973 through February 1974, 1 percent more than farrowings December 1972 through February 1973.

Hogs and Pigs: Number on farms, sows farrowing and pig crop,
10 States, 1971-1974

Item	1971	1972	1973	1974	1973 as percent of 1972:	1974 as percent of 1973
	1,000 head				Percent	
<u>Number on Farms-September 1:</u>						
All hogs and pigs	47,570	45,647	45,863		100	
Kept for breeding	6,540	6,496	6,555		101	
Market	41,030	39,151	39,308		100	
<u>Market hogs and pigs</u>						
<u>by weight groups:</u>						
Under 60 pounds	15,670	15,305	15,429		101	
60-119 pounds	10,344	10,089	10,353		103	
120-179 pounds	8,969	8,296	8,215		99	
180-219 pounds	5,077	4,596	4,446		97	
220 pounds and over	970	865	865		100	
<u>Sows farrowing:</u>						
December 1/-February	2,058	1,827	1,950	2/1,957	107	100
March-May	3,354	3,073	3,006		98	
December 1/-May	5,412	4,900	4,956		101	
June-August	2,330	2,243	2,210		99	
September-November	2,420	2,349	2/2,345		100	
June-November	4,750	4,592	3/4,555		99	
<u>Pig Crop:</u>						
December 1/-February	14,430	13,334	13,822		104	
March-May	24,338	22,380	21,476		96	
December 1/-May	38,768	35,714	35,298		99	
June-August	16,890	16,276	15,652		96	
September-November	17,554	16,679				
June-November	34,444	32,955				
<u>Pigs per litter:</u>						
		Number				
December 1/-February	7.01	7.30	7.09		97	
March-May	7.26	7.28	7.14		98	
December 1/-May	7.16	7.29	7.12		98	
June-August	7.25	7.26	7.08		98	
September-November	7.25	7.10				
June-November	7.25	7.18				

1/ December preceding year.

2/ Intentions.

3/ Intentions for September-November.

Hogs and Pigs: Number on farms, pig crop, inshipments, death loss and marketings by quarters, March 1-September 1, 1972 and 1973, 10 States

Item	1972	1973	
		Number	As % of 1972
		1,000 head	Percent
Hogs and Pigs on hand March 1	41,676	41,525	100
Pig Crop March-May	23,380	21,460	96
Inshipments <u>1/</u> March-May	280	280	100
Slaughter <u>2/</u> March-May	17,779	16,676	94
Death Loss March-May	1,170	1,240	106
Hogs and Pigs on hand June 1	45,387	45,349	100
Pig Crop June-August	16,276	15,652	96
Inshipments <u>1/</u> June-August	330	340	103
Slaughter <u>2/</u> June-August	15,346	14,378	94
Death Loss June-August	1,000	1,100	110
Hogs and Pigs on hand September 1	45,647	45,863	100

1/ Includes only those shipped in from States outside the 10 States.

2/ Includes farm slaughter, and feeder pig outshipments to States other than the 10 States.

Hogs and Pigs: Number on farms, sows farrowing and pig crop.
14 States, 1971-1974 ^{1/}

Item	1971	1972	1973	1974	1973 as percent of 1972	1974 as percent of 1973
	1,000 head				Percent	
<u>Number on farms-September 1:</u>						
All hogs and pigs			52,158			
Kept for breeding			7,547			
Market			44,611			
<u>Market hogs and pigs by weight groups:</u>						
Under 60 pounds			17,865			
60-119 pounds			11,763			
120-179 pounds			9,115			
180-219 pounds			4,880			
220 pounds and over			988			
<u>Sows Farrowing:</u>						
December ^{2/} -February	2,483	2,177	2,295	^{3/} 2,311	105	101
March-May	3,762	3,412	3,338		98	
December ^{2/} -May	6,245	5,589	5,633		101	
June-August	2,683	2,546	2,513		99	
September-November	2,699	2,609	^{3/} 2,621		100	
June-November	5,382	5,155	^{4/} 5,134		100	
<u>Pig Crop:</u>						
December ^{2/} -February			16,241			
March-May			23,895			
December ^{2/} -May	44,841	41,116	40,136		98	
June-August			17,871			
<u>Pigs per litter:</u>						
December ^{2/} -February			7.08			
March-May			7.16			
December ^{2/} -May	7.18	7.36	7.13		97	
June-August			7.11			

^{1/} Data not available for periods blank.

^{2/} December preceding year.

^{3/} Intentions.

^{4/} Intentions for September-November.

Hogs and Pigs: Number on farms, for breeding, market and total
June 1, 1972 and 1973, selected States

State	Breeding			Market			Total		
	1973			1973			1973		
	1972	Number	As % of 1972	1972	Number	As % of 1972	1972	Number	As % of 1972
	1,000 head	Percent		1,000 head	Percent		1,000 head	Percent	
Ohio	341	317	93	2,009	1,798	89	2,350	2,115	90
Indiana	670	696	104	4,130	4,104	99	4,800	4,800	100
Illinois	1,077	1,042	97	5,873	5,908	101	6,950	6,950	100
Wisconsin	261	271	104	1,189	1,237	104	1,450	1,508	104
Minnesota	549	600	109	2,883	3,150	109	3,432	3,750	109
Iowa	2,130	2,030	95	12,570	12,570	100	14,700	14,600	99
Missouri	690	660	96	3,610	3,590	99	4,300	4,250	99
S. Dakota	273	287	105	1,752	1,839	105	2,025	2,126	105
Nebraska	495	488	99	2,805	2,762	98	3,300	3,250	98
Kansas	291	300	103	1,789	1,700	95	2,080	2,000	96
Total 10 States	6,777	6,691	99	38,610	38,658	100	45,387	45,349	100
N. Carolina	342	349	102	1,838	1,766	96	2,180	2,115	97
Georgia	240	247	103	1,610	1,585	98	1,850	1,832	99
Kentucky	220	225	102	1,156	1,096	95	1,376	1,321	96
Texas	183	150	82	1,003	810	81	1,186	960	81
Total 14 States	7,762	7,662	99	44,217	43,915	99	51,979	51,577	99

Market Hogs and Pigs: Number on farms, by weight groups,
June 1, 1972 and 1973, selected States

State	Under		60-119		120-179		180-219		220 lbs. and over	
	60 lbs.		lbs.		lbs.		lbs.			
	1972	1973	1972	1973	1972	1973	1972	1973	1972	1973
	1,000 head									
Ohio	894	849	542	460	342	279	201	183	30	27
Indiana	1,611	1,683	1,239	1,120	785	801	425	410	70	90
Illinois	2,819	2,954	1,515	1,389	940	975	470	460	129	130
Wisconsin	643	648	238	251	180	191	96	116	32	31
Minnesota	1,413	1,654	692	756	461	441	231	220	86	79
Iowa	6,247	5,945	2,816	2,776	1,735	2,066	1,345	1,462	427	321
Missouri	1,750	1,850	790	810	580	480	370	320	120	130
S. Dakota	1,051	1,103	315	349	221	218	105	123	60	46
Nebraska	1,403	1,298	715	718	393	428	224	249	70	69
Kansas	859	816	447	391	250	255	179	187	54	51
Total 10 States	18,690	18,800	9,309	9,020	5,887	6,134	3,646	3,730	1,078	974
N. Carolina	829	857	498	438	320	298	151	138	40	35
Georgia	692	737	515	444	290	269	89	111	24	24
Kentucky	623	568	255	237	163	165	92	104	23	22
Texas	442	348	256	205	155	146	114	85	36	26
Total 14 States	21,276	21,310	10,833	10,344	6,815	7,012	4,092	4,168	1,201	1,081

Hogs and Pigs: Number on farms, for breeding, market and total
September 1, 1972 and 1973, selected States 1/

State	Breeding			Market			Total		
	1972	1973		1972	1973		1972	1973	
		Number	As % of 1972		Number	As % of 1972		Number	As % of 1972
	1,000 head	Percent	1,000 head	Percent	1,000 head	Percent	1,000 head	Percent	
Ohio	320	320	100	2,140	2,000	93	2,460	2,320	94
Indiana	714	693	97	4,386	4,407	100	5,100	5,100	100
Illinois	993	1,019	103	6,257	6,011	96	7,250	7,030	97
Wisconsin	232	243	105	1,218	1,267	104	1,450	1,510	104
Minnesota	548	651	119	2,988	3,417	114	3,536	4,068	115
Iowa	2,030	2,007	99	12,470	12,643	101	14,500	14,650	101
Missouri	610	620	102	3,740	3,580	96	4,350	4,200	97
S. Dakota	261	289	111	1,669	1,776	106	1,930	2,065	107
Nebraska	515	448	87	2,606	2,642	101	3,121	3,090	99
Kansas	273	265	97	1,677	1,565	93	1,950	1,830	94
Total 10 States:	6,496	6,555	101	39,151	39,308	100	45,647	45,863	100
N. Carolina		324			1,726			2,050	
Georgia		287			1,508			1,795	
Kentucky		216			1,134			1,350	
Texas		165			935			1,100	
Total 14 States:		7,547			44,611			52,158	

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Market Hogs and Pigs: Number on farms, by weight groups,
September 1, 1972 and 1973, selected States 1/

State	Under 60 lbs.		60-119 lbs.		120-179 lbs.		180-219 lbs.		220 lbs. and over	
	1972	1973	1972	1973	1972	1973	1972	1973	1972	1973
	1,000 head									
Ohio	888	800	535	530	454	440	242	210	21	20
Indiana	1,754	1,763	1,136	1,058	877	947	540	551	79	88
Illinois	2,378	2,374	1,545	1,545	1,470	1,341	714	619	150	132
Wisconsin	585	608	281	308	213	215	111	108	28	28
Minnesota	1,285	1,503	687	782	597	677	359	380	60	75
Iowa	4,539	4,615	3,379	3,514	2,719	2,718	1,546	1,505	287	291
Missouri	1,580	1,539	915	927	720	666	425	351	100	97
S. Dakota	617	639	526	560	334	342	159	197	33	38
Nebraska	1,016	978	691	713	560	568	282	328	57	55
Kansas	663	610	394	416	352	301	218	197	50	41
Total 10 States:	15,305	15,429	10,089	10,353	8,296	8,215	4,596	4,446	865	865
N. Carolina		794		449		293		150		40
Georgia		724		392		259		109		24
Kentucky		516		329		185		75		29
Texas		402		240		163		100		30
Total 14 States:		17,865		11,763		9,115		4,880		988

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Farrowings: Number of sows, pigs per litter and pig crop,
June-August 1971-73, selected States 1/

State	Sows farrowing				Pigs per litter		Pig crop 2/		
	1971	1972	1973		1972	1973	1972	1973	
			Number	As % of 1972				Number	As % of 1972
	1,000 head		Percent		Number		1,000 head	Percent	
Ohio	142	120	112	93	7.70	7.20	924	806	87
Indiana	244	235	242	103	7.56	7.25	1,777	1,755	99
Illinois	395	415	400	96	6.70	6.70	2,781	2,680	96
Wisconsin	104	96	101	105	7.40	7.25	710	732	103
Minnesota	198	190	210	111	7.35	7.25	1,397	1,523	109
Iowa	647	620	610	98	7.35	7.10	4,557	4,331	95
Missouri	270	245	228	93	7.19	7.19	1,762	1,639	93
South Dakota	77	75	80	107	7.20	6.95	540	556	103
Nebraska	165	157	142	90	7.20	7.05	1,130	1,001	89
Kansas	88	90	85	94	7.75	7.40	698	629	90
Total 10 States:	2,330	2,243	2,210	99	7.26	7.08	16,276	15,652	96
North Carolina	99	88	90	102		7.30		657	
Georgia	97	85	87	102		7.10		618	
Kentucky	82	68	70	103		7.40		518	
Texas	75	62	56	90		7.60		426	
Total 14 States:	2,683	2,546	2,513	99		7.11		17,871	

1/ Data not available for periods blank. 2/ Number of pigs born June through August, that were on hand September 1, or had been sold.

Farrowings: Number of sows, pigs per litter and pig crop,
September-November 1971-73, selected States 1/

State	Sows farrowing				1972	
	1971	1972	1973 2/		Pigs per litter	Pig crop 3/
			Number	As % of 1972		
	1,000 head		Percent		Number	1,000 head
Ohio	135	120	120	100	7.20	864
Indiana	210	215	217	101	7.26	1,561
Illinois	375	390	390	100	7.00	2,730
Wisconsin	122	100	102	102	7.55	755
Minnesota	172	185	210	114	7.20	1,332
Iowa	714	670	650	97	6.95	4,657
Missouri	281	265	260	98	7.00	1,855
South Dakota	98	96	108	113	7.00	672
Nebraska	194	190	178	94	7.20	1,368
Kansas	119	118	110	93	7.50	885
Total 10 States:	2,420	2,349	2,345	100	7.10	16,679
North Carolina	74	76	82	108		
Georgia	70	69	73	106		
Kentucky	62	62	65	105		
Texas	73	53	56	106		
Total 14 States:	2,699	2,609	2,621	100		

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Farrowings: Number of sows, pigs per litter and pig crop,
December 1/-February 1972-74, selected States

State	Sows farrowing				1973	
	1972	1973	1974 2/		Pigs per litter	Pig Crop 3/
			Number	As % of 1973		
	1,000 head		Percent	Number	1,000 head	
Ohio	105	100	93	93	7.00	700
Indiana	230	235	220	94	7.30	1,716
Illinois	310	340	330	97	7.00	2,380
Wisconsin	72	77	82	106	7.35	566
Minnesota	146	175	203	116	7.45	1,504
Iowa	462	485	510	105	7.00	3,395
Missouri	210	210	208	99	6.74	1,415
S. Dakota	65	75	76	101	7.20	540
Nebraska	130	150	135	90	7.20	1,080
Kansas	97	103	100	97	7.05	726
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Total 10 States	1,827	1,950	1,957	100	7.09	13,822
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N. Carolina	116	119	123	103	7.20	857
Georgia	106	108	110	102	6.60	713
Kentucky	66	66	65	98	7.20	475
Texas	62	52	56	108	7.20	374
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Total 14 States	2,177	2,295	2,311	101	7.08	16,241

1/ December preceding year.

2/ Intentions.

3/ Number of pigs born December through February, that were on hand March 1, or had been sold.

Farrowings: Number of sows, pigs per litter and pig crop
March-May 1971-73, selected States 1/

State	Sows farrowing				Pigs per litter		Pig crop 2/		
	1971	1972	1973		1972	1973	1973		
			Number	As % of 1972			Number	As % of 1972	
	1,000 head		Percent	Number	1,000 head	Percent			
Ohio	147	139	128	92	7.30	7.20	1,015	922	91
Indiana	264	256	250	98	7.33	7.16	1,876	1,790	95
Illinois	489	495	500	101	7.10	7.00	3,515	3,500	100
Wisconsin	149	122	110	90	7.40	7.30	903	803	89
Minnesota	280	236	245	104	7.55	7.45	1,782	1,825	102
Iowa	1,123	1,010	980	97	7.25	7.10	7,323	6,958	95
Missouri	317	285	285	100	7.22	7.25	2,058	2,000	100
South Dakota	197	165	168	102	7.25	7.15	1,196	1,201	100
Nebraska	260	240	215	90	7.20	7.00	1,728	1,505	87
Kansas	128	125	125	100	7.87	7.25	984	906	92
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Total 10 States	3,354	3,073	3,006	98	7.28	7.14	22,380	21,476	96
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N. Carolina	132	111	111	100	7.40			821	
Georgia	104	87	93	107	7.00			651	
Kentucky	93	84	80	95	7.40			592	
Texas	79	57	48	84	7.40			355	
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Total 14 States	3,762	3,412	3,338	98	7.16			25,895	

1/ Data not available for periods blank.

2/ Number of pigs born March through May, that were on hand June 1, or had been sold.