

HOGS AND PIGS



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INVENTORY 6 PERCENT HIGHER: U S inventory of hogs and pigs is estimated at 59.9 million head on December 1, 1978 according to the Crop Reporting Board. This is 6 percent above a year earlier, 9 percent more than December 1, 1976 and the largest December 1 inventory since 1973.

- Breeding inventory at 9.56 million is up 11 percent from a year ago and 19 percent above two years ago.
- Market hog inventory at 50.3 million is 5 percent above last year and 7 percent more than December 1, 1976.

The 14 Quarterly States with 51.1 million head on December 1 are up 6 percent from a year earlier and 9 percent above December 1, 1976. These 14 States account for approximately 85 percent of the total U S hog and pig inventory.

1978 PIG CROP: The U S pig crop for 1978 totaled nearly 88.2 million head, 2 percent more than during 1977 and 4 percent above the 1976 pig crop.

- December 1977 - May 1978 pig crop, estimated at 42.3 million head, is down 1 percent from a year earlier but is slightly above two years ago.
- June-November 1978 pig crop, estimated at 45.8 million head is 6 percent more than a year ago and 9 percent above the June-November 1976 crop.

The previous six month pig crop (June-November) is 76.5 percent of the December 1 all hog inventory compared with 76.4 percent a year earlier.

A total of 6.38 million sows farrowed during June-November 1978 -- 6 percent more than a year earlier. The litter size during this period averaged 7.19, the same as a year earlier.

In the 14 Quarterly States, the June-August 1978 pig crop totaled 19.2 million head, up 2 percent from a year ago. For the September-November period, the pig crop of 20.0 million increased 9 percent from the same period during 1977.

REPORTING CHANGES IN THIS ISSUE

- * The 180-219 pounds and 220 pounds and over market hog weight groups published in previous reports have been combined into the 180 pounds and over weight group.
- * Size group data for hog operations and inventory are published for the first time in this report, page 21.

FARROWING INTENTIONS: U.S. hog producers intend to farrow 6.90 million sows during the December 1978-May 1979 period, an increase of 15 percent from the same period a year earlier and 14 percent above two years ago.

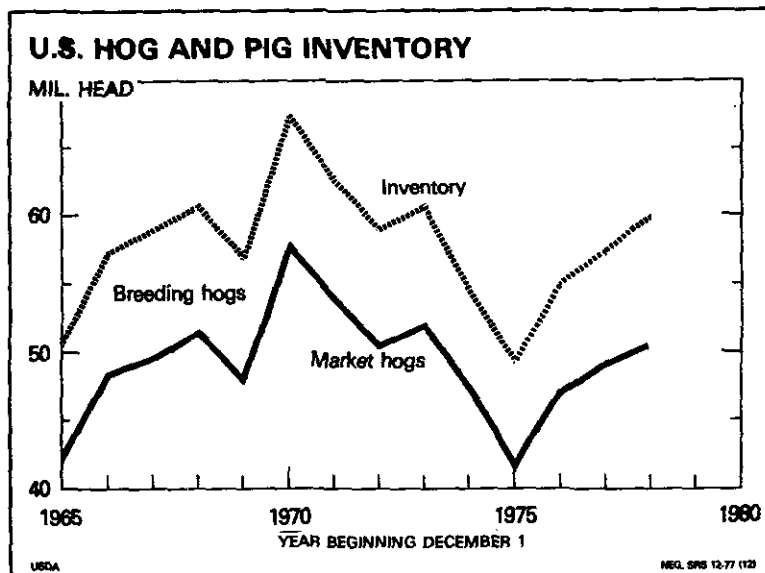
These intentions and a projected litter size indicate a pig crop of 49.4 million, 17 percent above a year earlier and 15 percent more than December 1976-May 1977.

Intentions in the 14 Quarterly States totaled 2.56 million head to farrow during December 1978-February 1979 period, 12 percent more than a year earlier. The March-May 1979 intentions at 3.32 million are 16 percent above the March-May 1978 quarter.

RELIABILITY AND ESTIMATING PROCEDURES: Primary data used in setting these hog estimates were obtained from probability surveys. Information was collected by mail, telephone and personal interviews. Since all operations with hogs were not included in the sample, survey estimates are subject to sampling variability. This variability, as measured by the relative standard error, is about two percent at the U.S. level for hog inventory. This means that chances are approximately 95 out of 100 that survey estimates will be within four percent of the complete coverage value if the same procedures were used to survey all producers. Survey estimates are also subject to non-sampling errors such as omissions, duplications, and mistakes in reporting, recording and processing the data. These errors cannot be measured directly, but they are minimized through rigid quality controls in the data collection process and a careful review of all reported data for consistency and reasonableness.

The sampling variability of survey estimates on intended farrowings is slightly larger than that for inventories. More important, actual farrowings may differ significantly from reported intentions due to unexpected economic and environmental conditions. These differences have exceeded four percent for about one-third of the quarterly pig crops during the last five years.

In setting the inventory estimates, the Crop Reporting Board constructed a U.S. balance sheet using estimates on births, deaths and check data on slaughter, imports and exports. This balance sheet provided an additional check on survey inventory estimates.



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HOGS AND PIGS: INVENTORY NUMBER, JUNE 1 AND DECEMBER 1, SOWS FARROWING, AND PIG CROP, 1976-1979, UNITED STATES

ITEM	1976	1977	1978	1979	1978 AS % OF		1979 AS
					1976	1977	% OF 1978
	1000 HEAD			PERCENT			
INVENTORY NUMBER-JUNE 1							
ALL HOGS AND PIGS	53930	54460	55110		102	101	
KEPT FOR BREEDING	8388	8688	8844		105	102	
MARKET	45542	45772	46266		102	101	
MARKET HOGS AND PIGS							
BY WEIGHT GROUPS:							
UNDER 60 POUNDS	21798	21558	20884		96	97	
60-119 POUNDS	11160	10892	11280		101	104	
120-179 POUNDS	7205	7679	7992		111	104	
180 POUNDS AND OVER	5379	5643	6110		114	108	
INVENTORY NUMBER-DECEMBER 1							
ALL HOGS AND PIGS	54934	56539	59860		109	106	
KEPT FOR BREEDING	8011	8604	9558		119	111	
MARKET	46923	47935	50303		107	105	
MARKET HOGS AND PIGS							
BY WEIGHT GROUPS:							
UNDER 60 POUNDS	18714	19424	21081		113	109	
60-119 POUNDS	12307	12399	12965		105	105	
120-179 POUNDS	8932	9110	9326		104	102	
180 POUNDS AND OVER	6970	7002	6930		99	99	
SOWS FARROWING:							
DECEMBER 1/-FEBRUARY	2456	2742	2740		112	100	
MARCH-MAY	3321	3308	3275		99	99	
DECEMBER 1/-MAY	5777	6050	6015	2/ 6903	104	99	115
JUNE-AUGUST	2965	3087	3158		107	102	
SEPTEMBER-NOVEMBER	2885	2922	3217		112	110	
JUNE-NOVEMBER	5850	6009	6375		109	106	
PIG CROP:							
DECEMBER 1/-FEBRUARY	17572	18532	18716		107	101	
MARCH-MAY	24605	24428	23625		96	97	
DECEMBER 1/-MAY	42177	42960	42341	3/ 49356	100	99	117
JUNE-AUGUST	21661	22240	22801		105	103	
SEPTEMBER-NOVEMBER	20557	20962	23039		112	110	
JUNE-NOVEMBER	42218	43202	45840		109	106	
YEAR	84395	86162	88181		104	102	
PIGS PER LITTER:		-NUMBER-					
DECEMBER 1/-FEBRUARY	7.15	6.76	6.83		96	101	
MARCH-MAY	7.41	7.38	7.21		97	98	
DECEMBER 1/-MAY	7.30	7.10	7.04	3/ 7.15	96	99	102
JUNE-AUGUST	7.31	7.20	7.22		99	100	
SEPTEMBER-NOVEMBER	7.13	7.17	7.16		100	100	
JUNE-NOVEMBER	7.22	7.19	7.19		100	100	

1/ DECEMBER PRECEDING YEAR.

2/ INTENTIONS.

3/ AVERAGE NUMBER OF PIGS PER LITTER WITH ALLOWANCE FOR TREND USED TO COMPUTE INDICATED DECEMBER-MAY PIG CROP.

HOGS AND PIGS: VALUE PER HEAD AND TOTAL VALUE, 1976-1978, UNITED STATES

ITEM	VALUE PER HEAD			TOTAL VALUE		
	1976	1977	1978	1976	1977	1978
	DOLLARS			1000 DOLLARS		
DEC. 1 ALL HOGS AND PIGS	47.00	63.20	83.30	2,582,568	3,575,279	4,986,498

UNITED STATES BALANCE SHEET
HOGS AND PIGS
1976-1978 1/

ITEM	1976	1977	1978
		MILLION	
PREVIOUS DECEMBER 1 INVENTORY	49.3	54.9	56.5
PIG CROP AND IMPORTS	84.4	86.2	88.3
TOTAL SUPPLY	133.7	141.1	144.8
SLAUGHTER	73.9	78.7	78.4
EXPORTS AND DEATHS	6.0	6.8	7.2
TOTAL DISAPPEARANCE	79.9	85.5	85.6
TO BALANCE	1.1	.9	.7
CURRENT DECEMBER 1 INVENTORY	54.9	56.5	59.9

1/ FINAL 1977 AND PRELIMINARY 1978 ESTIMATES WILL BE PUBLISHED IN MEAT ANIMALS, PRODUCTION, DISPOSITION AND INCOME, APRIL 1979.

FARROWINGS: NUMBER OF SOWS, PIG CROP AND PIGS PER LITTER,
1976-1979 14 STATES 1/

ITEM	1976	1977	1978	1979	1978 AS % OF		1979 AS
					1976	1977	PERCENT
	1000 HEAD				PERCENT		
SOWS FARROWING:							
DECEMBER 2/-FEBRUARY	2052	2304	2285	3/ 2564	111	99	112
MARCH-MAY	2907	2893	2870	3/ 3322	99	99	116
DECEMBER 2/-MAY	4959	5197	5155	3/ 5886	104	99	114
JUNE-AUGUST	2513	2600	2658		106	102	
SEPTEMBER-NOVEMBER	2524	2565	2796		111	109	
JUNE-NOVEMBER	5037	5165	5454		108	106	
PIG CROP:							
DECEMBER 2/-FEBRUARY	14696	15586	15626		106	100	
MARCH-MAY	21525	21386	20716		96	97	
DECEMBER 2/-MAY	36221	36972	36342		100	98	
JUNE-AUGUST	18389	18768	19195		104	102	
SEPTEMBER-NOVEMBER	17970	18421	20027		111	109	
JUNE-NOVEMBER	36359	37189	39222		108	105	
PIGS PER LITTER:							
		-NUMBER-					
DECEMBER 2/-FEBRUARY	7.16	6.76	6.84		95	101	
MARCH-MAY	7.40	7.39	7.22		97	98	
DECEMBER 2/-MAY	7.30	7.11	7.05		97	99	
JUNE-AUGUST	7.32	7.22	7.22		99	100	
SEPTEMBER-NOVEMBER	7.12	7.18	7.16		101	100	
JUNE-NOVEMBER	7.22	7.20	7.19		100	100	

1/ SEE FOOTNOTE, PAGE 5 FOR STATES INCLUDED.

2/ DECEMBER PRECEDING YEAR.

3/ INTENTIONS.

HOGS AND PIGS: INVENTORY NUMBER, MARCH 1, JUNE 1, SEPTEMBER 1, AND DECEMBER 1,
1976-1978 14 STATES 1/

ITEM	1976			1978 AS % OF	
	1976	1977	1978	1976	1977
	1000 HEAD			PERCENT	
INVENTORY NUMBER-MARCH 1					
ALL HOGS AND PIGS	40785	44020	44680	110	101
KEPT FOR BREEDING	6694	7003	6946	104	99
MARKET	34091	37017	37734	111	102
MARKET HOGS AND PIGS					
BY WEIGHT GROUPS:					
UNDER 60 POUNDS	13617	14199	14590	107	103
60-119 POUNDS	7748	8585	8987	116	105
120-179 POUNDS	7302	8387	8309	114	99
180 POUNDS AND OVER	5424	5846	5848	108	100
INVENTORY NUMBER-JUNE 1					
ALL HOGS AND PIGS	46235	46640	47205	102	101
KEPT FOR BREEDING	7071	7352	7450	105	101
MARKET	39164	39288	39755	102	101
MARKET HOGS AND PIGS					
BY WEIGHT GROUPS:					
UNDER 60 POUNDS	18825	18660	18041	96	97
60-119 POUNDS	9527	9272	9645	101	104
120-179 POUNDS	6204	6600	6888	111	104
180 POUNDS AND OVER	4608	4756	5181	112	109
INVENTORY NUMBER-SEPTEMBER 1					
ALL HOGS AND PIGS	48885	49123	49300	101	100
KEPT FOR BREEDING	6828	7186	7463	109	104
MARKET	42057	41937	41837	99	100
MARKET HOGS AND PIGS					
BY WEIGHT GROUPS:					
UNDER 60 POUNDS	17097	17500	17631	103	101
60-119 POUNDS	10629	10569	10447	98	99
120-179 POUNDS	8500	8055	7921	93	98
180 POUNDS AND OVER	5831	5813	5838	100	100
INVENTORY NUMBER-DECEMBER 1					
ALL HOGS AND PIGS	47120	48308	51130	109	106
KEPT FOR BREEDING	6788	7324	8089	119	110
MARKET	40332	40984	43041	107	105
MARKET HOGS AND PIGS					
BY WEIGHT GROUPS:					
UNDER 60 POUNDS	16118	16702	17988	112	108
60-119 POUNDS	10576	10559	11105	105	105
120-179 POUNDS	7682	7812	8039	105	103
180 POUNDS AND OVER	5956	5911	5909	99	100

1/ GEORGIA, ILLINOIS, INDIANA, IOWA, KANSAS, KENTUCKY, MINNESOTA, MISSOURI
NEBRASKA, NORTH CAROLINA, OHIO, SOUTH DAKOTA, TEXAS, WISCONSIN

HOGS AND PIGS: INVENTORY NUMBERS, BREEDING, MARKET AND TOTAL, DECEMBER 1, 1977-78

STATE	BREEDING			MARKET			TOTAL		
	1977	1978		1977	1978		1977	1978	
		AS % OF			AS % OF			AS % OF	
		NUMBER	1977		NUMBER	1977		NUMBER	1977
	1000 HEAD	PERCENT	1000 HEAD	PERCENT	1000 HEAD	PERCENT			
GA	275	302	110	1445	1498	104	1720	1800	105
ILL	884	982	111	5216	5568	107	6100	6550	107
IND	610	660	108	3490	3740	107	4100	4400	107
IOWA	2161	2280	106	12339	12820	104	14500	15100	104
KANS	280	294	105	1720	1666	97	2000	1960	98
KY	184	201	109	956	949	99	1140	1150	101
MINN	608	697	115	3392	3403	100	4000	4100	103
MO	660	746	113	3040	3354	110	3700	4100	111
NEBR	463	569	123	2687	3081	115	3150	3650	116
N C	340	364	107	1960	1986	101	2300	2350	102
OHIO	243	290	119	1507	1610	107	1750	1900	109
S DAK	237	264	111	1343	1356	101	1580	1620	103
TEX	128	135	105	762	665	87	890	800	90
WIS	251	305	122	1127	1345	119	1378	1650	120
TOTAL									
14 STS.	7324	8089	110	40984	43041	105	48308	51130	106
ALA	120	134	112	530	566	107	650	700	108
ALAS	.20	.30	150	.80	.80	100	1.00	1.10	110
ARIZ	13	18	138	89	126	142	102	144	141
ARK	92	89	97	308	311	101	400	400	100
CALIF	24	35	146	136	155	114	160	190	119
COLO	45	50	111	275	280	102	320	330	103
CONN	2.5	2.0	80	7.4	6.5	88	9.9	8.5	86
DEL	11	9	82	49	41	84	60	50	83
FLA	55	68	124	265	292	110	320	360	113
HAW	9	8	89	53	46	87	62	54	87
IDAHO	9	11	122	51	68	133	60	79	132
LA	30	31	103	130	109	84	160	140	88
MAINE	1.2	1.9	158	6.0	7.1	118	7.2	9.0	125
MD	32	38	119	168	177	105	200	215	108
MASS	8	8	100	52	52	100	60	60	100
MICH	101	134	133	539	676	125	640	810	127
MISS	76	72	95	344	338	98	420	410	98
MUNT	30	29	97	181	193	107	211	222	105
NEV	1.5	2.0	133	7.5	6.0	80	9.0	8.0	89
N H	1.0	1.4	140	8.5	7.0	82	9.5	8.4	88
N J	6	6	100	70	61	87	76	67	88
N MEX	8	8	100	52	42	81	60	50	83
N Y	19	22	116	106	118	111	125	140	112
N DAK	54	61	113	266	274	103	320	335	105
OKLA	45	47	104	285	268	94	330	315	95
OREG	16	17	106	84	83	99	100	100	100
PA	92	115	125	698	705	101	790	820	104
R I	1.6	1.8	113	7.9	8.1	103	9.5	9.9	104
S C	78	84	108	442	441	100	520	525	101
TENN	195	247	127	985	1053	107	1180	1300	110
UTAH	7	8	114	35	41	117	42	49	117
VT	1.6	1.3	81	5.4	5.0	93	7.0	6.3	90
VA	72	87	121	578	583	101	650	670	103
WASH	10	9	90	58	55	95	68	64	94
W VA	8	8	100	52	42	81	60	50	83
WYO	5	5	100	27	25	93	32	30	94
U.S.	8604	9558	111	47935	50303	105	56539	59860	106

MARKET HOGS AND PIGS: INVENTORY NUMBER, BY WEIGHT GROUPS,
DECEMBER 1, 1977-78

STATE	UNDER 60-LBS.		60-119 LBS.		120-179 LBS.		180 LBS AND OVER	
	1977	1978	1977	1978	1977	1978	1977	1978
1000 HEAD								
GA	604	629	360	385	295	311	186	173
ILL	2035	2185	1278	1420	1043	1100	860	863
IND	1305	1421	998	1066	719	748	468	505
IOWA	4936	5115	3369	3500	2245	2424	1789	1781
KANS	670	683	422	417	344	308	284	258
KY	411	427	210	206	172	161	163	155
MINN	1462	1515	875	840	617	637	438	411
MO	1353	1643	668	771	578	520	441	420
NEBR	1107	1295	658	785	529	554	393	447
N C	784	854	535	469	361	375	280	288
OHIO	577	706	398	428	353	286	179	190
S DAK	604	633	322	330	242	230	175	163
TEX	282	250	219	175	145	145	116	95
WIS	572	632	247	313	169	240	139	160
TOTAL								
14 STS.	16702	17988	10559	11105	7812	8039	5911	5909
ALA	249	310	118	96	102	102	61	58
ALAS	.28	.36	.28	.24	.12	.12	.12	.08
ARIZ	29	39	22	34	18	28	20	25
ARK	123	164	99	64	46	48	40	35
CALIF	60	60	29	50	27	24	20	21
COLO	115	116	65	66	52	60	43	38
CONN	3.4	2.8	1.4	1.6	1.6	1.2	1.0	.9
DEL	23	15	9	10	10	9	7	7
FLA	117	117	66	105	58	38	24	32
HAW	24	22	15	14	10	8	4	2
IDAHO	20	28	17	20	7	11	7	9
LA	55	45	33	27	25	22	17	15
MAINE	2.1	2.8	1.9	1.4	.5	1.5	1.5	1.4
MD	61	74	36	40	40	37	31	26
MASS	21	21	14	16	10	8	7	7
MICH	174	240	169	193	117	124	79	119
MISS	148	145	82	91	62	54	52	48
MONT	69	66	49	57	32	45	31	25
NEV	2.9	2.4	1.5	1.6	1.4	1.0	1.7	1.0
N H	3.4	3.1	2.9	1.3	.3	1.5	1.9	1.1
N J	13	13	17	18	18	15	22	15
N MEX	21	18	15	11	9	7	7	6
N Y	37	40	28	32	25	29	16	17
N DAK	96	108	57	68	56	51	57	47
OKLA	94	90	87	85	63	55	41	38
OREG	33	34	21	23	15	15	15	11
PA	244	282	230	197	98	120	126	106
R I	3.5	3.2	2.1	2.7	1.3	1.4	1.0	.8
S C	177	177	123	123	86	84	56	57
TENN	463	548	207	247	148	126	167	132
UTAH	15	17	8	10	7	8	5	6
VT	1.4	1.7	1.2	1.0	1.4	1.7	1.4	.6
VA	174	239	179	125	127	128	98	91
WASH	19	22	17	14	11	11	11	8
W VA	21	17	12	8	6	6	13	11
WYO	10	10	5	6	7	6	5	3
U.S.	19424	21081	12399	12965	9111	9326	7002	6930

HOGS AND PIGS: INVENTORY NUMBERS, BREEDING, MARKET AND TOTAL, JUNE 1, 1977-78

STATE	BREEDING		MARKET		TOTAL				
	1978		1978		1978				
	1977	AS % OF NUMBER 1977	1977	AS % OF NUMBER 1977	1977	AS % OF NUMBER 1977			
	1000 HEAD	PERCENT	1000 HEAD	PERCENT	1000 HEAD	PERCENT			
GA	257	278	108	1213	1312	108	1470	1590	108
ILL	845	897	106	4905	5203	106	5750	6100	106
IND	611	635	104	3089	3215	104	3700	3850	104
IOWA	2205	2130	97	12495	12070	97	14700	14200	97
KANS	297	278	94	1683	1572	93	1980	1850	93
KY	185	190	103	885	810	92	1070	1000	93
MINN	595	602	101	2805	3048	109	3400	3650	107
MO	623	623	100	3177	3127	98	3800	3750	99
NEBR	495	540	109	2805	2960	106	3300	3500	106
N C	317	326	103	1603	1709	107	1920	2035	106
OHIO	262	269	103	1278	1361	106	1540	1630	106
S DAK	248	252	102	1452	1428	98	1700	1680	99
TEX	156	144	92	754	686	91	910	830	91
WIS	256	286	112	1144	1254	110	1400	1540	110
TOTAL 14 STS.	7352	7450	101	39288	39755	101	46640	47205	101
ALA	112	135	121	488	555	114	600	690	115
MICH	121	120	99	549	510	93	670	630	94
MISS	76	65	86	304	295	97	380	360	95
N DAK	45	56	124	275	274	100	320	330	103
OKLA	53	51	96	287	289	101	340	340	100
PA	91	91	100	559	559	100	650	650	100
S C	90	89	99	410	396	97	500	485	97
TENN	222	220	99	978	880	90	1200	1100	92
VA	93	102	110	507	558	110	600	660	110
OTHER 1/	433	465	107	2127	2195	103	2560	2660	104
U.S.	8688	8844	102	45772	46266	101	54460	55110	101

1/ INDIVIDUAL STATE ESTIMATES NOT AVAILABLE FOR 27 STATES.

MARKET HOGS AND PIGS: INVENTORY NUMBER, BY WEIGHT GROUPS,
JUNE 1, 1977-78

STATE	UNDER 60-LBS.		90-119 LBS.		120-179 LBS.		180 LBS AND OVER	
	1977	1978	1977	1978	1977	1978	1977	1978
	1000 HEAD							
GA	568	590	340	380	206	227	99	115
ILL	2158	2211	1202	1301	834	947	711	744
IND	1300	1408	798	832	618	591	373	384
IOWA	5998	5347	2811	2925	2124	2144	1562	1654
KANS	732	684	446	417	295	275	210	196
KY	460	428	195	179	124	113	106	90
MINN	1388	1402	632	719	457	494	328	433
MO	1665	1563	702	672	467	544	343	348
NEBR	1360	1335	673	704	449	516	323	405
N C	705	709	407	410	302	359	189	231
OHIO	593	649	300	306	247	227	138	179
S DAK	777	781	322	310	199	191	154	146
TEX	312	282	198	179	134	112	110	113
WIS	644	652	246	311	144	148	110	143
TOTAL								
14 STS.	18660	18041	9272	9645	6600	6888	4756	5181
ALA	244	282	126	120	71	88	47	65
MICH	238	215	126	108	114	86	71	101
MISS	149	131	85	79	41	53	29	32
N DAK	143	140	59	58	38	43	35	33
OKLA	96	80	75	84	50	61	66	64
PA	240	213	145	151	101	106	73	89
S C	195	182	114	115	66	68	35	31
TENN	480	449	215	203	151	123	132	105
VA	201	218	162	173	86	103	58	64
OTHER 1/	912	933	513	544	361	373	341	345
U.S.	21556	20884	10892	11280	7679	7992	5643	6110

1/ INDIVIDUAL STATE ESTIMATES NOT AVAILABLE FOR 27 STATES.

FARROWINGS: NUMBER OF SOWS, PIGS PER LITTER AND PIG CROP,
DECEMBER 1/-MAY, 1977-79

STATE	SOWS FARROWING				PIGS PER LITTER		PIG CROP	
	1977	1978	1979 2/		1977	1978	1977	1978
			NUMBER	AS % OF 1978				
	1000 HEAD		PERCENT		NUMBER		1000 HEAD	
GA	165	167	184	110	6.89	6.75	1137	1128
ILL	675	705	780	111	6.84	6.83	4618	4815
IND	400	410	445	109	6.78	6.90	2711	2831
IOWA	1530	1440	1610	112	7.22	7.10	11043	10218
KANS	222	205	235	115	7.45	6.91	1655	1417
KY	127	126	140	111	6.44	6.22	818	784
MINN	420	440	530	120	7.39	7.40	3105	3258
MO	457	430	520	121	7.10	7.13	3243	3067
NEBR	340	355	435	123	7.39	7.22	2514	2564
N C	218	230	255	111	7.07	7.10	1542	1633
OHIO	188	178	210	118	6.78	6.81	1275	1213
S DAK	190	194	225	116	7.42	7.19	1409	1395
TEX	98	92	97	105	6.59	6.68	646	615
WIS	167	183	220	120	7.52	7.67	1255	1404
TOTAL								
14 STS.	5197	5155	5886	114	7.11	7.05	36972	36342
ALA	80	83	97	117	6.7	6.7	536	556
ALAS	.14	.16			7.1	6.9	1.00	1.10
ARIZ	12	12			7.8	8.0	94	96
ARK	44	44			7.0	7.0	308	308
CALIF	15	19			7.0	6.5	105	124
COLO	31	37			7.2	7.1	223	263
CONN	1.1	1.2			6.6	7.0	7.3	8.4
DEL	6.6	5.0			7.1	7.0	47	35
FLA	30	37			6.7	6.5	201	241
HAW	5.8	5.5			6.7	6.8	39	37
IDAHO	6.0	7.0			7.2	8.0	43	56
LA	15	13			7.3	6.8	110	88
MAINE	.8	.7			6.8	6.6	5.4	4.6
MD	19	20			7.0	7.1	133	142
MASS	5.0	5.0			6.9	7.2	35	36
MICH	76	78	100	128	7.1	7.0	540	546
MISS	43	36	36	100	6.5	6.9	280	248
MONT	19	23			7.5	7.5	143	173
NEV	1.1	.9			7.0	7.4	7.7	6.7
N H	.8	.8			6.1	6.4	4.9	5.1
N J	4.8	3.4			5.8	6.0	28	20
N MEX	7.0	6.0			6.9	7.8	48	47
N Y	13	13			7.2	7.7	94	100
N DAK	34	34	38	112	7.3	7.5	248	255
OKLA	35	30	32	107	6.9	6.8	242	204
OREG	11	10			7.2	7.2	79	72
PA	68	62	80	129	7.7	7.3	524	453
R I	.7	.9			5.6	6.1	3.9	5.5
S C	52	52	56	108	6.7	6.5	348	338
TENN	138	143	185	129	7.0	6.9	966	987
UTAH	6.0	5.0			7.7	6.8	46	34
VT	.7	.6			7.2	7.3	5.0	4.4
VA	55	58	68	117	6.8	6.9	374	400
WASH	7.4	6.0			7.7	7.8	57	47
W VA	6.0	5.7			7.2	7.0	43	40
WYO	2.7	2.3			7.0	7.4	19	17
OTHER 3/			325	113				
U.S.	6050	6015	6903	115	7.10	7.04	42960	42341

1/ DECEMBER PRECEDING YEAR.

2/ INTENTIONS.

3/ INDIVIDUAL STATE INTENTION ESTIMATES NOT AVAILABLE.

FARROWINGS: NUMBER OF SOWS, BY QUARTERS, DECEMBER 1/-FEBRUARY AND MARCH-MAY,
1977-78

STATE	DECEMBER-FEBRUARY			MARCH-MAY		
	1977	1978	1978 AS % OF 1977	1977	1978	1978 AS % OF 1977
	1000 HEAD		PERCENT	1000 HEAD		PERCENT
GA	87	85	98	78	82	105
ILL	291	300	103	384	405	105
IND	199	200	101	201	210	104
IOWA	620	600	97	910	840	92
KANS	107	100	93	115	105	91
KY	60	61	102	67	65	97
MINN	200	215	108	220	225	102
MO	205	190	93	252	240	95
NEBR	140	145	104	200	210	105
N C	110	115	105	108	115	106
OHIO	98	80	82	90	98	109
S DAK	72	72	100	118	122	103
TEX	50	47	94	48	45	94
WIS	65	75	115	102	108	106
TOTAL 14 STS.	2304	2285	99	2893	2870	99
ALA	45	48	107	35	35	100
ALAS	.05	.06	120	.09	.10	111
ARIZ	6	6	100	6	6	100
ARK	24	24	100	20	20	100
CALIF	8	10	125	7	9	129
COLO	16	18	113	15	19	127
CONN	.5	.7	140	.6	.5	83
DEL	3.8	3.0	79	2.8	2.0	71
FLA	15	21	140	15	16	107
HAW	2.9	2.7	93	2.9	2.8	97
IDAHO	2.0	4.0	200	4.0	3.0	75
LA	9	8	89	6	5	83
MAINE	.2	.2	100	.6	.5	83
MD	8	10	125	11	10	91
MASS	2.0	2.0	100	3.0	3.0	100
MICH	40	41	103	36	37	103
MISS	21	19	90	22	17	77
MONT	9	11	122	10	12	120
NEV	.5	.4	80	.6	.5	83
N H	.4	.4	100	.4	.4	100
N J	2.2	1.6	73	2.6	1.8	69
N MEX	4.0	3.3	83	3.0	2.7	90
N Y	7	7	100	6	6	100
N DAK	14	15	107	20	19	95
OKLA	18	16	89	17	14	82
OREG	5	5	100	6	5	83
PA	33	32	97	35	30	86
R I	.4	.4	100	.3	.5	167
S C	24	26	108	28	26	93
TENN	77	79	103	61	64	105
UTAH	3.0	2.6	87	3.0	2.4	80
VT	.3	.2	67	.4	.4	100
VA	29	30	103	26	28	108
WASH	3.7	3.0	81	3.7	3.0	81
W VA	2.6	3.4	131	3.4	2.3	68
WYO	1.3	1.4	108	1.4	.9	64
U.S.	2742	2740	100	3308	3275	99

1/ DECEMBER PRECEDING YEAR.

FARROWINGS: NUMBER OF SOWS, PIGS PER LITTER AND PIG CROP,
JUNE-NOVEMBER 1977-78

STATE	SOWS FARROWING			PIGS		PIG CROP		
	1977	1978		PER LITTER		1977	1978	
		NUMBER	AS % OF 1977	1977	1978		NUMBER	AS % OF 1977
GA	162	172	106	7.02	6.98	1138	1200	105
ILL	690	715	104	6.97	7.00	4812	5005	104
IND	405	440	109	7.10	7.10	2876	3126	109
IOWA	1430	1480	103	7.20	7.20	10296	10654	103
KANS	207	213	103	7.17	7.10	1485	1513	102
KY	133	138	104	7.11	7.20	946	994	105
MINN	465	460	99	7.30	7.37	3393	3391	100
MO	455	505	111	7.23	7.20	3288	3635	111
NEBR	340	395	116	7.22	7.25	2456	2865	117
N C	223	237	106	7.32	7.20	1633	1707	105
OHIO	188	204	109	7.43	7.28	1396	1485	106
S DAK	183	190	104	7.30	7.14	1335	1356	102
TEX	92	90	98	7.18	7.12	661	641	97
WIS	192	215	112	7.68	7.67	1474	1650	112
TOTAL 14 STS.	5165	5454	106	7.20	7.19	37189	39222	105
ALA	74	87	118	7.3	7.0	540	609	113
ALAS	.10	.16	160	7.0	7.5	.70	1.20	171
ARIZ	11	16	145	7.9	7.5	87	120	138
ARK	54	54	100	7.1	7.1	383	383	100
CALIF	16	20	125	7.8	8.0	125	160	128
COLO	33	38	115	7.3	7.0	241	266	110
CONN	1.0	.9	90	7.0	6.8	7.0	6.1	87
DEL	7.5	6.0	80	7.3	6.9	55	41	75
FLA	33	36	109	6.5	6.8	215	245	114
HAW	5.5	5.3	96	6.7	6.4	37	34	92
IDAMO	5.0	6.5	130	7.4	7.6	37	49	132
LA	15	14	93	7.0	6.7	105	94	90
MAINE	.9	1.2	133	6.4	6.0	5.8	7.2	124
MD	21	22	105	7.2	7.3	151	161	107
MASS	6.5	6.0	92	6.6	6.8	43	41	95
MICH	72	84	117	6.7	7.4	482	622	129
MISS	40	39	98	7.0	7.2	280	281	100
MONT	19	21	111	7.6	7.5	144	158	110
NEV	1.0	.9	90	7.5	7.0	7.5	6.3	84
N H	1.1	1.0	91	7.2	7.3	7.9	7.3	92
N J	3.8	4.0	105	5.6	6.2	21	25	119
N MEX	6.0	5.0	83	7.3	7.9	44	40	91
N Y	14	15	106	7.6	7.8	107	117	109
N DAK	28	32	114	7.4	7.2	207	230	111
OKLA	36	34	94	7.0	6.9	252	235	93
OREG	12	12	100	7.5	7.7	90	92	102
PA	66	72	109	7.4	7.3	488	526	108
R I	1.0	.9	90	6.5	6.7	6.5	6.0	92
S C	51	52	102	6.9	7.1	352	370	105
TENN	137	160	117	7.1	7.2	973	1152	118
UTAH	4.5	5.0	111	6.9	7.1	31	36	116
VT	.8	.7	88	7.1	7.2	5.7	5.0	88
VA	50	55	110	7.1	7.0	355	385	108
WASH	7.5	6.4	85	7.5	7.5	56	48	86
W VA	6.5	5.5	85	7.5	7.0	49	39	80
WYO	3.2	2.8	88	6.9	7.0	22	20	91
U.S.	6009	6375	106	7.19	7.19	43202	45840	106

FARROWINGS: NUMBER OF SOWS, BY QUARTERS, JUNE-AUGUST AND SEPTEMBER-NOVEMBER,
1977-78

STATE	JUNE-AUGUST			SEPTEMBER-NOVEMBER		
	1977	1978	1978 AS % OF 1977	1977	1978	1978 AS % OF 1977
	1000 HEAD		PERCENT	1000 HEAD		PERCENT
GA	82	90	110	80	82	103
ILL	350	355	101	340	360	106
IND	215	230	107	190	210	111
IOWA	710	710	100	720	770	107
KANS	100	103	103	107	110	103
KY	70	75	107	63	63	100
MINN	225	215	96	240	245	102
MO	230	235	102	225	270	120
NEBR	155	185	119	185	210	114
N C	123	120	98	100	117	117
OHIO	98	94	96	90	110	122
S DAK	88	86	98	95	104	109
TEX	52	50	96	40	40	100
WIS	102	110	108	90	105	117
TOTAL 14 STS.	2600	2658	102	2565	2796	109
ALA	49	51	104	25	36	144
ALAS	.06	.08	133	.04	.08	200
ARIZ	6	9	150	5	7	140
ARK	38	31	82	16	23	144
CALIF	8	9	113	8	11	138
COLO	17	20	118	16	18	113
CONN	.6	.6	100	.4	.3	75
DEL	4.0	3.5	88	3.5	2.5	71
FLA	20	24	120	13	12	92
HAW	2.7	2.7	100	2.8	2.6	93
IDAHO	3.0	3.5	117	2.0	3.0	150
LA	8	8	100	7	6	86
MAINE	.4	.5	125	.5	.7	140
MD	14	14	100	7	8	114
MASS	2.8	3.0	107	3.7	3.0	81
MICH	47	50	106	25	34	136
MISS	21	19	90	19	20	105
MONT	9	11	122	10	10	100
NEV	.6	.5	83	.4	.4	100
N H	.5	.5	100	.6	.5	83
N J	2.5	2.7	108	1.3	1.3	100
N MEX	3.7	3.0	81	2.3	2.0	87
N Y	9	9	100	5	6	118
N DAK	15	18	120	13	14	108
OKLA	22	18	82	14	16	114
OREG	7	6	86	5	6	120
PA	36	40	111	30	32	107
R I	.5	.4	80	.5	.5	100
S C	25	25	100	26	27	104
TENN	76	80	105	61	80	131
UTAH	1.9	2.0	105	2.6	3.0	115
VT	.5	.3	60	.3	.4	133
VA	27	27	100	23	28	122
WASH	3.8	3.0	79	3.7	3.4	92
W VA	3.5	3.0	86	3.0	2.5	83
WYO	2.0	1.5	75	1.2	1.3	108
U.S.	3087	3158	102	2922	3217	110

HOGS AND PIGS: INVENTORY NUMBERS, BREEDING, MARKET AND TOTAL, MARCH 1, 1977-78,
14 STATES

STATE	BREEDING				MARKET				TOTAL	
	1977	1978		1977	1978		1977	1978		
		AS % OF			AS % OF			AS % OF		
		NUMBER	1977		NUMBER	1977		NUMBER	1977	
	1000 HEAD	PERCENT	1000 HEAD	PERCENT	1000 HEAD	PERCENT				
GA	248	250	101	1302	1300	100	1550	1550	100	
ILL	876	868	99	4774	4732	99	5650	5600	99	
IND	570	559	98	3230	3241	100	3800	3800	100	
IOWA	2106	2054	98	11394	11546	101	13500	13600	101	
KANS	314	266	85	1686	1634	97	2000	1900	95	
KY	173	179	103	847	841	99	1020	1020	100	
MINN	544	581	107	2656	3119	117	3200	3700	116	
MO	602	626	104	2858	2874	101	3460	3500	101	
NEBR	406	435	107	2494	2515	101	2900	2950	102	
N C	288	310	108	1512	1690	112	1800	2000	111	
OHIO	262	237	90	1428	1363	95	1690	1600	95	
S DAK	270	220	81	1230	1200	98	1500	1420	95	
TEX	137	120	88	713	680	95	850	800	94	
WIS	207	241	116	893	999	112	1100	1240	113	
TOTAL 14 STS.	7003	6946	99	37017	37734	102	44020	44680	101	

MARKET HOGS AND PIGS: INVENTORY NUMBER, BY WEIGHT GROUPS,
MARCH 1, 1977-78,
14 STATES

STATE	UNDER 60-LBS.		90-119 LBS.		120-179 LBS.		180 LBS AND OVER	
	1977	1978	1977	1978	1977	1978	1977	1978
	1000 HEAD							
GA	586	546	350	390	241	238	125	126
ILL	1671	1821	1184	1136	1112	1065	807	710
IND	1224	1332	701	684	743	722	562	503
IOWA	4125	4157	2449	2702	2917	2771	1903	1916
KANS	666	598	391	405	351	389	278	242
KY	339	339	225	213	148	156	135	133
MINN	1156	1323	584	692	518	639	398	465
MO	1200	1116	700	704	572	592	386	462
NEBR	888	980	586	640	616	535	404	360
N C	612	693	405	414	304	338	191	245
OHIO	536	491	378	327	300	293	214	252
S DAK	516	497	283	287	240	259	191	157
TEX	303	285	166	160	137	130	107	105
WIS	377	412	183	233	188	182	145	172
TOTAL 14 STS.	14199	14590	8585	8987	8387	8309	5846	5848

HOGS AND PIGS: INVENTORY NUMBERS, BREEDING, MARKET AND TOTAL, SEPTEMBER 1, 1977-78,
14 STATES

STATE	BREEDING			MARKET			TOTAL		
	1977	1978		1977	1978		1977	1978	
		NUMBER	AS % OF 1977		NUMBER	AS % OF 1977		NUMBER	AS % OF 1977
	1000 HEAD	PERCENT	1000 HEAD	PERCENT	1000 HEAD	PERCENT	1000 HEAD	PERCENT	
GA	257	269	105	1303	1361	104	1560	1630	104
ILL	885	910	103	5215	5240	100	6100	6150	101
IND	624	630	101	3676	3870	105	4300	4500	105
IOWA	2100	2131	101	12900	12669	98	15000	14800	99
KANS	264	293	111	1796	1657	92	2060	1950	95
KY	195	189	97	925	891	96	1120	1080	96
MINN	575	605	105	3225	3045	94	3800	3650	96
MO	624	645	103	3376	3305	98	4000	3950	99
NEBR	465	522	112	2765	3008	109	3230	3530	109
N C	338	332	98	1912	1808	95	2250	2140	95
OHIO	237	258	109	1343	1392	104	1580	1650	104
S DAK	237	249	105	1533	1491	97	1770	1740	98
TEX	135	135	100	815	735	90	950	870	92
WIS	250	295	118	1153	1365	118	1400	1660	118
TOTAL									
14 STS.	7186	7463	104	41937	41837	100	49120	49300	100

MARKET HOGS AND PIGS: INVENTORY NUMBER, BY WEIGHT GROUPS,
SEPTEMBER 1, 1977-78,
14 STATES

STATE	UNDER 60-LBS.		60-119 LBS.		120-179 LBS.		180 LBS AND OVER	
	1977	1978	1977	1978	1977	1978	1977	1978
	1000 HEAD							
GA	600	633	325	340	250	252	128	134
ILL	2034	2070	1408	1388	1069	1074	704	708
IND	1566	1620	886	945	728	762	496	542
IOWA	5031	5042	3354	3256	2683	2521	1832	1850
KANS	709	666	405	396	350	336	332	259
KY	460	470	227	196	135	123	103	102
MINN	1506	1340	755	761	532	518	432	426
MO	1468	1530	854	780	564	560	490	435
NEBR	1037	1257	722	755	569	551	437	445
N C	889	814	468	416	325	344	230	234
OHIO	595	576	308	327	246	258	194	237
S DAK	628	582	414	426	291	279	200	204
TEX	350	335	204	170	147	130	114	100
WIS	627	696	239	291	166	213	121	165
TOTAL								
14 STS.	17500	17631	10569	10447	8055	7921	5813	5838

FARROWINGS: NUMBER OF SOWS, PIGS PER LITTER AND PIG CROP,
DECEMBER 17-FEBRUARY 1977-79, 14 STATES

STATE	SOWS FARROWING				PIGS PER LITTER		PIG CROP 2/		
	1977	1978	1979 3/		1977	1978	1977	1978	
			NUMBER	AS % OF 1978				NUMBER	AS % OF 1977
	1000 HEAD		PERCENT		NUMBER	1000 HEAD	PERCENT		
GA	87	85	92	108	6.75	6.52	587	554	94
ILL	291	300	320	107	6.50	6.60	1892	1980	105
IND	199	200	220	110	6.30	6.70	1254	1340	107
IOWA	620	600	680	113	6.95	6.95	4309	4170	97
KANS	107	100	110	110	7.30	6.65	781	665	85
KY	60	61	65	107	5.70	5.60	342	342	100
MINN	200	215	250	116	7.00	7.30	1400	1570	112
MO	205	190	220	116	6.54	6.67	1340	1267	95
NEBR	140	145	175	121	7.20	7.20	1008	1044	104
N C	110	115	125	109	6.80	7.00	748	805	108
OHIO	98	80	90	113	6.40	6.34	627	507	81
S DAK	72	72	80	111	7.19	7.00	518	504	97
TEX	50	47	47	100	6.30	6.38	315	300	95
WIS	65	75	90	120	7.15	7.70	465	578	124
TOTAL									
14 STS.	2304	2285	2564	112	6.76	6.84	15586	15626	100

1/ DECEMBER PRECEDING YEAR.

2/ NUMBER OF PIGS BORN DECEMBER THROUGH FEBRUARY, THAT WERE ON HAND MARCH 1, OR HAD BEEN SOLD.

3/ INTENTIONS.

FARROWINGS: NUMBER OF SOWS, PIGS PER LITTER AND PIG CROP,
MARCH-MAY 1977-79, 14 STATES

STATE	SOWS FARROWING				PIGS PER LITTER		PIG CROP 1/		
	1977	1978	1979 2/		1977	1978	1977	1978	
			NUMBER	AS % OF 1978				NUMBER	AS % OF 1977
	1000 HEAD		PERCENT		NUMBER	1000 HEAD	PERCENT		
GA	78	82	92	112	7.05	7.00	550	574	104
ILL	384	405	460	114	7.10	7.00	2726	2835	104
IND	201	210	225	107	7.25	7.10	1457	1491	102
IOWA	910	840	930	111	7.40	7.20	6734	6048	90
KANS	115	105	125	119	7.60	7.16	874	752	86
KY	67	65	75	115	7.10	6.80	476	442	93
MINN	220	225	280	124	7.75	7.50	1705	1688	99
MO	252	240	300	125	7.55	7.50	1903	1800	95
NEBR	200	210	260	124	7.53	7.24	1506	1520	101
N C	108	115	130	113	7.35	7.20	794	828	104
OHIO	90	98	120	122	7.20	7.20	648	706	109
S DAK	118	122	145	119	7.55	7.30	891	891	100
TEX	48	45	50	111	6.90	7.00	331	315	95
WIS	102	108	130	120	7.75	7.65	791	826	104
TOTAL									
14 STS.	2893	2870	3322	116	7.39	7.22	21386	20716	97

1/ NUMBER OF PIGS BORN MARCH THROUGH MAY, THAT WERE ON HAND JUNE 1, OR HAD BEEN SOLD.

2/ INTENTIONS.

FARROWINGS: NUMBER OF SOWS, PIGS PER LITTER AND PIG CROP,
JUNE-AUGUST 1977-78, 14 STATES

STATE	SOWS FARROWING			PIGS PER LITTER		PIG CROP 1/		
	1977	1978		1977	1978	1977	1978	
		NUMBER	AS % OF 1977				NUMBER	AS % OF 1977
	1000 HEAD	PERCENT	NUMBER	NUMBER	1000 HEAD	PERCENT		
GA	82	90	110	7.20	6.90	590	621	105
ILL	350	355	101	6.85	6.95	2398	2467	103
IND	215	230	107	7.10	7.15	1527	1645	108
IOWA	710	710	100	7.20	7.25	5112	5148	101
KANS	100	103	103	7.15	7.05	715	726	102
KY	70	75	107	7.30	7.20	511	540	106
MINN	225	215	96	7.40	7.45	1665	1602	96
MO	230	235	102	7.25	7.25	1668	1704	102
NEBR	155	185	119	7.25	7.20	1124	1332	119
N C	123	120	98	7.50	7.40	923	888	96
OHIO	98	94	96	7.45	7.25	730	682	93
S DAK	88	86	98	7.40	7.30	651	628	96
TEX	52	50	96	7.10	7.30	369	365	99
WIS	102	110	108	7.70	7.70	785	847	108
TOTAL								
14 STS.	2600	2658	102	7.22	7.22	18768	19195	102

1/ 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 1977-78, 14 STATES

STATE	SOWS FARROWING			PIGS PER LITTER		PIG CROP 1/		
	1977	1978		1977	1978	1977	1978	
		NUMBER	AS % OF 1977				NUMBER	AS % OF 1977
	1000 HEAD	PERCENT	NUMBER	NUMBER	1000 HEAD	PERCENT		
GA	80	82	103	6.85	7.06	548	579	106
ILL	340	360	106	7.10	7.05	2414	2538	105
IND	190	210	111	7.10	7.05	1349	1481	110
IOWA	720	770	107	7.20	7.15	5184	5506	106
KANS	107	110	103	7.20	7.15	770	787	102
KY	63	63	100	6.90	7.20	435	454	104
MINN	240	245	102	7.20	7.30	1728	1789	104
MO	225	270	120	7.20	7.15	1620	1931	119
NEBR	185	210	114	7.20	7.30	1332	1533	115
N C	100	117	117	7.10	7.00	710	819	115
OHIO	90	110	122	7.40	7.30	666	803	121
S DAK	95	104	109	7.20	7.00	684	728	106
TEX	40	40	100	7.30	6.90	292	276	95
WIS	90	105	117	7.65	7.65	689	803	117
TOTAL								
14 STS.	2565	2796	109	7.18	7.16	18421	20027	109

1/ NUMBER OF PIGS BORN SEPTEMBER THROUGH NOVEMBER,
THAT WERE ON HAND DECEMBER 1, OR HAD BEEN SOLD.

HOGS AND PIGS: INVENTORY NUMBER, MARCH 1, JUNE 1, SEPTEMBER 1, AND DECEMBER 1,
1976-1978 10 STATES 1/

ITEM	1000 HEAD			PERCENT	
	1976	1977	1978	1978 AS % OF 1976	1977
INVENTORY NUMBER-MARCH 1					
ALL HOGS AND PIGS	35725	38800	39310	110	101
KEPT FOR BREEDING	5842	6157	6087	104	99
MARKET	29883	32643	33223	111	102
MARKET HOGS AND PIGS					
BY WEIGHT GROUPS:					
UNDER 60 POUNDS	11738	12359	12727	108	103
60-119 POUNDS	6724	7439	7810	116	105
120-179 POUNDS	6532	7557	7447	114	99
180 POUNDS AND OVER	4889	5288	5239	107	99
INVENTORY NUMBER-JUNE 1					
ALL HOGS AND PIGS	40845	41270	41750	102	101
KEPT FOR BREEDING	6168	6437	6512	106	101
MARKET	34677	34833	35238	102	101
MARKET HOGS AND PIGS					
BY WEIGHT GROUPS:					
UNDER 60 POUNDS	16754	16615	16032	96	96
60-119 POUNDS	8349	8132	8497	102	104
120-179 POUNDS	5447	5834	6077	112	104
180 POUNDS AND OVER	4127	4252	4632	112	109
INVENTORY NUMBER-SEPTEMBER 1					
ALL HOGS AND PIGS	43190	43243	43580	101	101
KEPT FOR BREEDING	5929	6261	6538	110	104
MARKET	37261	36982	37042	99	100
MARKET HOGS AND PIGS					
BY WEIGHT GROUPS:					
UNDER 60 POUNDS	14861	15201	15379	103	101
60-119 POUNDS	9456	9345	9325	99	100
120-179 POUNDS	7661	7198	7072	92	98
180 POUNDS AND OVER	5283	5238	5266	100	101
INVENTORY NUMBER-DECEMBER 1					
ALL HOGS AND PIGS	41650	42258	45030	108	107
KEPT FOR BREEDING	5956	6397	7087	119	111
MARKET	35694	35861	37943	106	106
MARKET HOGS AND PIGS					
BY WEIGHT GROUPS:					
UNDER 60 POUNDS	14268	14621	15828	111	108
60-119 POUNDS	9341	9235	9870	106	107
120-179 POUNDS	6788	6839	7047	104	103
180 POUNDS AND OVER	5297	5166	5198	98	101

1/ ILLINOIS, INDIANA, IOWA, KANSAS, MINNESOTA, MISSOURI, NEBRASKA,
OHIO, SOUTH DAKOTA, WISCONSIN

FARROWINGS: NUMBER OF SOWS, PIG CROP AND PIGS PER LITER,
1976-1979 10 STATES 1/

ITEM	1976	1977	1978	1979	1978 AS % OF		1979 AS PERCENT OF 1978
					1976	1977	
	1000 HEAD				PERCENT		
SOWS FARROWING:							
DECEMBER 2/-FEBRUARY	1757	1997	1977 3/	2235	113	99	113
MARCH-MAY	2604	2592	2563 3/	2975	98	99	116
DECEMBER 2/-MAY	4361	4589	4540 3/	5210	104	99	115
JUNE-AUGUST	2208	2273	2323		105	102	
SEPTEMBER-NOVEMBER	2268	2282	2494		110	109	
JUNE-NOVEMBER	4476	4555	4817		108	106	
PIG CROP:							
DECEMBER 2/-FEBRUARY	12639	13594	13625		108	100	
MARCH-MAY	19303	19235	18557		96	96	
DECEMBER 2/-MAY	31942	32829	32182		101	98	
JUNE-AUGUST	16153	16375	16781		104	102	
SEPTEMBER-NOVEMBER	16179	16436	17899		111	109	
JUNE-NOVEMBER	32332	32811	34680		107	106	
PIGS PER LITTER:							
		-NUMBER-					
DECEMBER 2/-FEBRUARY	7.19	6.81	6.89		96	101	
MARCH-MAY	7.41	7.42	7.24		98	98	
DECEMBER 2/-MAY	7.32	7.15	7.09		97	99	
JUNE-AUGUST	7.32	7.20	7.22		99	100	
SEPTEMBER-NOVEMBER	7.13	7.20	7.18		101	100	
JUNE-NOVEMBER	7.22	7.20	7.20		100	100	

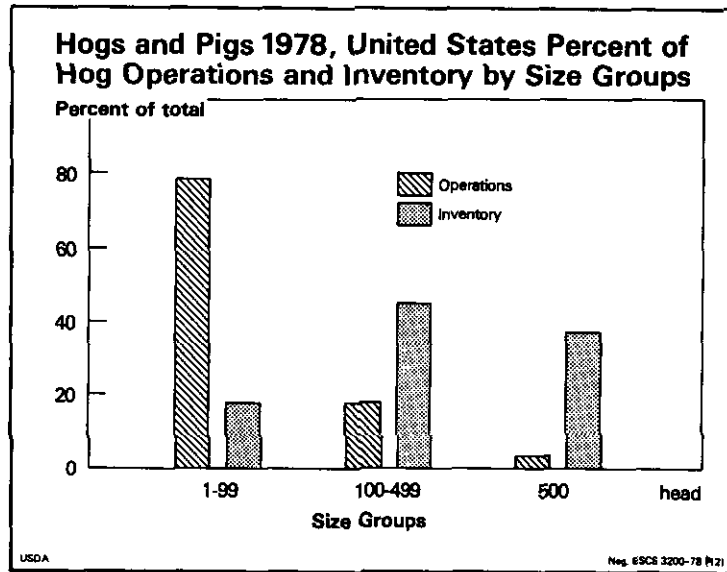
- 1/ SEE FOOTNOTE, PAGE 4 FOR STATES INCLUDED.
2/ DECEMBER PRECEDING YEAR.
3/ INTENTIONS.

HOGS AND PIGS: NUMBER OF OPERATIONS WITH HOGS, INVENTORY, VALUE PER HEAD,
AND TOTAL VALUE, DECEMBER 1, 1977-78

STATE	OPERATIONS WITH HOGS		INVENTORY		VALUE PER HEAD		TOTAL VALUE	
	1977	1978	1977	1978	1977	1978	1977	1978
	NUMBER		1000 HEAD		DOLLARS		1000 DOLLARS	
GA	25000	26000	1720	1800	55.00	74.00	94600	133200
ILL	34000	33000	6100	6550	64.50	84.50	393450	553475
IND	25000	24000	4100	4400	64.00	80.00	262400	352000
IOWA	66000	63000	14500	15100	68.50	89.50	993250	1351450
KANS	15000	14500	2000	1960	60.00	79.50	120000	155820
KY	32000	31000	1140	1150	56.50	75.00	64410	86250
MINN	33000	31000	4000	4100	64.00	90.50	256000	371050
MO	37000	35000	3700	4100	64.50	85.50	238650	350550
NEBR	23000	24000	3150	3650	67.00	88.50	211050	323025
N C	40000	40000	2300	2350	57.50	74.00	132250	173900
OHIO	23000	21000	1750	1900	59.00	78.00	103250	148200
S DAK	14000	13500	1580	1620	66.00	88.50	104280	143370
TEX	23000	23000	890	800	49.50	72.50	44055	58000
WIS	21000	21000	1378	1650	62.50	80.00	86125	132000
TOTAL								
14 STS.	411000	400000	48308	51130			3103770	4333265
ALA	21000	23000	650	700	53.00	72.00	34450	50400
ALAS	40	40	1.00	1.10	117.00	134.00	117	147
ARIZ	480	480	102	144	55.50	71.50	5661	10296
ARK	12000	11600	400	400	54.00	69.00	21600	27600
CALIF	4700	5400	160	190	58.00	79.00	9280	15010
COLO	4700	4500	320	330	56.00	72.50	17920	23925
CONN	340	330	9.9	8.5	72.00	86.00	713	731
DEL	640	630	60	50	58.00	81.50	3480	4075
FLA	7500	8000	320	360	57.00	76.00	18240	27360
HAW	640	650	62	54	85.50	84.00	5301	4536
IDAHO	2500	2300	60	79	53.50	72.00	3210	5688
LA	9500	9000	160	140	50.00	69.50	8000	9730
MAINE	880	870	7.2	9.0	66.00	86.50	475	779
MO	3000	3000	200	215	59.50	80.00	11900	17200
MASS	560	560	60	60	59.50	76.50	3570	4590
MICH	9600	9600	640	810	66.00	84.00	42240	68040
MISS	20000	19000	420	410	57.50	73.00	24150	29930
MONT	2400	2500	211	222	57.00	72.00	12027	15984
NEV	230	220	9.0	8.0	55.00	75.00	495	600
N H	420	420	9.5	8.4	60.00	80.50	570	676
N J	610	590	76	67	64.00	82.50	4864	5528
N MEX	1700	1700	60	50	52.00	66.50	3120	3325
N Y	6700	6500	125	140	63.00	77.00	7875	10780
N DAK	5000	4800	320	335	63.00	82.50	20160	27638
OKLA	9500	9000	330	315	56.00	70.00	18480	22050
OREG	3300	3300	100	100	57.50	72.50	5750	7250
PA	20000	19000	790	820	56.50	79.00	44635	64780
R I	90	80	9.5	9.9	63.50	80.50	603	797
S C	18500	18000	520	525	55.50	74.00	28860	38850
TENN	33000	33000	1180	1300	56.50	71.50	66670	92950
UTAH	1900	1900	42	49	52.50	69.00	2205	3381
VT	790	790	7.0	6.3	75.50	86.00	529	542
VA	20000	19500	650	670	54.50	72.50	35425	48575
WASH	3100	3100	68	64	56.00	65.00	3808	4160
W VA	7400	7200	60	50	54.50	77.50	3270	3875
WYO	600	600	32	30	58.00	81.00	1856	2430
U.S.	644320	631160	56539	59860	63.20	83.30	3575279	4986498

HOGS AND PIGS: PERCENT OF OPERATIONS AND INVENTORY
 BY SIZE GROUPS, 1977-78
 SELECTED STATES AND REGIONS

STATE	1-99				100-499				500+			
	OPERATIONS		INVENTORY		OPERATIONS		INVENTORY		OPERATIONS		INVENTORY	
	1977	1978	1977	1978	1977	1978	1977	1978	1977	1978	1977	1978
	PERCENT											
GA	86.5	85.5	29.5	26.5	11.5	12.0	37.5	39.5	2.0	2.5	33.0	34.0
ILL	52.0	52.0	9.0	8.0	39.0	36.0	48.0	44.0	9.0	12.0	43.0	48.0
IND	62.0	65.0	13.0	13.0	31.0	27.0	44.0	38.0	7.0	8.0	43.0	49.0
IOWA	36.0	38.5	7.0	6.0	53.5	50.0	53.0	51.0	10.5	11.5	40.0	43.0
KANS	67.5	67.0	19.0	16.0	30.0	29.0	53.0	51.0	2.5	4.0	28.0	33.0
KY	92.0	92.0	40.0	38.0	6.5	6.5	37.0	35.0	1.5	1.0	23.0	27.0
MINN	65.0	66.0	15.0	15.5	30.5	29.5	51.0	51.5	4.5	4.5	34.0	33.0
MO	69.0	69.5	21.0	20.0	28.0	27.5	54.0	56.0	3.0	3.0	25.0	24.0
NEBR	51.5	52.0	13.0	12.0	44.0	43.0	57.0	59.0	4.5	5.0	30.0	29.0
N C	93.0	93.5	27.5	27.0	5.0	4.5	22.0	19.0	2.0	2.0	50.5	54.0
OHIO	81.5	83.0	26.0	24.0	16.0	14.0	46.0	48.0	2.5	3.0	28.0	28.0
S DAK	55.0	56.0	18.0	18.0	41.0	40.0	54.0	56.0	4.0	4.0	28.0	26.0
TEX	95.0	96.0	43.0	45.0	4.0	3.0	17.0	16.0	1.0	1.0	40.0	39.0
WIS	74.5	75.0	28.0	25.0	23.5	23.0	48.0	50.0	2.0	2.0	24.0	25.0
14 QTRLY STATES	67.6	68.8	15.1	14.1	27.7	26.0	48.7	47.5	4.7	5.2	36.2	38.4
9 SEMI ANNUAL	96.0	95.0	43.0	42.0	3.0	4.0	32.0	34.5	1.0	1.0	25.0	24.5
27 ANNUAL	96.5	96.0	38.0	36.0	2.5	3.0	22.0	23.0	1.0	1.0	40.0	41.0
U S	77.9	78.5	18.9	17.8	18.7	17.8	45.8	45.1	3.4	3.7	35.3	37.2





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