



Weekly Average Weight of Barrows and Gilts

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Carcass Based	Live Based
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National

		Head Count	Avg. Wgt.			Head Count	Avg. Wgt.
Current Week	1/24/2021	1,492,121	217.4	Current Week	1/24/2021	86,677	289.9
Previous Week	1/17/2021	1,393,058	217.9	Previous Week	1/17/2021	118,014	290.0
Year Ago	1/26/2020	1,422,849	215.3	Year Ago	1/26/2020	167,046	289.1

**National Average Live Weight =292.2

Eastern Cornbelt

		Head Count	Avg. Wgt.			Head Count	Avg. Wgt.
Current Week	1/24/2021	476,685	217.3	Current Week	1/24/2021	54,358	292.2
Previous Week	1/17/2021	465,614	217.3	Previous Week	1/17/2021	70,764	292.3
Year Ago	1/26/2020	464,549	215.4	Year Ago	1/26/2020	65,850	285.7

**Eastern Cornbelt Average Live Weight =291.1

Iowa/Minnesota

		Head Count	Avg. Wgt.			Head Count	Avg. Wgt.
Current Week	1/24/2021	788,541	217.2	Current Week	1/24/2021	18,808	287.2
Previous Week	1/17/2021	705,087	217.9	Previous Week	1/17/2021	34,504	285.4
Year Ago	1/26/2020	740,215	214.5	Year Ago	1/26/2020	64,288	293.9

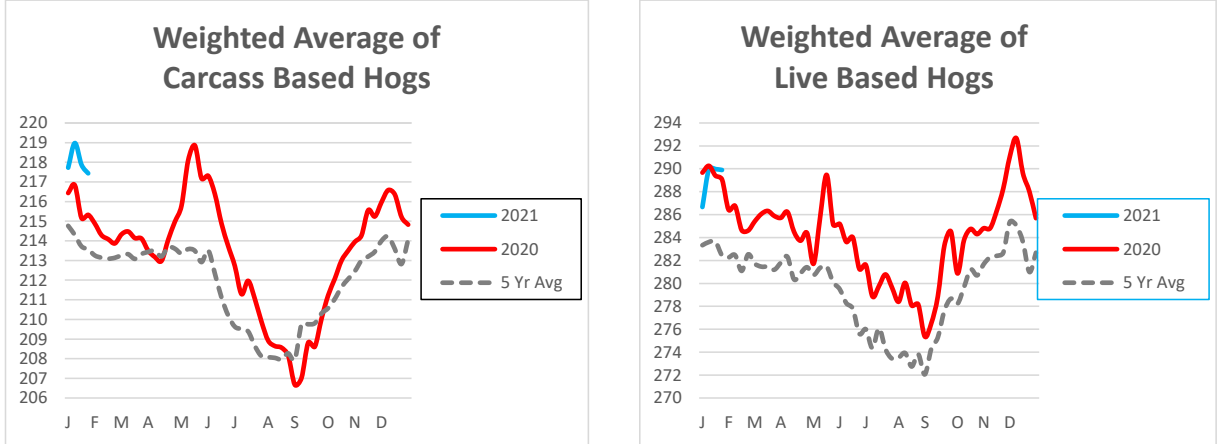
**Iowa/Minnesota Average Live Weight =291.4

Western Cornbelt

		Head Count	Avg. Wgt.			Head Count	Avg. Wgt.
Current Week	1/24/2021	1,015,436	217.5	Current Week	1/24/2021	32,319	286.1
Previous Week	1/17/2021	927,444	218.1	Previous Week	1/17/2021	47,250	286.5
Year Ago	1/26/2020	958,300	215.3	Year Ago	1/26/2020	101,196	291.3

**Western Cornbelt Average Live Weight =293.2

National Average Weight Comparison



National includes Canada.

Eastern Cornbelt: AL, CT, DE, FL, GA, IL, IN, KY, MA, MD, ME, MI, MS, NC, NH, NJ, NY, OH, PA, RI, SC, TN, VA, VT, WV, WI.

Western Cornbelt: IA, KS, MN, MO, NE, SD.

Iowa/Minnesota: IA, MN.

Report uses data reported under the Livestock Mandatory Reporting Act.

*Carcass based swine are those purchased and paid for on a carcass basis, while live based swine are those weighed on a live scale and paid for on a live basis. The data reported as either carcass based or live based does not include packer owned purchases.

**The national and regional Average Live Weights are determined using all reported live data regardless of purchase type and includes packer owned data.