



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	8/1/2021	1,174,496	208.9	Current Week	8/1/2021	138,383	274.0
Previous Week	7/25/2021	1,198,297	209.6	Previous Week	7/25/2021	136,711	275.1
Year Ago	8/2/2020	1,346,444	208.9	Year Ago	8/2/2020	179,130	278.4

**National Average Live Weight =277.1

Eastern Cornbelt

		Head Count	Avg. Wgt.			Head Count	Avg. Wgt.
Current Week	8/1/2021	395,662	210.9	Current Week	8/1/2021	46,438	279.9
Previous Week	7/25/2021	398,897	211.4	Previous Week	7/25/2021	47,346	279.1
Year Ago	8/2/2020	443,122	207.1	Year Ago	8/2/2020	72,641	273.7

**Eastern Cornbelt Average Live Weight =276.4

Iowa/Minnesota

		Head Count	Avg. Wgt.			Head Count	Avg. Wgt.
Current Week	8/1/2021	621,523	207.2	Current Week	8/1/2021	55,036	270.6
Previous Week	7/25/2021	655,539	208.1	Previous Week	7/25/2021	42,101	270.8
Year Ago	8/2/2020	718,438	208.8	Year Ago	8/2/2020	68,766	285.0

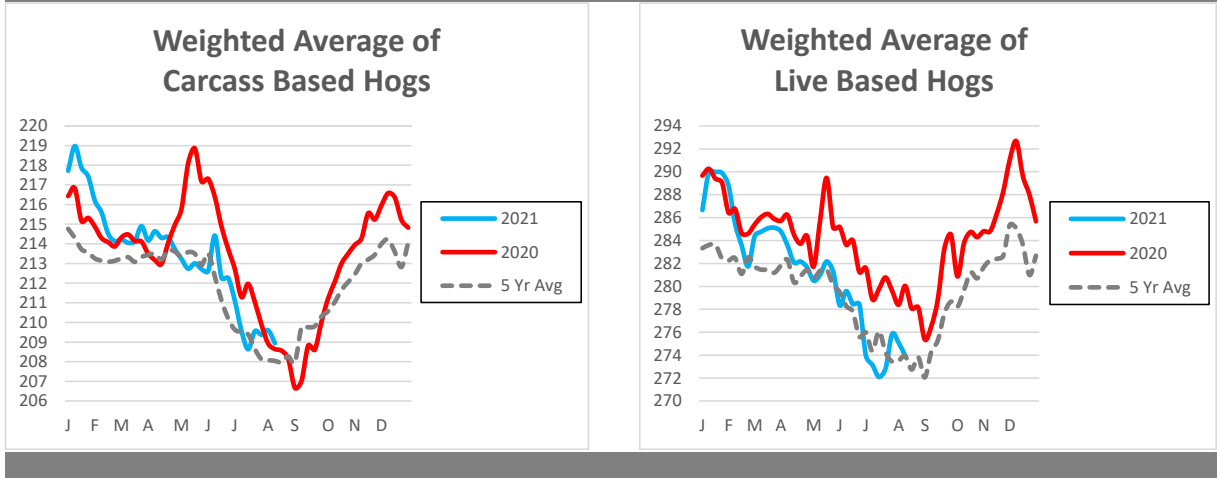
**Iowa/Minnesota Average Live Weight =276.7

Western Cornbelt

		Head Count	Avg. Wgt.			Head Count	Avg. Wgt.
Current Week	8/1/2021	778,834	208.0	Current Week	8/1/2021	91,945	271.0
Previous Week	7/25/2021	799,400	208.7	Previous Week	7/25/2021	89,365	273.0
Year Ago	8/2/2020	903,322	209.8	Year Ago	8/2/2020	106,489	281.6

**Western Cornbelt Average Live Weight =277.7

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.