



United States and Canadian Hogs

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United States and Canadian Hog Inventory Down 2 Percent

United States and Canadian inventory of all hogs and pigs for June 2021 was 89.9 million head. This was down 2 percent from June 2020, but up slightly from June 2019. The breeding inventory, at 7.49 million head, was down 1 percent from a year ago and down 2 percent from 2019. Market hog inventory, at 82.4 million head, was down 2 percent from last year and up slightly from 2019. The semi-annual pig crop, at 82.2 million head, was down 1 percent from 2020 but up 1 percent from 2019. Sows farrowing during this period totaled 7.38 million head, down 1 percent from last year and down 1 percent from 2019.

United States inventory of all hogs and pigs on June 1, 2021 was 75.7 million head. This was down 2 percent from June 1, 2020 but up 1 percent from March 1, 2021. The breeding inventory, at 6.23 million head, was down 2 percent from last year, but up slightly from the previous quarter. Market hog inventory, at 69.4 million head, was down 2 percent from last year, but up 1 percent from last quarter. The March to May 2021 pig crop, at 33.6 million head, was down 3 percent from 2020 and down 3 percent from 2019. Sows farrowing during this period totaled 3.07 million head, down 3 percent from 2020 and down 2 percent from 2019.

Canadian inventory of all hogs and pigs on July 1, 2021 was 14.2 million head. This was up 1 percent from July 1, 2020 and up 2 percent from July 1, 2019. The breeding inventory, at 1.26 million head, was up 1 percent from last year and up 3 percent from 2019. Market hog inventory, at 13.0 million head, was up 1 percent from last year and up 2 percent from 2019. The semi-annual pig crop, at 15.3 million head, was up 5 percent from 2020 and up 9 percent from 2019. Sows farrowing during this period totaled 1.27 million head, up 2 percent from last year and up 4 percent from 2019.

Hogs and Pigs Inventory, Sows Farrowed, and Pig Crop – United States and Canada: 2016-2021

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Item	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2021 as percent of 2020
	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(percent)
June inventory ¹							
All hogs and pigs	83,391	85,410	86,201	89,685	91,479	89,902	98
Kept for breeding	7,219	7,363	7,559	7,635	7,570	7,492	99
Market	76,172	78,047	78,642	82,051	83,909	82,411	98
Under 50 pounds	25,605	25,886	26,346	27,423	27,355	26,686	98
50-119 pounds	20,488	21,276	21,276	22,015	22,346	21,961	98
120-179 pounds	15,925	16,270	16,348	16,924	17,744	17,492	99
180 pounds and over	14,153	14,615	14,672	15,689	16,463	16,271	99
Sows farrowed ²	7,176	7,257	7,265	7,443	7,456	7,375	99
Pig crop ²	75,931	77,772	78,044	81,694	83,001	82,165	99
December inventory ³							
All hogs and pigs	85,280	87,315	89,045	92,198	91,037		
Kept for breeding	7,365	7,439	7,579	7,716	7,533		
Market	77,915	79,877	81,466	84,482	83,504		
Under 50 pounds	25,943	26,598	27,038	27,269	26,717		
50-119 pounds	20,495	21,095	21,758	23,064	22,623		
120-179 pounds	16,349	16,475	16,842	17,771	17,801		
180 pounds and over	15,128	15,708	15,828	16,379	16,363		
Sows farrowed ⁴	7,326	7,453	7,592	7,698	7,663		
Pig crop ⁴	78,789	80,687	82,556	86,105	85,707		

¹ United States June 1 and Canadian July 1 inventory items.

² United States December through May and Canadian January through June totals.

³ United States December 1 and Canadian following year January 1 inventory items.

⁴ United States June through November and Canadian July through December totals.

Sources: National Agricultural Statistics Service and Livestock and Animal Products Section, Statistics Canada.

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	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(percent)
March 1 inventory							
All hogs and pigs	68,274	70,916	72,055	74,661	76,179	74,913	98
Kept for breeding ¹	5,980	6,098	6,210	6,349	6,375	6,215	97
Market	62,294	64,818	65,845	68,313	69,804	68,698	98
Under 50 pounds	19,922	20,422	20,553	21,373	21,571	21,288	99
50-119 pounds	17,198	17,942	17,929	19,168	19,353	19,118	99
120-179 pounds	13,879	14,485	15,062	15,001	15,086	14,775	98
180 pounds and over	11,294	11,969	12,300	12,771	13,793	13,516	98
Sows farrowed	2,929	2,990	2,977	3,098	3,068	3,041	99
Pig Crop	30,159	31,187	31,497	33,164	33,745	33,270	99
June 1 inventory							
All hogs and pigs	69,281	71,210	72,231	75,725	77,364	75,653	98
Kept for breeding ¹	5,979	6,109	6,320	6,410	6,326	6,230	98
Market	63,302	65,101	65,911	69,316	71,038	69,423	98
Under 50 pounds	20,356	20,647	21,081	22,210	22,110	21,474	97
50-119 pounds	18,198	18,841	18,846	19,693	19,890	19,349	97
120-179 pounds	13,291	13,696	13,898	14,396	15,240	15,010	98
180 pounds and over	11,456	11,917	12,085	13,017	13,797	13,589	98
Sows farrowed	2,968	3,018	3,064	3,132	3,149	3,067	97
Pig crop	31,097	31,839	32,556	34,455	34,644	33,584	97
September 1 inventory							
All hogs and pigs	71,586	73,309	74,556	78,583	78,434		
Kept for breeding ¹	6,016	6,117	6,330	6,431	6,333		
Market	65,570	67,192	68,226	72,153	72,101		
Under 50 pounds	21,215	21,533	22,040	23,376	23,144		
50-119 pounds	19,271	19,757	20,099	21,224	21,020		
120-179 pounds	13,475	13,874	13,986	14,654	14,867		
180 pounds and over	11,608	12,028	12,100	12,899	13,069		
Sows farrowed	3,057	3,106	3,172	3,274	3,260		
Pig crop	32,331	33,075	34,019	36,370	36,056		
December 1 inventory							
All hogs and pigs	71,345	73,145	75,070	78,228	77,012		
Kept for breeding ¹	6,110	6,179	6,326	6,471	6,276		
Market	65,235	66,966	68,745	71,757	70,736		
Under 50 pounds	20,862	21,407	21,858	22,048	21,589		
50-119 pounds	18,077	18,544	19,369	20,636	20,110		
120-179 pounds	13,711	13,925	14,323	15,256	15,346		
180 pounds and over	12,585	13,089	13,195	13,816	13,690		
Sows farrowed	3,041	3,103	3,205	3,197	3,142		
Pig crop	32,320	33,328	34,496	35,459	34,713		

¹ Includes boars.

Source: National Agricultural Statistics Service

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Item	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2021 as percent of 2020
	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(percent)
January 1 inventory							
All hogs and pigs	13,630	13,935	14,170	13,975	13,970	14,025	100
Kept for breeding ¹	1,234	1,255	1,260	1,254	1,244	1,257	101
Market	12,396	12,680	12,911	12,722	12,726	12,768	100
Under 50 pounds	5,066	5,081	5,191	5,180	5,221	5,127	98
50-119 pounds	2,307	2,418	2,551	2,389	2,428	2,513	104
120-179 pounds	2,534	2,638	2,550	2,519	2,515	2,455	98
180 pounds and over	2,490	2,543	2,619	2,633	2,562	2,673	104
Sows farrowed	1,279	1,228	1,244	1,215	1,227	1,261	103
Pig crop	14,752	14,138	14,284	14,041	14,276	14,938	105
July 1 inventory							
All hogs and pigs	14,110	14,200	13,970	13,960	14,115	14,249	101
Kept for breeding ¹	1,240	1,254	1,239	1,225	1,244	1,262	101
Market	12,870	12,946	12,731	12,735	12,871	12,988	101
Under 50 pounds	5,249	5,239	5,265	5,213	5,245	5,212	99
50-119 pounds	2,290	2,435	2,430	2,322	2,456	2,612	106
120-179 pounds	2,634	2,574	2,450	2,528	2,504	2,482	99
180 pounds and over	2,697	2,698	2,587	2,672	2,666	2,682	101
Sows farrowed	1,279	1,249	1,224	1,213	1,239	1,267	102
Pig crop	14,675	14,746	13,991	14,075	14,612	15,310	105

¹ Includes boars.

Source: Livestock and Animal Products Section, Statistics Canada.

This publication is a result of a joint effort by Statistics Canada and NASS to release the total hogs, breeding, market hogs, sows farrowed, and pig crop for both countries within one publication. This information was requested by the United States hog industry to provide producers additional information about potential hog supplies. United States inventory numbers were previously released on June 24, 2021. Canadian inventory numbers were released on August 23, 2021.

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