



# HOGS & PIGS

## Kansas Agricultural Statistics



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### Kansas Inventory Up 1 Percent From Last Year

The September 1 inventory of **hogs and pigs** on Kansas farms totaled 1.94 million head, up 1 percent from September 1, 2006 and 5 percent above June 1, 2007.

Hogs and pigs kept for breeding purposes totaled 170,000 head, up 3 percent from 2006 and up 6 percent from June 1, 2007. Breeding stock accounted for 9 percent of all hogs and pigs. Market hogs accounted for the remaining 91 percent of the total inventory, at 1.77 million head. Market hog inventory was 1 percent above a year ago and 5 percent above June 1, 2007. Market hogs weighing less than 60 pounds totaled 550,000 head, down 7 percent from a year ago. The 60-119 pound weight group, at 370,000 head, was down 6 percent from 2006. The 120-179 pound weight group totaled 365,000 head, up 20 percent from a year ago. The 180 pound and

over weight group, at 485,000 head, was up 4 percent from a year ago.

### June-August Pig Crop

Farrowings during June-August, at 89,000 sows, were up 5 percent from the previous year, with a litter rate of 8.90 pigs.

### Farrowing Intentions

Kansas farmers intend to farrow 93,000 sows in the September-November quarter, up 7 percent from the preceding year. For the December-February quarter, expected farrowings are estimated at 88,000 sows, up 5 percent from last year.

Hogs And Pigs Inventory, September 1, Seventeen Major States

State	2006	2007	2007 % of 2006	State	2006	2007	2007 % of 2006
	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>Percent</i>		<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>Percent</i>
Arkansas	280	280	100	N. Carolina	9,700	10,100	104
Colorado	850	850	100	Ohio	1,670	1,700	102
Illinois	4,350	4,000	92	Oklahoma	2,390	2,410	101
Indiana	3,300	3,400	103	Pennsylvania	1,160	1,140	98
Iowa	17,000	17,800	105	S. Dakota	1,440	1,330	92
<b>Kansas</b>	1,920	1,940	101	Texas	990	1,080	109
Michigan	980	1,060	108	Wisconsin	430	410	95
Minnesota	6,900	7,000	101				
Missouri	2,750	3,050	111	Other States	3,754	3,898	104
Nebraska	3,050	3,200	105	United States	62,914	64,648	103

### U.S. Inventory Up 3 Percent

U.S. inventory of all hogs and pigs on September 1, 2007 was 64.6 million head. This was up 3 percent from both September 1, 2006, and June 1, 2007. Breeding inventory, at 6.14 million head, was up 1 percent from last year and up slightly from the previous quarter. Market hog inventory, at 58.5 million head, was up 3 percent from both last year and last quarter.

### Pig Crop

The June-August U.S. pig crop, at 27.5 million head, was up 4 percent from 2006 and 2005. Sows farrowing during this period totaled 2.99 million head, up 3 percent from last year. The sows farrowed during this quarter represented 49 percent of the breeding herd. The average pigs saved per litter was 9.19 for the June-

August 2007 period, compared to 9.11 pigs last year. Pigs saved per litter by size of operation ranged from 7.50 for operations with 1-99 hogs and pigs to 9.30 for operations with more than 5,000 hogs and pigs.

### Farrowing Intentions

U.S. hog producers intend to have 2.96 million sows farrow during the September-November 2007 quarter, up 1 percent above 2006, and up 2 percent from 2005. Intended farrowings for December-February 2008, at 2.94 million sows, are up 1 percent from 2007 and up 4 percent from 2006.

### Hogs And Pigs: Inventory, September 1

Item	Kansas			United States		
	2006	2007		2006	2007	
	Number (000)	Number (000)	% of 2006	Number (000)	Number (000)	% of 2006
<b>All Hogs &amp; Pigs</b>	1,920	1,940	101	62,914	64,648	103
Breeding	165	170	103	6,079	6,145	101
Market	1,755	1,770	101	56,835	58,503	103
<b>Market Hogs &amp; Pigs By Weight Group:</b>						
Under 60 pounds	590	550	93	20,708	21,318	103
60 - 119 pounds	395	370	94	14,231	14,614	103
120 - 179 pounds	305	365	120	11,685	12,015	103
180 pounds & over	465	485	104	10,212	10,556	103

### Farrowings: Number of Sows, Pigs Per Litter, And Pig Crop

Item	Kansas			United States		
	2006	2007		2006	2007	
	Number (000)	Number (000)	% of 2006	Number (000)	Number (000)	% of 2006
<b>June - August</b>						
Sows Farrowing	85	89	105	2,912	2,986	103
Pig Crop <sup>1</sup>	744	792	106	26,518	27,452	104
Pigs per Litter	8.75	8.90	102	9.11	9.19	101
<b>September - November</b>						
Expected Farrowings	87	93	107	2,949	2,964	101
<b>December - February</b>						
Expected Farrowings	84	88	105	2,840	2,905	102

<sup>1</sup> Number of pigs born June-August that were still on hand September 1 or had been sold.

### Pigs Per Litter: By Size of Operation, United States, 2006 - 2007

Pig Crop	Pigs Per Litter on Operations Having					
	1-99 Head	100-499 Head	500-999 Head	1,000-1,999 Head	2,000-4,999 Head	5,000+ Head
	<i>Number</i>	<i>Number</i>	<i>Number</i>	<i>Number</i>	<i>Number</i>	<i>Number</i>
2006						
Dec-Feb <sup>1</sup>	7.50	8.00	8.30	8.80	9.00	9.10
Mar-May	7.60	8.00	8.40	8.80	9.00	9.20
Jun-Aug	7.70	8.00	8.40	8.80	9.10	9.20
Sep-Nov	7.70	8.00	8.40	8.80	9.10	9.20
2007						
Dec-Feb <sup>1</sup>	7.60	8.00	8.40	8.80	9.00	9.20
Mar-May	7.60	8.00	8.40	8.90	9.10	9.20
Jun-Aug	7.50	8.10	8.50	8.90	9.10	9.30

<sup>1</sup> December preceding year.

For economic analyses and market implications of these reports, please go to [www.agmanager.info/livestock.marketing/graphs](http://www.agmanager.info/livestock.marketing/graphs) for the latest hog charts provided by Dr. Jim Mintert, Extension Ag Economist with KSU-Research & Extension Service. A link to the latest newsletter and radio comments is also available on this page.

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