

HOGS AND PIGS

The total pig crop in 2003 was 1 percent below the pig crop in 2002. Sows farrowed during the year decreased 2 percent from the previous year, while litter rates remained unchanged at 8.85. A \$4.60 increase in average price per hundredweight brought a 24 percent increase in cash receipts for 2003. Gross income of \$620 million (cash receipts plus value of home consumption) increased 24 percent from a year earlier.

**NUMBER OF HOGS ON FARMS,
BY CLASS, INDIANA, DECEMBER 1, 1998-2003**

Class of Livestock	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003 ^{1/}
Thousand Head						
Hogs and Pigs	4,050	3,250	3,350	3,200	3,250	3,100
Breeding Stock	450	370	375	340	330	300
Market Hogs	3,600	2,880	2,975	2,860	2,920	2,800
^{1/} Preliminary.						

**NUMBER AND VALUE OF HOGS ON FARMS
INDIANA, DECEMBER 1, 1998-2003**

December 1	Hogs and Pigs	Average Value Per Head	Total Value
	Thousand Head	Dollars	Thousand Dollars
1998	4,050	42.00	170,100
1999	3,250	73.00	237,250
2000	3,350	80.00	268,000
2001	3,200	78.00	249,600
2002	3,250	74.00	240,500
2003 ^{1/}	3,100	69.00	213,900
^{1/} Preliminary.			

**HOGS AND PIGS INVENTORY
INDIANA, DECEMBER 1, 1998-2003**

