



United States and Canadian Hogs

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United States and Canadian Hog Inventory up 4 Percent

United States and Canadian inventory of all hogs and pigs for June 2020 was 93.6 million head. This was up 4 percent from June 2019, and up 9 percent from June 2018. The breeding inventory, at 7.57 million head, was down 1 percent from a year ago but up slightly from 2018. Market hog inventory, at 86.1 million head, was up 5 percent from last year and up 9 percent from 2018. The semi-annual pig crop, at 84.2 million head, was up 3 percent from 2019 and up 8 percent from 2018. Sows farrowing during this period totaled 7.56 million head, up 2 percent from last year and up 4 percent from 2018.

United States inventory of all hogs and pigs on June 1, 2020 was 79.6 million head. This was up 5 percent from June 1, 2019 and up 3 percent from March 1, 2020. The breeding inventory, at 6.33 million head, was down 1 percent from last year, and down 1 percent from the previous quarter. Market hog inventory, at 73.3 million head, was up 6 percent from last year, and up 3 percent from last quarter. The pig crop, at 34.9 million head, was up 1 percent from 2019 and up 7 percent from 2018. Sows farrowing during this period totaled 3.17 million head, up 1 percent from 2019 and up 4 percent from 2018.

Canadian inventory of all hogs and pigs on July 1, 2020 was 14.0 million head. This was up slightly from June 1, 2019 and up slightly from June 1, 2018. The breeding inventory, at 1.24 million head, was up 1 percent from last year and up slightly from 2018. Market hog inventory, at 12.8 million head, was up slightly from last year and up slightly from 2018. The semi-annual pig crop, at 14.5 million head, was up 3 percent from 2019 and up 4 percent from 2018. Sows farrowing during this period totaled 1.23 million head, up 2 percent from last year and up 1 percent from 2018.

Hogs and Pigs Inventory, Sows Farrowed, and Pig Crop - United States and Canada: 2015-2020

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Item	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	Percent of previous year
	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(percent)
June 1 inventory ¹							
All hogs and pigs	80,430	83,391	85,410	86,201	89,700	93,634	104
Kept for breeding	7,160	7,219	7,363	7,559	7,634	7,568	99
Market	73,271	76,172	78,047	78,642	82,067	86,066	105
Under 50 pounds	24,356	25,605	25,886	26,346	27,434	27,397	100
50-119 pounds	19,760	20,488	21,276	21,276	22,020	22,758	103
120-179 pounds	15,295	15,926	16,270	16,348	16,923	18,589	110
180 pounds and over	13,860	14,153	14,615	14,672	15,689	17,321	110
Sows farrowed ²	7,003	7,176	7,257	7,265	7,445	7,562	102
Pig crop ²	73,450	75,931	77,772	78,044	81,701	84,198	103
December 1 inventory ³							
All hogs and pigs	82,649	85,280	87,315	89,050	92,978		
Kept for breeding	7,236	7,365	7,439	7,578	7,715		
Market	75,413	77,915	79,876	81,472	85,263		
Under 50 pounds	25,105	25,943	26,598	27,049	27,860		
50-119 pounds	19,569	20,495	21,095	21,764	23,105		
120-179 pounds	15,974	16,349	16,475	16,837	17,832		
180 pounds and over	14,766	15,128	15,709	15,822	16,466		
Sows farrowed ⁴	7,228	7,326	7,453	7,592	7,759		
Pig crop ⁴	76,974	78,789	80,686	82,561	86,795		

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	67,299	68,274	70,916	72,055	74,661	77,629	104
Kept for breeding ¹	5,982	5,980	6,098	6,210	6,349	6,375	100
Market	61,318	62,294	64,818	65,845	68,313	71,254	104
Under 50 pounds	19,454	19,922	20,422	20,553	21,373	22,221	104
50-119 pounds	17,129	17,198	17,942	17,929	19,168	19,853	104
120-179 pounds	13,530	13,879	14,485	15,062	15,001	15,386	103
180 pounds and over	11,205	11,294	11,969	12,300	12,771	13,793	108
Sows farrowed	2,895	2,929	2,990	2,977	3,099	3,158	102
Pig Crop	29,627	30,159	31,187	31,497	33,163	34,734	105
June 1 inventory							
All hogs and pigs	67,065	69,281	71,210	72,231	75,725	79,634	105
Kept for breeding ¹	5,926	5,979	6,109	6,320	6,410	6,326	99
Market	61,140	63,302	65,101	65,911	69,316	73,308	106
Under 50 pounds	19,365	20,356	20,647	21,081	22,210	22,160	100
50-119 pounds	17,461	18,198	18,841	18,846	19,693	20,370	103
120-179 pounds	12,935	13,291	13,696	13,898	14,396	16,090	112
180 pounds and over	11,379	11,456	11,917	12,085	13,017	14,687	113
Sows farrowed	2,854	2,968	3,018	3,064	3,133	3,172	101
Pig crop	29,593	31,097	31,839	32,556	34,454	34,933	101
September 1 inventory							
All hogs and pigs	69,185	71,586	73,309	74,556	78,583		
Kept for breeding ¹	5,986	6,016	6,117	6,330	6,431		
Market	63,200	65,570	67,192	68,226	72,153		
Under 50 pounds	20,741	21,215	21,533	22,040	23,376		
50-119 pounds	18,496	19,271	19,757	20,099	21,224		
120-179 pounds	12,855	13,475	13,874	13,986	14,654		
180 pounds and over	11,108	11,608	12,028	12,100	12,899		
Sows farrowed	3,017	3,057	3,106	3,172	3,275		
Pig crop	31,343	32,331	33,075	34,019	36,369		
December 1 inventory							
All hogs and pigs	69,019	71,345	73,145	75,070	79,048		
Kept for breeding ¹	6,002	6,110	6,179	6,326	6,471		
Market	63,017	65,235	66,966	68,745	72,577		
Under 50 pounds	20,038	20,862	21,407	21,858	22,648		
50-119 pounds	17,262	18,077	18,544	19,369	20,691		
120-179 pounds	13,440	13,711	13,925	14,323	15,321		
180 pounds and over	12,276	12,585	13,089	13,195	13,916		
Sows farrowed	2,932	3,041	3,103	3,205	3,265		
Pig crop	30,878	32,320	33,328	34,496	36,205		

¹ Includes boars.

Source: National Agricultural Statistics Service

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Item	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	Percent of previous year
	(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	13,180	13,630	13,935	14,170	13,980	13,930	100
Kept for breeding ¹	1,205	1,234	1,255	1,260	1,253	1,244	99
Market	11,975	12,396	12,680	12,911	12,727	12,686	100
Under 50 pounds	4,939	5,066	5,081	5,191	5,191	5,212	100
50-119 pounds	2,295	2,307	2,418	2,551	2,395	2,414	101
120-179 pounds	2,361	2,534	2,638	2,550	2,514	2,511	100
180 pounds and over	2,380	2,490	2,543	2,619	2,627	2,549	97
Sows farrowed	1,241	1,279	1,228	1,244	1,215	1,220	100
Pigs crop	13,931	14,752	14,138	14,284	14,046	14,221	101
July 1 inventory							
All hogs and pigs	13,365	14,110	14,200	13,970	13,975	14,000	100
Kept for breeding ¹	1,234	1,240	1,254	1,239	1,224	1,242	101
Market	12,131	12,870	12,946	12,731	12,751	12,759	100
Under 50 pounds	4,991	5,249	5,239	5,265	5,224	5,237	100
50-119 pounds	2,299	2,290	2,435	2,430	2,327	2,388	103
120-179 pounds	2,360	2,634	2,574	2,450	2,528	2,499	99
180 pounds and over	2,481	2,697	2,698	2,587	2,672	2,634	99
Sows farrowed	1,254	1,279	1,249	1,224	1,213	1,232	102
Pig crop	14,230	14,675	14,746	13,991	14,084	14,531	103

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 25, 2020. Canadian inventory numbers were released on August 20, 2020.

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