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KANSAS HOG INVENTORY DOWN 1%

MANHATTAN, Kan. June 29, 2023 - **Kansas inventory** of all hogs and pigs on June 1, 2023, was 1.90 million head, according to the USDA's National Agricultural Statistics Service. This was down 1% from June 1, 2022, but up 3% from March 1, 2023.

Breeding hog inventory, at 155,000 head, was unchanged from June 1, 2022, but up 7% from last quarter. **Market hog inventory,** at 1.75 million head, was down 1% from last year, but up 2% from last quarter.

The March - May 2023 Kansas pig crop, at 864,000 head, was down 2% from 2022. Sows farrowed during the period totaled 80,000 head, down 6% from last year. The average pigs saved per litter was 10.80 for the March - May period, compared to 10.40 last year.

Kansas hog producers intend to farrow 76,000 sows during the June - August 2023 quarter, down 11% from the actual farrowings during the same period a year ago. Intended farrowings for September - November 2023 are 77,000 sows, down 5% from the actual farrowings during the same period a year ago.

Access the National publication for this release at: https://usda.library.cornell.edu/concern/publications/rj430453j

Access the National Hog Executive Briefing at: http://www.nass.usda.gov/Newsroom/Executive_Briefings/2023/06-29-2023.pdf

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