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KANSAS HOG INVENTORY UP 2%

MANHATTAN, Kan. September 28, 2023 - Kansas inventory of all hogs and pigs on September 1, 2023, was 1.96 million head, according to the USDA's National Agricultural Statistics Service. This was up 2% from September 1, 2022, and up 3% from June 1, 2023.

Breeding hog inventory, at 170,000 head, was up 6% from September 1, 2022, and up 10% from last quarter. **Market hog inventory**, at 1.79 million head, was up 1% from last year, and up 2% from last quarter.

The June - August 2023 Kansas pig crop, at 952,000 head, was up 2% from 2022. Sows farrowed during the period totaled 85,000 head, unchanged from last year. The average pigs saved per litter was 11.20 for the June - August period, compared to 10.95 last year.

Kansas hog producers intend to farrow 72,000 sows during the September - November 2023 quarter, down 11% from the actual farrowings during the same period a year ago. Intended farrowings for December 2023 - February 2024 are 76,000 sows, down 5% from the actual farrowings during the same period a year ago.

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