



Missouri Hogs and Pigs

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Missouri inventory of all hogs and pigs on March 1, 2020 was 3.75 million head, up 12 percent from December 1, 2019 and up 6 percent from last year. **Breeding inventory**, at 470,000 head, was down 20,000 from the previous quarter but unchanged from last year. **Market hog inventory**, at 3.28 million head, was up 15 percent from last quarter and up 6 percent from last year.

The December-February 2020 pig crop, at 2.75 million head, was up 6 percent from 2019. Sows farrowing during this period totaled 250,000 head, up 5,000 from a year ago. The average pigs saved per litter was 11.00 for the December-February period, compared with 10.55 last year.

Hogs and Pigs Inventory – Missouri

	Mar 1, 2019	Dec 1, 2019	Mar 1, 2020	Mar 1, 2020 as percent of Mar 1, 2019
	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(percent)
Breeding	470	490	470	100
Market	3,080	2,860	3,280	106
Under 50 pounds	1,555	1,270	1,520	98
50-119 pounds	560	570	670	120
120-179 pounds	505	540	595	118
180 pounds and over	460	480	495	108
Total	3,550	3,350	3,750	106

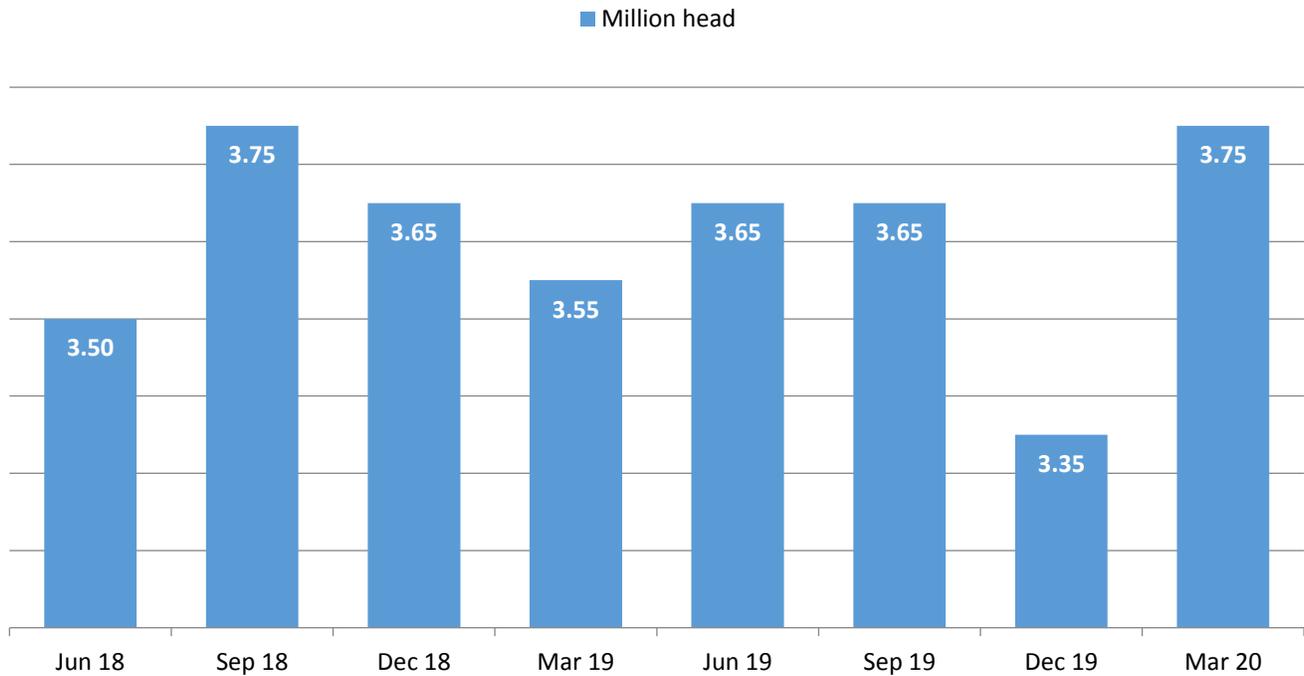
Sows Farrowing, Pig Crop, and Pigs per Litter – Missouri: 2019-2020

	2019	2020	2020 as percent of 2019
	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(percent)
Sows farrowing ¹			
Dec-Feb ²	245	250	102
Mar-May	242	250	103
Jun-Aug	260	255	98
Sep-Nov	260		
Pig crop			
Dec-Feb ²	2,585	2,750	106
Mar-May	2,577		
Jun-Aug	2,886		
Sep-Nov	2,886		
Pigs per litter			
Dec-Feb ²	10.55	11.00	104
Mar-May	10.65		
Jun-Aug	11.10		
Sep-Nov	11.10		

¹ Future months indicate farrowing intentions.

² December of previous year.

Quarterly Hogs and Pigs Inventory – Missouri



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