

Carcass Based	Live Based
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National

		Head Count	Avg. Wgt.			Head Count	Avg. Wgt.
Current Week	1/7/2024	1,237,106	218.1	Current Week	1/7/2024	90,693	287.9
Previous Week	12/31/2023	1,433,645	217.2	Previous Week	12/31/2023	101,352	288.8
Year Ago	1/8/2023	1,168,286	217.8	Year Ago	1/8/2023	78,244	292.6

**National Average Live Weight =291.4

Eastern Cornbelt

		Head Count	Avg. Wgt.			Head Count	Avg. Wgt.
Current Week	1/7/2024	395,429	215.4	Current Week	1/7/2024	67,348	286.6
Previous Week	12/31/2023	450,544	215.0	Previous Week	12/31/2023	62,610	286.3
Year Ago	1/8/2023	364,228	217.8	Year Ago	1/8/2023	40,842	294.1

**Eastern Cornbelt Average Live Weight =285.5

Iowa/Minnesota

		Head Count	Avg. Wgt.			Head Count	Avg. Wgt.
Current Week	1/7/2024	663,668	219.2	Current Week	1/7/2024	16,590	291.1
Previous Week	12/31/2023	764,447	218.0	Previous Week	12/31/2023	29,907	294.2
Year Ago	1/8/2023	658,347	217.4	Year Ago	1/8/2023	15,574	291.1

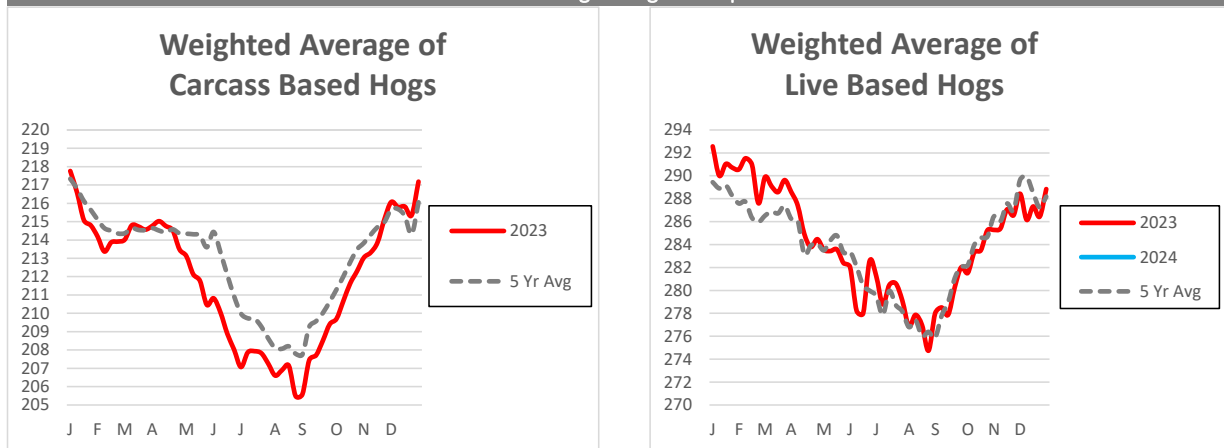
**Iowa/Minnesota Average Live Weight =293.8

Western Cornbelt

		Head Count	Avg. Wgt.			Head Count	Avg. Wgt.
Current Week	1/7/2024	841,677	219.3	Current Week	1/7/2024	23,345	291.6
Previous Week	12/31/2023	983,101	218.2	Previous Week	12/31/2023	38,742	293.0
Year Ago	1/8/2023	804,058	217.7	Year Ago	1/8/2023	37,402	290.9

**Western Cornbelt Average Live Weight =295.3

National Average Weight Comparison



National includes Canada.

Eastern Cornbelt: AL, CT, DE, FL, GA, IL, IN, KY, MA, MD, ME, MI, MS, NC, NH, NJ, NY, OH, PA, RI, SC, TN, VA, VT, WV, WI.

Western Cornbelt: IA, KS, MN, MO, NE, SD.

Iowa/Minnesota: IA, MN.

Report uses data reported under the Livestock Mandatory Reporting Act.

*Carcass based swine are those purchased and paid for on a carcass basis, while live based swine are those weighed on a live scale and paid for on a live basis. The data reported as either carcass based or live based does not include packer owned purchases.

**The national and regional Average Live Weights are determined using all reported live data regardless of purchase type and includes packer owned data.