Weekly Average Weight of Barrows and Gilts



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Carcass Based Live Based

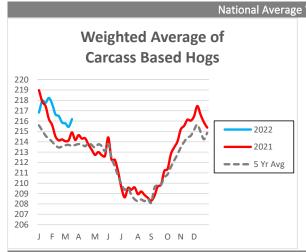
				National			
		Head Count	Avg. Wgt.			Head Count	Avg. Wgt.
Current Week	3/13/2022	1,089,583	216.2	Current Week	3/13/2022	55,819	289.2
Previous Week	3/6/2022	1,307,446	215.4	Previous Week	3/6/2022	78,281	288.1
Year Ago	3/14/2021	1,334,208	214.1	Year Ago	3/14/2021	124,211	285.1
**National Average Live Weight =291.4							

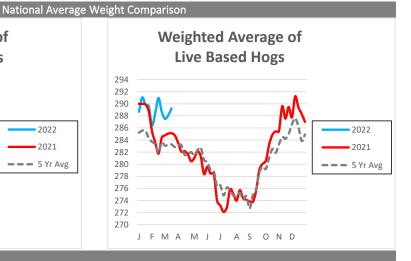
				Eastern Cornbelt				
		Head Count	Avg. Wgt.				Head Count	Avg. Wgt.
Current Week	3/13/2022	349,700	218.0		Current Week	3/13/2022	40,093	290.3
Previous Week	3/6/2022	402,951	217.6		Previous Week	3/6/2022	52,233	288.8
Year Ago	3/14/2021	430,345	214.0		Year Ago	3/14/2021	58,790	285.9

**Eastern Cornbelt Average Live Weight =294.0									
lowa/Minnesota									
		Head Count	Avg. Wgt.			Head Count	Avg. Wgt.		
Current Week	3/13/2022	585,140	215.2	Current Week	3/13/2022	9,945	286.4		
Previous Week	3/6/2022	710,053	214.4	Previous Week	3/6/2022	17,648	286.9		
Year Ago	3/14/2021	727,304	213.9	Year Ago	3/14/2021	23,100	286.7		

**Iowa/Minnesota Average Live Weight =289.0									
Western Cornbelt									
		Head Count	Avg. Wgt.			Head Count	Avg. Wgt.		
Current Week	3/13/2022	739,883	215.3	Current Week	3/13/2022	15,726	286.5		
Previous Week	3/6/2022	904,495	214.5	Previous Week	3/6/2022	26,048	286.7		
Year Ago	3/14/2021	903,863	214.2	Year Ago	3/14/2021	65,421	284.3		

**Western Cornbelt Average Live Weight =290.2





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.

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^{*}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.

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