



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	7/16/2023	1,232,056	207.9	Current Week	7/16/2023	56,693	280.5
Previous Week	7/9/2023	983,692	207.9	Previous Week	7/9/2023	64,442	278.8
Year Ago	7/17/2022	1,180,906	208.6	Year Ago	7/17/2022	57,488	283.9

**National Average Live Weight =278.3

Eastern Cornbelt

		Head Count	Avg. Wgt.			Head Count	Avg. Wgt.
Current Week	7/16/2023	389,404	208.4	Current Week	7/16/2023	41,321	281.2
Previous Week	7/9/2023	317,467	208.7	Previous Week	7/9/2023	36,129	278.9
Year Ago	7/17/2022	387,892	210.8	Year Ago	7/17/2022	39,811	286.4

**Eastern Cornbelt Average Live Weight =278.3

Iowa/Minnesota

		Head Count	Avg. Wgt.			Head Count	Avg. Wgt.
Current Week	7/16/2023	663,530	206.9	Current Week	7/16/2023	7,903	276.8
Previous Week	7/9/2023	534,900	207.0	Previous Week	7/9/2023	15,790	278.9
Year Ago	7/17/2022	627,349	207.4	Year Ago	7/17/2022	8,463	279.1

**Iowa/Minnesota Average Live Weight =277.8

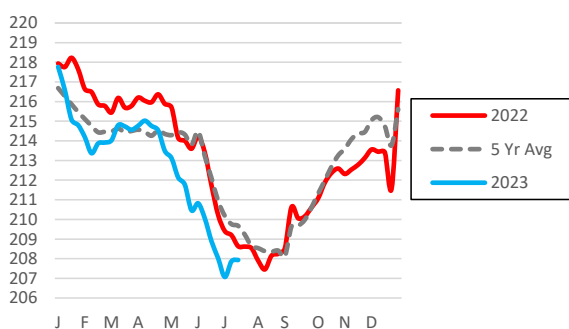
Western Cornbelt

		Head Count	Avg. Wgt.			Head Count	Avg. Wgt.
Current Week	7/16/2023	842,652	207.7	Current Week	7/16/2023	15,372	278.5
Previous Week	7/9/2023	666,225	207.5	Previous Week	7/9/2023	28,313	278.6
Year Ago	7/17/2022	793,014	207.6	Year Ago	7/17/2022	17,677	278.1

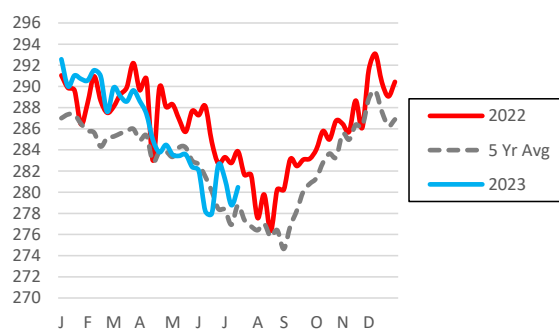
**Western Cornbelt Average Live Weight =278.5

National Average Weight Comparison

Weighted Average of Carcass Based Hogs



Weighted Average of Live Based Hogs



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.

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