

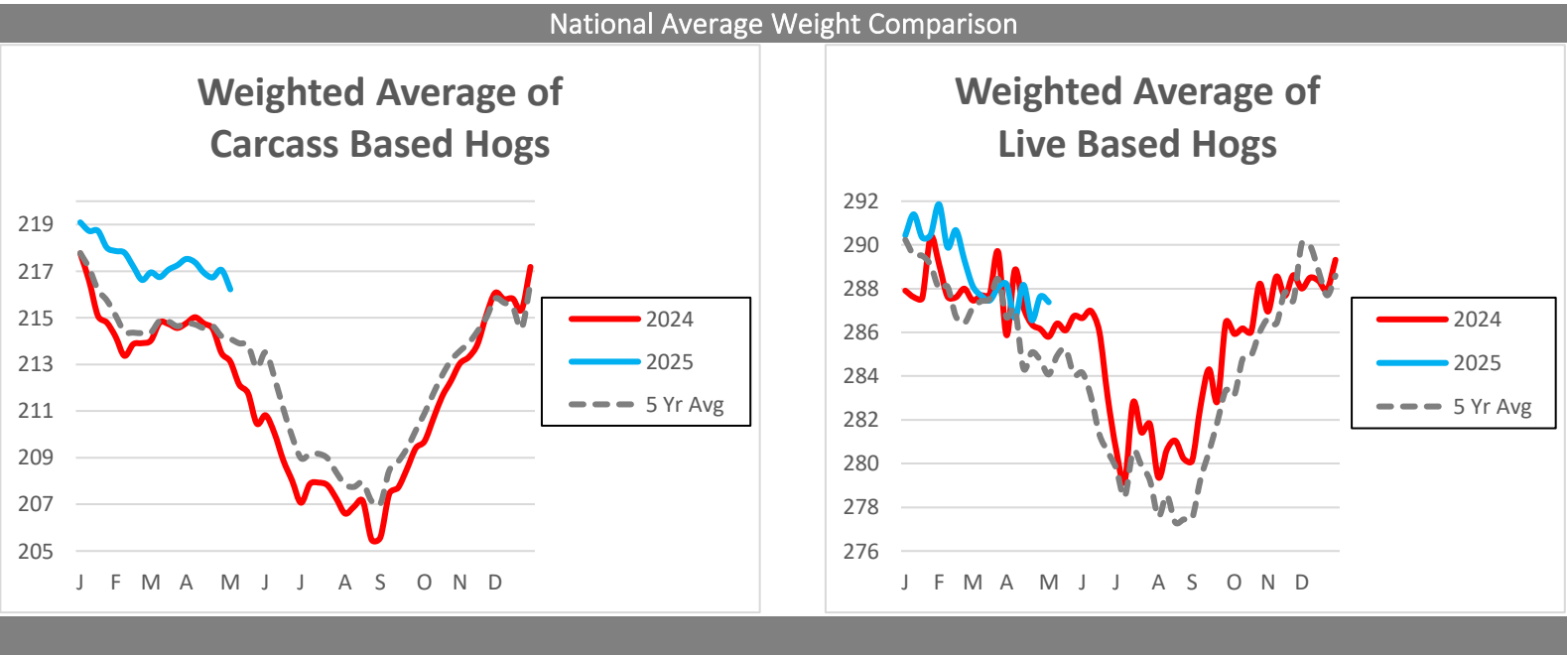


Weekly Average Weight of Barrows and Gilts

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Carcass Based				Live Based			
National							
		Head Count	Avg. Wgt.			Head Count	Avg. Wgt.
Current Week	5/4/2025	1,258,527	216.2	Current Week	5/4/2025	84,077	287.4
Previous Week	4/27/2025	1,239,631	217.1	Previous Week	4/27/2025	76,828	287.6
Year Ago	5/5/2024	1,242,296	213.1	Year Ago	5/5/2024	87,733	285.8
**National Average Live Weight =288.2							
Eastern Cornbelt							
		Head Count	Avg. Wgt.			Head Count	Avg. Wgt.
Current Week	5/4/2025	398,158	215.8	Current Week	5/4/2025	43,516	283.9
Previous Week	4/27/2025	399,199	216.3	Previous Week	4/27/2025	42,644	284.3
Year Ago	5/5/2024	388,821	213.6	Year Ago	5/5/2024	57,587	284.9
**Eastern Cornbelt Average Live Weight =285.0							
Iowa/Minnesota							
		Head Count	Avg. Wgt.			Head Count	Avg. Wgt.
Current Week	5/4/2025	680,991	216.3	Current Week	5/4/2025	14,461	294.2
Previous Week	4/27/2025	656,652	217.4	Previous Week	4/27/2025	19,543	292.8
Year Ago	5/5/2024	689,346	214.4	Year Ago	5/5/2024	10,780	292.0
**Iowa/Minnesota Average Live Weight =290.9							
Western Cornbelt							
		Head Count	Avg. Wgt.			Head Count	Avg. Wgt.
Current Week	5/4/2025	860,369	216.4	Current Week	5/4/2025	40,561	291.2
Previous Week	4/27/2025	840,432	217.4	Previous Week	4/27/2025	34,184	291.8
Year Ago	5/5/2024	853,475	214.5	Year Ago	5/5/2024	30,146	287.5
**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.

*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.

