★ Weekly Average Weight of Barrows and Gilts



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Live Based

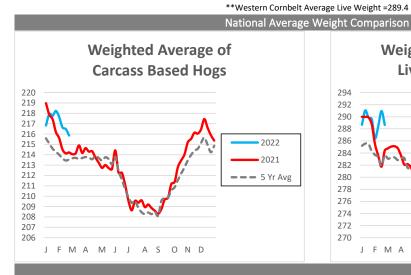
Carcass Based

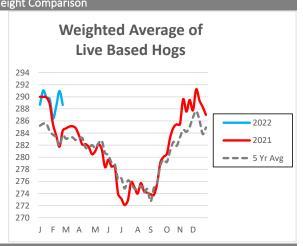
National							
		Head Count	Avg. Wgt.			Head Count	Avg. Wgt.
Current Week	2/20/2022	1,303,238	215.9	Current Week	2/20/2022	94,659	288.7
Previous Week	2/13/2022	1,327,620	216.5	Previous Week	2/13/2022	86,613	291.0
Year Ago	2/21/2021	1,207,157	214.1	Year Ago	2/21/2021	144,951	281.7
**National Average Live Weight =291.0							

				Eastern Cornbelt				
		Head Count	Avg. Wgt.				Head Count	Avg. Wgt.
Current Week	2/20/2022	407,745	219.2		Current Week	2/20/2022	52,644	291.5
Previous Week	2/13/2022	426,779	220.0		Previous Week	2/13/2022	44,364	294.7
Year Ago	2/21/2021	399,508	214.6		Year Ago	2/21/2021	61,741	284.9

**Eastern Cornbelt Average Live Weight =294.5									
				lowa/Minnesota					
		Head Count	Avg. Wgt.			Head Count	Avg. Wgt.		
Current Week	2/20/2022	729,558	214.1	Current Week	2/20/2022	9,412	286.2		
Previous Week	2/13/2022	723,578	214.9	Previous Week	2/13/2022	21,563	287.0		
Year Ago	2/21/2021	626,735	213.4	Year Ago	2/21/2021	41,140	281.8		
**Jowa/Minnesota Average Live Weight =288.3									

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				Western Cornbelt			
		Head Count	Avg. Wgt.			Head Count	Avg. Wgt.
Current Week	2/20/2022	895,493	214.3	Current Week	2/20/2022	42,015	285.1
Previous Week	2/13/2022	900,841	214.8	Previous Week	2/13/2022	42,249	287.1
Year Ago	2/21/2021	807,649	213.9	Year Ago	2/21/2021	83,210	279.4





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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