



Weekly Average Weight of Barrows and Gilts

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Carcass Based	Live Based
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National

		Head Count	Avg. Wgt.			Head Count	Avg. Wgt.
Current Week	8/17/2025	1,241,637	210.3	Current Week	8/17/2025	75,166	279.1
Previous Week	8/10/2025	1,204,418	210.2	Previous Week	8/10/2025	61,143	278.6
Year Ago	8/18/2024	1,311,695	207.1	Year Ago	8/18/2024	85,229	281.0

**National Average Live Weight =277.5

Eastern Cornbelt

		Head Count	Avg. Wgt.			Head Count	Avg. Wgt.
Current Week	8/17/2025	410,895	210.3	Current Week	8/17/2025	50,449	279.3
Previous Week	8/10/2025	390,554	209.7	Previous Week	8/10/2025	47,374	277.5
Year Ago	8/18/2024	429,598	209.2	Year Ago	8/18/2024	55,618	280.7

**Eastern Cornbelt Average Live Weight =274.7

Iowa/Minnesota

		Head Count	Avg. Wgt.			Head Count	Avg. Wgt.
Current Week	8/17/2025	649,300	209.8	Current Week	8/17/2025	12,764	277.9
Previous Week	8/10/2025	631,892	209.9	Previous Week	8/10/2025	8,745	280.3
Year Ago	8/18/2024	697,795	209.3	Year Ago	8/18/2024	14,583	279.2

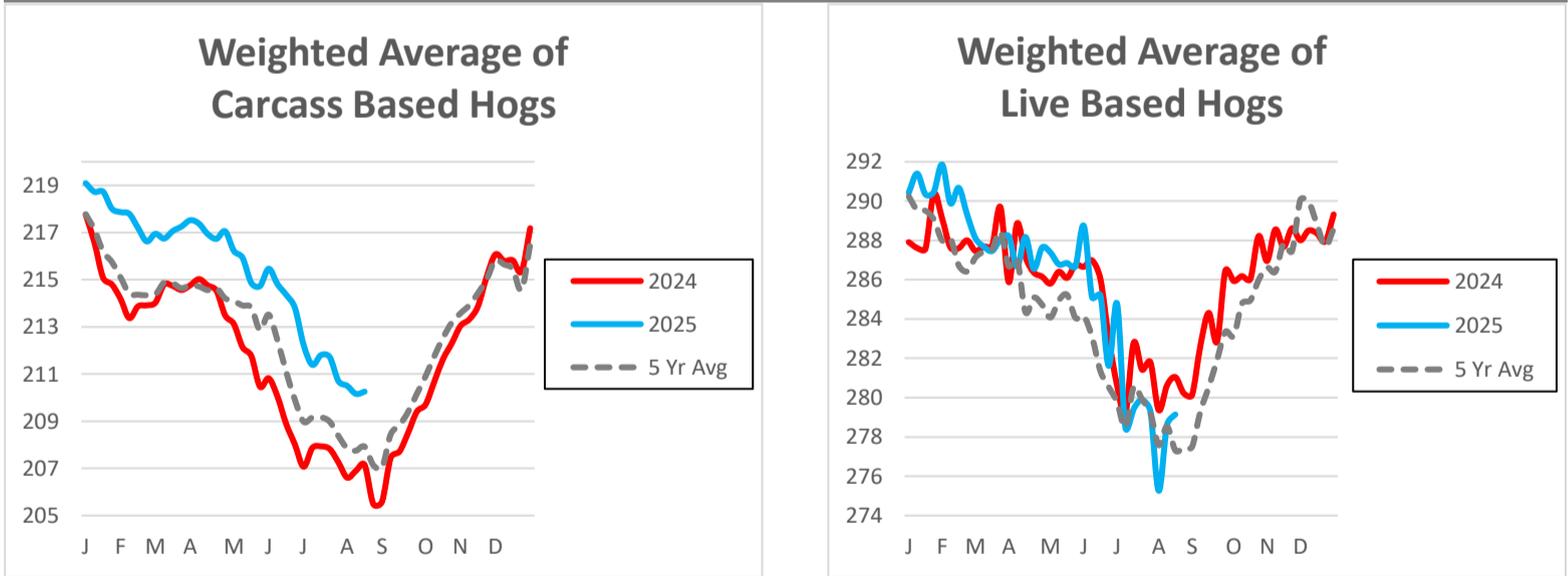
**Iowa/Minnesota Average Live Weight =281.1

Western Cornbelt

		Head Count	Avg. Wgt.			Head Count	Avg. Wgt.
Current Week	8/17/2025	830,742	210.2	Current Week	8/17/2025	24,717	278.8
Previous Week	8/10/2025	813,864	210.4	Previous Week	8/10/2025	13,769	282.5
Year Ago	8/18/2024	882,097	210.2	Year Ago	8/18/2024	29,611	281.7

**Western Cornbelt Average Live Weight =279.1

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.