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U.S. - Canadian Hog Inventory Up 2 percent

This publication is a result of a joint effort by Statistics Canada and NASS to release the total hogs, breeding, market hogs, sows farrowed, and pig crop for both countries within one publication. This information was requested by the U.S. hog industry to provide producers additional information about potential hog supplies. U.S. inventory numbers were previously released on September 28, 2007.

Inventory of all hogs and pigs for September 2007 in the U.S. and Canada was 79.1 million head. This was up 2 percent from September 2006 and up 3 percent from September 2005. The **breeding inventory**, at 7.71 million head, was up 1 percent from a year ago, and up slightly from last quarter. **Market hog inventory**, at 71.4 million head, was up 2 percent from last year and last quarter. The **pig crop**, at 35.3 million head, was up 3 percent from 2006 and up 2 percent from 2005. **Sows farrowed** during this period totaled 3.79 million head, up 2 percent from last year.

U.S. inventory of all hogs and pigs on September 1, 2007 was 64.6 million head. This was up 3 percent from both September 1, 2006 and June 1, 2007. **Breeding inventory**, at 6.15 million head, was up 1 percent from last year, and up slightly from the previous quarter. **Market hog inventory**, at 58.5 million head, was up 3 percent from both last year and last quarter. **Sows farrowed** during this period totaled 2.99 million head, up 3 percent from 2006 and up 2 percent from 2005.

Inventory of all hogs and pigs on October 1, 2007 in Canada was 14.4 million head, down 3 percent from last year and down 2 percent from last quarter. The **breeding inventory**, at 1.56 million head, was down 1 percent from last year and last quarter. **Market hog inventory**, at 12.9 million head, was down 3 percent from last year and down 2 percent from last quarter. The **pig crop**, at 7.86 million head, was down 1 percent from 2006 and down 4 percent from 2005. **Sows farrowed** during this period totaled 804,000 head, down 2 percent from last year.

Hogs and Pigs: Inventory Number by Class, and Quarter, United States and Canada, 2002-2007 [1]

Item	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2007 as % of 2006
	1,000 Head	*1,000 Head*	*1,000 Head*	*1,000 Head*	*1,000 Head*	*1,000 Head*	*Pct*
March Inventory [2]							
All Hogs and Pigs	73,701	72,838	74,195	74,659	75,356	76,588	102
Kept for Breeding	7,758	7,614	7,584	7,569	7,621	7,652	100
Market	65,943	65,224	66,610	67,089	67,735	68,936	102
Sows Farrowed	3,611	3,576	3,709	3,709	3,696	3,729	101
Pig Crop	32,161	32,021	33,426	33,740	33,918	34,424	101
June Inventory [3]							
All Hogs and Pigs	75,106	74,322	75,678	75,927	76,752	77,593	101
Kept for Breeding	7,756	7,616	7,564	7,601	7,647	7,687	101
Market	67,350	66,706	68,113	68,325	69,106	69,906	101
Sows Farrowed	3,722	3,690	3,731	3,735	3,739	3,775	101
Pig Crop	33,387	33,261	33,848	34,183	34,454	35,056	102
September Inventory [4]							
All Hogs and Pigs	75,743	75,719	76,364	77,051	77,814	79,085	102
Kept for Breeding	7,602	7,537	7,590	7,591	7,661	7,705	101
Market	68,141	68,182	68,773	69,459	70,153	71,380	102
Sows Farrowed	3,674	3,749	3,757	3,774	3,728	3,790	102
Pig Crop	33,212	33,849	34,299	34,674	34,447	35,309	103
December Inventory [5]							
All Hogs and Pigs	74,299	75,169	75,785	76,559	77,396		
Kept for Breeding	7,627	7,624	7,603	7,616	7,667		
Market	66,673	67,544	68,181	68,943	69,729		
Sows Farrowed	3,633	3,728	3,785	3,753	3,795		
Pig Crop	32,613	33,782	34,451	34,388	35,074		

[1] May not add due to rounding.
[2] U.S. March 1 and Canadian April 1 inventory items.
[3] U.S. June 1 and Canadian July 1 inventory items.
[4] U.S. September 1 and Canadian October 1 inventory items.
[5] U.S. December 1 and Canadian following year January 1 inventory items.

Hogs and Pigs: Inventory Number by Class, and Quarter, United States, 2002-2007 [1] [2]

Item	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2007 as % of 2006
	1,000 Head	*1,000 Head*	*1,000 Head*	*1,000 Head*	*1,000 Head*	*1,000 Head*	*Pct*
March 1 Inventory							
All Hogs and Pigs	59,256	58,183	59,520	59,699	60,326	61,859	103
Kept for Breeding	6,230	6,027	5,961	5,941	6,025	6,081	101
Market	53,026	52,156	53,558	53,757	54,301	55,778	103
Sows Farrowed	2,835	2,769	2,836	2,835	2,840	2,905	102
Pig Crop	24,857	24,400	25,105	25,343	25,661	26,393	103
June 1 Inventory							
All Hogs and Pigs	60,391	59,602	60,698	60,732	61,687	62,900	102
Kept for Breeding	6,208	6,026	5,937	5,977	6,060	6,116	101
Market	54,183	53,576	54,760	54,754	55,627	56,784	102
Sows Farrowed	2,941	2,886	2,870	2,882	2,927	2,966	101
Pig Crop	26,001	25,629	25,633	25,986	26,579	27,141	102
September 1 Inventory							
All Hogs and Pigs	60,753	61,009	61,519	61,846	62,914	64,648	103
Kept for Breeding	6,051	5,938	5,962	5,972	6,079	6,145	101
Market	54,702	55,071	55,556	55,873	56,835	58,503	103
Sows Farrowed	2,883	2,918	2,905	2,918	2,912	2,986	103
Pig Crop	25,725	25,974	26,162	26,449	26,518	27,452	104
December 1 Inventory							
All Hogs and Pigs	59,554	60,444	60,975	61,449	62,489		
Kept for Breeding	6,058	6,009	5,969	6,011	6,088		
Market	53,496	54,434	55,005	55,438	56,401		
Sows Farrowed	2,833	2,856	2,888	2,900	2,949		
Pig Crop	25,094	25,488	25,881	26,187	26,857		

[1] May not add due to rounding.
[2] Includes boars.

Hogs and Pigs: Inventory Number by Class, and Quarter, Canada, 2002-2007 [1] [2]

Item	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2007 as % of 2006
	1,000 Head	*1,000 Head*	*1,000 Head*	*1,000 Head*	*1,000 Head*	*1,000 Head*	*Pct*
January 1 Inventory							
All Hogs and Pigs	14,375	14,745	14,725	14,810	15,110	14,907	99
Kept for Breeding	1,512	1,569	1,615	1,634	1,605	1,579	98
Market	12,863	13,177	13,110	13,176	13,505	13,328	99
Sows Farrowed	776	800	872	897	853	846	99
Pig Crop	7,304	7,519	8,294	8,570	8,201	8,217	100
April 1 Inventory							
All Hogs and Pigs	14,445	14,655	14,675	14,960	15,030	14,729	98
Kept for Breeding	1,528	1,587	1,623	1,628	1,596	1,571	98
Market	12,917	13,068	13,052	13,332	13,434	13,158	98
Sows Farrowed	776	807	873	874	856	824	96
Pig Crop	7,304	7,621	8,321	8,397	8,257	8,031	97
July 1 Inventory							
All Hogs and Pigs	14,715	14,720	14,980	15,195	15,065	14,693	98
Kept for Breeding	1,548	1,590	1,627	1,624	1,587	1,571	99
Market	13,167	13,130	13,353	13,571	13,479	13,122	97
Sows Farrowed	781	804	861	853	812	809	100
Pig Crop	7,386	7,632	8,215	8,197	7,875	7,915	101
October 1 Inventory							
All Hogs and Pigs	14,990	14,710	14,845	15,205	14,900	14,437	97
Kept for Breeding	1,551	1,599	1,628	1,619	1,582	1,560	99
Market	13,439	13,111	13,217	13,586	13,318	12,877	97
Sows Farrowed	791	831	852	856	816	804	98
Pig Crop	7,487	7,875	8,137	8,225	7,929	7,857	99

[1] May not add due to rounding.
[2] Includes boars.

Hogs and Pigs: Number by Class - Canadian Provinces, October 1, 2006 [1]

Class	N.L.	P.E.I.	N.S.	N.B.	Que.
	1,000 Head	*1,000 Head*	*1,000 Head*	*1,000 Head*	*1,000 Head*
Breeding Stock	0.3	11.6	7.3	12.6	404.2
Sows and Bred Gilts	0.3	11.2	7.0	12.3	398.0
Boars, 6 Months Plus	0.0	0.4	0.3	0.3	6.2
All Other Pigs	1.7	111.9	85.7	94.9	3,765.8
Under 20 kgs	0.6	36.5	26.5	35.0	1,256.1
20 - 60 kgs	0.6	37.7	29.5	31.0	1,282.1
Over 60 kgs	0.5	37.7	29.7	28.9	1,227.6
Total	2.0	123.5	93.0	107.5	4,170.0
	Ont.	Man.	Sask.	Alta.	B.C.
	1,000 Head	*1,000 Head*	*1,000 Head*	*1,000 Head*	*1,000 Head*
Breeding Stock	425.7	372.4	134.2	195.5	18.4
Sows and Bred Gilts	416.6	367.5	129.4	188.5	17.8
Boars, 6 Months Plus	9.1	4.9	4.8	7.0	0.6
All Other Pigs	3,485.3	2,577.6	1,239.8	1,839.5	115.6
Under 20 kgs	1,195.7	949.0	320.0	602.9	57.8
20 - 60 kgs	1,255.1	829.7	397.5	629.5	30.1
Over 60 kgs	1,034.5	798.9	522.3	607.1	27.7
Total	3,911.0	2,950.0	1,374.0	2,035.0	134.0

[1] Totals may not add due to rounding.
Source: Livestock and Animal Products Section, Statistics Canada.
Provinces are Newfoundland and Labrador, Prince Edward Island, Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, Quebec, Ontario, Manitoba, Saskatchewan, Alberta, and British Columbia.

Hogs and Pigs: Number by Class - Canadian Provinces, October 1, 2007 [1]

Class	N.L.	P.E.I.	N.S.	NB.	Que.
	1,000 Head	*1,000 Head*	*1,000 Head*	*1,000 Head*	*1,000 Head*
Breeding Stock	0.2	10.4	6.8	13.8	399.1
Sows and Bred Gilts	0.2	10.0	6.5	13.5	393.0
Boars, 6 Months Plus	0.0	0.4	0.3	0.3	6.1
All Other Pigs	1.5	100.0	79.2	78.2	3,670.9
Under 20 kgs	0.5	30.0	23.0	30.0	1,329.2
20 - 60 kgs	0.5	35.0	28.2	29.2	1,215.6
Over 60 kgs	0.5	35.0	28.0	19.0	1,126.1
Total	1.7	110.4	86.0	92.0	4,070.0
	Ont.	Man.	Sask.	Alta.	B.C.
	1,000 Head	*1,000 Head*	*1,000 Head*	*1,000 Head*	*1,000 Head*
Breeding Stock	416.8	370.6	136.5	187.7	18.1
Sows and Bred Gilts	408.0	366.0	131.7	180.9	17.6
Boars, 6 Months Plus	8.8	4.6	4.8	6.8	0.5
All Other Pigs	3,373.1	2,539.4	1,203.5	1,722.3	108.9
Under 20 kgs	1,187.0	1,132.5	321.3	596.9	41.7
20 - 60 kgs	1,175.1	703.0	374.7	560.9	32.1
Over 60 kgs	1,011.0	703.9	507.5	564.5	35.1
Total	3,789.9	2,910.0	1,340.0	1,910.0	127.0

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Provinces are Newfoundland and Labrador, Prince Edward Island, Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, Quebec, Ontario, Manitoba, Saskatchewan, Alberta, and British Columbia.

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