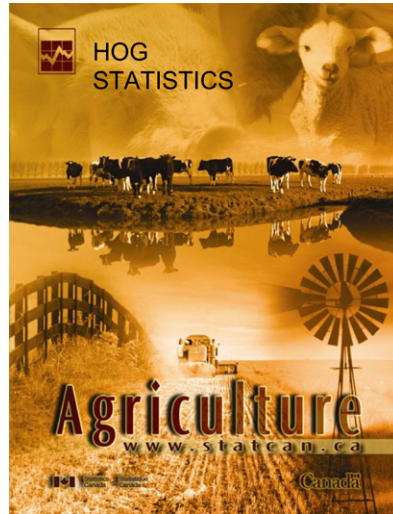




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## Hog inventories

### Third quarter 2004

Canadian hog producers decreased their inventories as exports and prices surged during the third quarter of 2004. Inventories dropped to 14.7 million hogs as of October 1, 2004, a decline of 1.2% from July 1 but modestly above the same time last year.

Producers were able to take advantage of the favourable conditions, including the cooler than normal weather, by heavily feeding their animals to bring them to market sooner. Feed grain prices moderated during the period consistent with the sufficient supplies.

The inventory of market hogs on Canadian farms declined 1.2% while the number of sows remained stable. All major hog producing provinces experienced declines.

Exports of hogs to the United States rose dramatically following the closure of the border to Canadian cattle in May of 2003. During the first 9 months of 2004 exports have spiked to a record 6.3 million hogs. This is 19.9% over the same period in 2003 but 50.2% over 2002 (when the border remained open to Canadian cattle). The gain in exports represents the shipment of 2.1 million more hogs in the first 9 months of this year when compared to the same period in 2002.

With the closure of the U.S. border to Canadian cattle and high demand for beef in the United States, prices for beef have risen to record levels dragging the demand for pork and hogs up. In turn, prices have increased in both countries. Also, with fewer shipments of cattle, there is more than sufficient transportation capacity to carry the hogs south.

Following two years of soft prices and a slump during the second half of 2003, hog prices rebounded in 2004 to levels last seen in 2001. The June 2004 price spiked to an increase of over 60% since the beginning of the year. Although prices have moderated somewhat, the September price was still almost 40% higher than January.

On March 5, 2004, spurred by rising exports, the National Pork Producers Council in the United States filed for anti-dumping and countervailing duties on Canadian hogs. The applications were made to both the U.S. Department of Commerce and the International Trade Commission. These actions add an element of uncertainty to the marketplace, although a preliminary countervail determination by the Department of Commerce was in Canada's favour.

<b>Hog inventories</b>								
<b>October 1, 2004</b>								
	<b>Breeding</b>		<b>Market Hogs</b>				<b>Total hogs</b>	
	2004	2004 to 2003	2004	2004 to 2003	2004	2004 to 2003	2004	2004 to 2003
			Under 20 kg		20 kg and over			
	'000 head	% change	'000 head	% change	'000 head	% change	'000 head	% change
<b>Canada</b>	<b>1624</b>	<b>1.6</b>	<b>4532</b>	<b>-1.0</b>	<b>8509</b>	<b>0.9</b>	<b>14665</b>	<b>0.4</b>
Atlantic	33	-6.0	106	-3.9	215	-3.4	354	-3.8
Quebec	417	-0.5	1313	3.0	2575	-2.5	4305	-0.7
Ontario	437	1.2	1096	-4.1	2097	0.6	3630	-0.8
<b>East</b>	<b>887</b>	<b>0.1</b>	<b>2515</b>	<b>-0.5</b>	<b>4887</b>	<b>-1.3</b>	<b>8289</b>	<b>-0.9</b>
Manitoba	371	5.1	987	3.4	1501	-0.8	2859	1.4
Saskatchewan	133	3.8	402	1.6	800	10.9	1335	7.2
Alberta	212	-0.1	580	-11.3	1219	5.6	2010	-0.5
British Columbia	22	10.6	48	4.6	103	3.3	172	4.5
<b>West</b>	<b>738</b>	<b>3.5</b>	<b>2017</b>	<b>-1.6</b>	<b>3622</b>	<b>3.9</b>	<b>6376</b>	<b>2.0</b>
Note:	Figures may not add up to totals due to rounding.							

## **Livestock Statistics – Concepts and Methods**

### **Concepts**

Inventory levels of the various types of livestock intended for sale in Canada are measured at specific times throughout the year. Surveyed operations are requested to include all animals located on the farming operation, regardless of ownership. They are also asked to include animals owned but pastured on a community pasture, grazing co-op or public land. Producers are asked to exclude animals owned but kept on a farm, ranch or feedlot operated by someone else. Inventory levels are estimated for cattle, calves, pigs, sheep and lambs. Estimates are also produced for certain categories of animals on the basis of age, sex, weight and/or purpose i.e. breeding or slaughter.

Current information on livestock inventories and related statistics such as supply and disposition enable those active in the agricultural sector to observe and assess changes in the industry, measure performance and keep the agricultural community and general public informed of developments. The primary data users are federal and provincial governments, producer boards, farmers and farm organizations, private business, academic research institutions and students. Livestock data assists governments in formulating agricultural policies and developing programs. Farming organizations use statistics in developing recommendations for producers and governments. Farmers make increasing use of prices, production, and marketing statistics in planning their operations. In addition, these livestock statistics are used in the calculation of farm incomes and in the Canadian System of National Accounts for indicators such as gross domestic product.

### **Methods**

To produce livestock estimates, there are actually 6 different survey occasions. All of the survey occasions collect data primarily using Computer Assisted Telephone Interviews (CATI) although there are special procedures in place for the very large or complex operations.

Two of the occasions are the January Livestock Survey and the July Livestock Survey. These are large-scale general livestock surveys collecting data on cattle, hogs, sheep and other livestock, referring to inventories at the 1st of the month. The probability samples include about 10,000 operations at January 1, and about 28,000 operations at July 1. These surveys collect data during a three-week period in the western provinces, Ontario and Quebec. Regardless of when operators respond, they are asked to report inventories as of January 1 or July 1. The livestock survey results are released, following processing and analysis, approximately seven weeks after the reference date.

Hog inventories are the focus of two other survey occasions collecting estimates of pig numbers at April 1 and October 1. This survey was initiated in 1998 as estimates from 1978 to 1997 were based solely on analytical tools. For the hog surveys, a sub-sample of the prior livestock survey is used. The probability samples are 2,500 at April 1 and October 1 and, similar to the livestock surveys, these CATI surveys cover the western provinces, Ontario and Quebec. Producers are requested to report their inventories as of the reference date, although the data are collected during a 7-day period near or before that date. The hog survey results are normally released three to four weeks after the reference date.

The June and November Atlantic Surveys are used to produce estimates for that region. These surveys are multi-purpose collecting data, primarily inventories, on livestock including cattle,



hogs and sheep in addition to collecting data related to the area, yield and production of the principal field crops. The probability samples are 1,300 in June and 2,200 in November with the data collected by telephone. The results are released at the same time as the livestock results. For reference points where surveys do not exist for the Atlantic region, analytical tools are used to produce the estimates.

Recently a new piece of information has been added to the cattle statistics allowing users a better understanding of the cattle industry. In essence, the total inventories are distributed, on the basis of survey results and sector level balance sheets, to a specific farm type. The two major categories are dairy and beef. The beef sector is then broken down to beef cattle on cow/calf and mixed beef and dairy operations; beef cattle on feeder, stocker/finish operations; and, beef cattle on feeding operations, which include feedlots.

To summarize, the livestock statistics are survey-based estimates. The survey relies on a list frame that is established every five years by the Census of Agriculture and updated to include new entrants, particularly large hog operations. The probability sample surveys are conducted by telephone. The survey results are analysed and corrected before the data are used to analyse the industry and fine-tune the estimates. The survey data are reviewed in a board environment before the commodity analyst works with the data primarily using supply-disposition analysis. The results of the industry analysis are reviewed by the board before being sent to the individual provinces. Once the data are finalised they are released to the public and published. The principal data released include inventories and summarized supply-disposition tables. The data also flow, via farm income estimates, to the Canadian System of National Accounts. In addition the data are used in the calculation of net farm income projections, produced by Agriculture and Agri-Food Canada in co-operation with Statistics Canada and the provinces.

Table 1. Pigs on Farms, Quarterly, by Province, East, West and Canada, 2000

	N.L.	P.E.I.	N.S.	N.B.	Que.	Ont.	East	Man.	Sask.	Alta.	B.C.	West	Canada	
														'000 head
<b>January 1, 2000</b>														<b>00 / 99</b>
														<b>%</b>
Breeding Stock	0.4	12.8	11.6	10.6	386.0	353.2	774.6	258.3	101.6	189.5	21.7	571.1	1345.7	103.2
Sows & Bred Gilts	0.4	12.2	11.1	10.0	377.0	339.3	750.0	249.8	96.2	179.9	20.6	546.5	1296.5	103.7
Boars, 6 mths plus	0.0	0.6	0.5	0.6	9.0	13.9	24.6	8.5	5.4	9.6	1.1	24.6	49.2	91.1
All Other Pigs	4.0	106.2	121.4	99.4	3549.1	3087.0	6967.1	1889.8	860.2	1693.0	148.6	4591.6	11558.7	103.9
Under 20 kg	1.5	37.7	41.0	32.9	1179.8	1034.7	2327.6	721.0	255.5	561.1	53.1	1590.7	3918.3	101.2
20 -60 kg	1.6	35.5	41.2	34.0	1193.6	1061.2	2367.1	600.9	333.9	568.7	45.2	1548.7	3915.8	106.5
Over 60 kg	0.9	33.0	39.2	32.5	1175.7	991.1	2272.4	567.9	270.8	563.2	50.3	1452.2	3724.6	104.2
<b>Total</b>	<b>4.4</b>	<b>119.0</b>	<b>133.0</b>	<b>110.0</b>	<b>3935.1</b>	<b>3440.2</b>	<b>7741.7</b>	<b>2148.1</b>	<b>961.8</b>	<b>1882.5</b>	<b>170.3</b>	<b>5162.7</b>	<b>12904.4</b>	<b>103.8</b>
<b>April 1, 2000</b>														<b>00 / 99</b>
														<b>%</b>
Breeding Stock	0.4	12.7	11.4	11.0	384.0	354.3	773.8	259.2	104.1	187.4	21.3	572.0	1345.8	103.2
Sows & Bred Gilts	0.4	12.1	10.9	10.5	375.4	340.7	750.0	250.9	98.9	178.1	20.2	548.1	1298.1	103.6
Boars, 6 mths plus	0.0	0.6	0.5	0.5	8.6	13.6	23.8	8.3	5.2	9.3	1.1	23.9	47.7	91.9
All Other Pigs	4.1	109.3	121.6	103.0	3554.2	3097.1	6989.3	1924.5	906.7	1700.5	147.7	4679.4	11668.7	104.5
Under 20 kg	1.6	37.0	41.0	34.0	1157.6	1018.4	2289.6	717.7	268.2	566.1	55.2	1607.2	3896.8	100.9
20 -60 kg	1.6	37.9	41.3	35.0	1169.8	1148.2	2433.8	642.3	306.6	561.5	44.1	1554.5	3988.3	105.1
Over 60 kg	0.9	34.4	39.3	34.0	1226.8	930.5	2265.9	564.5	331.9	572.9	48.4	1517.7	3783.6	107.9
<b>Total</b>	<b>4.5</b>	<b>122.0</b>	<b>133.0</b>	<b>114.0</b>	<b>3938.2</b>	<b>3451.4</b>	<b>7763.1</b>	<b>2183.7</b>	<b>1010.8</b>	<b>1887.9</b>	<b>169.0</b>	<b>5251.4</b>	<b>13014.5</b>	<b>104.4</b>
<b>July 1, 2000</b>														<b>00 / 99</b>
														<b>%</b>
Breeding Stock	0.3	12.9	11.3	11.5	386.6	355.2	777.8	264.0	105.1	195.4	21.2	585.7	1363.5	102.9
Sows & Bred Gilts	0.3	12.4	10.8	11.0	378.3	341.5	754.3	255.8	100.1	185.7	20.2	561.8	1316.1	103.2
Boars, 6 mths plus	0.0	0.5	0.5	0.5	8.3	13.7	23.5	8.2	5.0	9.7	1.0	23.9	47.4	93.5
All Other Pigs	3.7	110.1	120.7	109.5	3708.5	3160.7	7213.2	2031.5	923.3	1722.8	146.7	4824.3	12037.5	105.9
Under 20 kg	1.3	36.0	41.0	36.0	1162.0	1033.7	2310.0	742.0	322.3	561.8	57.3	1683.4	3993.4	106.7
20 -60 kg	1.4	39.0	41.7	37.3	1320.1	1167.2	2606.7	676.5	279.3	647.0	43.9	1646.7	4253.4	104.8
Over 60 kg	1.0	35.1	38.0	36.2	1226.4	959.8	2296.5	613.0	321.7	514.0	45.5	1494.2	3790.7	106.4
<b>Total</b>	<b>4.0</b>	<b>123.0</b>	<b>132.0</b>	<b>121.0</b>	<b>4095.1</b>	<b>3515.9</b>	<b>7991.0</b>	<b>2295.5</b>	<b>1028.4</b>	<b>1918.2</b>	<b>167.9</b>	<b>5410.0</b>	<b>13401.0</b>	<b>105.6</b>
<b>October 1, 2000</b>														<b>00 / 99</b>
														<b>%</b>
Breeding Stock	0.3	13.1	11.2	12.5	389.1	358.0	784.2	272.3	106.0	198.8	20.0	597.1	1381.3	104.0
Sows & Bred Gilts	0.3	12.6	10.7	12.0	380.9	344.5	761.0	264.1	101.1	189.5	19.1	573.8	1334.8	104.4
Boars, 6 mths plus	0.0	0.5	0.5	0.5	8.2	13.5	23.2	8.2	4.9	9.3	0.9	23.3	46.5	93.8
All Other Pigs	3.2	111.9	118.8	116.5	3731.1	3176.5	7258.0	2032.3	944.8	1753.2	147.7	4878.0	12136.0	105.6
Under 20 kg	1.0	34.9	41.0	41.1	1221.2	1045.0	2384.2	754.5	344.2	567.7	48.9	1715.3	4099.5	105.6
20 -60 kg	1.2	41.5	41.5	39.1	1227.1	1141.2	2491.6	612.4	303.2	587.9	51.3	1554.8	4046.4	107.5
Over 60 kg	1.0	35.5	36.3	36.3	1282.8	990.3	2382.2	665.4	297.4	597.6	47.5	1607.9	3990.1	103.8
<b>Total</b>	<b>3.5</b>	<b>125.0</b>	<b>130.0</b>	<b>129.0</b>	<b>4120.2</b>	<b>3534.5</b>	<b>8042.2</b>	<b>2304.6</b>	<b>1050.8</b>	<b>1952.0</b>	<b>167.7</b>	<b>5475.1</b>	<b>13517.3</b>	<b>105.4</b>

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	N.L.	P.E.I.	N.S.	N.B.	Que.	Ont.	East	Man.	Sask.	Alta.	B.C.	West	Canada	
														'000 head
<b>January 1, 2001</b>														<b>01 / 00</b>
														<b>%</b>
Breeding Stock	0.3	13.3	11.1	12.9	394.5	360.6	792.7	282.3	108.9	202.6	19.6	613.4	1406.1	104.5
Sows & Bred Gilts	0.3	12.8	10.6	12.5	386.6	347.3	770.1	274.3	104.0	193.4	18.7	590.4	1360.5	104.9
Boars, 6 mths plus	0.0	0.5	0.5	0.4	7.9	13.3	22.6	8.0	4.9	9.2	0.9	23.0	45.6	92.7
All Other Pigs	2.9	112.7	115.9	119.1	3687.7	3159.4	7197.7	2099.3	962.0	1762.2	148.2	4971.7	12169.4	105.3
Under 20 kg	0.9	33.3	40.0	43.0	1255.7	1059.0	2431.9	776.9	283.7	573.4	48.6	1682.6	4114.5	105.0
20 -60 kg	1.1	43.3	40.9	39.1	1215.4	1056.6	2396.4	709.8	379.0	595.8	45.9	1730.5	4126.9	105.4
Over 60 kg	0.9	36.1	35.0	37.0	1216.6	1043.8	2369.4	612.6	299.3	593.0	53.7	1558.6	3928.0	105.5
<b>Total</b>	<b>3.2</b>	<b>126.0</b>	<b>127.0</b>	<b>132.0</b>	<b>4082.2</b>	<b>3520.0</b>	<b>7990.4</b>	<b>2381.6</b>	<b>1070.9</b>	<b>1964.8</b>	<b>167.8</b>	<b>5585.1</b>	<b>13575.5</b>	<b>105.2</b>
<b>April 1, 2001</b>														<b>01 / 00</b>
														<b>%</b>
Breeding Stock	0.3	13.4	11.0	13.4	400.3	361.7	800.1	289.0	111.9	204.1	19.3	624.3	1424.4	105.8
Sows & Bred Gilts	0.3	12.9	10.5	13.0	392.5	348.4	777.6	281.1	107.0	195.2	18.4	601.7	1379.3	106.3
Boars, 6 mths plus	0.0	0.5	0.5	0.4	7.8	13.3	22.5	7.9	4.9	8.9	0.9	22.6	45.1	94.5
All Other Pigs	2.4	112.6	114.0	121.6	3718.4	3123.7	7192.7	2163.7	976.4	1767.9	148.3	5056.3	12249.0	105.0
Under 20 kg	0.8	31.6	40.0	44.5	1229.0	1043.2	2389.1	774.5	279.4	573.9	53.1	1680.9	4070.0	104.4
20 -60 kg	0.9	43.7	40.0	39.2	1240.6	1145.5	2509.9	713.7	331.5	592.1	43.3	1680.6	4190.5	105.1
Over 60 kg	0.7	37.3	34.0	37.9	1248.8	935.0	2293.7	675.5	365.5	601.9	51.9	1694.8	3988.5	105.4
<b>Total</b>	<b>2.7</b>	<b>126.0</b>	<b>125.0</b>	<b>135.0</b>	<b>4118.7</b>	<b>3485.4</b>	<b>7992.8</b>	<b>2452.7</b>	<b>1088.3</b>	<b>1972.0</b>	<b>167.6</b>	<b>5680.6</b>	<b>13673.4</b>	<b>105.1</b>
<b>July 1, 2001</b>														<b>01 / 00</b>
														<b>%</b>
Breeding Stock	0.3	13.4	11.0	13.4	409.4	364.2	811.7	298.5	114.5	209.8	19.3	642.1	1453.8	106.6
Sows & Bred Gilts	0.3	12.9	10.5	13.0	401.6	351.0	789.3	290.8	109.5	200.9	18.4	619.6	1408.9	107.1
Boars, 6 mths plus	0.0	0.5	0.5	0.4	7.8	13.2	22.4	7.7	5.0	8.9	0.9	22.5	44.9	94.7
All Other Pigs	2.7	114.6	115.0	126.6	3885.0	3112.0	7355.9	2257.5	1014.6	1819.6	149.0	5240.7	12596.6	104.6
Under 20 kg	1.0	31.4	40.2	46.0	1234.2	1048.2	2401.0	808.1	358.3	586.9	55.9	1809.2	4210.2	105.4
20 -60 kg	1.0	45.1	40.4	41.6	1371.8	1099.7	2599.6	773.7	302.5	690.8	46.6	1813.6	4413.2	103.8
Over 60 kg	0.7	38.1	34.4	39.0	1279.0	964.1	2355.3	675.7	353.8	541.9	46.5	1617.9	3973.2	104.8
<b>Total</b>	<b>3.0</b>	<b>128.0</b>	<b>126.0</b>	<b>140.0</b>	<b>4294.4</b>	<b>3476.2</b>	<b>8167.6</b>	<b>2556.0</b>	<b>1129.1</b>	<b>2029.4</b>	<b>168.3</b>	<b>5882.8</b>	<b>14050.4</b>	<b>104.8</b>
<b>October 1, 2001</b>														<b>01 / 00</b>
														<b>%</b>
Breeding Stock	0.3	13.5	10.9	13.4	409.0	373.1	820.2	307.8	114.6	216.6	19.5	658.5	1478.7	107.1
Sows & Bred Gilts	0.3	13.0	10.4	13.0	401.2	360.5	798.4	300.3	109.8	207.6	18.7	636.4	1434.8	107.5
Boars, 6 mths plus	0.0	0.5	0.5	0.4	7.8	12.6	21.8	7.5	4.8	9.0	0.8	22.1	43.9	94.4
All Other Pigs	2.2	115.5	116.1	126.6	3937.5	3126.9	7424.8	2336.0	1053.5	1887.1	148.9	5425.5	12850.3	105.9
Under 20 kg	0.7	32.3	40.5	46.0	1271.8	1026.5	2417.8	841.5	368.7	580.4	53.3	1843.9	4261.7	104.0
20 -60 kg	0.8	45.0	40.6	41.4	1310.4	1163.5	2601.7	734.1	353.8	670.5	47.2	1805.6	4407.3	108.9
Over 60 kg	0.7	38.2	35.0	39.2	1355.3	936.9	2405.3	760.4	331.0	636.2	48.4	1776.0	4181.3	104.8
<b>Total</b>	<b>2.5</b>	<b>129.0</b>	<b>127.0</b>	<b>140.0</b>	<b>4346.5</b>	<b>3500.0</b>	<b>8245.0</b>	<b>2643.8</b>	<b>1168.1</b>	<b>2103.7</b>	<b>168.4</b>	<b>6084.0</b>	<b>14329.0</b>	<b>106.0</b>

Table 1. Pigs on Farms, Quarterly, by Province, East, West and Canada, 2002

	N.L.	P.E.I.	N.S.	N.B.	Que.	Ont.	East	Man.	Sask.	Alta.	B.C.	West	Canada	
'000 head														
<b>January 1, 2002</b>														<b>02 / 01</b>
														<b>%</b>
Breeding Stock	0.3	13.5	10.9	13.2	410.6	385.8	834.3	324.5	114.8	219.2	19.6	678.1	1512.4	107.6
Sows & Bred Gilts	0.3	13.0	10.4	12.8	402.8	373.1	812.4	316.7	110.0	210.1	18.8	655.6	1468.0	107.9
Boars, 6 mths plus	0.0	0.5	0.5	0.4	7.8	12.7	21.9	7.8	4.8	9.1	0.8	22.5	44.4	97.4
All Other Pigs	2.1	116.5	116.1	117.8	3880.2	3139.2	7371.9	2363.6	1065.3	1905.9	148.0	5482.8	12854.7	105.6
Under 20 kg	0.8	31.7	40.5	43.1	1298.0	1024.3	2438.4	835.8	324.9	590.4	46.5	1797.6	4236.0	103.0
20 -60 kg	0.8	45.7	40.7	38.2	1277.5	1059.6	2462.5	789.7	399.3	637.5	49.4	1875.9	4338.4	105.1
Over 60 kg	0.5	39.1	34.9	36.5	1304.7	1055.3	2471.0	738.1	341.1	678.0	52.1	1809.3	4280.3	109.0
<b>Total</b>	<b>2.4</b>	<b>130.0</b>	<b>127.0</b>	<b>131.0</b>	<b>4290.8</b>	<b>3525.0</b>	<b>8206.2</b>	<b>2688.1</b>	<b>1180.1</b>	<b>2125.1</b>	<b>167.6</b>	<b>6160.9</b>	<b>14367.1</b>	<b>105.8</b>
<b>April 1, 2002</b>														<b>02 / 01</b>
														<b>%</b>
Breeding Stock	0.3	13.5	11.0	12.7	415.1	391.1	843.7	329.9	119.5	215.3	19.4	684.1	1527.8	107.3
Sows & Bred Gilts	0.3	13.0	10.5	12.3	407.3	378.2	821.6	322.0	114.5	207.0	18.6	662.1	1483.7	107.6
Boars, 6 mths plus	0.0	0.5	0.5	0.4	7.8	12.9	22.1	7.9	5.0	8.3	0.8	22.0	44.1	97.8
All Other Pigs	2.4	115.5	116.0	116.3	3846.8	3183.9	7380.9	2361.9	1108.2	1892.9	148.6	5511.6	12892.5	105.3
Under 20 kg	0.9	31.0	40.4	42.4	1254.8	1047.9	2417.4	852.4	324.9	612.2	48.2	1837.7	4255.1	104.5
20 -60 kg	0.9	45.7	40.6	37.6	1282.8	1201.8	2609.4	764.7	389.0	641.3	44.4	1839.4	4448.8	106.2
Over 60 kg	0.6	38.8	35.0	36.3	1309.2	934.2	2354.1	744.8	394.3	639.4	56.0	1834.5	4188.6	105.0
<b>Total</b>	<b>2.7</b>	<b>129.0</b>	<b>127.0</b>	<b>129.0</b>	<b>4261.9</b>	<b>3575.0</b>	<b>8224.6</b>	<b>2691.8</b>	<b>1227.7</b>	<b>2108.2</b>	<b>168.0</b>	<b>6195.7</b>	<b>14420.3</b>	<b>105.5</b>
<b>July 1, 2002</b>														<b>02 / 01</b>
														<b>%</b>
Breeding Stock	0.3	13.5	10.7	12.4	418.7	400.5	856.1	333.7	122.7	216.9	19.0	692.3	1548.4	106.5
Sows & Bred Gilts	0.3	13.0	10.2	12.0	411.3	387.6	834.4	325.7	117.7	209.0	18.2	670.6	1505.0	106.8
Boars, 6 mths plus	0.0	0.5	0.5	0.4	7.4	12.9	21.7	8.0	5.0	7.9	0.8	21.7	43.4	96.7
All Other Pigs	2.4	114.5	114.3	113.6	3934.4	3208.9	7488.1	2451.3	1107.7	1924.0	149.0	5632.0	13120.1	104.2
Under 20 kg	0.9	31.2	40.0	40.4	1247.5	1155.9	2515.9	859.0	373.5	621.9	58.0	1912.4	4428.3	105.2
20 -60 kg	0.9	45.2	40.0	37.8	1377.2	1073.2	2574.3	873.1	345.9	711.5	45.5	1976.0	4550.3	103.1
Over 60 kg	0.6	38.1	34.3	35.4	1309.7	979.8	2397.9	719.2	388.3	590.6	45.5	1743.6	4141.5	104.2
<b>Total</b>	<b>2.7</b>	<b>128.0</b>	<b>125.0</b>	<b>126.0</b>	<b>4353.1</b>	<b>3609.4</b>	<b>8344.2</b>	<b>2785.0</b>	<b>1230.4</b>	<b>2140.9</b>	<b>168.0</b>	<b>6324.3</b>	<b>14668.5</b>	<b>104.4</b>
<b>October 1, 2002</b>														<b>02 / 01</b>
														<b>%</b>
Breeding Stock	0.3	13.5	10.5	11.9	415.1	404.4	855.7	337.3	125.5	213.8	18.9	695.5	1551.2	104.9
Sows & Bred Gilts	0.3	13.0	10.0	11.5	408.2	391.7	834.7	329.5	120.5	206.0	18.1	674.1	1508.8	105.2
Boars, 6 mths plus	0.0	0.5	0.5	0.4	6.9	12.7	21.0	7.8	5.0	7.8	0.8	21.4	42.4	96.6
All Other Pigs	2.3	116.5	111.5	112.1	3983.4	3288.7	7614.5	2537.3	1119.5	1958.1	147.3	5762.2	13376.7	104.1
Under 20 kg	0.7	32.0	39.0	40.0	1279.5	1106.6	2497.8	888.6	390.6	628.3	47.6	1955.1	4452.9	104.5
20 -60 kg	0.8	46.0	39.0	37.0	1339.9	1168.5	2631.2	817.3	367.6	668.8	51.4	1905.1	4536.3	102.9
Over 60 kg	0.8	38.5	33.5	35.1	1364.0	1013.6	2485.5	831.4	361.3	661.0	48.3	1902.0	4387.5	104.9
<b>Total</b>	<b>2.6</b>	<b>130.0</b>	<b>122.0</b>	<b>124.0</b>	<b>4398.5</b>	<b>3693.1</b>	<b>8470.2</b>	<b>2874.6</b>	<b>1245.0</b>	<b>2171.9</b>	<b>166.2</b>	<b>6457.7</b>	<b>14927.9</b>	<b>104.2</b>

Table 1. Pigs on Farms, Quarterly, by Province, East, West and Canada, 2003

	N.L.	P.E.I.	N.S.	N.B.	Que.	Ont.	East	Man.	Sask.	Alta.	B.C.	West	Canada	
'000 head														
<b>January 1, 2003</b>														<b>03 / 02</b>
														<b>%</b>
Breeding Stock	0.3	13.5	10.2	11.9	420.4	411.4	867.7	339.8	126.6	215.5	18.8	700.7	1568.4	103.7
Sows & Bred Gilts	0.3	13.0	9.7	11.5	413.5	398.7	846.7	332.3	121.6	208.0	18.1	680.0	1526.7	104.0
Boars, 6 mths plus	0.0	0.5	0.5	0.4	6.9	12.7	21.0	7.5	5.0	7.5	0.7	20.7	41.7	93.9
All Other Pigs	2.2	116.5	108.8	110.1	3859.8	3250.0	7447.4	2485.2	1103.4	1924.3	143.2	5656.1	13103.5	101.9
Under 20 kg	0.9	31.5	38.0	39.1	1280.2	1086.9	2476.6	868.2	334.9	619.5	46.0	1868.6	4345.2	102.6
20 -60 kg	0.8	46.0	37.8	36.5	1291.3	1092.6	2505.0	818.4	417.2	644.3	45.5	1925.4	4430.4	102.1
Over 60 kg	0.5	39.0	33.0	34.5	1288.3	1070.5	2465.8	798.6	351.3	660.5	51.7	1862.1	4327.9	101.1
<b>Total</b>	<b>2.5</b>	<b>130.0</b>	<b>119.0</b>	<b>122.0</b>	<b>4280.2</b>	<b>3661.4</b>	<b>8315.1</b>	<b>2825.0</b>	<b>1230.0</b>	<b>2139.8</b>	<b>162.0</b>	<b>6356.8</b>	<b>14671.9</b>	<b>102.1</b>
<b>April 1, 2003</b>														<b>03 / 02</b>
														<b>%</b>
Breeding Stock	0.3	13.0	10.1	11.9	423.0	426.4	884.7	341.8	128.0	213.4	18.8	702.0	1586.7	103.9
Sows & Bred Gilts	0.3	12.5	9.6	11.5	416.5	414.3	864.7	334.8	123.0	206.0	18.1	681.9	1546.6	104.2
Boars, 6 mths plus	0.0	0.5	0.5	0.4	6.5	12.1	20.0	7.0	5.0	7.4	0.7	20.1	40.1	90.9
All Other Pigs	2.4	114.0	107.9	109.1	3857.1	3273.6	7464.1	2408.2	1082.6	1886.6	139.2	5516.6	12980.7	100.7
Under 20 kg	0.9	31.0	37.5	40.0	1277.3	1122.4	2509.1	908.8	288.0	614.5	48.5	1859.8	4368.9	102.7
20 -60 kg	0.9	45.0	37.5	36.0	1263.2	1211.5	2594.1	764.4	391.4	636.3	42.1	1834.2	4428.3	99.5
Over 60 kg	0.6	38.0	32.9	33.1	1316.6	939.7	2360.9	735.0	403.2	635.8	48.6	1822.6	4183.5	99.9
<b>Total</b>	<b>2.7</b>	<b>127.0</b>	<b>118.0</b>	<b>121.0</b>	<b>4280.1</b>	<b>3700.0</b>	<b>8348.8</b>	<b>2750.0</b>	<b>1210.6</b>	<b>2100.0</b>	<b>158.0</b>	<b>6218.6</b>	<b>14567.4</b>	<b>101.0</b>
<b>July 1, 2003</b>														<b>03 / 02</b>
														<b>%</b>
Breeding Stock	0.3	12.7	10.0	12.0	419.0	427.1	881.1	348.3	129.4	210.6	20.4	708.7	1589.8	102.7
Sows & Bred Gilts	0.3	12.3	9.5	11.7	412.4	415.1	861.3	341.3	124.2	203.5	19.6	688.6	1549.9	103.0
Boars, 6 mths plus	0.0	0.4	0.5	0.3	6.6	12.0	19.8	7.0	5.2	7.1	0.8	20.1	39.9	91.9
All Other Pigs	2.2	114.3	103.0	111.0	3931.0	3192.9	7454.4	2501.7	1120.6	1819.4	144.6	5586.3	13040.7	99.4
Under 20 kg	0.7	33.0	33.0	41.0	1233.6	1144.3	2485.6	913.3	404.3	636.9	56.4	2010.9	4496.5	101.5
20 -60 kg	1.0	42.0	36.0	36.0	1395.0	1052.7	2562.7	855.9	327.4	585.6	43.6	1812.5	4375.2	96.2
Over 60 kg	0.5	39.3	34.0	34.0	1302.4	995.9	2406.1	732.5	388.9	596.9	44.6	1762.9	4169.0	100.7
<b>Total</b>	<b>2.5</b>	<b>127.0</b>	<b>113.0</b>	<b>123.0</b>	<b>4350.0</b>	<b>3620.0</b>	<b>8335.5</b>	<b>2850.0</b>	<b>1250.0</b>	<b>2030.0</b>	<b>165.0</b>	<b>6295.0</b>	<b>14630.5</b>	<b>99.7</b>
<b>October 1, 2003</b>														<b>03 / 02</b>
														<b>%</b>
Breeding Stock	0.3	12.7	9.9	12.2	418.8	431.6	885.5	353.3	127.6	212.2	19.8	712.9	1598.4	103.0
Sows & Bred Gilts	0.3	12.3	9.5	11.9	412.2	419.9	866.1	346.3	122.3	205.0	19.0	692.6	1558.7	103.3
Boars, 6 mths plus	0.0	0.4	0.4	0.3	6.6	11.7	19.4	7.0	5.3	7.2	0.8	20.3	39.7	93.6
All Other Pigs	2.3	117.3	100.1	112.8	3916.2	3228.4	7477.1	2466.7	1117.4	1807.8	145.1	5537.0	13014.1	97.3
Under 20 kg	0.8	35.0	32.0	42.0	1274.8	1143.3	2527.9	954.5	396.1	653.6	45.7	2049.9	4577.8	102.8
20 -60 kg	0.8	43.8	36.1	37.0	1268.3	1064.9	2450.9	770.7	374.3	572.8	50.6	1768.4	4219.3	93.0
Over 60 kg	0.7	38.5	32.0	33.8	1373.1	1020.2	2498.3	741.5	347.0	581.4	48.8	1718.7	4217.0	96.1
<b>Total</b>	<b>2.6</b>	<b>130.0</b>	<b>110.0</b>	<b>125.0</b>	<b>4335.0</b>	<b>3660.0</b>	<b>8362.6</b>	<b>2820.0</b>	<b>1245.0</b>	<b>2020.0</b>	<b>164.9</b>	<b>6249.9</b>	<b>14612.5</b>	<b>97.9</b>

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	N.L.	P.E.I.	N.S.	N.B.	Que.	Ont.	East	Man.	Sask.	Alta.	B.C.	West	Canada	
														'000 head
<b>January 1, 2004</b>														<b>04 / 03</b>
														<b>%</b>
Breeding Stock	0.3	12.7	9.4	12.3	423.9	437.3	895.9	357.7	128.6	214.1	21.0	721.4	1617.3	103.1
Sows & Bred Gilts	0.3	12.3	9.0	12.0	417.2	425.8	876.6	351.0	123.4	206.9	20.2	701.5	1578.1	103.4
Boars, 6 mths plus	0.0	0.4	0.4	0.3	6.7	11.5	19.3	6.7	5.2	7.2	0.8	19.9	39.2	94.0
All Other Pigs	2.0	119.3	98.6	111.7	3826.1	3232.7	7390.4	2494.3	1136.4	1835.9	148.7	5615.3	13005.7	99.3
Under 20 kg	0.7	35.0	31.3	41.0	1313.3	1136.2	2557.5	964.7	342.0	636.7	47.1	1990.5	4548.0	104.7
20 -60 kg	0.7	44.0	36.0	36.9	1280.4	1037.2	2435.2	790.7	423.1	568.5	49.2	1831.5	4266.7	96.3
Over 60 kg	0.6	40.3	31.3	33.8	1232.4	1059.3	2397.7	738.9	371.3	630.7	52.4	1793.3	4191.0	96.8
<b>Total</b>	<b>2.3</b>	<b>132.0</b>	<b>108.0</b>	<b>124.0</b>	<b>4250.0</b>	<b>3670.0</b>	<b>8286.3</b>	<b>2852.0</b>	<b>1265.0</b>	<b>2050.0</b>	<b>169.7</b>	<b>6336.7</b>	<b>14623.0</b>	<b>99.7</b>
<b>April 1, 2004</b>														<b>04 / 03</b>
														<b>%</b>
Breeding Stock	0.3	12.5	9.4	11.8	423.1	444.8	901.9	362.3	130.9	212.0	21.2	726.4	1628.3	102.6
Sows & Bred Gilts	0.3	12.1	9.0	11.5	416.8	433.3	883.0	356.0	125.5	205.0	20.5	707.0	1590.0	102.8
Boars, 6 mths plus	0.0	0.4	0.4	0.3	6.3	11.5	18.9	6.3	5.4	7.0	0.7	19.4	38.3	95.5
All Other Pigs	2.4	117.5	97.6	113.2	3796.9	3215.2	7342.8	2477.7	1144.1	1818.0	147.1	5586.9	12929.7	99.6
Under 20 kg	0.9	34.0	31.5	42.0	1240.2	1164.6	2513.2	980.5	315.6	599.6	49.0	1944.7	4457.9	102.0
20 -60 kg	0.9	43.4	35.0	37.0	1268.8	1098.5	2483.6	747.7	404.8	627.0	47.2	1826.7	4310.3	97.3
Over 60 kg	0.6	40.1	31.1	34.2	1287.9	952.1	2346.0	749.5	423.7	591.4	50.9	1815.5	4161.5	99.5
<b>Total</b>	<b>2.7</b>	<b>130.0</b>	<b>107.0</b>	<b>125.0</b>	<b>4220.0</b>	<b>3660.0</b>	<b>8244.7</b>	<b>2840.0</b>	<b>1275.0</b>	<b>2030.0</b>	<b>168.3</b>	<b>6313.3</b>	<b>14558.0</b>	<b>99.9</b>
<b>July 1, 2004</b>														<b>04 / 03</b>
														<b>%</b>
Breeding Stock	0.3	12.6	9.0	11.6	423.0	442.7	899.2	368.3	134.1	211.8	21.8	736.0	1635.2	102.9
Sows & Bred Gilts	0.3	12.2	8.7	11.3	416.5	431.7	880.7	362.0	128.8	205.0	21.0	716.8	1597.5	103.1
Boars, 6 mths plus	0.0	0.4	0.3	0.3	6.5	11.0	18.5	6.3	5.3	6.8	0.8	19.2	37.7	94.5
All Other Pigs	2.4	115.4	93.0	113.4	3927.0	3247.3	7498.5	2521.7	1215.9	1818.2	148.2	5704.0	13202.5	101.2
Under 20 kg	0.8	33.5	30.0	41.4	1286.9	1172.2	2564.8	977.0	438.8	621.0	53.5	2090.3	4655.1	103.5
20 -60 kg	1.1	42.4	32.0	37.0	1332.1	1079.1	2523.7	802.2	359.0	621.0	48.5	1830.7	4354.4	99.5
Over 60 kg	0.5	39.5	31.0	35.0	1308.0	996.0	2410.0	742.5	418.1	576.2	46.2	1783.0	4193.0	100.6
<b>Total</b>	<b>2.7</b>	<b>128.0</b>	<b>102.0</b>	<b>125.0</b>	<b>4350.0</b>	<b>3690.0</b>	<b>8397.7</b>	<b>2890.0</b>	<b>1350.0</b>	<b>2030.0</b>	<b>170.0</b>	<b>6440.0</b>	<b>14837.7</b>	<b>101.4</b>
<b>October 1, 2004</b>														<b>04 / 03</b>
														<b>%</b>
Breeding Stock	0.3	12.6	9.0	11.1	416.9	436.7	886.6	371.2	132.5	211.9	21.9	737.5	1624.1	101.6
Sows & Bred Gilts	0.3	12.2	8.6	10.8	410.5	425.9	868.3	365.0	127.3	205.1	21.1	718.5	1586.8	101.8
Boars, 6 mths plus	0.0	0.4	0.4	0.3	6.4	10.8	18.3	6.2	5.2	6.8	0.8	19.0	37.3	94.0
All Other Pigs	2.3	116.4	91.0	110.9	3888.1	3193.3	7402.0	2487.8	1202.5	1798.1	150.5	5638.9	13040.9	100.2
Under 20 kg	0.8	34.5	29.5	40.7	1312.8	1096.4	2514.7	987.1	402.4	579.6	47.8	2016.9	4531.6	99.0
20 -60 kg	0.8	42.9	32.0	36.5	1232.7	1088.4	2433.3	748.4	405.0	618.7	52.2	1824.3	4257.6	100.9
Over 60 kg	0.7	39.0	29.5	33.7	1342.6	1008.5	2454.0	752.3	395.1	599.8	50.5	1797.7	4251.7	100.8
<b>Total</b>	<b>2.6</b>	<b>129.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>122.0</b>	<b>4305.0</b>	<b>3630.0</b>	<b>8288.6</b>	<b>2859.0</b>	<b>1335.0</b>	<b>2010.0</b>	<b>172.4</b>	<b>6376.4</b>	<b>14665.0</b>	<b>100.4</b>

**Table 2. Sows Farrowed, Pigs Born and Farrowing Intentions, Quarterly, by Province, East, West and Canada, 2000**

		N.L.	P.E.I.	N.S.	N.B.	Que.	Ont.	East	Man.	Sask.	Alta.	B.C.	West	Canada
<b>Sows Farrowed</b>														
Jan. - Mar. 2000	'000	0.2	5.9	6.7	5.6	188.4	178.5	385.3	142.1	52.2	92.0	10.2	296.5	681.8
	00/99 %	100.0	98.3	97.1	114.3	90.3	108.4	98.4	107.8	127.0	101.4	100.0	108.3	102.5
<b>Pigs Born</b>														
Jan. - Mar. 2000	'000	2.2	60.7	67.9	57.6	1973.6	1804.9	3966.9	1443.6	522.2	942.1	101.6	3009.5	6976.4
	00/99 %	95.7	98.5	97.6	113.6	90.4	111.7	99.6	108.9	127.6	104.8	102.2	110.1	103.9
<b>Sows Farrowed</b>														
Apr. - June 2000	'000	0.1	6.0	6.3	5.9	189.4	175.5	383.2	145.3	46.6	98.4	10.2	300.5	683.7
	00/99 %	50.0	105.3	95.5	118.0	101.0	108.7	104.5	108.5	100.9	107.7	99.0	106.6	105.4
<b>Pigs Born</b>														
Apr. - June 2000	'000	1.2	61.8	63.8	60.8	1982.4	1777.1	3947.1	1480.9	465.7	1005.0	100.9	3052.5	6999.6
	00/99 %	54.5	105.5	96.7	118.8	103.2	111.9	107.0	109.4	100.6	111.2	99.5	108.2	107.5
<b>Sows Farrowed</b>														
July - Sept. 2000	'000	0.1	6.1	6.3	6.4	190.8	175.1	384.8	148.5	50.3	98.9	9.6	307.3	692.1
	00/99 %	50.0	108.9	94.0	130.6	101.2	100.1	101.1	105.2	107.9	106.8	96.0	105.8	103.1
<b>Pigs Born</b>														
July - Sept. 2000	'000	1.0	62.3	63.8	65.6	1999.0	1776.0	3967.7	1515.1	503.6	1015.4	95.4	3129.5	7097.2
	00/99 %	50.0	108.7	94.0	130.7	101.6	103.4	102.7	106.0	108.0	109.4	97.7	107.1	104.6
<b>Sows Farrowed</b>														
Oct. - Dec. 2000	'000	0.1	6.3	6.3	6.4	194.7	180.6	394.4	156.2	49.1	99.9	9.4	314.6	709.0
	00/99 %	50.0	110.5	96.9	125.5	103.2	98.2	101.1	111.4	99.4	105.7	91.3	106.9	103.6
<b>Pigs Born</b>														
Oct. - Dec. 2000	'000	1.2	64.4	64.8	66.2	2053.8	1841.1	4091.5	1587.8	496.5	1026.8	94.0	3205.1	7296.6
	00/99 %	54.5	110.7	97.2	126.8	104.1	101.7	103.3	110.6	100.6	106.8	93.1	107.2	104.9

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		N.L.	P.E.I.	N.S.	N.B.	Que.	Ont.	East	Man.	Sask.	Alta.	B.C.	West	Canada
<b>Sows Farrowed</b>														
Jan. - Mar. 2001	'000	0.1	6.1	6.5	6.8	196.9	184.1	400.5	162.4	48.7	103.0	9.2	323.3	723.8
	01/00 %	50.0	103.4	97.0	121.4	104.5	103.1	103.9	114.3	93.3	112.0	90.2	109.0	106.2
<b>Pigs Born</b>														
Jan. - Mar. 2001	'000	0.9	62.3	67.1	70.2	2069.3	1878.3	4148.1	1650.8	493.5	1060.0	90.3	3294.6	7442.7
	01/00 %	40.9	102.6	98.8	121.9	104.8	104.1	104.6	114.4	94.5	112.5	88.9	109.5	106.7
<b>Sows Farrowed</b>														
Apr. - June 2001	'000	0.2	6.2	6.6	7.1	200.8	182.6	403.5	168.2	51.9	106.4	9.3	335.8	739.3
	01/00 %	200.0	103.3	104.8	120.3	106.0	104.0	105.3	115.8	111.4	108.1	91.2	111.7	108.1
<b>Pigs Born</b>														
Apr. - June 2001	'000	1.5	63.7	67.6	72.8	2110.0	1869.0	4184.6	1722.2	522.0	1095.9	91.2	3431.3	7615.9
	01/00 %	125.0	103.1	106.0	119.7	106.4	105.2	106.0	116.3	112.1	109.0	90.4	112.4	108.8
<b>Sows Farrowed</b>														
July - Sept. 2001	'000	0.1	6.4	6.7	6.3	199.3	194.9	413.7	178.5	51.1	106.9	9.6	346.1	759.8
	01/00 %	100.0	104.9	106.3	98.4	104.5	111.3	107.5	120.2	101.6	108.1	100.0	112.6	109.8
<b>Pigs Born</b>														
July - Sept. 2001	'000	1.0	65.6	68.6	64.8	2064.5	1982.5	4247.0	1820.0	514.0	1096.4	96.1	3526.5	7773.5
	01/00 %	100.0	105.3	107.5	98.8	103.3	111.6	107.0	120.1	102.1	108.0	100.7	112.7	109.5
<b>Sows Farrowed</b>														
Oct. - Dec. 2001	'000	0.1	6.5	6.6	6.5	200.2	209.9	429.8	177.1	51.1	109.6	9.2	347.0	776.8
	01/00 %	100.0	103.2	104.8	101.6	102.8	116.2	109.0	113.4	104.1	109.7	97.9	110.3	109.6
<b>Pigs Born</b>														
Oct. - Dec. 2001	'000	1.4	66.5	67.5	67.6	2072.3	2141.0	4416.3	1812.4	515.9	1132.7	91.4	3552.4	7968.7
	01/00 %	116.7	103.3	104.2	102.1	100.9	116.3	107.9	114.1	103.9	110.3	97.2	110.8	109.2



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		N.L.	P.E.I.	N.S.	N.B.	Que.	Ont.	East	Man.	Sask.	Alta.	B.C.	West	Canada
<b>Sows Farrowed</b>														
Jan. - Mar. 2002	'000	0.2	6.2	6.8	6.0	199.0	211.3	429.5	174.7	63.8	101.2	8.8	348.5	778.0
	02/01 %	200.0	101.6	104.6	88.2	101.1	114.8	107.2	107.6	131.0	98.3	95.7	107.8	107.5
<b>Pigs Born</b>														
Jan. - Mar. 2002	'000	1.5	63.2	69.3	61.7	2068.9	2155.3	4419.9	1806.2	644.6	1039.0	86.7	3576.5	7996.4
	02/01 %	166.7	101.4	103.3	87.9	100.0	114.7	106.6	109.4	130.6	98.0	96.0	108.6	107.4
<b>Sows Farrowed</b>														
Apr. - June 2002	'000	0.1	6.3	6.5	5.8	199.2	208.3	426.2	184.5	58.6	104.0	9.0	356.1	782.3
	02/01 %	50.0	101.6	98.5	81.7	99.2	114.1	105.6	109.7	112.9	97.7	96.8	106.0	105.8
<b>Pigs Born</b>														
Apr. - June 2002	'000	1.2	64.7	67.2	59.8	2075.5	2124.4	4392.8	1900.8	590.8	1074.9	90.0	3656.5	8049.3
	02/01 %	80.0	101.6	99.4	82.1	98.4	113.7	105.0	110.4	113.2	98.1	98.7	106.6	105.7
<b>Sows Farrowed</b>														
July - Sept. 2002	'000	0.1	6.6	6.3	5.7	204.4	212.9	436.0	183.0	62.5	103.4	9.0	357.9	793.9
	02/01 %	100.0	103.1	94.0	90.5	102.6	109.2	105.4	102.5	122.3	96.7	93.8	103.4	104.5
<b>Pigs Born</b>														
July - Sept. 2002	'000	1.2	68.0	62.7	58.7	2123.2	2172.4	4486.2	1887.8	631.4	1058.4	89.5	3667.1	8153.3
	02/01 %	120.0	103.7	91.4	90.6	102.8	109.6	105.6	103.7	122.8	96.5	93.1	104.0	104.9
<b>Sows Farrowed</b>														
Oct. - Dec. 2002	'000	0.1	6.7	6.0	5.8	204.3	221.6	444.5	183.8	61.6	99.7	9.3	354.4	798.9
	02/01 %	100.0	103.1	90.9	89.2	102.0	105.6	103.4	103.8	120.5	91.0	101.1	102.1	102.8
<b>Pigs Born</b>														
Oct. - Dec. 2002	'000	1.4	68.9	61.8	59.5	2128.8	2264.3	4584.7	1895.3	622.2	1012.6	92.4	3622.5	8207.2
	02/01 %	100.0	103.6	91.6	88.0	102.7	105.8	103.8	104.6	120.6	89.4	101.1	102.0	103.0

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		N.L.	P.E.I.	N.S.	N.B.	Que.	Ont.	East	Man.	Sask.	Alta.	B.C.	West	Canada
<b>Sows Farrowed</b>														
Jan. - Mar. 2003	'000	0.2	6.1	5.6	5.9	210.8	232.9	461.5	177.6	64.9	97.9	9.7	350.1	811.6
	03/02 %	100.0	98.4	82.4	98.3	105.9	110.2	107.5	101.7	101.7	96.7	110.2	100.5	104.3
<b>Pigs Born</b>														
Jan. - Mar. 2003	'000	1.4	61.8	56.5	59.7	2187.4	2382.3	4749.1	1834.2	653.8	995.6	96.7	3580.3	8329.4
	03/02 %	93.3	97.8	81.5	96.8	105.7	110.5	107.4	101.6	101.4	95.8	111.5	100.1	104.2
<b>Sows Farrowed</b>														
Apr. - June 2003	'000	0.1	6.2	5.3	6.3	199.9	224.7	442.5	199.2	69.9	92.0	10.5	371.6	814.1
	03/02 %	100.0	98.4	81.5	108.6	100.4	107.9	103.8	108.0	119.3	88.5	116.7	104.4	104.1
<b>Pigs Born</b>														
Apr. - June 2003	'000	1.0	63.6	53.5	64.8	2077.5	2293.6	4554.0	2046.0	714.1	934.1	105.2	3799.4	8353.4
	03/02 %	83.3	98.3	79.6	108.4	100.1	108.0	103.7	107.6	120.9	86.9	116.9	103.9	103.8
<b>Sows Farrowed</b>														
July -Sept. 2003	'000	0.1	6.5	5.3	6.3	206.2	233.3	457.7	207.2	64.4	97.9	9.7	379.2	836.9
	03/02 %	100.0	98.5	84.1	110.5	100.9	109.6	105.0	113.2	103.0	94.7	107.8	106.0	105.4
<b>Pigs Born</b>														
July -Sept. 2003	'000	1.2	66.8	54.3	63.8	2147.8	2379.4	4713.3	2136.1	654.5	994.1	96.1	3880.8	8594.1
	03/02 %	100.0	98.2	86.6	108.7	101.2	109.5	105.1	113.2	103.7	93.9	107.4	105.8	105.4
<b>Sows Farrowed</b>														
Oct. - Dec. 2003	'000	0.1	6.7	5.1	6.2	212.5	244.7	475.3	211.0	68.6	107.5	10.4	397.5	872.8
	03/02 %	100.0	100.0	85.0	106.9	104.0	110.4	106.9	114.8	111.4	107.8	111.8	112.2	109.3
<b>Pigs Born</b>														
Oct. - Dec. 2003	'000	1.0	69.1	52.1	63.3	2207.0	2498.8	4891.3	2175.5	694.1	1100.0	103.8	4073.4	8964.7
	03/02 %	71.4	100.3	84.3	106.4	103.7	110.4	106.7	114.8	111.6	108.6	112.3	112.4	109.2

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		N.L.	P.E.I.	N.S.	N.B.	Que.	Ont.	East	Man.	Sask.	Alta.	B.C.	West	Canada
<b>Sows Farrowed</b>														
Jan. - Mar. 2004	'000	0.2	6.6	5.4	5.5	210.1	247.8	475.6	213.9	71.4	101.9	9.6	396.8	872.4
	04/03 %	100.0	108.2	96.4	93.2	99.7	106.4	103.1	120.4	110.0	104.1	99.0	113.3	107.5
<b>Pigs Born</b>														
Jan. - Mar. 2004	'000	1.8	67.7	55.1	56.6	2189.5	2523.3	4894.0	2199.6	722.6	1035.8	95.7	4053.7	8947.7
	04/03 %	128.6	109.5	97.5	94.8	100.1	105.9	103.1	119.9	110.5	104.0	99.0	113.2	107.4
<b>Sows Farrowed</b>														
Apr. - June 2004	'000	0.1	6.3	4.8	5.3	211.1	235.2	462.8	211.6	73.3	105.7	10.0	400.6	863.4
	04/03 %	100.0	101.6	90.6	84.1	105.6	104.7	104.6	106.2	104.9	114.9	95.2	107.8	106.1
<b>Pigs Born</b>														
Apr. - June 2004	'000	1.2	63.6	49.2	53.8	2199.9	2401.3	4769.0	2185.3	750.1	1074.2	99.5	4109.1	8878.1
	04/03 %	120.0	100.0	92.0	83.0	105.9	104.7	104.7	106.8	105.0	115.0	94.6	108.2	106.3
<b>Sows Farrowed</b>														
July - Sept. 2004	'000	0.1	6.5	4.8	4.8	204.0	231.6	451.8	207.7	67.0	104.8	10.0	389.5	841.3
	04/03 %	100.0	100.0	90.6	76.2	98.9	99.3	98.7	100.2	104.0	107.0	103.1	102.7	100.5
<b>Pigs Born</b>														
July - Sept. 2004	'000	1.2	67.2	49.3	49.5	2126.4	2364.6	4658.2	2145.7	681.9	1065.8	100.2	3993.6	8651.8
	04/03 %	100.0	100.6	90.8	77.6	99.0	99.4	98.8	100.4	104.2	107.2	104.3	102.9	100.7
<b>Farrowing Intentions</b>														
Oct. - Dec. 2004	'000	0.1	6.6	4.7	4.6	202.0	236.0	454.0	205.0	70.0	106.0	9.8	390.8	844.8
	04/03 %	100.0	98.5	92.2	74.2	95.1	96.4	95.5	97.2	102.0	98.6	94.2	98.3	96.8









**Table 3. Pigs, Supply-Disposition Balance Sheet, Quarterly, by Province, East, West and Canada, 2004**

	N.L.	P.E.I.	N.S.	N.B.	Que.	Ont.	East	Man.	Sask.	Alta.	B.C.	West	Canada
	'000 head												
<b>Jan - Mar 2004</b>													
1. Inventory at <b>January 1</b>	2.3	132.0	108.0	124.0	4250.0	3670.0	8286.3	2852.0	1265.0	2050.0	169.7	6336.7	14623.0
2. Pig Crop <sup>a</sup>	1.6	59.8	49.1	51.1	2007.4	2308.9	4477.9	2122.6	659.4	942.1	87.4	3811.5	8289.4
3. Interprovincial Imports	0.0	0.0	3.0	0.0	20.6	10.8	34.4	16.1	0.0	4.7	0.0	20.8	55.2
4. International Imports	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.2	0.3	0.2	0.6	0.7	0.0	1.5	1.8
5. Total Supply (1+2+3+4)	3.9	191.8	160.1	175.1	6278.1	5989.9	12798.9	4990.9	1925.0	2997.5	257.1	10170.5	22969.4
6. Slaughter	1.1	58.6	50.4	41.2	1950.5	1327.0	3428.8	901.4	546.6	791.2	65.6	2304.8	5733.6
7. Interprovincial Exports	0.0	0.0	0.0	6.5	1.0	15.6	23.1	12.4	10.0	5.0	4.7	32.1	55.2
8. International Exports	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.2	3.3	875.1	878.6	1132.1	62.0	122.4	14.3	1330.8	2209.4
9. Deaths & Condemnations	0.1	3.2	2.7	2.2	103.3	112.2	223.7	105.0	31.4	48.9	4.2	189.5	413.2
10. Output (6+7+8+9)	1.2	61.8	53.1	50.1	2058.1	2329.9	4554.2	2150.9	650.0	967.5	88.8	3857.2	8411.4
11. Inventory at <b>April 1</b>	2.7	130.0	107.0	125.0	4220.0	3660.0	8244.7	2840.0	1275.0	2030.0	168.3	6313.3	14558.0
<b>Apr - June 2004</b>													
1. Inventory at <b>April 1</b>	2.7	130.0	107.0	125.0	4220.0	3660.0	8244.7	2840.0	1275.0	2030.0	168.3	6313.3	14558.0
2. Pig Crop <sup>a</sup>	1.0	56.6	44.2	48.5	2019.5	2202.2	4372.0	2047.1	681.8	966.9	90.0	3785.8	8157.8
3. Interprovincial Imports	0.0	0.0	3.0	0.0	26.5	11.3	40.8	11.2	0.0	8.8	0.0	20.0	60.8
4. International Imports	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.4	0.4	0.5	1.1	0.0	0.0	1.6	2.0
5. Total Supply (1+2+3+4)	3.7	186.6	154.2	173.5	6266.0	5873.9	12657.9	4898.8	1957.9	3005.7	258.3	10120.7	22778.6
6. Slaughter	1.0	54.4	49.6	40.8	1817.5	1291.9	3255.2	814.2	519.1	805.0	63.8	2202.1	5457.3
7. Interprovincial Exports	0.0	0.0	0.0	5.0	1.0	16.0	22.0	19.0	6.0	5.0	8.8	38.8	60.8
8. International Exports	0.0	1.2	0.0	0.5	1.4	770.7	773.8	1078.0	53.3	116.4	11.7	1259.4	2033.2
9. Deaths & Condemnations	0.0	3.0	2.6	2.2	96.1	105.3	209.2	97.6	29.5	49.3	4.0	180.4	389.6
10. Output (6+7+8+9)	1.0	58.6	52.2	48.5	1916.0	2183.9	4260.2	2008.8	607.9	975.7	88.3	3680.7	7940.9
11. Inventory at <b>July 1</b>	2.7	128.0	102.0	125.0	4350.0	3690.0	8397.7	2890.0	1350.0	2030.0	170.0	6440.0	14837.7
<b>July - Sept 2004</b>													
1. Inventory at <b>July 1</b>	2.7	128.0	102.0	125.0	4350.0	3690.0	8397.7	2890.0	1350.0	2030.0	170.0	6440.0	14837.7
2. Pig Crop <sup>a</sup>	1.1	60.7	44.5	44.7	1955.5	2166.5	4273.0	2015.9	618.9	961.6	90.5	3686.9	7959.9
3. Interprovincial Imports	0.0	0.0	3.0	0.0	26.0	11.0	40.0	14.7	0.0	9.5	0.0	24.2	64.2
4. International Imports	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.9	0.6	0.6	0.0	2.1	2.2
5. Total Supply (1+2+3+4)	3.8	188.7	149.5	169.7	6331.5	5867.6	12710.8	4921.5	1969.5	3001.7	260.5	10153.2	22864.0
6. Slaughter	1.1	55.9	47.0	40.3	1918.8	1359.1	3422.2	790.0	533.9	834.5	64.2	2222.6	5644.8
7. Interprovincial Exports	0.0	0.0	0.0	5.0	1.0	15.5	21.5	17.7	10.0	5.0	10.0	42.7	64.2
8. International Exports	0.0	0.7	0.0	0.2	5.0	755.0	760.9	1155.0	60.0	102.0	10.0	1327.0	2087.9
9. Deaths & Condemnations	0.1	3.1	2.5	2.2	101.7	108.0	217.6	99.8	30.6	50.2	3.9	184.5	402.1
10. Output (6+7+8+9)	1.2	59.7	49.5	47.7	2026.5	2237.6	4422.2	2062.5	634.5	991.7	88.1	3776.8	8199.0
11. Inventory at <b>October 1</b>	2.6	129.0	100.0	122.0	4305.0	3630.0	8288.6	2859.0	1335.0	2010.0	172.4	6376.4	14665.0

<sup>a</sup> Number of pigs born during the quarter that were either on hand at the end of the quarter or had been sold.



**Table 4. Pigs, Total Slaughter and Farm Production, Canada, 1976 - 2003**

Year					Meat Production				
	Total Slaughter	Exported Alive	Imported Alive	Farm Production	Total Slaughter	Average Cold Trimmed Weight <sup>1</sup>	Total Cold Trimmed Weight <sup>1</sup>	Edible Offal	Lard Production <sup>2</sup>
	(A)	(B)	(C)	(A)+(B)-(C)					
	'000 head				'000 head	kg	tonnes		
1976	8969.2	45.0	..	9014.2	8969.2	71.7	643187	20342	51207
1977	9037.3	43.6	..	9080.9	9037.3	71.7	647734	20496	51706
1978	9939.5	188.0	..	10127.5	9939.5	74.6	741444	22543	50912
1979	12000.8	122.6	..	12123.4	12000.8	74.1	889285	27217	63043
1980	13977.5	237.5	..	14215.0	13977.5	73.9	1033616	31701	..
1981	13691.9	145.7	0.6	13837.0	13691.9	74.2	1015174	31053	..
1982	13458.1	305.3	0.4	13763.0	13458.1	74.8	1005916	30523	..
1983	13702.5	459.3	0.2	14161.6	13702.5	75.2	1029608	31077	..
1984	13886.0	1346.5	..	15232.5	13886.0	75.2	1043772	31493	..
1985	14452.0	1152.4	..	15604.4	14452.0	75.3	1088418	32777	..
1986	14398.7	502.2	..	14900.9	14398.7	76.0	1093920	32656	..
1987	14734.6	427.6	..	15162.2	14734.6	76.1	1121802	33418	..
1988	15438.5	868.3	3.1	16303.7	15438.5	76.5	1181623	35014	..
1989	15438.8	1006.9	0.7	16445.0	15438.8	76.2	1177154	35015	..
1990	14682.9	891.7	0.6	15574.0	14682.9	76.5	1123849	33300	..
1991	14323.1	1065.9	1.2	15387.8	14323.1	76.5	1096230	32484	..
1992	15468.3	671.9	1.2	16139.0	15468.3	78.1	1207700	35082	..
1993	15202.5	838.9	1.4	16040.0	15202.5	78.6	1194322	34479	..
1994	15475.7	915.4	4.5	16386.6	15475.7	79.4	1229380	56157	..
1995	15771.2	1747.5	3.1	17515.6	15771.2	80.9	1275755	67960	..
1996	15177.9	2780.5	2.2	17956.2	15177.9	80.9	1227763	75730	..
1997	15384.6	3180.5	3.3	18561.8	15384.6	81.7	1256696	80251	..
1998	16942.5	4122.7	9.4	21055.8	16942.5	82.2	1393606	85865	..
1999	18921.1	4137.3	8.1	23050.3	18921.1	82.6	1563869	95892	..
2000	19684.4	4359.5	7.9	24036.0	19684.4	83.3	1639976	107144	..
2001	20703.8	5344.5	4.4	26043.9	20703.8	83.6	1731294	131475	..
2002	22153.9	5740.2	13.8	27880.3	22153.9	83.9	1858352	140684	..
2003	22464.7	7442.6	4.3	29903.0	22464.7	83.8	1882444	137562	..

<sup>1</sup> Not including fats and edible offal.<sup>2</sup> Includes shipments of processed lard from slaughtering and meat packing plants plus estimated lard equivalent of renderable pork fat available from federal uninspected slaughter (1976-1979).

**TABLE 5. Prices, Index 100 Hogs, Dressed, Weighted Average in Ontario, by Month, 1976 - 2004**

Year	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Annual
	\$ / cwt												
<b>1976</b>	70.53	69.62	67.10	65.98	67.65	68.95	68.96	66.24	63.58	54.81	51.92	55.43	64.10
<b>1977</b>	53.67	55.27	56.34	53.71	61.57	65.05	66.64	65.81	64.29	60.38	62.92	66.31	60.97
<b>1978</b>	68.63	72.79	66.43	63.37	70.37	68.40	63.45	65.38	73.03	72.42	75.84	74.77	69.80
<b>1979</b>	69.71	77.08	72.62	66.20	63.48	65.23	60.75	60.89	61.51	58.61	55.60	56.56	64.15
<b>1980</b>	52.67	54.76	51.34	46.23	49.34	53.09	59.09	66.68	73.17	72.59	72.14	71.03	59.08
<b>1981</b>	66.19	67.16	63.46	62.03	63.20	72.79	80.36	78.91	79.93	75.02	69.36	66.78	70.01
<b>1982</b>	65.70	69.67	73.38	78.88	88.51	93.19	93.61	95.69	96.41	89.79	80.15	82.29	83.32
<b>1983</b>	83.71	85.92	78.07	72.19	71.91	69.33	67.06	70.27	68.29	61.72	59.36	64.47	70.75
<b>1984</b>	67.65	65.75	67.05	70.91	72.86	75.50	81.85	81.53	76.15	69.62	72.18	73.20	72.65
<b>1985</b>	72.64	73.79	69.25	59.82	61.64	67.99	71.34	67.63	65.34	68.84	71.29	72.39	68.51
<b>1986</b>	70.61	71.17	67.09	64.23	70.58	82.10	93.35	99.97	96.43	87.82	90.54	84.87	81.37
<b>1987</b>	73.21	74.21	70.26	74.43	85.41	93.30	93.03	93.62	87.77	78.52	66.41	68.04	79.61
<b>1988</b>	63.09	65.18	63.78	62.91	68.27	72.94	64.91	61.96	62.51	57.92	56.38	57.06	63.05
<b>1989</b>	56.25	58.97	54.88	54.43	59.87	65.77	69.85	70.76	64.41	67.59	67.13	64.86	62.60
<b>1990</b>	57.61	63.05	67.13	69.85	80.29	87.54	84.37	81.19	74.84	74.84	72.12	67.59	73.03
<b>1991</b>	68.04	72.12	69.40	68.49	72.12	76.66	71.21	70.31	61.69	59.42	53.52	52.62	65.77
<b>1992</b>	49.44	54.88	55.79	55.79	59.87	65.32	63.50	60.78	61.69	62.14	63.50	64.41	59.87
<b>1993</b>	62.14	64.86	65.77	66.68	68.49	72.12	70.31	73.94	75.75	73.03	68.95	65.77	68.95
<b>1994</b>	68.49	76.20	72.57	71.67	71.67	73.03	71.20	72.12	60.78	53.07	51.26	53.52	65.77
<b>1995</b>	62.14	67.13	62.60	58.97	60.33	69.40	76.66	77.11	78.93	72.12	65.77	71.21	68.49
<b>1996</b>	69.85	73.48	79.83	80.29	90.26	91.63	92.53	97.07	89.81	88.90	83.46	87.54	85.73
<b>1997</b>	84.82	85.28	80.29	89.36	95.71	95.26	97.07	92.53	82.55	77.11	73.94	68.49	84.82
<b>1998</b>	57.61	58.97	57.61	59.87	73.48	75.29	66.68	63.05	50.80	50.80	30.84	22.68	54.88
<b>1999</b>	39.46	48.08	47.63	49.90	62.60	58.97	55.34	62.59	56.70	56.70	56.25	60.78	54.43
<b>2000</b>	60.78	68.04	71.21	79.83	83.91	81.19	83.01	77.56	72.12	71.67	64.86	67.59	73.48
<b>2001</b>	62.60	68.49	82.10	84.37	88.45	92.99	92.53	91.17	79.40	72.57	66.68	61.69	78.47
<b>2002</b>	68.04	75.75	70.76	60.78	60.78	63.96	71.67	67.59	49.44	55.79	52.62	56.70	62.60
<b>2003</b>	55.79	63.05	61.69	61.23	65.22	73.48	70.31	64.86	60.33	56.24	49.44	50.80	60.78
<b>2004</b>	52.16	64.86	71.67	71.21	85.73	88.90	84.82	80.29	74.39				

**TABLE 6. Prices, Index 100 Hogs, Dressed, Weighted Average in Manitoba, by Month, 1976 - 2004**

Year	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Annual
	\$ / cwt												
<b>1976</b>	69.03	65.74	63.47	62.17	63.00	63.18	64.03	60.57	58.23	49.72	45.73	49.09	59.03
<b>1977</b>	47.94	51.19	52.02	50.31	56.90	60.34	61.90	60.81	60.84	56.46	58.98	62.12	58.78
<b>1978</b>	63.28	67.47	61.15	58.58	68.31	66.45	61.85	65.31	70.71	77.67	77.25	73.95	67.83
<b>1979</b>	70.24	77.08	74.40	65.60	63.13	64.93	61.47	59.32	62.75	59.00	55.30	57.28	64.15
<b>1980</b>	51.34	53.13	49.72	42.99	45.09	47.81	54.32	62.47	69.26	70.02	68.09	67.35	56.67
<b>1981</b>	83.33	83.66	60.08	59.40	60.76	68.32	77.45	75.42	77.46	72.98	66.88	64.57	67.40
<b>1982</b>	62.53	67.67	70.83	75.82	84.88	90.34	91.08	92.47	93.49	86.83	76.10	77.68	80.61
<b>1983</b>	79.54	83.14	75.20	68.37	69.03	66.67	64.62	67.80	68.31	61.60	57.17	62.37	68.49
<b>1984</b>	65.81	65.52	64.75	68.48	70.22	72.41	77.87	77.84	73.20	67.17	70.24	71.67	70.10
<b>1985</b>	69.79	71.64	67.94	59.31	60.52	64.97	68.44	63.13	64.26	68.02	66.87	70.01	66.25
<b>1986</b>	67.91	69.55	65.14	63.28	69.31	77.93	92.31	98.75	98.67	90.68	92.72	86.41	81.10
<b>1987</b>	76.20	77.52	71.63	72.80	83.73	90.58	92.21	90.81	83.87	75.48	63.48	63.91	78.18
<b>1988</b>	61.36	64.54	61.09	60.27	65.26	68.71	62.68	60.27	57.87	54.85	53.38	53.58	60.19
<b>1989</b>	54.43	55.34	51.71	50.35	54.89	61.24	63.96	65.32	60.78	63.50	62.14	61.24	58.97
<b>1990</b>	57.61	63.50	64.41	67.59	78.47	83.46	81.19	77.56	71.21	74.39	67.59	65.32	71.22
<b>1991</b>	63.96	68.49	66.22	65.77	70.31	71.67	67.58	66.68	58.51	57.15	49.89	48.99	62.60
<b>1992</b>	46.27	53.07	52.62	53.52	58.06	62.14	60.78	58.06	58.51	60.33	59.42	62.60	57.15
<b>1993</b>	60.33	61.69	65.32	66.68	69.40	72.57	69.40	74.39	76.20	72.57	64.86	62.14	68.04
<b>1994</b>	67.13	74.84	70.76	68.95	68.95	68.95	68.04	68.49	57.15	49.90	45.81	51.26	63.05
<b>1995</b>	61.23	64.41	61.26	56.70	57.15	67.13	75.30	77.11	76.20	70.76	60.33	66.68	66.22
<b>1996</b>	64.86	71.21	75.30	77.56	88.00	88.45	90.72	97.98	86.64	87.09	80.29	85.28	82.10
<b>1997</b>	81.65	81.19	76.66	83.91	90.72	90.26	93.89	88.45	80.73	74.39	72.57	68.95	81.19
<b>1998</b>	57.15	57.61	55.79	56.70	70.31	70.76	60.33	57.15	50.35	47.63	30.84	25.85	53.07
<b>1999</b>	45.81	51.71	47.63	0.00	0.00	58.51	55.34	64.41	59.87	59.87	58.97	63.05	56.70
<b>2000</b>	62.60	73.48	73.94	85.73	87.54	83.91	83.91	76.20	71.67	73.03	63.96	68.04	75.30
<b>2001</b>	63.96	67.13	79.83	83.01	88.45	90.26	90.26	88.90	82.10	74.39	67.13	62.60	78.02
<b>2002</b>	69.40	73.94	69.85	62.60	62.60	65.32	70.76	68.49	52.16	59.42	55.79	58.06	63.96
<b>2003</b>	60.33	63.96	63.05	62.14	69.40	73.48	72.12	70.31	65.77	62.60	57.15	57.15	64.86
<b>2004</b>	56.25	65.77	71.21	72.12	84.82	87.09	85.28	83.91	77.11				

**Table 7. Hogs and Pigs: Inventory Number by Class and Quarter, United States and Canada, 2000-2004** <sup>1</sup>**Hogs and Pigs: Inventory Number by Class and Quarter, United States and Canada, 2000-2004** <sup>1</sup>

Item	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2004 as % of 2003
	1,000 Head					
March Inventory <sup>2</sup>						
All Hogs and Pigs	70,791	71,219	73,676	72,750	74,082	102
Kept for Breeding	7,535	7,648	7,758	7,604	7,570	100
Market	63,256	63,571	65,919	65,147	66,512	102
Sows Farrowed	3,480	3,472	3,613	3,581	3,699	103
Pig Crop	30,904	30,774	32,145	32,009	33,310	104
June Inventory <sup>3</sup>						
All Hogs and Pigs	72,512	72,575	75,060	74,233	75,340	101
Kept for Breeding	7,597	7,632	7,756	7,596	7,563	100
Market	64,916	64,944	67,303	66,637	67,777	102
Sows Farrowed	3,569	3,609	3,723	3,699	3,720	101
Pig Crop	31,970	32,460	33,368	33,262	33,678	101
September Inventory <sup>4</sup>						
All Hogs and Pigs	73,006	74,028	75,681	75,472	76,048	101
Kept for Breeding	7,626	7,634	7,602	7,516	7,607	101
Market	65,380	66,394	68,079	67,955	68,441	101
Sows Farrowed	3,581	3,638	3,677	3,743	3,729	100
Pig Crop	32,045	32,732	33,201	33,742	33,965	101
December Inventory <sup>5</sup>						
All Hogs and Pigs	72,686	74,089	74,226	75,071		
Kept for Breeding	7,673	7,713	7,626	7,607		
Market	65,012	66,376	66,600	67,464		
Sows Farrowed	3,546	3,666	3,632	3,714		
Pig Crop	31,792	32,850	32,607	33,652		

<sup>1</sup> May not add due to rounding.<sup>2</sup> U.S. March 1 and Canadian April 1 inventory items.<sup>3</sup> U.S. June 1 and Canadian July 1 inventory items.<sup>4</sup> U.S. September 1 and Canadian October 1 inventory items.<sup>5</sup> U.S. December 1 and Canadian January 1 (of the following year) inventory items.**Hogs and Pigs: Inventory Number by Class and Quarter, United States, 2000-2004** <sup>1,2</sup>

Item	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2004 as % of 2003
	1,000 Head					
March 1 Inventory						
All Hogs and Pigs	57,775	57,546	59,256	58,183	59,525	102
Kept for Breeding	6,189	6,224	6,230	6,017	5,942	99
Market	51,587	51,322	53,026	52,166	53,582	103
Sows Farrowed	2,798	2,748	2,835	2,769	2,827	102
Pig Crop	24,521	23,970	24,857	24,399	25,021	103
June 1 Inventory						
All Hogs and Pigs	59,110	58,525	60,391	59,602	60,503	102
Kept for Breeding	6,233	6,178	6,208	6,006	5,928	99
Market	52,878	52,347	54,183	53,596	54,574	102
Sows Farrowed	2,885	2,870	2,941	2,885	2,857	99
Pig Crop	25,565	25,507	26,001	25,627	25,520	100
September 1 Inventory						
All Hogs and Pigs	59,488	59,699	60,753	60,859	61,384	101
Kept for Breeding	6,245	6,155	6,051	5,918	5,983	101
Market	53,244	53,544	54,702	54,941	55,400	101
Sows Farrowed	2,889	2,878	2,883	2,906	2,888	99
Pig Crop	25,546	25,587	25,725	25,869	26,005	101
December 1 Inventory						
All Hogs and Pigs	59,110	59,722	59,554	60,449		
Kept for Breeding	6,267	6,201	6,058	5,990		
Market	52,843	53,521	53,496	54,458		
Sows Farrowed	2,837	2,889	2,833	2,841		
Pig Crop	25,110	25,553	25,094	25,355		

<sup>1</sup> May not add due to rounding.<sup>2</sup> Includes boars.

**Table 7. Hogs and Pigs: Inventory Number by Class and Quarter, United States and Canada, 2000-2004<sup>1</sup>****Hogs and Pigs: Inventory Number by Class and Quarter, Canada, 2000-2004<sup>1,2</sup>**

Item	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2004 as % of 2003
	1,000 Head					
January 1 Inventory						
All Hogs and Pigs	12,904	13,576	14,367	14,672	14,623	100
Kept for Breeding	1,346	1,406	1,512	1,568	1,617	103
Market	11,559	12,169	12,855	13,104	13,006	99
Sows Farrowed (Oct.-Dec.)	685	709	777	799	873	109
Pig Crop (Oct.-Dec.)	6,383	6,682	7,297	7,513	8,297	110
April 1 Inventory						
All Hogs and Pigs	13,015	13,673	14,420	14,567	14,558	100
Kept for Breeding	1,346	1,424	1,528	1,587	1,628	103
Market	11,669	12,249	12,893	12,981	12,930	100
Sows Farrowed (Jan.-Mar.)	682	724	778	812	872	107
Pig Crop (Jan.-Mar.)	6,383	6,804	7,288	7,610	8,289	109
July 1 Inventory						
All Hogs and Pigs	13,401	14,050	14,669	14,631	14,838	101
Kept for Breeding	1,364	1,454	1,548	1,590	1,635	103
Market	12,038	12,597	13,120	13,041	13,203	101
Sows Farrowed (Apr.-June)	684	739	782	814	863	106
Pig Crop (Apr.-June)	6,405	6,953	7,367	7,635	8,158	107
October 1 Inventory						
All Hogs and Pigs	13,517	14,329	14,928	14,613	14,665	100
Kept for Breeding	1,381	1,479	1,551	1,598	1,624	102
Market	12,136	12,850	13,377	13,014	13,041	100
Sows Farrowed (July-Sept.)	692	760	794	837	841	101
Pig Crop (July-Sept.)	6,499	7,145	7,476	7,873	7,960	101

<sup>1</sup> May not add due to rounding.<sup>2</sup> Includes boars.