



# Illinois Hogs and Pigs

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**Illinois inventory** of all hogs and pigs on June 1, 2024 was 5.70 million head, up 3 percent from March 1, 2024 and up 5 percent from last year. **Breeding inventory**, at 660,000 head, was down 10,000 from the previous quarter and down 10,000 from last year. **Market hog inventory**, at 5.04 million head, was up 3 percent from last quarter and up 5 percent from last year.

**The March-May 2024 pig crop**, at 3.35 million head, was up 7 percent from 2023. Sows farrowing during this period totaled 300,000 head, up 25,000 from a year ago. The average pigs saved per litter was 11.15 for the March-May period, compared with 11.35 last year.

## Hogs and Pigs Inventory – Illinois

	Jun 1, 2023	Mar 1, 2024	Jun 1, 2024	Jun 1, 2024 as percent of Jun 1, 2023
	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(percent)
Breeding .....	670	670	660	99
Market .....	4,780	4,880	5,040	105
Under 50 pounds .....	1,340	1,460	1,500	112
50-119 pounds .....	1,610	1,560	1,620	101
120-179 pounds .....	1,040	1,140	1,140	110
180 pounds and over .....	790	720	780	99
Total .....	5,450	5,550	5,700	105

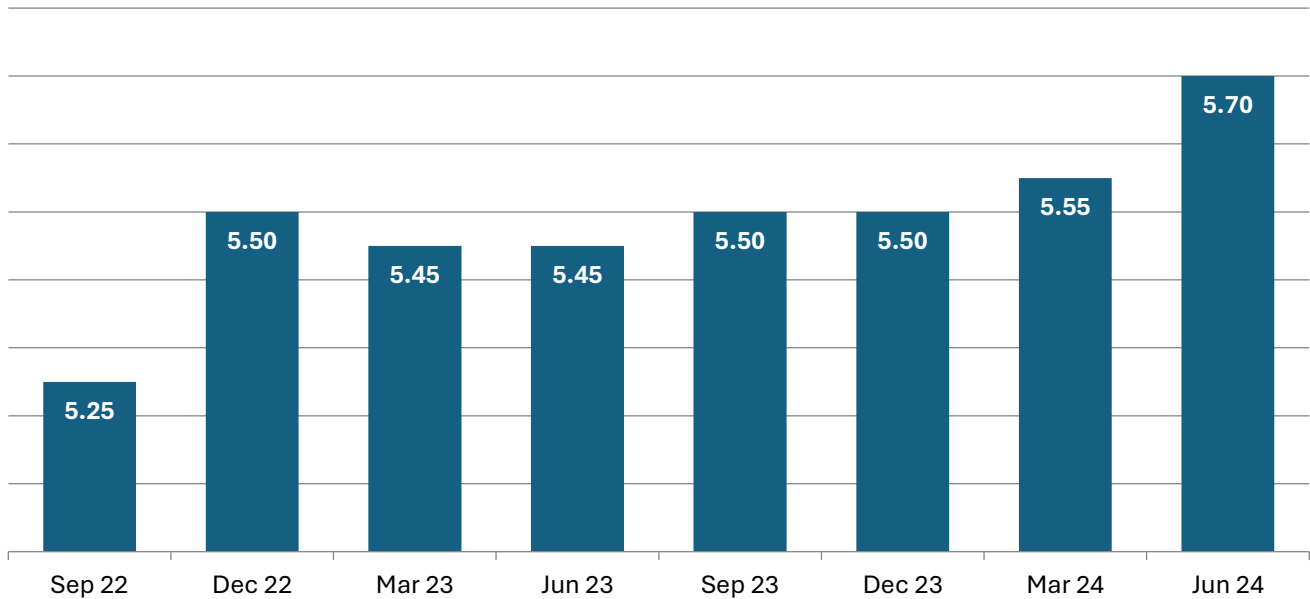
## Sows Farrowing, Pig Crop, and Pigs per Litter – Illinois: 2023-2024

	2023	2024	2024 as percent of 2023
	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(percent)
Sows farrowing			
Dec-Feb <sup>1</sup> .....	280	300	107
Mar-May .....	275	300	109
Jun-Aug .....	295		
Sep-Nov .....	295		
Pig crop			
Dec-Feb <sup>1</sup> .....	2,968	3,300	111
Mar-May .....	3,121	3,345	107
Jun-Aug .....	3,422		
Sep-Nov .....	3,363		
Pigs per litter			
Dec-Feb <sup>1</sup> .....	10.60	11.00	104
Mar-May .....	11.35	11.15	98
Jun-Aug .....	11.60		
Sep-Nov .....	11.40		

<sup>1</sup> December of previous year.

# Quarterly Hogs and Pigs Inventory – Illinois

■ Million head



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