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NORTH DAKOTA HOG INVENTORY UP 3%

FARGO, N.D. December 23, 2021 - **North Dakota inventory** of all hogs and pigs on December 1, 2021, was 148,000 head, according to the USDA's National Agricultural Statistics Service. This was up 3% from December 1, 2020.

Breeding hog inventory, at 35,000 head, was down 3% from December 1, 2020. **Market hog inventory**, at 113,000 head, was up 6% from last year.

The 2021 North Dakota annual pig crop, at 825,000 head, was up 2% from 2020. Sows farrowed during the year totaled 74,000 head, up 3% from last year. The average annual pigs saved per litter was 11.15 for 2021, compared to 11.18 last year.

Access the National publication for this release at:
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Access the National Hog Executive Briefing at:
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