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NORTH DAKOTA HOG INVENTORY DOWN 3%

FARGO, N.D. December 22, 2023 - North Dakota inventory of all hogs and pigs on December 1, 2023, was 150,000 head, according to the USDA's National Agricultural Statistics Service. This was down 3% from December 1, 2022.

Breeding hog inventory, at 43,000 head, was up 2% from December 1, 2022. **Market hog inventory**, at 107,000 head, was down 5% from last year.

The 2023 North Dakota annual pig crop, at 990,000 head, was down 1% from 2022. Sows farrowed during the year totaled 86,500 head, unchanged from last year. The average annual pigs saved per litter was 11.45 for 2023, compared to 11.51 last year.

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