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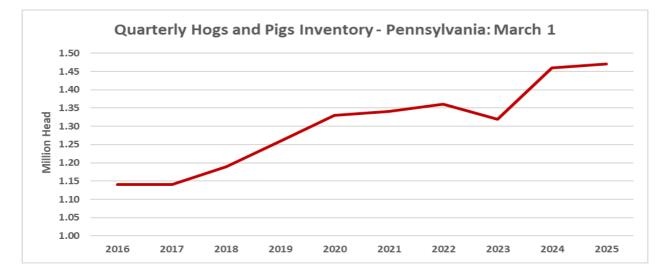
## Pennsylvania hog inventory up 1 percent from 2024

**Pennsylvania inventory** of all hogs and pigs on March 1, 2025, was 1.47 million head. This was up 1 percent from March 1, 2024, but down 3 percent from December 1, 2024, according to USDA's National Agricultural Statistics Service, *Quarterly Hogs and Pigs* report.

**Breeding inventory** at 145 thousand head was down 3 percent from last year, and down 9 percent from the previous quarter.

Market hog inventory at 1.33 million head was up 1 percent from last year, but down 2 percent from last quarter.

**The December 2024 to February 2025 pig crop** at 598 thousand head was up 10 percent from 2024. Sows farrowing during this period totaled 52 thousand head, up 13 percent from 2024. The average pigs saved per litter was 11.50 for the December - February period, down 3 percent from last year.



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For the complete "Hogs and Pigs" report, go to: <u>https://usda.library.cornell.edu/concern/publications/rj430453j?locale=en</u>

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