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## KANSAS HOG INVENTORY DOWN 7%

**MANHATTAN, Kan. March 30, 2022 - Kansas inventory** of all hogs and pigs on March 1, 2022, was 1.85 million head, according to the USDA's National Agricultural Statistics Service. This was down 7% from March 1, 2021, and down 7% from December 1, 2021.

**Breeding hog inventory,** at 155,000 head, was down 9% from March 1, 2021, and down 6% from last quarter. **Market hog inventory,** at 1.70 million head, was down 7% from last year, and down 7% from last quarter.

**The December 2021 - February 2022 Kansas pig crop,** at 818,000 head, was down 7% from 2021. Sows farrowed during the period totaled 81,000 head, down 4% from last year. The average pigs saved per litter was 10.10 for the December - February period, compared to 10.50 last year.

**Kansas hog producers** intend to farrow 81,000 sows during the March - May 2022 quarter, down 8% from the actual farrowings during the same period a year ago. Intended farrowings for June - August 2022 are 78,000 sows, down 11% from the actual farrowings during the same period a year ago.

Access the National publication for this release at: https://usda.library.cornell.edu/concern/publications/rj430453j

Access the National Hog Executive Briefing at: http://www.nass.usda.gov/Newsroom/Executive Briefings/2022/03-30-2022.pdf

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