

Source of data Eurostat Pig population - annual data [apro\_mt\_lsipig]  
UNIT Thousand head (animals)  
MONTH December

	EU 28	Belgium	Bulgaria	Czechia	Denmark	Germany (until 1990)	Estonia	Greece	Spain	France	Croatia	Ireland	Italy	Cyprus	Latvia	Lithuania	Luxembourg	Hungary	Malta	Netherlands	Austria	Poland	Portugal	Romania	Slovenia	Slovakia	Finland	Sweden	United Kingdom
	EU 28	BE	BG	CZ	DK	DE	EE	EL	ES	FR	HR	IE	IT	CY	LV	LT	LU	HU	MT	NL	AT	PL	PT	RO	SI	SK	FI	SE	UK
Live swine, domestic species																													
2016	147 188	6 177	616	1 479	12 281	27 376	266	743	29 232	12 791	1 163	1 528	8 478	353	336	664	95	2 907	41	11 881	2 793	11 107	2 151	4 708	266	586	1 197	1 436	4 538
2017	150 257	6 108	593	1 532	12 832	27 578	289	744	29 971	13 353	1 121	1 616	8 571	350	321	612	91	2 870	34	12 296	2 820	11 908	2 165	4 406	257	614	1 108	1 382	4 713
2018	148 420	6 209	651	1 508	12 642	26 445	290	758	30 804	13 713	1 047	1 572	8 492	362	305	572	83	2 872	36	11 934	2 777	11 028	2 205	4 024	259	628	1 041	1 417	4 746
2018/2017	- 1.2%	+ 1.7%	+ 9.7%	- 1.6%	- 1.5%	- 4.1%	+ 0.4%	+ 1.9%	+ 2.8%	+ 2.7%	- 6.6%	- 2.7%	- 0.9%	+ 3.4%	- 4.9%	- 6.5%	- 9.2%	+ 0.1%	+ 6.7%	- 2.9%	- 1.5%	- 7.4%	+ 1.8%	- 8.7%	+ 0.7%	+ 2.2%	- 6.1%	+ 2.5%	+ 0.7%
Piglets, less than 20 kg																													
2016	41 166	1 577	121	415	4 337	7 998	85	195	8 100	3 122	309	426	1 375	124	76	124	12	668	10	4 986	661	2 790	709	786	58	171	342	407	1 184
2017	42 507	1 564	133	477	4 582	8 071	98	204	8 365	3 259	259	450	1 385	124	63	117	18	654	8	5 522	668	2 723	743	837	59	186	312	379	1 244
2018	41 711	1 597	150	466	4 543	7 672	105	199	8 551	3 350	273	437	1 407	128	58	113	17	690	9	5 307	653	2 279	763	769	58	170	273	355	1 320
2018/2017	- 1.9%	+ 2.1%	+ 12.8%	- 2.4%	- 0.9%	- 5.0%	+ 6.4%	- 2.5%	+ 2.2%	+ 2.8%	+ 5.4%	- 2.9%	+ 1.6%	+ 2.9%	- 8.5%	- 3.2%	- 6.6%	+ 5.5%	+ 3.5%	- 3.9%	- 2.3%	- 16.3%	+ 2.6%	- 8.1%	- 1.1%	- 8.7%	- 12.5%	- 6.3%	+ 6.1%
Breeding pigs																													
2016	12 208	423	66	135	1 247	1 933	26	114	2 448	994	123	147	587	33	38	50	7	258	4	1 025	241	876	238	367	20	51	110	142	505
2017	12 354	416	63	138	1 270	1 930	27	107	2 486	1 007	128	150	591	34	36	50	7	254	4	1 075	244	925	241	356	21	58	101	133	503
2018	11 974	406	71	135	1 254	1 855	25	116	2 529	1 026	124	143	580	34	33	46	5	261	4	978	233	758	241	326	19	54	97	125	496
2018/2017	- 3.1%	- 2.3%	+ 12.7%	- 2.2%	- 1.3%	- 3.9%	- 6.4%	+ 8.4%	+ 1.8%	+ 1.9%	- 3.1%	- 4.8%	- 1.8%	- 0.6%	- 8.8%	- 8.2%	- 17.5%	+ 2.8%	+ 4.9%	- 9.0%	- 4.5%	- 18.0%	- 0.1%	- 8.5%	- 9.2%	- 6.7%	- 3.9%	- 6.3%	- 1.4%
Breeding sows																													
2016	12 022	420	65	134	1 236	1 908	25	106	2 415	986	120	145	558	33	38	49	7	255	4	1 022	236	859	233	361	19	51	108	140	490
2017	12 164	413	62	136	1 260	1 905	26	100	2 454	998	125	149	562	32	35	49	7	250	3	1 066	239	908	236	350	20	57	99	132	490
2018	11 807	403	70	133	1 243	1 837	24	107	2 501	1 018	121	142	557	34	33	45	5	258	4	970	229	745	236	320	19	53	95	123	484
2018/2017	- 2.9%	- 2.4%	+ 12.6%	- 2.1%	- 1.3%	- 3.6%	- 6.2%	+ 7.0%	+ 1.9%	+ 2.0%	- 3.2%	- 4.8%	- 0.9%	+ 5.0%	- 8.0%	- 8.1%	- 18.0%	+ 3.2%	+ 5.2%	- 9.0%	- 4.4%	- 18.0%	+ 0.2%	- 8.6%	- 8.9%	- 7.5%	- 3.9%	- 6.4%	- 1.2%
Covered sows																													
2016	8 274	346	40	83	765	1 383	20	58	1 667	698	39	98	464	28	17	41	5	169	3	664	168	582	162	223	11	20	78	98	346
2017	8 286	340	39	85	786	1 369	20	53	1 623	702	39	105	465	29	15	39	4	163	3	690	170	617	161	220	12	29	70	90	346
2018	8 076	331	44	84	775	1 314	19	56	1 677	718	39	97	464	28	15	36	4	166	3	642	161	502	163	200	11	33	72	81	341
2018/2017	- 2.5%	- 2.6%	+ 12.9%	- 1.7%	- 1.4%	- 4.0%	- 4.5%	+ 5.7%	+ 3.3%	+ 2.3%		- 7.7%	- 0.2%	- 1.2%	+ 1.0%	- 6.8%	- 15.9%	+ 1.8%	+ 2.3%	- 7.0%	- 5.4%	- 18.7%	+ 1.5%	- 9.0%	- 12.9%	+ 10.9%	+ 2.0%	- 10.1%	- 1.4%
Sows covered for the first time																													
2016	1 553	68	9	19	187	225	3	15	250	121	9	19	99	5	5	7	1	39	0	128	25	98	27	50	2	4	14	65	59
2017	1 583	63	11	19	192	221	3	14	268	125	8	21	106	5	4	7	1	35	0	128	24	104	29	52	2	5	13	66	59
2018	1 495	60	11	21	190	209	3	16	261	125	8	19	101	5	5	6	1	36	0	108	22	76	29	47	2	6	11	58	61
2018/2017	- 5.5%	- 4.3%	- 0.4%	+ 7.8%	- 1.0%	- 5.7%	- 10.3%	+ 14.3%	- 2.5%			- 7.0%	- 4.1%	- 0.4%	+ 13.4%	- 4.5%	- 24.3%	+ 2.9%	- 2.1%	- 15.6%	- 7.4%	- 27.1%	- 0.2%	- 9.2%	- 10.2%	+ 14.3%	- 14.0%	- 12.1%	+ 3.4%
Sows, not covered																													
2016	3 749	74	25	50	471	525	6	48	748	288	81	48	94	5	21	8	2	86	0	358	68	277	71	138	8	31	31	42	145
2017	3 880	73	23	51	474	537	6	46	831	296	86	44	96	5	20	11	2	87	0	376	69	291	75	130	8	28	29	41	145
2018	3 731	72	26	49	468	523	6	51	824	299	82	45	93	6	17	9	2	92	1	328	67	243	73	120	8	20	24	42	143
2018/2017	- 3.8%	- 1.2%	+ 12.2%	- 2.6%	- 1.3%	- 2.6%	- 11.3%	+ 10.9%	- 0.9%	+ 1.0%	- 4.7%	+ 2.1%	- 3.8%	+ 21.5%	- 14.9%	- 13.2%	- 22.5%	+ 5.7%	+ 29.3%	- 12.8%	- 1.9%	- 16.5%	- 2.7%	- 8.0%	- 3.0%	- 27.0%	- 18.3%	+ 1.7%	- 1.4%
Gilts not yet covered																													
2016	1 468	37	8	23	234	217	4	11	247	108	11	16	56	3	11	6	1	38	0	157	22	45	22	54	2	11	16	25	82
2017	1 560	36	7	23	225	226	4	13	302	112	15	15	57	3	10	7	1	44	0	165	23	51	24	54	2	15	19	24	83
2018	1 485	39	8	23	223	226	4	13	289	112	15	15	54	4	10	5	1	44	1	134	22	41	25	49	2	7	13	23	83
2018/2017	- 4.8%	+ 7.1%	+ 18.0%	+ 2.5%	- 0.9%	+ 0.0%	- 15.9%		- 4.4%			+ 3.6%	- 6.0%	+ 33.3%	- 5.3%	- 23.5%	- 7.1%		+ 29.3%	- 18.8%	- 2.0%	- 20.6%	+ 1.2%	- 7.7%	- 5.7%	- 50.9%	- 28.5%	- 3.0%	
Pigs, from 20 kg to less than 50 kg																													
2016	33 128	1 118	151	357	3 785	5 189	60	164	6 397	3 504	248	410	1 602	75	92	174	36	624	9	1 730	744	3 170	485	1 017	51	161	256	354	1 165
2017	34 572	1 248	141	346	3 971	5 337	52	167	7 058	3 652	252	417	1 624	75	96	167	26	601	8	1 731	737	3 508	475	878	47	156	249	341	1 213
2018	33 731	1 282	154	321	3 937	5 049	42	171	6 897	3 763	228	417	1 611	72	97	152	26	637	9	1 617	715	3 229	455	807	53	168	246	369	1 209
2018/2017	- 2.4%	+ 2.8%	+ 9.2%	- 7.3%	- 0.9%	- 5.4%	- 19.7%	+ 2.4%	- 2.3%	+ 3.0%	- 9.5%	+ 0.0%	- 0.8%	- 4.7%	+ 0.7%	- 9.2%	+ 2.9%	+ 6.0%	+ 8.5%	- 6.6%	- 3.0%	- 8.0%	- 4.3%	- 8.1%	+ 13.1%	+ 7.7%	- 0.9%	+ 8.4%	- 0.3%
Fattening pigs, 50 kg or over																													
2016	60 685	3 058	278	572	2 912	12 255	95	270	12 285	5 171	483	545	4 914	121	130	316	41	1 356	17	4 140	1 148	4 271	719	2 538	137	203	489	534	1 685
2017	60 827	2 881	256	571	3 009	12 240	112	266	12 062	5 436	482	599	4 971	117	125	278	40	1 362	14	3 967	1 172	4 752	705	2 335	130	214	447	530	1 754
2018	61 006	2 924	275	586	2 908	11 870	119	272	12 827	5 574	422	575	4 894	128	117	261	34	1 285	15	4 033	1 176	4 762	746	2 122	129	236	425	568	1 722
2018/2017	+ 0.3%	+ 1.5%	+ 7.6%	+ 2.7%	- 3.4%	- 3.0%	+ 6.1%	+ 2.3%	+ 6.3%	+ 2.5%	- 12.4%	- 4.0%	- 1.5%	+ 9.6%															

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	EU 28	BE	BG	CZ	DK	DE	EE	EL	ES	FR	HR	IE	IT	CY	LV	LT	LU	HU	MT	NL	AT	PL	PT	RO	SI	SK	FI	SE	UK	
Live swine, domestic species																														
2016	136 544	6 193			12 313	27 146			27 541	13 280		1 594	8 708					3 026		12 416	2 667	10 865		4 575				1 354	4 866	
2017	138 017	6 015			12 467	27 175			28 667	13 315		1 557	8 774					2 807		12 401	2 669	11 353		4 487				1 362	4 969	
2018	139 872	6 107			12 878	26 898			30 142	13 050		1 622	8 766					2 859		12 509	2 679	11 828		4 129				1 393	5 012	
2018/2017	+ 1.3%	+ 1.5%			+ 3.3%	- 1.0%			+ 5.1%	- 2.0%		+ 4.2%	- 0.1%					+ 1.9%		+ 0.9%	+ 0.4%	+ 4.2%		- 8.0%				+ 2.3%	+ 0.9%	
Piglets, less than 20 kg																														
2016	41 524	1 605			4 366	8 100			8 174	4 884		445	1 442					732		5 577	659	2 944		874				379	1 344	
2017	41 408	1 534			4 487	7 917			8 216	5 000		410	1 369					705		5 612	667	2 853		842				385	1 413	
2018	41 899	1 566			4 624	7 971			8 637	4 786		452	1 421					720		5 706	648	2 744		763				361	1 502	
2018/2017	+ 1.2%	+ 2.1%			+ 3.1%	+ 0.7%			+ 5.1%	- 4.3%		+ 10.2%	+ 3.8%					+ 2.1%		+ 1.7%	- 2.9%	- 3.8%		- 9.4%				- 6.3%	+ 6.3%	
Breeding pigs																														
2016	11 215	437			1 226	1 938			2 407	1 020		150	596					274		1 061	237	871		348				140	509	
2017	11 354	421			1 239	1 929			2 548	1 013		145	604					257		1 071	241	901		333				141	512	
2018	11 226	411			1 280	1 877			2 529	997		149	612					263		1 066	233	887		286				132	504	
2018/2017	- 1.1%	- 2.3%			+ 3.3%	- 2.7%			- 0.7%	- 1.6%		+ 2.7%	+ 1.4%					+ 2.3%		- 0.5%	- 3.3%	- 1.6%		- 13.9%				- 6.6%	- 1.6%	
Breeding sows																														
2016	11 046	432			1 216	1 917			2 374	1 007		149	572					269		1 053	232	854		339				139	494	
2017	11 193	417			1 228	1 906			2 516	1 001		143	579					253		1 064	236	885		326				140	498	
2018	11 073	408			1 269	1 859			2 498	985		147	588					260		1 059	228	871		280				130	491	
2018/2017	- 1.1%	- 2.1%			+ 3.3%	- 2.5%			- 0.7%	- 1.6%		+ 2.8%	+ 1.4%					+ 2.8%		- 0.5%	- 3.4%	- 1.6%		- 14.2%				- 6.7%	- 1.4%	
Covered sows																														
2016	7 668	354			760	1 407			1 577	710		103	472					173		707	162	586		210				97	350	
2017	7 835	344			771	1 396			1 728	713		98	478					171		707	164	603		208				100	352	
2018	7 675	336			793	1 362			1 669	701		103	482					174		700	159	584		176				90	347	
2018/2017	- 2.0%	- 2.2%			+ 2.9%	- 2.5%			- 3.5%	- 1.7%		+ 4.3%	+ 0.9%					+ 1.8%		- 1.0%	- 3.5%	- 3.2%		- 15.5%				- 10.1%	- 1.4%	
Sows covered for the first time																														
2016	1 394	67			186	231			245	126		19	83					42		126	23	108		50				33	55	
2017	1 400	67			187	229			257	124		20	78					37		131	25	119		43				29	55	
2018	1 365	62			193	218			251	123		20	84					38		130	23	98		41				26	58	
2018/2017	- 2.5%	- 8.0%			+ 3.2%	- 4.7%			- 2.2%	- 0.8%		+ 3.2%	+ 7.2%					+ 2.7%		- 0.1%	- 6.6%	- 17.6%		- 3.5%				- 12.8%	+ 5.5%	
Sows, not covered																														
2016	3 377	78			456	510			797	295		45	100					96		346	70	268		129				42	145	
2017	3 359	73			457	510			788	288		45	101					83		357	71	282		118				40	146	
2018	3 397	72			476	497			829	283		45	106					86		358	69	287		104				41	144	
2018/2017	+ 1.1%	- 1.5%			+ 4.2%	- 2.5%			+ 5.3%	- 1.7%		- 0.5%	+ 4.3%					+ 3.6%		+ 0.4%	- 2.9%	+ 1.8%		- 11.9%				+ 1.8%	- 1.4%	
Gilts not yet covered																														
2016	1 269	39			218	206			248	111		16	51					44		125	20	40		46				25	79	
2017	1 302	37			215	207			286	107		15	52					41		131	22	45		39				24	81	
2018	1 322	36			226	205			305	105		15	52					44		129	21	46		35				22	81	
2018/2017	+ 1.6%	- 2.4%			+ 5.1%	- 1.0%			+ 6.5%	- 1.9%		- 0.8%	+ 1.2%					+ 7.3%		- 1.6%	- 1.4%	+ 2.2%		- 10.7%				- 9.0%		
Pigs, from 20 kg to less than 50 kg																														
2016	30 353	1 322			3 812	5 341			6 391	2 034		395	1 579					666		1 840	736	3 077		1 621				314	1 225	
2017	30 712	1 042			3 888	5 447			6 673	1 992		421	1 596					661		1 817	748	3 276		1 586				330	1 235	
2018	31 437	1 249			3 984	5 173			7 297	2 040		412	1 561					649		1 842	748	3 434		1 461				358	1 231	
2018/2017	+ 2.4%	+ 19.8%			+ 2.5%	- 5.0%			+ 9.3%	+ 2.4%		- 2.1%	- 2.2%					- 1.8%		+ 1.4%	- 0.0%	+ 4.8%		- 7.9%				+ 8.4%	- 0.3%	
Fattening pigs, 50 kg or over																														
2016	53 455	2 829			2 909	11 767			10 569	5 342		604	5 090					1 355		3 938	1 035	3 974		1 732				522	1 788	
2017	54 543	3 019			2 853	11 882			11 231	5 310		581	5 205					1 184		3 901	1 013	4 323		1 727				506	1 809	
2018	55 310	2 881			2 990	11 878																								