#### SECTOR PROFILE AT A GLANCE

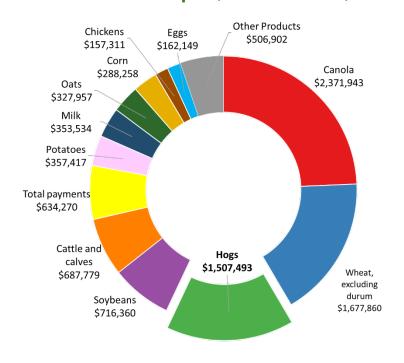
# Hog



# **Highlights**

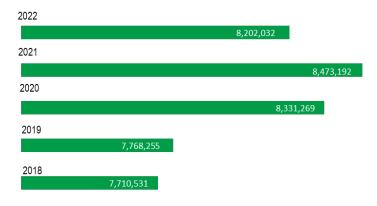
- Manitoba ranked number one in Canada's hog sector with over 8.2 million hogs and pigs sold in 2022.
- The hog sector is Manitoba's third most important commodity in terms of farm cash receipts, at \$1.5 billion.
- Economic contribution of primary hog production (direct and indirect output) was \$2.9 billion in 2022.
- All aspects of the pork value chain make a significant contribution to Manitoba's economy, from the cutting-edge genetics, commercial hog production, feed manufacturing, and pork processing.
- Farms that market pigs to federally inspected processing plants in Manitoba are registered on the national on-farm assurance programs which set standards for animal care and pork safety.

#### Farm Cash Receipts (2022, '000 of dollars)

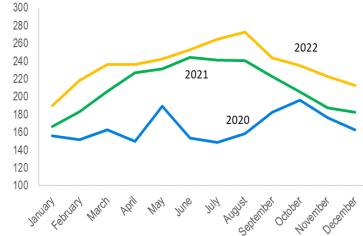


Source: Statistics Canada

#### Sales (head)



Prices (Index 100, dollars per kg, monthly)



Source: Manitoba Agriculture, Foresight and Analysis

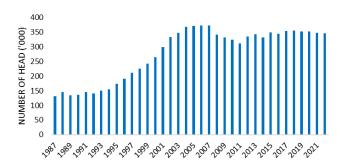


Source: Statistics Canada

### **Inventory**

- On July 1, 2022, there were 540 hog farms reporting 3.3 million hogs and pigs. The breeding herd numbered 346,900 head.
- The average herd size was 6,037 head, the largest in Canada, and more than three times higher than the national average.

## Breeding Stock ('000 head, July 1)



Source: Statistics Canada, 32-10-0130-01

# Marketing, Processing and Trade

- Maple Leaf Foods (Brandon), Hylife Foods (Neepawa) and 22 smaller facilities prepare products ranging from fresh and frozen pork to processed meats.
- Manitoba origin hogs processed in Canada were 5.0 million head in 2022.
- Pig producers and brokers exported 3.1 million live animals to 11 countries, valued at almost \$256 million in 2022. Over 3 million pigs went to the United States.
- Processors exported \$1.4 billion of pork and pork products to 18 countries.

## **DID YOU KNOW?**

- Manitoba is the largest pigexporting province in Canada, with 52 per cent of the national pig export.
- There are currently 623 hog production sites registered under the Canadian Quality Assurance Program (CQA).
- Pork is the most consumed meat globally.
- While meat makes up 60 per cent of the hog, the remainder parts are used to create valueadded products, including pharmaceuticals (e.g., insulin), gelatin, brushes, leather and biofuel.
- The hog and pig sector embraces the use of manure as an organic fertilizer, an excellent source of nutrients for crop production.

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