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Hawaii’s total inventory of hogs and pigs is estimated at 7,000 head for December 2022, down 2,000 head as compared to the previous year.¹ The decline is attributed to the number of hogs and pigs marketed since breeding stock remained steady during the year.

As the local industry is dominated by small scale family farms, natural farming methods are widely utilized to raise hogs and pigs. Local sows produced about four piglets per litter in 2022, or about one third the nation’s average of 11 piglets per litter. The number of sows farrowed increased by 40% to 3,500 head and the pig crop by 36% to 15,000 head.

Local hogs and pigs are purchased and consumed in various weight groups as shown in Chart 1. The weight group, 50-119 pounds, represented 40% of the market inventory in 2022. The remaining weight groups each represented 20% of the total market.

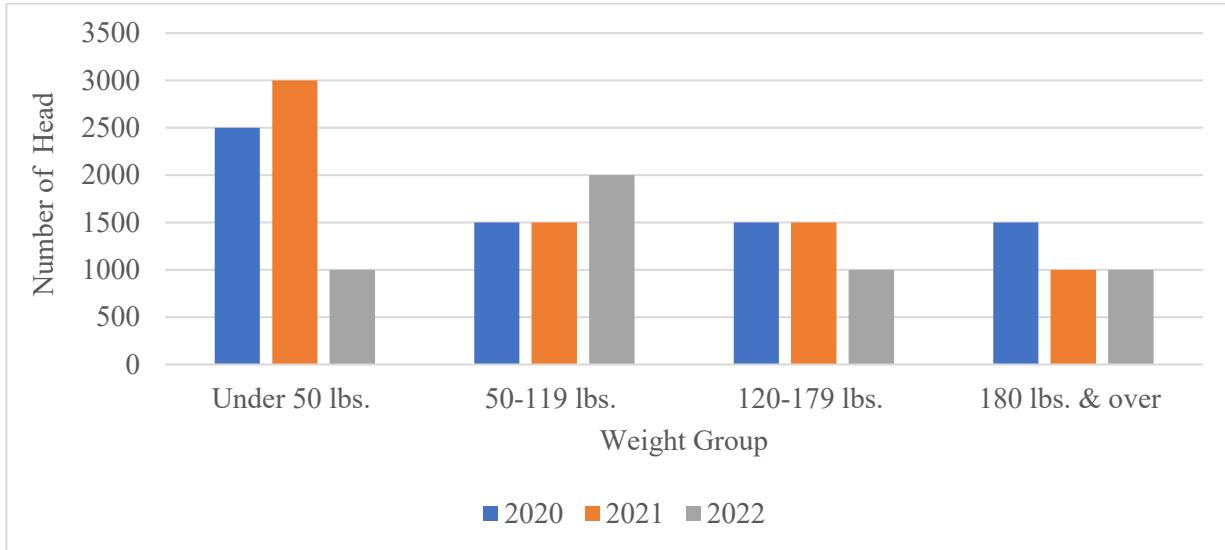
Table 1: Hawaii Annual Sows Farrowing, Pigs per Litter, and Pig Crop, 2020–2022

	2020	2021	2022	Change from 2021 (Percent)
Sows farrowing	2,000	2,500	3,500	40.0
Pig per litter	6	4.4	4.1	-6.8
Pig crop	12,000	11,000	15,000	36.4

Source: USDA-NASS, Pacific Region Hogs and Pigs Release, 2021 and 2022.

¹ USDA-NASS (2022). Pacific Region Hogs and Pigs Release, December 23, 2022. Available at: https://www.nass.usda.gov/Statistics_by_State/California/Publications/Livestock_Releases/Hogs/2022HOGS.pdf

Chart 1: Hawaii Market Inventory of Hogs and Pigs by Weight Group, 2020–2022



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