

Comment

The number of pigs as at 1 August 2014 grew up by 39.4 thousand heads year-on-year (+2.5%), of which the number of sows went down by 1 thousand heads (- 0.9%).

Compared with the situation as at 31 December 2013, the number of pigs increased by 5.5% and the number of sows decreased by - 1.4%.

There were 16.8 piglets per one sow born from the beginning of the year to 31 July 2014 (increase by 3.0% y-o-y): 15.1 piglets were weaned (+3.5%); and 10.3% (- 0.4 percentage point) piglets were lost by death. Production of pigs for slaughter went down by 3.2%, y-o-y.