

Comment

Number of pigs as at 1st August 2010 went down by 181 thousand heads y-o-y (-8.5%), of which number of sows declined by 9 thousand heads (-6.5%). Compared with the situation at 1.4.2010 the number of pigs increased by 2.1%, whereas sows decreased by 2.1%.

14.6 piglets per 1 sow were born from the beginning of the year to 31st July 2010 (rise of 2.4% year-on-year), 13.1 piglets were weaned (+2.6%) and 10.5% piglets were lost by death (-0.2 percentage point). Sale of pigs for slaughter went down by 0.7 % y-o-y.