

2019


National Hog Farmer®


Global Mega Producer™

Global Mega Producer	Country	No. of sows	Overview
	United States of America	1,241,000	Smithfield Foods is a \$15 billion global food company. A subsidiary of WH Group and the world's largest pork processor and hog producer.
	China	1,200,000	Wens produced 22.3 million hogs in 2018. The company's mission is to be a "company plus family farms," and it implements a "one-stop business model to operate and manage its integrated industrial chain.
	China	800,000	In 2018, CP China produced 2.8 million hogs. CP Foods conducts business in more than 100 countries and employs more than 350,000 employees around the world. CP Group's revenue from the agri-food sector totaled \$5,6 million, with 65.6% coming from China and 34.5% from Thailand and Vietnam.
	China	680,000	In 2018, Muyuan Foodstuff Company Ltd. marketed 11.01 million hogs and established an annual capacity of producing 5 million tons of feed and slaughtering 1 million hogs.
	United States of America	487,200	Today, Triumph Foods includes one processing facility in St. Joseph, Mo., along with a joint venture plant with Seaboard Foods in Sioux City, Iowa, as well as three further processing facilities under Daily's Premium Meats.
	China	400,000	Zhengbang employs more than 35,800 people and has 315 branches across China. In 2018, the company produced over 5.5 million hogs.
	Brazil	400,000	BRF is the result of a merger between Sadia and Perdigão, two of the primary food companies in Brazil. As the process was concluded, both Sadia and Perdigão stopped functioning as independent companies and became subsumed as brands under BRF's portfolio.
	United States of America	340,000	Seaboard Foods is an integrated food company producing and marketing pork both domestically and internationally. Seaboard has processing facilities. Seaboard has 5,200 employees and operates in numerous states.
	France	251,000	Cooperl was founded in 1966 by 24 farmers, and today it has 2,700 members producing 5,5 million pigs.
	United States of America	251,000	Pipestone System shareholders are Midwest farmers who share the values of supporting animal care and bringing the next generation back to the family farm.
	United States of America	242,500	Located in Iowa, Iowa Select Farms has 242,500 sows and markets over 5 million hogs annually.
	Spain	213,000	In 2018, Vall Companys produced 4.5 million head of pigs, along with 72 million head of poultry, 1.79 million metric tons of feed and 470,000 metric tons of flour. The company works with 2,100 associated farms and 5,500 collaborators.
	China	200,000	Today, Truein is a fully integrated industrial value chain system covering the grain trade business, feed production, breeding and multiplication, pig farming, slaughtering and processing, cold chain logistics, terminal sales and online business. In 2018, Truein Group produced 2.27 million hogs.
	China	200,000	TechBank has five business lines, including aquatic feed, biological products, pig breeding (Hanswine), fresh food (Fantast) and engineering construction (Tech-Bank Kaiwu). Tech-Bank produced 2.17 million hogs in 2018.
	United States of America	196,000	The Maschhoffs family farm dates back to 1851 in Carlyle, Ill. Today, more than 4 million pigs are raised each year, combining company farms and independent production teams.
	Brazil	186,000	Aurora Alimentos' operation covers pork, poultry and dairy, with more than 850 products marketed in Brazil and internationally.
	United States of America	185,000	This year, Prestage Farms opened its newest processing facility in Eagle Grove, Iowa. Prestage is committed to customer satisfaction, and it has operating divisions across five states in the U.S.
	China	180,000	Cofco Group has two core brands for fresh pork and meat products, Jia Jia Kang and Wan Ke Wei. In 2018, the company produced 2.55 million hogs, with production mainly based in the provinces of Jiangsu, Hubei, Jilin and Hebei.
	United States of America	180,000	The Carthage System has a long-standing history of successfully partnering with farm families across the Midwest looking to invest or expand their pork production. It is committed to helping these families remain an important part of our nation's food supply.
	United States of America	167,500	JBS is the majority shareholder of Pilgrim's Pride Corp. JBS believes in buying locally, adding \$15 million in livestock payments to the economy.
	China	160,000	New Hope Group , founded in 1982, has more than 600 subsidiaries and branch companies and nearly 70,000 employees. It is a wholly integrated industrial chain across China and in nearly 20 countries, such as Vietnam and the Philippines. New Hope Liuhe produced 3.1 million hogs in 2018.
	Chile	150,000	Agrosuper is a subsidiary of Promotora Doñihue Ltda. and is engaged in the production, distribution and marketing of chicken, pork, turkey, salmon and processed foods worldwide.
	United States of America	143,000	AMVC has more than 600 employees and 19 veterinarians on staff, and it manages 40 sow farms ranging from 1,200 sows to 10,000 sows.
	Russia	138,000	Fully integrated from farm to plate, Miratorg's business includes crop production; feed mills; farms; slaughter; fresh meat processing; further processing, including ready meals; distribution; branded supermarkets; developing export markets for pork (heat-treated); and offal products.
	Spain	120,000	Costa Group is the first "white pig" meat group to achieve the AENOR Conform Animal Welfare certificate on all of its farms and in its entire production process. On the swine side, Costa Group has produced 3 million hogs.
	Thailand	120,000	Betagro is Thailand's second-largest swine producer and has plans to expand, as well as ban both types of sow crates. The company hopes that in 10 years, the measure will apply to 250,000 sows.
	Canada	106,000	Besides various production facilities and distribution centers across Canada, Olymel , it has offices in Japan, Australia and South Korea; employs 13,000 people; and exports to more than 65 countries. Today, Olymel has a capacity of 167,000 hogs per week and 2.4 million birds per week, with a revenue of \$2.7 billion (USD).
	China	105,000	HB Xiangda currently has 6,700 employees, 17 wholly owned subsidiary companies and 66 branch companies in Hubei, Anhui and Henan provinces. The company produced 2.2 million hogs in 2018.
	Russia	104,000	Rusagro is currently building new farms in the far eastern region of Russia, near the border with China. The first phase of this business will be to house 30,000 sows to supply pork to the local area. Rusagro is also planning another 60,000 sow expansion in Samara, Russia.
	United States of America	100,000	A subsidiary of Goldsboro Milling Co., Maxwell Farms was established in 1989. The firm is committed to genetic improvement and is one of the leading North Carolina pork production companies.
	China	100,000	The company produced more than 2 million hogs in 2018. In the future, the company aims to use internet technology to find more ways to implement "intelligent pig farming," and explore easier and more efficient ways to raise pigs. The company marketed 2.27 million hogs in 2018.