



SOUTH DAKOTA

PORK INDUSTRY

GOVERNOR'S OFFICE OF ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

“South Dakota is uniquely positioned for pork production growth in the next 5 years due to an anticipated increase in processing capacity. I’d encourage both processors and producers to give South Dakota serious consideration in their location decisions.”

Bill Even, CEO
Pork Producers Council

DISCOVER SOUTH DAKOTA'S UNTAPPED OPPORTUNITY



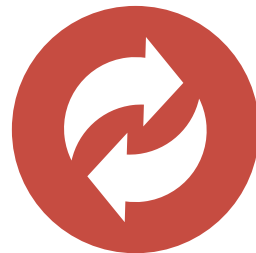
BIOSECURITY

South Dakota's availability of land allows for a wider distribution of major pig populations, thus making South Dakota pigs less susceptible to the spread of disease.



FEED BASIS

In South Dakota, corn prices are the 2nd lowest in the country with producers paying only 90 percent of the national average.



NUTRIENT MANAGEMENT

South Dakota has 1.17 million acres under a nutrient management plan, which is only 6.9 percent of the state's nutrient management capacity.

GROWTH RATES

South Dakota has the 9th largest hog breeding inventory and has grown by more than 30 percent over the past 10 years.

