

Swine Breeds

| Breed | Place of Origin | Color | Ear Type | Characteristics |
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| Hampshire | England | Black w/ white belt | Erect | white belt over front shoulders only; good muscled hog |
| Landrace | Denmark | White | Drooping | extremely long ears; good length; good mothers |
| Berkshire | England | Black w/ white face & feet | Erect | 6 points of white-(4) feet, face, & tail; thick breed |
| Chester White | Pennsylvania | White | Drooping | large breed; developed from various English breeds |
| Duroc | New Jersey & New York | Red | Drooping | shades of red vary; good meat hogs; avg. mothers; #2 in U.S. |
| Poland China | Ohio | Black w/ white face & feet | Drooping | 6 points of white-(4) feet, face, & tail; thick breed |
| Spotted | Indiana | White w/ black spot | Drooping | developed from Poland China; good meat hogs |
| Tamworth | Ireland | Red | Erect | one of the oldest breeds; rare in U.S. |
| Yorkshire | England | White | Erect | a.k.a. Large White; can be freckled w/ black spots; #1 in U.S. |
| Hereford | United States | Red w/ white face & feet | Slightly Erect | markings similar to Hereford cattle; very rare |