

## InterPIG Conference 2023

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**During the last 5th, 6th and 7th of June, the annual InterPIG conference took place on Ames (IA, USA).** As usual, the different members presented technical and economic results (2022) of the different countries.

With the provisional information of 2022, Spain has lost some competitiveness compared to the main European countries because of a higher increase in the production cost. It is important to remember that the key to remain globally competitive is the production efficiency. As sector, we must keep improving against the sanitary challenges that we are facing.

On this occasion, other topics that were treated during the session were the increase of costs associated with the new European welfare regulations, and the possible consequences of the enforcement of PROP 12 in California.

After a difficult year for almost all the countries, Spain continues being the leader in European pig production. From our point of view, the productive structure of our country is well prepared to face complex situations of volatility and global uncertainty as the once lived on 2022.