

Pig farm

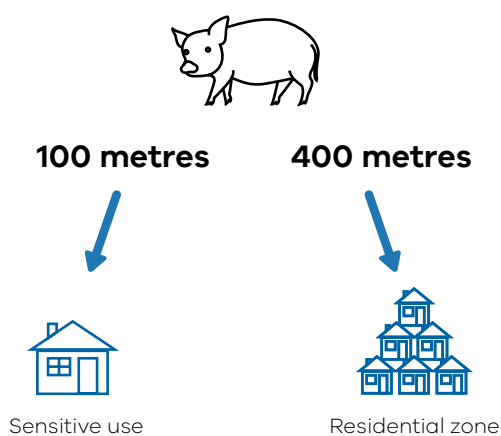
Land used to keep or breed pigs

Permit required for all pig farms

Simplified application process[^]

A simplified application process is available for low risk pig farms that meet these conditions⁺

- ✓ ≤ 150 sows or ≤ 1,000 SPUs
- ✓ Pigs kept outdoors in paddocks
- ✓ ≤ 12 SPU/ hectare
- ✓ Mobile housing and feeding infrastructure (shifted every 3 months)
- ✓ Maintain ≥ 50% ground cover
- ✓ No pigs located in these setbacks:



Standard application process

This process applies if the conditions specified for the simplified application process are not met. The *Pig Farm Planning Practice Note* at planning.vic.gov.au provides further guidance.

Zone	Pig farm
Farming Zone	Permit
Rural Activity Zone	Permit
Green Wedge Zone	Permit
Green Wedge A Zone	Permit
Rural Conservation Zone	Permit
Rural Living Zone	Permit
Urban Floodway Zone	Prohibited
Urban Growth Zone	Permit
Industrial zones	Prohibited
Commercial zones	Prohibited
Residential zones	Prohibited

[^] Exemption from notice and third party review requirements. Conditions apply.
⁺ Conditions are set out in full in the *Victorian low-density mobile outdoor pig farm planning permit guidelines*.

All properties with pigs require a Property Identification Code (PIC)
pic.agriculture.vic.gov.au

Always check with your council for overlays or local provisions that may also apply