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JULY-SEPTEMBER MILK PRODUCTION TOTALED 33.8 BILLION POUNDS

Milk production during the July-September quarter totaled 33.8 billion pounds (15.4 million metric tons), 2 percent above the comparable period in 1981 but 5 percent below the April-June 1982 quarter.

Accumulated milk production during the first three quarters of the year at 102 billion pounds (46.4 million metric tons) was 2 percent above the comparable period of 1981.

Milk production per cow for the quarter averaged 3070 pounds, 42 pounds more than the third quarter last year and 93 pounds more than the July-September 1980 period.

Total milk cows averaged 11.0 million head during the quarter, about 1 percent more than the July-September 1981 average.

GRAINS AND OTHER CONCENTRATES FED

Grain and other concentrates fed to cows on October 1, 1982 averaged 15.2 pounds, up 0.1 pound from October 1, 1981 and 1980.

VALUE OF GRAIN AND CONCENTRATES

The value of grain and other concentrates fed to milk cows on October 1, 1982, averaged \$7.31 per hundred weight, \$.43 below a year earlier and \$.30 below the October 1, 1980 average.

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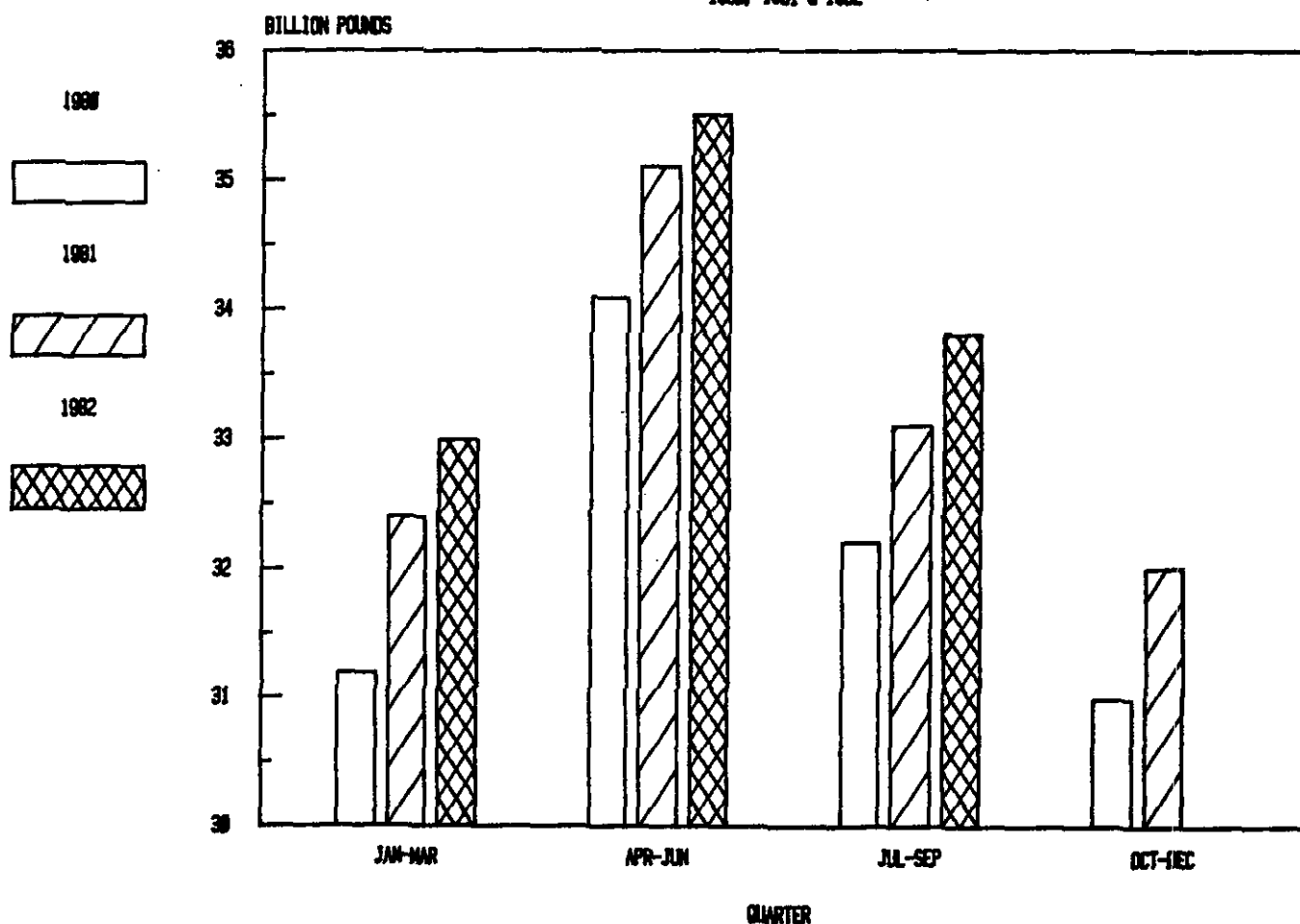
MILK COWS AND MILK PRODUCTION BY QUARTERS, UNITED STATES

QUARTER	MILK COWS 1/			MILK PER COW 2/			MILK PRODUCTION 2/			1982 AS % OF 1981
	1980	1981	1982	1980	1981	1982	1980	1981	1982	
	THOUSANDS			POUNDS			MILLION POUNDS			PERCENT
JAN - MAR 3/	10,772	10,877	11,005	2,900	2,981	2,999	31,237	32,426	33,005	102
APR - JUN	10,786	10,892	10,985	3,157	3,226	3,233	34,056	35,140	35,512	101
JUL - SEP	10,823	10,925	11,026	2,977	3,028	3,070	32,222	33,086	33,848	102
JAN-SEP TOTAL							97,515	100,652	102,365	102
OCT - DEC	10,857	10,981		2,856	2,912		31,010	31,982		
ANNUAL	10,810	10,919		11,889	12,147		128,525	132,634		

1/ QUARTERLY AVERAGE INCLUDES DRY COWS. EXCLUDES HEIFERS NOT YET FRESH. 2/ EXCLUDES MILK SUCKED BY CALVES. 3/ THE EXTRA DAY IN 1980 ADDED 1.1 PERCENT TO QUARTERLY OUTPUT.

MILK PRODUCTION IN THE U.S.

1980, 1981 & 1982



JULY-SEPTEMBER 1982 MILK COWS AND MILK PRODUCTION

STATE	MILK COWS 1/			MILK PER COW 2/			MILK PRODUCTION 2/			
	JUL-SEP 1981	APR-JUN 1982	JUL-SEP 1982	JUL-SEP 1981	APR-JUN 1982	JUL-SEP 1982	JUL-SEP 1981	APR-JUN 1982	JUL-SEP 1982	JUL-SEP 1982 AS % OF 1981
	THOUSANDS			POUNDS			MILLION POUNDS			PERCENT
ALA	63	62	60	2,220	2,260	2,270	140	140	136	97
ALAS	1.1	1.1	1.1	3,055	3,170	3,340	3.36	3.49	3.67	109
ARIZ	77	82	82	3,410	3,880	3,540	263	318	290	110
ARK	82	85	86	2,380	2,620	2,360	195	223	203	104
CALIF	924	939	937	4,016	3,960	4,020	3,711	3,718	3,767	102
COLO	74	75	75	3,280	3,390	3,330	243	254	250	103
CONN	48	47	47	3,230	3,440	3,330	155	162	157	101
DEL	9.8	10.0	10.0	3,080	3,320	3,220	30.2	33.2	32.2	107
FLA	190	189	190	2,430	2,860	2,400	462	541	456	99
GA	131	131	130	2,410	2,700	2,500	316	354	325	103
HAW	12.5	12.5	12.6	2,960	3,030	2,760	37.0	37.9	34.8	94
IDAHO	167	173	175	3,450	3,380	3,400	576	585	595	103
ILL	234	231	231	2,790	3,000	2,940	653	693	679	104
IND	206	205	205	2,790	2,950	2,900	575	605	595	103
IOWA	383	383	385	2,867	2,910	2,820	1,098	1,115	1,086	99
KANS	125	126	127	2,770	2,770	2,670	346	349	339	98
KY	242	239	239	2,440	2,590	2,530	590	619	605	103
LA	106	102	102	2,070	2,460	2,120	219	251	216	99
MAINE	57	58	58	3,190	3,360	3,260	182	195	189	104
MD	120	122	122	3,180	3,280	3,240	382	400	395	103
MASS	46	45	45	3,090	3,470	3,220	142	156	145	102
MICH	394	393	397	3,315	3,370	3,400	1,306	1,324	1,350	103
MINN	885	910	910	2,644	3,200	2,640	2,340	2,912	2,402	103
MISS	97	96	96	2,120	2,470	2,250	206	237	216	105
MO	248	245	246	2,890	3,070	2,950	717	752	726	101
MONT	29	28	29	2,930	3,060	3,040	85	86	88	104
NEBR	123	123	123	2,980	2,910	2,870	367	358	353	96
NEV	15.7	16.0	16.0	3,580	3,730	3,600	56.2	59.7	57.6	102
N H	29	29	29	2,900	3,240	3,020	84	94	88	105
N J	41	40	40	3,000	3,200	3,050	123	128	122	99
N MEX	52	56	58	3,385	3,640	3,710	176	204	215	122
N Y	909	913	915	2,991	3,276	3,000	2,719	2,991	2,745	101
N C	133	130	131	2,950	3,230	3,110	392	420	407	104
N DAK	92	92	92	2,630	3,040	2,660	242	280	245	101
OHIO	380	385	390	2,900	3,110	2,960	1,102	1,197	1,154	105
OKLA	109	111	111	2,600	2,770	2,580	283	307	286	101
OREG	97	99	100	3,290	3,400	3,390	319	337	339	106
PA	722	723	729	3,101	3,317	3,166	2,239	2,398	2,308	103
R I	3.8	3.9	3.9	2,870	3,060	2,900	10.9	11.9	11.3	104
S C	48	48	48	2,690	3,040	2,810	129	146	135	105
S DAK	159	160	165	2,810	2,900	2,790	447	464	460	103
TENN	214	215	217	2,734	2,940	2,700	585	632	586	100
TEX	325	325	329	2,622	3,010	2,730	852	978	898	105
UTAH	85	86	85	3,447	3,500	3,580	293	301	304	104
VT	185	185	185	3,108	3,290	3,110	575	609	575	100
VA	172	171	172	2,890	2,990	3,010	497	511	518	104
WASH	206	209	213	3,801	3,860	3,960	783	807	843	108
W VA	36	35	35	2,340	2,620	2,390	84	92	84	100
WIS	1,825	1,828	1,829	3,135	3,330	3,170	5,721	6,087	5,798	101
WYO	12.0	12.0	12.0	2,900	2,980	2,960	34.8	35.8	35.5	102
U S	10,925	10,985	11,026	3,028	3,233	3,070	33,086	35,512	33,848	102

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QUANTITY AND VALUE OF GRAIN AND OTHER CONCENTRATES FED DAILY PER MILK COWS, IN
HERDS KEPT BY REPORTERS, OCTOBER 1, BY STATES

STATE	QUANTITY FED			VALUE PER 100 POUNDS		
	1980	1981	1982	1980	1981	1982
	POUNDS			DOLLARS		
ALA	17.6	17.7	15.5	9.40	9.20	8.30
ALAS	13.0	13.0	13.5	12.00	12.50	13.00
ARIZ	18.0	18.0	18.5	7.80	8.20	7.20
ARK	16.0	16.0	17.4	8.60	8.10	7.75
CALIF	18.1	18.4	18.5	7.75	7.75	7.45
COLO	16.0	16.0	15.5	7.50	7.70	6.95
CONN	16.0	14.8	16.0	9.40	9.10	8.80
DEL	15.2	14.2	14.5	8.60	8.40	7.80
FLA	17.0	1/27.0	1/26.0	8.10	2/7.70	2/7.50
GA	18.5	17.5	18.5	9.40	8.70	8.10
IDAHO	13.5	13.0	14.1	6.55	7.10	6.25
ILL	15.0	15.0	16.0	6.80	6.90	6.60
IND	13.9	14.9	15.5	7.05	8.10	8.50
IOWA	15.1	15.9	14.4	7.00	6.40	6.80
KANS	16.7	15.5	14.8	6.40	7.40	6.90
KY	13.9	13.1	12.9	8.25	8.30	7.70
LA	14.8	15.3	15.9	8.30	9.00	8.40
MAINE	15.1	13.6	13.9	9.80	9.60	9.00
MD	15.2	14.5	15.2	8.20	8.50	8.00
MASS	13.9	13.9	14.3	9.20	9.50	8.80
MICH	14.4	14.9	15.7	6.90	6.50	6.80
MINN	14.0	12.2	13.8	6.50	6.50	6.30
MISS	15.0	15.6	15.5	9.00	8.80	8.30
MO	17.0	16.5	16.5	8.20	8.25	7.10
MONT	12.0	13.0	13.0	6.20	6.90	6.90
NEBR	15.0	14.4	14.2	6.50	6.50	6.40
NEV	15.0	15.0	15.0	7.25	8.00	7.30
N H	14.0	13.1	13.7	9.60	9.50	9.00
N J	14.1	13.2	13.3	8.50	9.00	8.70
N MEX	19.5	17.0	17.2	7.90	8.10	7.50
N Y	13.2	13.1	13.2	8.40	9.10	8.40
N C	15.0	16.0	16.5	9.40	9.80	8.60
N DAK	12.5	12.0	11.9	5.70	5.80	4.60
OHIO	15.5	14.4	15.4	8.00	7.90	7.40
OKLA	16.0	17.3	16.0	7.50	7.50	7.30
OREG	15.0	14.5	14.5	8.60	9.35	8.80
PA	14.0	14.1	14.8	8.00	8.60	8.10
R I	13.9	13.9	13.9	9.20	9.30	8.80
S C	16.0	15.5	16.5	8.70	9.50	8.10
S DAK	12.8	13.8	12.9	6.25	6.80	6.60
TENN	14.0	14.0	14.0	9.00	9.20	8.40
TEX	19.0	18.0	18.0	8.50	8.20	7.30
UTAH	15.0	15.3	14.9	7.20	7.60	6.80
VT	12.0	12.6	12.6	9.90	9.70	9.20
VA	13.6	13.2	13.3	9.00	9.55	8.70
WASH	15.9	15.2	15.0	8.70	8.40	7.30
W VA	12.8	12.1	13.0	8.70	8.90	7.90
WIS	13.9	13.6	12.1	6.40	6.50	6.20
WYO	11.4	11.4	11.0	7.00	7.00	6.30
U S	15.1	15.1	15.2	7.61	7.74	7.31

1/ INCLUDES SOME ROUGHAGE MIXED IN AND FED WITH GRAIN AND CONCENTRATES AND IS NOT COMPARABLE WITH 1980.

2/ INCLUDES THE VALUE OF SOME ROUGHAGE MIXED IN AND FED WITH GRAIN AND CONCENTRATES AND IS NOT COMPARABLE WITH 1980.

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