

# MILK PRODUCTION



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## NOVEMBER MILK PRODUCTION TOTALED 11.0 BILLION POUNDS

November milk production totaled 11.0 billion pounds (4.97 million metric tons), 4 percent below October 1983, but 6 percent above November 1981. Comparative data for 1982 are not available by months but will be published for the October-December quarter in the January 1984 issue of Milk Production.

Accumulated milk production during the January-November 1983 period totaled 128 billion pounds (57.9 million metric tons), up 4 percent from the same period in 1981.

Production per cow averaged 984 pounds during November, 39 pounds more than the November 1981 average.

The total number of milk cows averaged 11.1 million head during November, slightly more than October, and 1 percent more than November 1981.

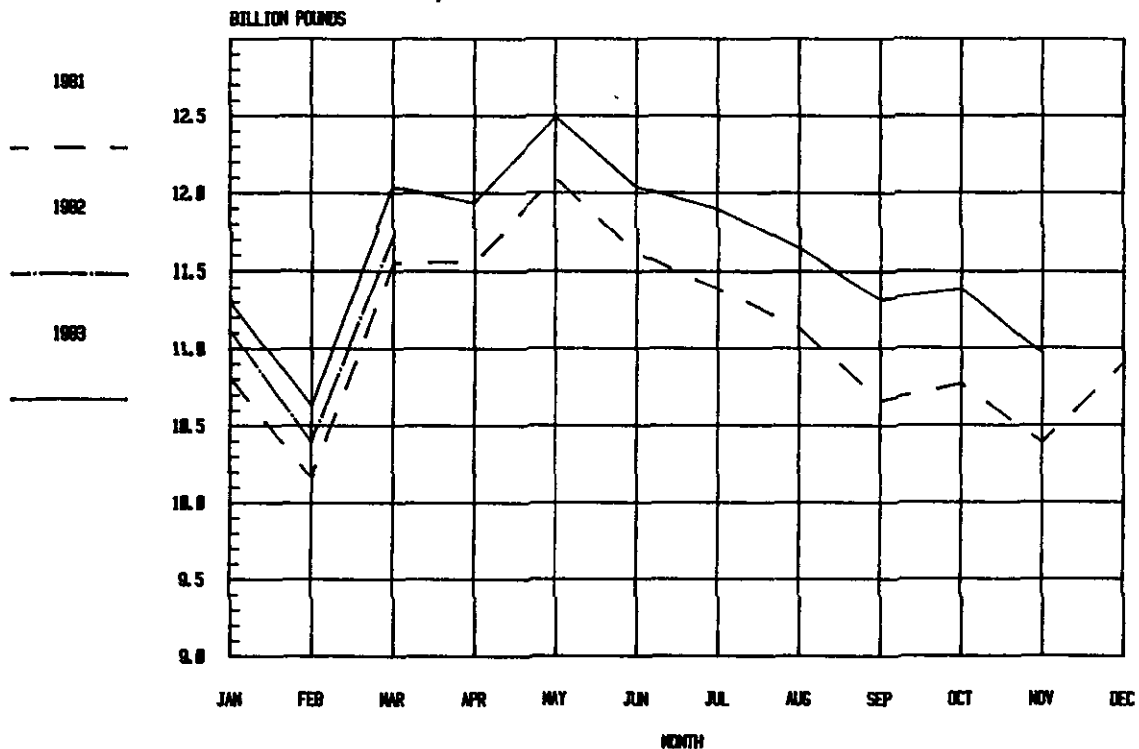
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MILK COWS AND MILK PRODUCTION BY MONTHS/QUARTERS, UNITED STATES

MONTH	MILK COWS 1/			MILK PER COW 2/			MILK PRODUCTION 2/			1983 AS PERCENT OF 1982
	1981	1982	1983	1981	1982	1983	1981	1982	1983	
	THOUSANDS			POUNDS			MILLION POUNDS			PERCENT
JAN	10,871	11,023	11,055	994	1,008	1,021	10,805	11,116	11,292	102
FEB	10,881	11,022	11,051	934	943	962	10,161	10,391	10,627	102
MAR	10,879	11,019	11,070	1,062	1,064	1,087	11,549	11,728	12,036	103
JAN-MAR	10,877	11,021	11,059	2,989	3,016	3,070	32,515	33,235	33,955	102
APR	10,886	3/	11,067	1,061	3/	1,078	11,555	3/	11,933	
MAY	10,898	3/	11,064	1,110	3/	1,129	12,099	3/	12,487	
JUN	10,906	3/	11,074	1,064	3/	1,087	11,606	3/	12,033	
APR-JUN	10,897	11,004	11,068	3,236	3,246	3,294	35,260	35,723	36,453	102
JUL	10,904	3/	11,078	1,044	3/	1,074	11,387	3/	11,894	
AUG	10,930	3/	11,080	1,018	3/	1,050	11,132	3/	11,639	
SEP	10,949	3/	11,120	974	3/	1,017	10,659	3/	11,309	
JUL-SEP	10,928	11,026	11,093	3,036	3,082	3,141	33,178	33,983	34,842	103
OCT	10,969	3/	11,130	982	3/	1,023	10,768	3/	11,382	
NOV	10,993	3/	11,137	945	3/	984	10,387	3/	10,960	
DEC	11,011			990			10,905			
OCT-DEC	10,991	11,053		2,917	2,972		32,060	32,854		
ANNUAL	10,923	11,026		12,177	12,316		133,013	135,795		

1/ INCLUDES DRY COWS. EXCLUDES HEIFERS NOT YET FRESH. 2/ EXCLUDES MILK SUCKED BY CALVES. 3/ NOT AVAILABLE.

## MILK PRODUCTION IN THE UNITED STATES 1981, 1982 AND 1983



NOVEMBER 1983 MILK COWS AND MILK PRODUCTION

STATE	MILK COWS 1/			MILK PER COW 2/			MILK PRODUCTION 2/		
	1981	1982	1983	1981	1982	1983	1981	1982	1983
	THOUSANDS			POUNDS			MILLION POUNDS		
ALA	61		52	805		820	49		43
ARK	83		83	730		720	61		60
CALIF	936		955	1,235		1,240	1,156		1,184
COLO	75		76	1,010		1,055	76		80
FLA	189		191	900		885	170		169
GA	131		129	895		875	117		113
IDAHO	169		173	1,055		1,035	178		179
ILL	236		228	855		920	202		210
IND	207		206	880		950	182		196
IOWA	389		385	900		905	350		348
KANS	124		131	905		875	112		115
KY	242		243	730		770	177		187
LA	103		101	720		695	74		70
MD	122		124	1,035		1,100	126		136
MICH	396		407	1,040		1,100	412		448
MINN	900		890	805		900	725		801
MISS	96		92	690		700	66		64
MO	247		254	910		970	225		246
NEBR	122		121	940		920	115		111
N Y	914		950	925		960	845		912
N C	134		133	1,020		1,070	137		142
N DAK	92		99	720		740	66		73
OHIO	381		403	890		925	339		373
OKLA	110		110	835		870	92		96
OREG	97		101	975		1,030	95		104
PA	728		744	1,000		1,055	728		785
TENN	214		214	830		820	178		175
TEX	325		333	895		940	291		313
UTAH	86		86	1,030		1,020	89		88
VT	190		197	930		1,020	177		201
VA	172		172	970		1,050	167		181
WASH	207		214	1,155		1,290	239		276
WIS	1,828		1,835	935		960	1,709		1,762
OTH 17 STS 3/	687		705	964		1,020	662		719
U S	10,993		11,137	945		984	10,387		10,960

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2/ EXCLUDES MILK SUCKED BY CALVES.

3/ INCLUDES STATES FOR WHICH INDIVIDUAL MONTHLY ESTIMATES ARE NOT AVAILABLE.

4/ NOT AVAILABLE.

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