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MAY MILK PRODUCTION

Milk production in the 21 major States during May totaled 11.2 billion pounds, 2 percent above production in these same States in May 1989, according to the Agricultural Statistics Board. April revised production, at 10.8 billion pounds, was 1 percent above April 1989.

Production per cow in the 21 major States averaged 1,317 pounds for May, 22 pounds more than May 1989.

The number of cows on farms in the 21 major States was 8.51 million head, 3 thousand more than April 1990 but 6 thousand head less than May 1989.

During the January March period, the 21 major States produced 31.3 billion pounds of milk, 84.8 percent of the U.S. production. If producers in the remaining 29 states not surveyed monthly followed the same pattern as the 21 States, the U.S. production would be 13.2 billion pounds for May 1990.

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MILK COWS AND MILK PRODUCTION BY QUARTERS, UNITED STATES,

MONTH	MILK COWS 1/		MILK PER COW 2/		MILK PRODUCTION 2/		1990 AS % OF 1989
	1989	1990	1989	1990	1989	1990	
	THOUSANDS		POUNDS		MILLION POUNDS		PERCENT
JAN-MAR	10,164	10,132	3,586	3,642	36,445	36,903	101
APR-JUN	10,116		3,727		37,702		
JUL-SEP	10,101		3,484		35,188		
OCT-DEC	10,127		3,448		34,917		
ANNUAL	10,127		14,244		144,252		

1/ INCLUDES DRY COWS. EXCLUDES HEIFERS NOT YET FRESH.

2/ EXCLUDES MILK SUCKED BY CALVES.

REVISED APRIL 1990 MILK COWS AND MILK PRODUCTION, BY STATES

STATE	MILK COWS 1/		MILK PER COW 2/		MILK PRODUCTION 2/		1990 AS % OF 1989
	1989	1990	1989	1990	1989	1990	
	THOUSANDS		POUNDS		MILLION POUNDS		PERCENT
CA	1,101	1,130	1,475	1,565	1,624	1,768	109
FL	182	181	1,260	1,295	229	234	102
ID	170	172	1,280	1,360	218	234	107
IL	199	195	1,210	1,280	241	250	104
IN	162	155	1,215	1,245	197	193	98
IA	309	308	1,135	1,140	351	351	100
KY	212	209	995	965	211	202	96
MD	104	103	1,190	1,215	124	125	101
MI	345	345	1,270	1,270	438	438	100
MN	740	720	1,205	1,245	892	896	100
MO	230	228	1,185	1,210	273	276	101
NY	774	769	1,275	1,255	987	965	98
NC	105	99	1,315	1,320	138	131	95
OH	352	347	1,160	1,140	408	396	97
PA	695	680	1,280	1,240	890	843	95
TN	196	198	1,000	1,030	196	204	104
TX	384	396	1,240	1,260	476	499	105
VT	162	163	1,250	1,250	203	204	100
VA	143	140	1,240	1,220	177	171	97
WA	225	227	1,520	1,560	342	354	104
WI	1,734	1,742	1,200	1,210	2,081	2,108	101
21 STATE:							
TOTAL	8,524	8,507	1,255	1,274	10,696	10,842	101

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MILK COWS AND MILK PRODUCTION BY MONTHS, 21 SELECTED STATES

MONTH	MILK COWS 1/		MILK PER COW 2/		MILK PRODUCTION 2/		
	1989	1990	1989	1990	1989	1990	1990 AS % OF 1989
	THOUSANDS		POUNDS		MILLION POUNDS		PERCENT
JAN	8,589	8,537	1,217	1,227	10,453	10,479	100
FEB	8,564	8,534	1,133	1,150	9,699	9,813	101
MAR	8,540	8,510	1,268	1,292	10,825	10,997	102
APR	8,524	8,507	1,255	1,274	10,696	10,842	101
MAY	8,516	8,510	1,295	1,317	11,027	11,208	102
JUN	8,504		1,214		10,327		
JUL	8,491		1,199		10,183		
AUG	8,508		1,184		10,074		
SEP	8,501		1,137		9,668		
OCT	8,510		1,161		9,878		
NOV	8,531		1,132		9,654		
DEC	8,544		1,176		10,047		
ANNUAL	8,527		14,370		122,531		

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PRELIMINARY MAY 1990 MILK COWS AND MILK PRODUCTION, BY STATES

STATE	MILK COWS 1/		MILK PER COW 2/		MILK PRODUCTION 2/		
	1989	1990	1989	1990	1989	1990	1990 AS % OF 1989
	THOUSANDS		POUNDS		MILLION POUNDS		PERCENT
CA	1,102	1,133	1,535	1,615	1,692	1,830	108
FL	182	180	1,235	1,270	225	229	102
ID	170	173	1,360	1,420	231	246	106
IL	199	193	1,245	1,310	248	253	102
IN	162	155	1,250	1,300	203	202	100
IA	309	308	1,160	1,160	358	357	100
KY	213	208	980	960	209	200	96
MD	104	103	1,190	1,200	124	124	100
MI	345	345	1,310	1,315	452	454	100
MN	735	720	1,250	1,280	919	922	100
MO	229	228	1,210	1,235	277	282	102
NY	765	767	1,315	1,290	1,006	989	98
NC	104	99	1,325	1,325	138	131	95
OH	353	347	1,220	1,225	431	425	99
PA	695	677	1,310	1,310	910	887	97
TN	194	198	995	1,020	193	202	105
TX	384	396	1,225	1,250	470	495	105
VT	161	162	1,275	1,270	205	206	100
VA	144	140	1,215	1,230	175	172	98
WA	227	230	1,590	1,620	361	373	103
WI	1,739	1,748	1,265	1,275	2,200	2,229	101
21 STATE:							
TOTAL	8,516	8,510	1,295	1,317	11,027	11,208	102

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