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AUGUST MILK PRODUCTION

Milk production in the 21 major States during August totaled 10.5 billion pounds, 4 percent above the production in these same States in August 1989, according to the Agricultural Statistics Board. July revised production, at 10.7 billion pounds, was 5 percent above July 1989.

Production per cow in the 21 major States averaged 1,232 pounds for August, 48 pounds more than August 1989.

The number of cows on farms in the 21 major States was 8.53 million head, 19 thousand head more than August 1989 and 16 thousand head more than July 1990.

During the April-June period, the 21 major States produced 32.8 billion pounds of milk, 85.0 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 12.4 billion pounds for August 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/		
	1989	1990	1989	1990	1989	1990	1990 AS % OF 1989
	THOUSANDS		POUNDS		MILLION POUNDS		PERCENT
JAN-MAR	10,164	10,137	3,586	3,644	36,445	36,940	101
APR-JUN	10,116	10,124	3,727	3,809	37,702	38,564	102
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 JULY 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	1,104	1,138	1,540	1,610	1,700	1,832	108
FL	178	178	1,035	1,090	184	194	105
ID	172	178	1,390	1,490	239	265	111
IL	197	193	1,165	1,210	230	234	102
IN	160	154	1,140	1,250	182	193	106
IA	309	308	1,115	1,150	345	354	103
KY	211	207	840	885	177	183	103
MD	101	104	1,050	1,100	106	114	108
MI	345	346	1,265	1,345	436	465	107
MN	725	710	1,135	1,160	823	824	100
MO	225	226	1,095	1,100	246	249	101
NY	768	758	1,170	1,235	899	936	104
NC	103	99	1,135	1,230	117	122	104
OH	350	345	1,070	1,160	375	400	107
PA	692	676	1,155	1,220	799	825	103
TN	196	201	910	940	178	189	106
TX	387	396	1,040	1,125	402	446	111
VT	161	163	1,160	1,220	187	199	106
VA	142	140	1,090	1,135	155	159	103
WA	227	240	1,590	1,605	361	385	107
WI	1,738	1,751	1,175	1,215	2,042	2,127	104
21 STATE:							
TOTAL	8,491	8,511	1,199	1,257	10,183	10,695	105

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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/		1990 AS % OF 1989
	1989	1990	1989	1990	1989	1990	
	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	8,513	1,295	1,319	11,027	11,226	102
JUN	8,504	8,512	1,214	1,257	10,327	10,696	104
JUL	8,491	8,511	1,199	1,257	10,183	10,695	105
AUG	8,508	8,527	1,184	1,232	10,074	10,505	104
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 AUGUST 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	1,106	1,140	1,550	1,610	1,714	1,835	107
FL	178	178	980	1,010	174	180	103
ID	172	180	1,390	1,460	239	263	110
IL	197	193	1,165	1,190	230	230	100
IN	160	154	1,125	1,200	180	185	103
IA	310	302	1,115	1,130	346	341	99
KY	211	207	850	885	179	183	102
MD	102	105	1,070	1,105	109	116	106
MI	346	345	1,255	1,330	434	459	106
MN	725	710	1,080	1,110	783	788	101
MO	225	226	1,070	1,090	241	247	102
NY	779	768	1,145	1,210	892	929	104
NC	103	99	1,135	1,205	117	119	102
OH	349	345	1,060	1,095	370	378	102
PA	697	682	1,135	1,200	791	818	103
TN	196	202	915	930	179	188	105
TX	387	397	1,025	1,075	397	427	108
VT	163	164	1,160	1,190	189	195	103
VA	142	140	1,135	1,150	161	161	100
WA	225	240	1,575	1,585	354	380	107
WI	1,735	1,750	1,150	1,190	1,995	2,083	104
21 STATE: TOTAL	8,508	8,527	1,184	1,232	10,074	10,505	104

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