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MINNESOTA'S JUNE MILK OUTPUT UP 2.8 PERCENT

June 2007 milk production totaled 722 million pounds in Minnesota, up 2.8 percent from the 702 million pounds produced in June 2006, according to the USDA, NASS, Minnesota Field Office. May milk output was revised up to 763 million pounds.

Minnesota's production per cow averaged 1,570 pounds in June 2007, up 10 pounds from last June. The revised May rate was 1,665 pounds per cow. The average number of milk cows on farms in Minnesota during June 2007 was 460,000 head, up 2,000 from the revised May level, and up 10,000 from a year ago.

Accumulated Minnesota milk production for the first 6 months of 2007 was 4.39 billion pounds, up 3.5 percent from the same period a year ago.

JUNE MILK PRODUCTION UP 1.12 PERCENT IN MAJOR STATES

Milk production during June 2007 totaled 14.2 billion pounds, up 1.2 percent from June 2006 in the 23 major states. Revised May production for the 23 states was 14.9 billion pounds. Production per cow in the 23 states averaged 1,713 pounds during June 2007, up 16 pounds from June 2006. Revised May output per cow was 1,795 pounds. The number of milk cows in the 23 major states during June averaged 8.29 million head, up 19,000 from a year ago and up 2,000 from May 2007.

Accumulated milk production in the 23 major states for the first 6 months of 2007 was 85.7 billion pounds, up 1.3 percent from the same period a year ago.

MILK PRODUCTION, MAJOR STATES

State	MILK COWS			RATE PER COW			MILK PRODUCTION			
	Jun 2006	May 2007 Rev.	Jun 2007	Jun 2006	May 2007 Rev.	Jun 2007	Jun 2006	May 2007 Rev.	Jun 2007	2007 as % of 2006
	<u>Thousand Head</u>			<u>Pounds</u>			<u>Million Pounds</u>			<u>Percent</u>
CA	1,786	1,800	1,804	1,795	1,930	1,850	3,206	3,474	3,337	104.1
ID	489	506	506	1,910	1,930	1,910	934	977	966	103.4
MN	450	458	460	1,560	1,665	1,570	702	763	722	102.8
NY	640	626	626	1,595	1,690	1,620	1,021	1,058	1,014	99.3
PA	555	549	549	1,620	1,720	1,590	899	944	873	97.1
WI	1,243	1,247	1,247	1,590	1,685	1,620	1,976	2,101	2,020	102.2
23 States	8,269	8,286	8,288	1,697	1,795	1,713	14,033	14,874	14,198	101.2