

MILK COW NUMBERS: By Months, Wisconsin, 2002-2006 1/

Year	Jan.	Feb.	March	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Average
	1,000 head												
2002	1,279	1,278	1,276	1,275	1,272	1,270	1,265	1,265	1,268	1,268	1,266	1,266	1,271
2003	1,265	1,265	1,263	1,260	1,257	1,256	1,255	1,254	1,253	1,250	1,249	1,247	1,256
2004	1,245	1,245	1,244	1,242	1,242	1,241	1,240	1,240	1,239	1,238	1,237	1,236	1,241
2005	1,235	1,234	1,233	1,234	1,234	1,235	1,236	1,236	1,237	1,238	1,238	1,239	1,236
2006	1,240	1,240	1,241	1,241	1,242	1,243	1,243	1,244	1,244	1,244	1,245	1,245	1,243

1/Excludes heifers not yet fresh.

MILK PRODUCTION PER COW: By Months, Wisconsin, 2002-2006

Year	Jan.	Feb.	March	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Annual
	Pounds												
2002	1,460	1,350	1,510	1,475	1,525	1,450	1,455	1,470	1,405	1,420	1,385	1,465	17,367
2003	1,500	1,370	1,530	1,480	1,540	1,505	1,515	1,495	1,430	1,465	1,410	1,485	17,728
2004	1,505	1,405	1,510	1,485	1,560	1,485	1,520	1,510	1,440	1,475	1,415	1,490	17,796
2005	1,515	1,400	1,560	1,540	1,630	1,590	1,600	1,595	1,510	1,535	1,480	1,550	18,500
2006	1,585	1,455	1,620	1,580	1,650	1,590	1,610	1,575	1,520	1,555	1,500	1,590	18,824

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Year	Jan.	Feb.	March	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Annual
	Million pounds												
2002	1,867	1,725	1,927	1,881	1,940	1,842	1,841	1,860	1,782	1,801	1,753	1,855	22,074
2003	1,898	1,733	1,932	1,865	1,936	1,890	1,901	1,875	1,792	1,831	1,761	1,852	22,266
2004	1,874	1,749	1,878	1,844	1,938	1,843	1,885	1,872	1,784	1,826	1,750	1,842	22,085
2005	1,871	1,728	1,923	1,900	2,011	1,964	1,978	1,971	1,868	1,900	1,832	1,920	22,866
2006	1,965	1,804	2,010	1,961	2,049	1,976	2,001	1,959	1,891	1,934	1,868	1,980	23,398

**NUMBER OF MILK COW OPERATIONS 1/
United States and Selected States, Selected Years**

State	1990	1995	2000	2005	2006
	Thousands				
Wisconsin	34.0	28.0	21.0	15.3	14.9
California	4.5	3.3	2.5	2.3	2.3
Indiana	4.7	3.9	3.1	2.2	2.1
Iowa	7.8	5.2	3.8	2.5	2.4
Kentucky	6.5	4.0	3.0	2.2	2.0
Michigan	6.5	4.7	3.5	2.8	2.7
Minnesota	15.5	12.0	8.5	5.8	5.4
Missouri	7.0	5.0	3.9	2.7	2.6
New York	13.0	10.0	7.9	6.7	6.4
Ohio	9.0	6.8	5.5	4.4	4.4
Pennsylvania	15.5	11.8	10.7	8.9	8.7
Other states	68.7	45.0	31.7	22.5	21.2
United States	192.7	139.7	105.1	78.3	75.1

**NUMBER OF MILK COWS AND PRODUCTION PER
COW: By Size Groups, Wisconsin, 2006**

Herd size	Number of cows	Production	Production per cow
	Number	1,000 lbs.	lbs.
1-29	31,075	467,960	15,059
30-49	149,160	2,573,780	17,255
50-99	410,190	7,487,360	18,253
100-199	236,170	4,445,620	18,824
200-499	211,310	3,977,660	18,824
500+	205,095	4,445,620	21,676
Total	1,243,000	23,398,000	18,824

1/An operation is any place with one or more milk cows at any time during the year.