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Milk Production Up First Time in 11 Years

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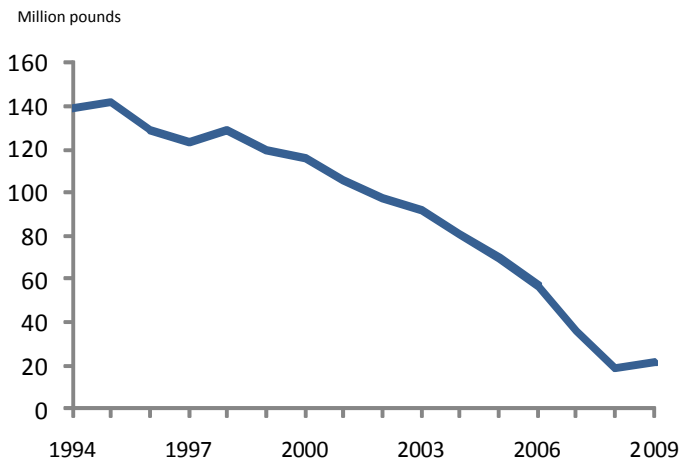
Hawaii milk production increased 15 percent in 2009, to 21.3 million pounds. This marks the first time since 1998 that production has increased compared to the previous year.

Revenues from milk also increased 37 percent to 7.5 million dollars. This was due in part to a 16 percent increase in the price of milk which, during 2009, had an average price of \$35.50 per hundredweight compared to \$30.50 in 2008. ■

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MILK: Annual Production, State of Hawaii, 1994 – 2009



MILK: Number of Operations, Number of Milk Cows, Production, Sales, Price, and Value, State of Hawaii, 2005-2009

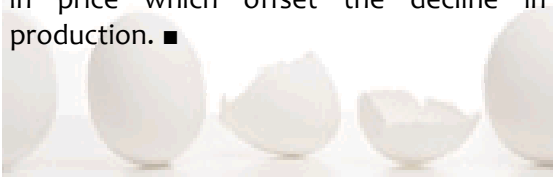
Year	Operations with milk cows ¹	Licensed dairy herds ²	Annual average milk cows	Milk per cow	Production ³	Sold ³	Average price ⁴	Value of sales
	—Number—		Pounds		— Million pounds —		Dollars per hundredweight	1,000 dollars
2005	30	5	5,400	12,889	69.6	68.1	27.00	18,387
2006	30	5	4,300	13,256	57.0	55.8	26.00	14,508
2007	15	5	2,900	12,241	35.5	34.3	28.20	9,673
2008	15	2	1,700	10,882	18.5	17.9	30.50	5,460
2009	15	2	1,500	14,200	21.3	21.1	35.50	7,491

¹ An operation is any place having one or more head of milk cows, including cows used to nurse calves, on hand at any time during the year. Includes commercially licensed dairy herds. ² Average number of dairy farms licensed to sell milk. Rounded to the nearest five at the State level. ³ Difference between "Production" and "Sold" is milk used on farms for human consumption, fed to calves or other uses. ⁴ Rounded to the nearest dime.

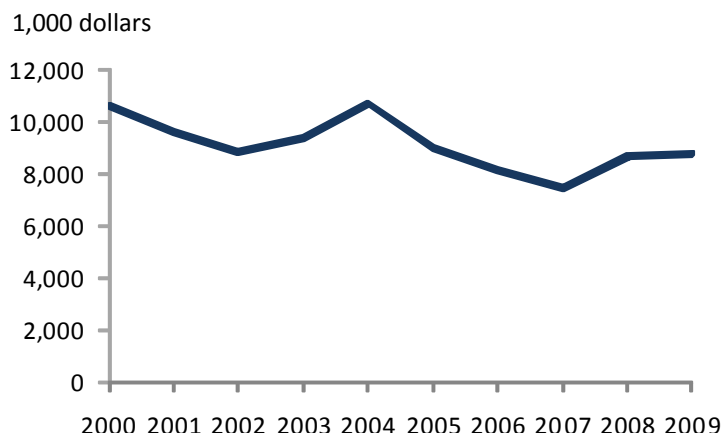
Eggs: 2009 Production Down 5 Percent from Last Year

Hawaii egg production totaled 69.5 million (193,055 cases) for the year of 2009, down 5 percent from 2008 due to a 4 percent decline in layers on hand and a 1 percent reduction in the rate of lay per 1,000 layers.

Value of egg sales for 2009 was \$8.8 million dollars, up 1 percent from the previous year. This was due to a 6 percent increase in price which offset the decline in production. ■



EGGS: Value of Sales, State of Hawaii, 2000 - 2009



EGGS: December 1 Number of Operations, Number of Layers, Production, Price, and Value, State of Hawaii, 2005-2009¹

Year	Operations		Average number of layers	Average production per layer	Production ²	Average price ³	Value of sales
	All	3,000 layers or more					
	Number		1,000 birds	Eggs	Million eggs	Cents per dozen	1,000 dollars
2005	80	8	498	230	114.5	94.1	8,979
2006	80	6	448	219	98.3	100.0	8,192
2007	80	5	378	216	81.8	109.0	7,428
2008	100	5	343	214	73.3	142.0	8,678
2009	100	5	330	211	69.5	151.0	8,759

¹ Annual number of layers, egg production, sales, price, and value are for the 12-month period, December of the previous year through November of the following year. ² Home consumption less than 0.5 million eggs included. ³ Equivalent delivered processing plant.

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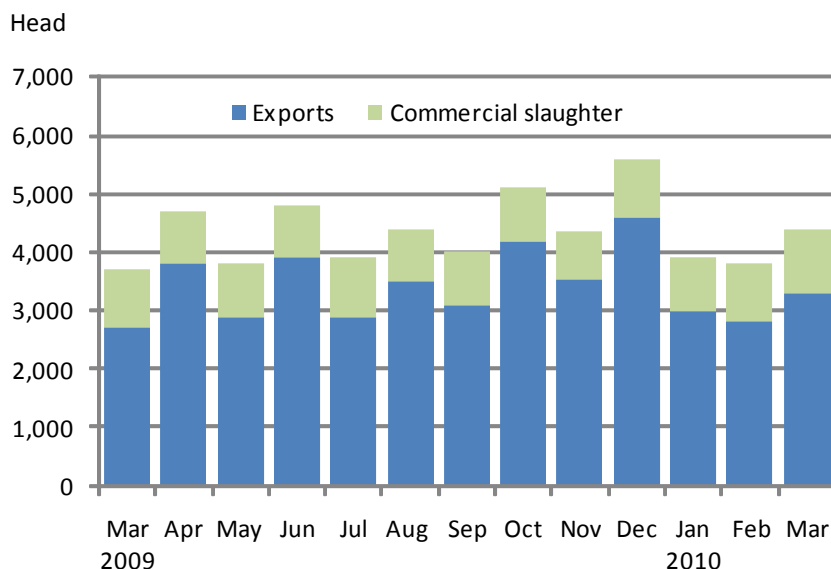
Cattle: Monthly Slaughter and Exports

Cattle Marketings Up 8 Percent from Previous Year

Cumulative cattle marketings for the first quarter of 2010 totaled 12,100 head, up 8 percent compared to the first quarter of last year. Cattle exports were up 8.3 percent so far this year compared to last year while local slaughter was up 7.1 percent from a year ago.

Cattle marketings (sum of exports and local slaughter) totaled 4,400 head for March 2010, up 13 and 16 percent from January and February, respectively. Exports accounted for 75 percent of March's total marketings with steers making up 48 percent of the exported cattle. Local slaughter totaled 1,100 head in March 2010, up 22 and 10 percent from January and February. ■

CATTLE: Monthly Commercial Production, State of Hawaii, 2009 and 2010



CATTLE: Number and Weights of Total Marketing, Exports, and Local Slaughter by Months, State of Hawaii, 2010 with 2009 Year-to-date Comparisons

Month	Total marketings ¹	Marketings								
		Exports				Commercial (local) slaughter ³				
		Total exports ²	Type of cattle		Average live weight	Number slaughter	Average live weight	Total live weight	Total dress weight ⁴	
Steers	Heifers									
		Head			Pounds	Head	Pounds	1,000 pounds		
January	3,900	3,000	1,750	1,250	433	900	1,111	1,027	564	
February	3,800	2,800	1,150	1,650	456	1,000	1,097	1,075	590	
March	4,400	3,300	1,600	1,700	451	1,100	1,071	1,163	638	
Year-to-date ⁵ :										
2010	12,100	9,100	4,500	4,600	447	3,000	1,088	3,265	1,792	
2009	11,200	8,400	4,350	3,950	411	2,800	1,221	3,324	1,825	
Change	8.0	8.3	3.4	16.5	8.8	7.1	-10.9	-1.8	-1.8	

¹ Sum of commercial (local) slaughter and exports. Totals may not add due to rounding. ² Cattle and calves shipped out-of-State include: steers, heifers, and all other classes. All other classes not shown separately, but are included in total exports. ³ Excludes non-inspected farm slaughter; includes custom slaughter. ⁴ Estimate based on 54.9 dressing percentage. ⁵ Includes revisions made to previous months.

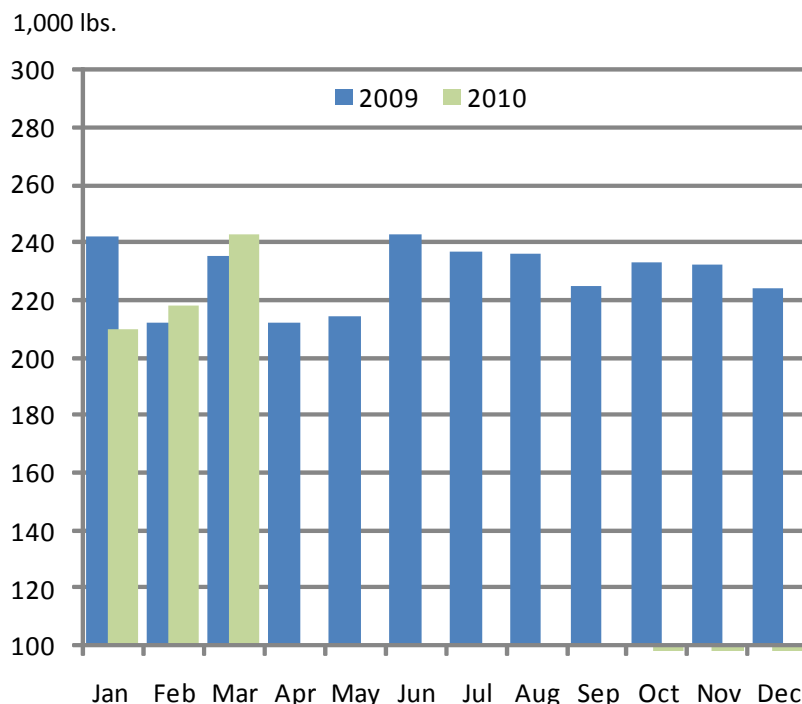
Hogs: Monthly Slaughter

Commercial Pork Production Down 5 Percent from Last Year

Cumulative number of hogs slaughtered through the first quarter of 2010 totaled 3,700 head, down 5.1 percent from the first quarter of 2009. Total dressed weight through March 2010 is estimated at 671,000 pounds, down 2.6 percent from the same period a year ago.

Hawaii commercial pork production (local slaughter) during March 2010 totaled 243,000 pounds, up 16 and 11 percent from January and February, respectively. March's higher dressed weight total was the result of an 8 percent increase in the number of head slaughtered to 1,300 which was bolstered by a 3 percent increase in average live weight. ■

**HOGS: Monthly Commercial Production,
State of Hawaii, 2009 and 2010**



**HOGS: Number and Weights of Commercial Slaughter by Months,
State of Hawaii, 2010 with 2009 Year-to-date Comparisons ¹**

Month	Total commercial slaughter	Average live weight	Total live weight	Total dressed weight ²
	<i>Head</i>	<i>Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 pounds</i>	
January	1,200	236	280	210
February	1,200	236	291	218
March	1,300	243	324	243
Year-to-date:				
2010	3,700	242	895	671
2009	3,900	231	918	689
Change	-5.1	4.8	-2.5	-2.6

¹ Excludes non-inspected farm slaughter; includes custom slaughter and live hog inshipments from the mainland for slaughter. ² Estimate based on 75.0 dressing percentage.

Livestock: Inventory and Disposition

Cattle and Calves Inventory Up by 1 Percent

Hawaii cattle and calves inventory numbers for January 1, 2010 increased by 1 percent, to 151,000 head compared to 150,000 last year.

The calf crop for 2009 remained the same at 65,000 head born. Increased inventory numbers for January 1, 2010 are due to a 3 percent drop in marketings as well as a 14 percent decline in deaths in 2009. ■

Hog and Pig Inventory Unchanged in 2009

Hawaii hog and pig inventory numbers for December 1, 2009 were estimated at 13,000 head. This represents no change from December 1, 2008.

There was a 5 percent drop in the pig crop from 2008, to 19,000 head. Marketings in 2009 accounted for 15,000 head, a 17 percent drop from the prior year. Deaths remained unchanged for 2009 at 3,000 head. ■

CATTLE AND CALVES: Inventory and Disposition, State of Hawaii, 2005-2010

Year	Inventory beginning January 1	Calf crop	Inshipments	Marketings	Farm slaughter	Deaths	Inventory January 1 following year
<i>1,000 head</i>							
2005	155	66	*	54	1	5	161
2006	161	65	*	61	1	6	158
2007	158	65	*	65	1	5	152
2008	152	65	*	59	1	7	150
2009	150	65	*	57	1	6	151
2010	151						

* = Less than 500.



HOGS AND PIGS: Inventory and Disposition, State of Hawaii, 2005-2010

Year	Inventory December 1 previous year	Pig crop	Inshipments ¹	Marketings ¹	Farm slaughter	Deaths	Inventory December 1
<i>1,000 head</i>							
2005	22	28	*	26	1	4	19
2006	19	25	*	23	1	4	16
2007	16	24	*	20	1	4	15
2008	15	20	*	18	1	3	13
2009	13	19	*	15	1	3	13
2010	13						

* = Less than 500. ¹ Excludes live hogs brought in for immediate slaughter.

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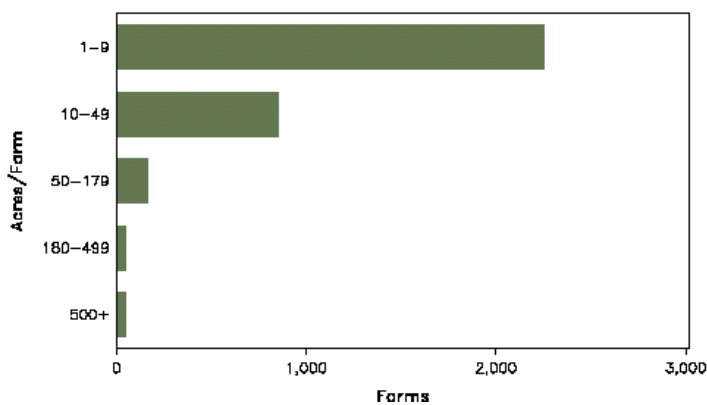
Hawaii Farms with Asian Operators Compared with All Farms

	Asian Operators ²	All Farms
Number of Farm Operators ¹	4,419	11,190
Number of Farms	3,358	7,521
Land in Farms	274,640 acres	1,121,329 acres
Average Size of Farms	82 acres	149 acres
Market Value of Products Sold	\$261,370,000	\$513,626,000
Crop Sales	\$227,289,000	\$429,916,000
Livestock Sales	\$34,081,000	\$83,711,000
Average Per Farm	\$77,835	\$68,292
Government Payments	\$1,304,000	\$2,378,000
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$13,310	\$10,908

¹ Data were collected for a maximum of 3 operators per farm. ² Operators reporting selected race alone or in combina-

Farms with Asian Operators

Farms by Size



Farms by Economic Size

