



News Release

November Milk Production

Dairy herds in Indiana produced 347 million pounds of milk during November, up 3.3 percent from a year ago, according to Greg Matli, State Statistician of the USDA, NASS, Indiana Field Office. The daily rate per cow was 61.8 pounds, up 1.3 pounds from November 2016. The dairy herd was estimated at 187,000 head for November, up 2,000 head from a year earlier.

Milk production in the 23 major States during November totaled 16.2 billion pounds, up 1.1 percent from November 2016. The daily production per cow in the 23 major States averaged 62.0 pounds for November, 0.3 pounds above November 2016. The number of milk cows on farms in the 23 major States was 8.73 million head, 57,000 head more than November 2016, but unchanged from October 2017.

Milk production, November

Commodity	Indiana			23 Major States		
	2015	2016	2017	2015	2016	2017
Cows1,000 Hd	184	185	187	8,634	8,675	8,732
Daily rate per cowPounds	60.0	60.5	61.8	60.4	61.7	62.0
ProductionMil lbs	331	336	347	15,639	16,066	16,247

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