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## January Milk Production Up in Vermont

CONCORD, NH – Milk production in Vermont during January 2015 totaled 226 million pounds, up 1.3 percent from January 2014, according to Gary Keough, State Statistician of the USDA's National Agricultural Statistics Service, New England Field Office.

Production per cow in the State averaged 1,710 pounds for January, 20 pounds above January 2014.

The number of milk cows on farms in the State was 132 thousand head, unchanged from January 2014, and unchanged from December 2014.

The average milk price received by Vermont farmers in December 2014 at \$22.60 per hundredweight was down \$1.60 from November and \$0.80 from December a year ago.

The Milk Production report and all other NASS reports are available online at [www.nass.usda.gov](http://www.nass.usda.gov).

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