

NEW JERSEY: MILK PRODUCTION, DISPOSITION AND INCOME, 2001 - 2006

| Item | Unit | 2001 | 2002 | 2003 | 2004 | 2005 | 2006 1/ |
|---|-------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|---------|
| <u>Milk Production by Quarter</u> | | | | | | | |
| January - March | | | | | | | |
| Average number of milk cows | Number | 15,000 | 13,000 | 13,000 | 12,000 | 12,000 | 11,500 |
| Milk per cow | Pound | 4,000 | 4,615 | 4,365 | 4,330 | 4,100 | 4,140 |
| Total milk production | Million lbs | 60 | 60 | 57 | 52 | 49 | 48 |
| April - June | | | | | | | |
| Average number of milk cows | Number | 14,000 | 13,000 | 13,000 | 12,000 | 12,000 | 11,000 |
| Milk per cow | Pound | 4,280 | 4,690 | 4,385 | 4,350 | 4,200 | 4,230 |
| Total milk production | Million lbs | 60 | 61 | 57 | 52 | 50 | 47 |
| July - September | | | | | | | |
| Average number of milk cows | Number | 14,000 | 13,000 | 12,000 | 12,000 | 11,500 | 10,500 |
| Milk per cow | Pound | 4,050 | 4,460 | 4,335 | 3,920 | 4,050 | 3,970 |
| Total milk production | Million lbs | 57 | 58 | 52 | 49 | 47 | 42 |
| October - December | | | | | | | |
| Average number of milk cows | Number | 14,000 | 13,000 | 12,000 | 12,000 | 11,500 | 10,500 |
| Milk per cow | Pound | 4,000 | 4,385 | 4,160 | 3,920 | 3,990 | 3,900 |
| Total milk production | Million lbs | 56 | 57 | 50 | 47 | 46 | 41 |
| <u>Annual Milk Production</u> | | | | | | | |
| Average number of milk cows | Number | 14,000 | 13,000 | 13,000 | 12,000 | 12,000 | 11,000 |
| Milk per cow | Pound | 16,643 | 18,154 | 16,615 | 16,667 | 16,000 | 16,182 |
| Total milk production 2/ | Million lbs | 233 | 236 | 216 | 200 | 192 | 178 |
| Disposition of milk produced: | | | | | | | |
| Used on farms | Million lbs | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 |
| Sold to plants | Million lbs | 230 | 233 | 213 | 197 | 189 | 175 |
| Prices received for milk by farmers | Dollars/cwt | 16.10 | 12.80 | 12.80 | 16.40 | 15.50 | 13.40 |
| Cash receipts from milk: | | | | | | | |
| Totals sold to plants and dealers | \$1,000 | 37,030 | 29,824 | 27,264 | 32,308 | 29,295 | 23,450 |
| Gross income (including home use) 3/ | \$1,000 | 37,191 | 29,952 | 27,392 | 32,472 | 29,450 | 23,584 |
| Total value (including milk fed to calves) 4/ | \$1,000 | 37,513 | 30,208 | 27,648 | 32,800 | 29,760 | 23,852 |

1/ Preliminary.

2/ Includes milk produced by institutional herds.

3/ Cash receipts from marketings of milk and cream plus value of milk used for home consumption.

4/ Valued at average returns per 100 pounds of milk in combined marketings of milk and cream.