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October Milk Production Up 2 Percent in New York

Milk production in New York during October 2015 totaled 1.18 billion pounds, up 2 percent from October 2014, according to Blair Smith, State Statistician of the USDA's National Agricultural Statistics Service, New York Field Office.

Production per cow averaged 1,910 pounds in October, 30 pounds more than October 2014.

The number of milk cows on farms in the State was 620 thousand head, 5,000 head more than October 2014, and unchanged from September 2015.

The average milk price received by New York farmers in September 2015, at \$18.60 per hundredweight, is up \$1.20 August 2015 but down \$8.70 from September a year ago.

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