



News Release

November Milk Production

Dairy herds in Ohio produced 442 million pounds of milk during November, up 0.9 percent from a year ago, according to Cheryl Turner, State Statistician of the USDA, NASS, Ohio Field Office. The daily rate per cow was 55.8 pounds, up 0.1 pound from November 2016. The dairy herd was estimated at 264,000 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 | Ohio | | | 23 Major States | | |
|--------------------------------|------|------|------|-----------------|--------|--------|
| | 2015 | 2016 | 2017 | 2015 | 2016 | 2017 |
| Cows1,000 Hd | 266 | 262 | 264 | 8,634 | 8,675 | 8,732 |
| Daily rate per cowPounds | 54.5 | 55.7 | 55.8 | 60.4 | 61.7 | 62.0 |
| ProductionMil lbs | 435 | 438 | 442 | 15,639 | 16,066 | 16,247 |

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