



# News Release

## November Milk Production

Dairy herds in Ohio produced 421 million pounds of milk during November, down 4.8 percent from a year ago, according to Cheryl Turner, State Statistician of the USDA, NASS, Ohio Field Office. The daily rate per cow was 55.5 pounds, down 0.3 pounds from November 2017. The dairy herd was estimated at 253,000 head for November, down 11,000 head from a year earlier.

Milk production in the 23 major States during November totaled 16.4 billion pounds, up 0.8 percent from November 2017. The daily production per cow in the 23 major States averaged 62.6 pounds for November, up 0.6 pounds from November 2017. The number of milk cows on farms in the 23 major States was 8.72 million head, 16,000 head less than November 2017, and 8,000 head less than October 2018.

### Milk production, November

Commodity	Ohio			23 Major States		
	2016	2017	2018	2016	2017	2018
Cows .....1,000 Hd	262	264	253	8,675	8,734	8,718
Daily rate per cow .....Pounds	57.2	55.8	55.5	61.9	62.0	62.6
Production .....Mil lbs	449	442	421	16,105	16,235	16,366

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