



# Texas Milk Production

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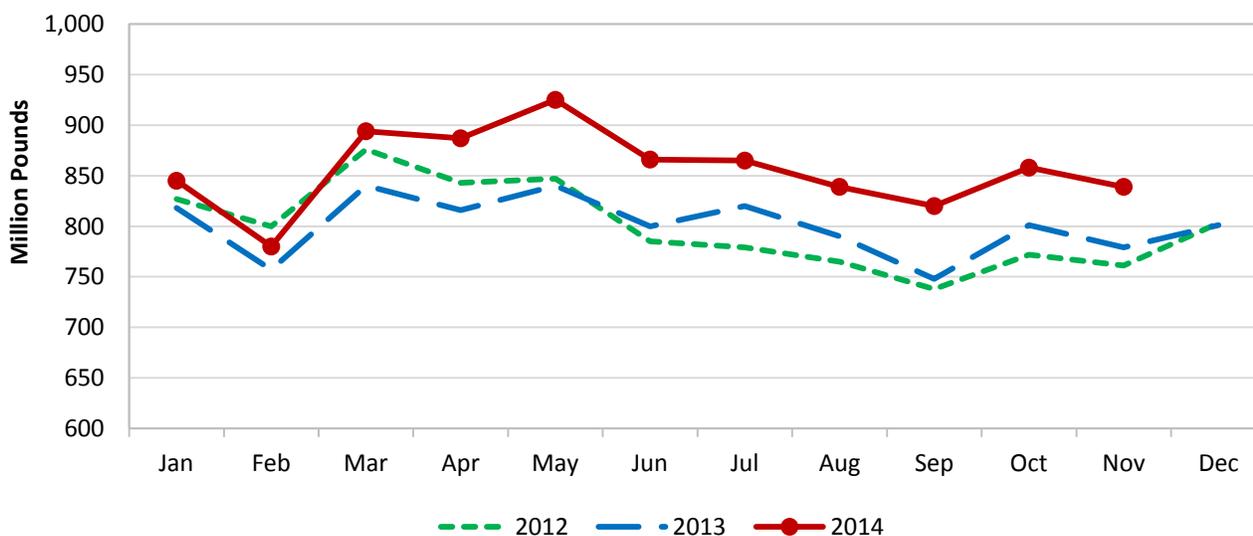
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Texas milk production totaled 839 million pounds during November 2014, up 7.7 percent from last year's production of 779 million pounds. October 2014 production totaled 858 million pounds.

The number of milk cows during November averaged 470 thousand head, up 30 thousand from last year but unchanged from the October 2014 number. Production per cow averaged 1,785 pounds during November, 15 pounds higher than last year but 40 pounds lower than October 2014.

### Texas Monthly Milk Production



**U.S. Highlights:** Milk production in the 23 states participating in the monthly survey totaled 15.5 billion pounds during November 2014, up 3.5 percent from production in these same states during November 2013. October revised production, at 16.0 billion pounds, was up 3.7 percent from October 2013.

Production per cow during November averaged 1,806 pounds, 41 pounds above a year ago. This is the highest production per cow for the month of November since the 23 states series began in 2003. The average number of milk cows in the 23 states was 8.59 million head, 93 thousand head higher than last year and 3 thousand head higher than October 2014.

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