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## OCTOBER - DECEMBER 2021 QUARTERLY MILK PRODUCTION MOUNTAIN REGION HIGHLIGHTS

**Arizona** dairy herds produced 1.17 billion pounds of milk during the October - December quarter, down 3.0 percent from the previous year.

**Colorado** dairy herds produced 1.30 billion pounds of milk during the October - December quarter, down 0.2 percent from the previous year.

**Montana** dairy herds produced 59.0 million pounds of milk during the October - December quarter, down 4.8 percent from the previous year.

**New Mexico** dairy herds produced 1.78 billion pounds of milk during the October - December quarter, down 13.5 percent from the previous year.

**Utah** dairy herds produced 539.0 million pounds of milk during the October - December quarter, down 1.6 percent from the previous year.

**Wyoming** dairy herds produced 56.2 million pounds of milk during the October - December quarter, up 8.5 percent from the previous year.

## **UNITED STATES HIGHLIGHTS**

**Milk production** in the United States during the October - December quarter totaled 55.5 billion pounds, down 0.1 percent from the October - December quarter last year.

## Mountain Region Quarterly Milk Production by State and United States: October - December 2021

State	Quarterly Milk Production		Change
	2020	2021 <sup>1</sup>	From 2020
	Million pounds	Million pounds	Percent
Arizona	1,208.0	1,172.0	-3.0
Colorado	1,306.0	1,304.0	-0.2
Montana	62.0	59.0	-4.8
New Mexico	2,060.0	1,782.0	-13.5
Utah	548.0	539.0	-1.6
Wyoming	51.8	56.2	8.5
United States	55,557.0	55,484.0	-0.1

<sup>-</sup> Represents less than 0.5%

For complete results of the Milk Production report go to www.nass.usda.gov

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Preliminary