

Livestock Program March 2019



Every 5 years NASS conducts a program review following the completion of the Census of Agriculture. The primary purpose is to ensure that the NASS annual estimating program targets commodities and states most relevant based on the latest available information. Last fall we announced the program review and requested stakeholder input.

The primary source of information for the program review is the Census of Agriculture, since it is the most comprehensive source of data; however we also take into consideration estimates from the current annual estimating program and administrative data.

The program changes balance resources across all of the programs included in the annual estimating program, which represents over 400 individual reports.

Increase the number of states in the monthly milk production and milk price program.

Currently, the monthly milk production and milk price program has 23 states, the change would add Georgia to the monthly milk programs. Adding Georgia to the monthly estimating program will result in better coverage of the Southeastern United States.

		Milk		
State	Monthly Milk	States Monthly Milk Price	Quarterly	New
	Production Estimates	Estimates	Estimates	Program(s)
Alabama			Р	
Alaska			Р	
Arizona	Р	Р	Р	
Arkansas			Р	
California	P	Р	Р	
Colorado	P	Р	Р	
Connecticut			Р	
Delaware			Р	
Florida	Р	Р	Р	
Georgia	Р	Р	Р	Monthly programs
Hawaii			Р	7
Idaho	Р	Р	Р	
Illinois	P	P	P	
Indiana	P	P	P	
lowa	P	 P	P	
Kansas	P	 P	P	
Kentucky	· ·		P	
Louisiana			P	
Maine			P	
Maryland			P	
Massachusetts			P	
Michigan	Р	Р	P	
Minnesota	P	<u>Р</u>	P	
	P	Ρ	P	
Mississippi				
Missouri			P	
Montana			P	_
Nebraska			P	_
Nevada			P	
New Hampshire			Р	
New Jersey			Р	
New Mexico	Р	Р	Р	
New York	Р	Р	Р	
North Carolina			Р	
North Dakota			Р	
Ohio	Р	Р	Р	
Oklahoma			Р	
Oregon	Р	Р	Р	
Pennsylvania	Р	Р	Р	
Rhode Island			Р	
South Carolina			Р	
South Dakota	Р	Р	Р	
Tennessee			Р	
Texas	Р	Р	Р	
Utah	Р	Р	Р	
Vermont	P	P	P	
Virginia	P	 P	P	
Washington	P	 Р	P	
West Virginia	· ·	·	P	
Wisconsin	P	P	P	1
Wyoming	'		P	-

Reduce the number of published Angora goat States.

Move California from a published state to the "Other States" total. The number of Angora goats has declined in California over the years and as a percentage of the United States total.

Goats						
State	Angora Estimates	Meat and Other	Milk Estimates	Eliminated		
		Estimates		Program(s)		
Alabama		Р	Р			
Arizona	Р	Р				
Arkansas		Р	Р			
California		Р	Р	Angora		
Colorado		Р	Р			
Florida		Р	Р			
Georgia		Р	Р			
Idaho			Р			
Illinois		Р	Р			
Indiana		Р	Р			
lowa		Р	Р			
Kansas		Р	Р			
Kentucky		Р	Р			
Louisiana		Р				
Michigan			Р			
Minnesota		Р	Р			
Mississippi		Р				
Missouri		Р	Р			
Nebraska			Р			
New England			Р			
New Mexico	Р					
New York		Р	Р			
North Carolina		Р	Р			
Ohio		Р	Р			
Oklahoma		Р	Р			
Oregon		Р	Р			
Pennsylvania		Р	Р			
South Carolina		Р	Р			
Tennessee		Р	Р			
Texas	Р	Р	Р			
Virginia		Р	Р			
Washington		Р	Р			
West Virginia		Р				
Wisconsin			Р			

P = Published