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August Milk Production in California up 2.0 percent

Milk production during August totaled 3.46 billion pounds, up 2.0 percent from August 2021 and down 2.0 percent July 2022. The number of milk cows on farms in California was 1.723 million head, up 4,000 from August 2021 and unchanged from July 2022. Production per cow in California averaged 2,005 pounds, up 35 pounds from August 2021 and down 40 pounds from July 2022.

Milk Cows and Production by Month – 24 Selected States: August 2021 and 2022

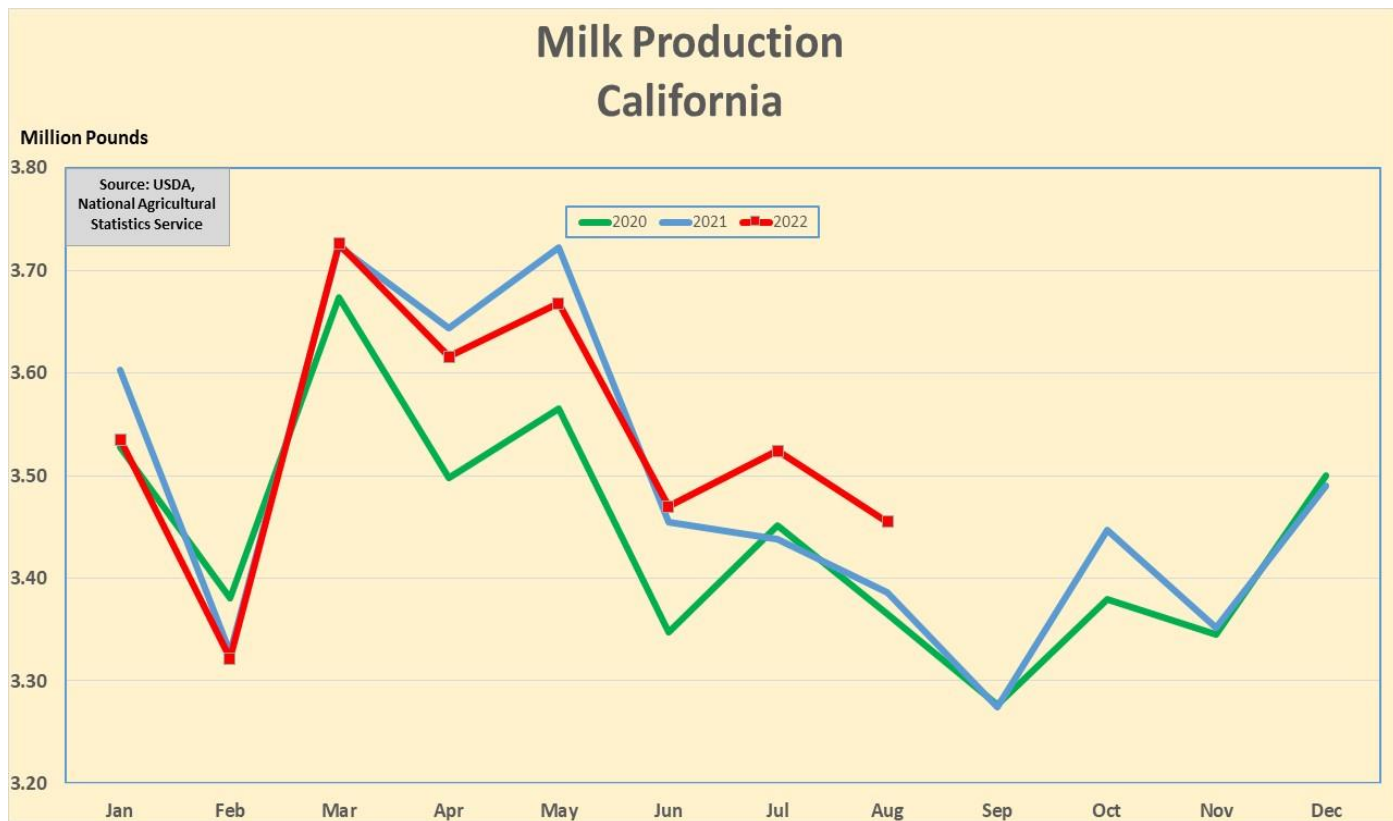
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State	Milk cows ¹		Milk per cow ²		Milk production ²		Change from 2021
	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022	
	<i>1,000 head</i>	<i>1,000 head</i>	<i>pounds</i>	<i>pounds</i>	<i>million pounds</i>	<i>million pounds</i>	<i>(percent)</i>
Arizona.....	196	198	1,825	1,820	358	360	0.6
California	1,719	1,723	1,970	2,005	3,386	3,455	2.0
Colorado	200	206	2,220	2,220	444	457	2.9
Florida.....	106	95	1,540	1,535	163	146	-10.4
Georgia.....	82	93	1,730	1,750	142	163	14.8
Idaho.....	651	657	2,170	2,205	1,413	1,449	2.5
Illinois.....	82	80	1,720	1,730	141	138	-2.1
Indiana.....	192	186	1,940	1,950	372	363	-2.4
Iowa.....	225	238	2,055	2,075	462	494	6.9
Kansas.....	170	174	1,985	1,995	337	347	3.0
Michigan.....	442	427	2,290	2,335	1,012	997	-1.5
Minnesota.....	461	453	1,940	1,985	894	899	0.6
New Mexico.....	311	287	1,955	2,050	608	588	-3.3
New York.....	628	624	2,075	2,130	1,303	1,329	2.0
Ohio.....	258	250	1,850	1,860	477	465	-2.5
Oregon.....	124	125	1,770	1,775	219	222	1.4
Pennsylvania.....	475	468	1,750	1,785	831	835	0.5
South Dakota.....	160	182	1,980	1,995	317	363	14.5
Texas.....	625	655	2,035	2,115	1,272	1,385	8.9
Utah.....	95	94	1,990	1,990	189	187	-1.1
Vermont.....	120	117	1,780	1,830	214	214	-
Virginia.....	72	69	1,625	1,660	117	115	-1.7
Washington.....	267	255	2,030	2,035	542	519	-4.2
Wisconsin.....	1,278	1,272	2,110	2,145	2,697	2,728	1.1
24-State Total.....	8,939	8,928	2,004	2,041	17,910	18,218	1.7

- Represents zero.

¹ Includes dry cows. Excludes heifers not yet fresh.

² Excludes milk sucked by calves.



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