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## JULY – SEPTEMBER 2023 QUARTERLY MILK PRODUCTION MOUNTAIN REGION HIGHLIGHTS

**Arizona** dairy herds produced 1.11 billion pounds of milk during the July – September quarter, up 2.5 percent from the previous year.

**Colorado** dairy herds produced 1.30 billion pounds of milk during the July – September quarter, down 3.9 percent from the previous year.

**Montana** dairy herds produced 53.0 million pounds of milk during the July – September quarter, down 5.4 percent from the previous year.

**New Mexico** dairy herds produced 1.60 billion pounds of milk during the July – September quarter, down 8.1 percent from the previous year.

**Utah** dairy herds produced 546.0 million pounds of milk during the July – September quarter, down 0.9 percent from the previous year.

**Wyoming** dairy herds produced 62.5 million pounds of milk during the April – June quarter, up 0.5 percent from the previous year.

### UNITED STATES HIGHLIGHTS

**Milk production** in the United States during the July – September quarter totaled 56.1 billion pounds, down 0.7 percent from the July - September quarter last year.

### Mountain Region Quarterly Milk Production by State and United States: July – September 2023

State	Quarterly Milk Production		Change From 2022
	2022	2023 <sup>1</sup>	
	<i>Million pounds</i>	<i>Million pounds</i>	<i>Percent</i>
Arizona .....	1,085.0	1,112.0	2.5
Colorado.....	1,352.0	1,299.0	-3.9
Montana .....	56.0	53.0	-5.4
New Mexico.....	1,740.0	1,599.0	-8.1
Utah.....	551.0	546.0	-0.9
Wyoming .....	62.2	62.5	0.5
<b>United States.....</b>	<b>56,438.0</b>	<b>56,066.0</b>	<b>-0.7</b>

<sup>1</sup> Preliminary

For complete results of the *Milk Production* report go to [www.nass.usda.gov](http://www.nass.usda.gov)