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SECOND QUARTER MILK PRODUCTION

Charleston, West Virginia – Milk production in West Virginia totaled 15 million pounds or 1.74 million gallons during the April - June quarter of 2024. This is down 2 million pounds from the same period in 2023, but unchanged from the January - March 2024 quarter. The number of dairy cows averaged 4,000 head, down 500 head from the same period in 2023, but unchanged from the previous quarter.

United States – Milk production in the United States during the April - June quarter totaled 57.5 billion pounds, down 0.8 percent from the April - June quarter last year. The average number of milk cows in the United States during the quarter was 9.33 million head, 3,000 head less than the January - March quarter, and 76,000 head less than the same period last year.

Note: A conversion of 8.6 pounds per gallon was used.

Monthly Milk Production - 24 Selected States

Million pounds

