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The quantity of cow's milk collected by processing units in January 2017 up 1.3% from January 2016

- The quantity of cow's milk collected by processing units from agricultural holdings and collection centres in January 2017 increased by 3.0% compared to December 2016 and was up 1.3% from January 2016.

The quantity of milk collected by processing units and milk products obtained

	MU	Jan. 2016	Dec. 2016	Jan. 2017
Cow's milk collected by processing units	tonnes	71908	70683	72819
Average fat content	%	3.84	3.90	3.88
Average protein content	%	3.27	3.30	3.30
Imported raw milk	tonnes	12260	13942	14581
Milk products obtained				
Drinking milk	tonnes	23056	25586	26400
Cream	tonnes	6108	6560	5337
Acidified milk*)	tonnes	17118	14776	17696
Butter	tonnes	803	1264	1041
Cheese products – total –	tonnes	6065	6064	6239
of which:				
exclusively from cow's milk	tonnes	5475	5639	5773

The data for the months of 2016 are final, and the ones for January 2017 are provisional.

*) It includes yogurt, drinking yogurt, curd and other similar milk products.

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January 2017 compared to December 2016

The quantity of cow's milk collected by processing units in January 2017 increased by 2136 tonnes (+3.0%) compared to the previous month.

Of the main milk products, increases in production were recorded for acidified milk (yogurt, drinking yogurt, curd and other similar milk products), with 2920 more tonnes produced (+19.8%) in January 2017 than in December 2016, drinking milk, for which an 814 tonne rise (+3.2%) was reported, and cheese products, with 175 more tonnes produced (+2.9%).

Decreases in production in January 2017 compared to the previous month were recorded for cream, with 1223 less tonnes produced (-18.6%), and butter, for which a 223 tonne drop (-17.6%) was reported.

The quantity of imported raw milk increased by 639 tonnes (+4.6%) in January 2017 compared to December 2016.

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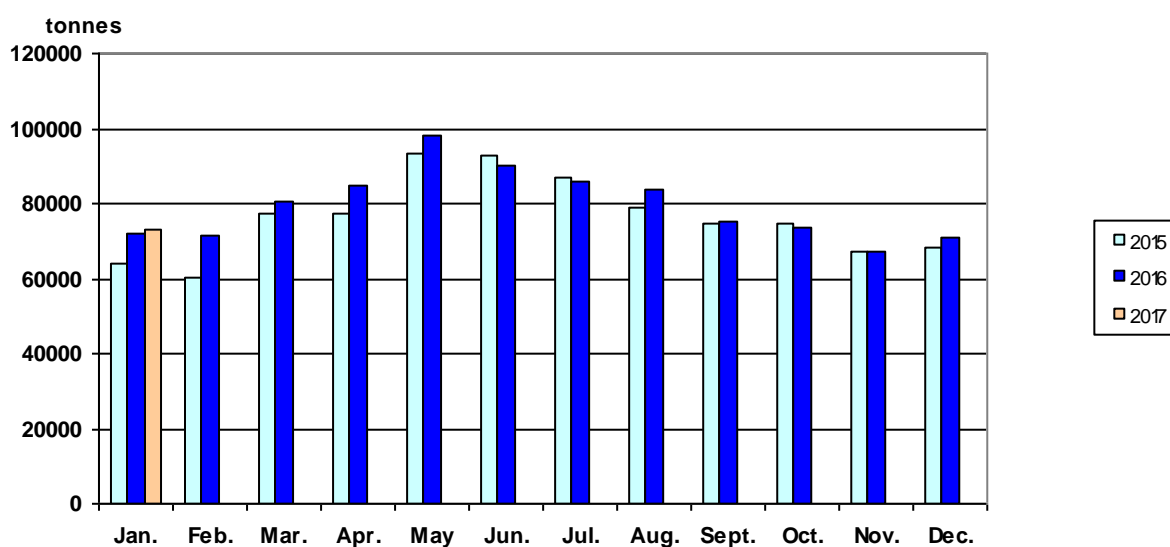
The quantity of cow's milk collected by processing units in January 2017 was up 911 tonnes (+1.3%) from the same month of the previous year.

Of the main milk products, increases in production were recorded for butter, with 238 more tonnes produced (+29.6%) in January 2017 than in January 2016, drinking milk, for which a 3344 tonne rise (+14.5%) was reported, acidified milk (yogurt, drinking yogurt, curd and other similar milk products), with 578 more tonnes produced (+3.4%), and cheese products, for which a 174 tonne rise (+2.9%) was reported.

A decrease in production in January 2017 compared to the same month of the previous year was recorded for cream, with 771 less tonnes produced (-12.6%).

The quantity of imported raw milk increased by 2321 tonnes (+18.9%) in January 2017 compared to January 2016.

Evolution of the quantity of cow's milk collected by processing units



[The data of the graph in xls format](#)

Further information:

For an accurate interpretation of the indicators, please see the [Methodological explanations attached to the press release on the homepage](#).

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