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# The quantity of cow's milk collected by processing units in July 2017 up 13.1% from July 2016

- The quantity of cow's milk collected by processing units from agricultural holdings and collection centres in July 2017 decreased by 5.0% compared to June 2017 and was up 13.1% from July 2016.
- The quantity of cow's milk collected by processing units from agricultural holdings and collection centres in the 1.I-31.VII.2017 period rose by 5.9% compared to the 1.I-31.VII.2016 period.

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

	MU	July 2016	June 2017 <sup>r)</sup>	July 2017	1.I-31.VII. 2016	1.I-31.VII. 2017
Cow's milk collected by processing units	tonnes	85999	102440	97295	582953	617602
Average fat content	%	3.70	3.72	3.70	3.76	3.77
Average protein content	%	3.24	3.25	3.24	3.26	3.26
Imported raw milk	tonnes	6245	6348	5598	68917	72656
Milk products obtained						
Drinking milk	tonnes	19224	22053	18989	159280	164099
Cream	tonnes	5463	5139	5504	40009	37428
Acidified milk*)	tonnes	18258	17246	18151	116673	122491
Butter	tonnes	787	846	841	6304	6991
Cheese products – total –	tonnes	7836	8931	8567	55304	55396
of which: exclusively from cow's milk	tonnes	6033	6829	6880	44697	46102

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

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r) Rectified data

<sup>\*)</sup> It includes yogurt, drinking yogurt, curd and other similar milk products.

#### July 2017 compared to June 2017

The quantity of cow's milk collected by processing units in July 2017 fell by 5145 tonnes (-5.0%) compared to the previous month.

Decreases in production were recorded for drinking milk, with 3064 less tonnes produced (-13.9%) in July 2017 than in June 2017, cheese products, for which a 364 tonne fall (-4.1%) was reported, and butter, with 5 less tonnes produced (-0.6%).

The main milk products for which production increased were cream, with 365 more tonnes produced (+7.1%), and acidified milk (yogurt, drinking yogurt, curd and other similar milk products), for which a 905 tonne rise (+5.2%) was reported.

The quantity of imported raw milk decreased by 750 tonnes (-11.8%) in July 2017 compared to June 2017.

#### July 2017 compared to July 2016

The quantity of cow's milk collected by processing units in July 2017 was up 11296 tonnes (+13.1%) from the same month of the previous year.

Increases in production were recorded for cheese products, with 731 more tonnes produced (+9.3%), butter, for which a 54 tonne rise (+6.9%) was reported, and cream, with 41 more tonnes produced (+0.8%).

Decreases in production were recorded for drinking milk, for which a 235 tonne drop (-1.2%) was reported, and acidified milk (yogurt, drinking yogurt, curd and other similar milk products), with 107 less tonnes produced (-0.6%).

The quantity of imported raw milk fell by 647 tonnes (-10.4%) in July 2017 compared to the same month of the previous year.

#### The 1.I-31.VII.2017 period compared to the 1.I-31.VII.2016 period

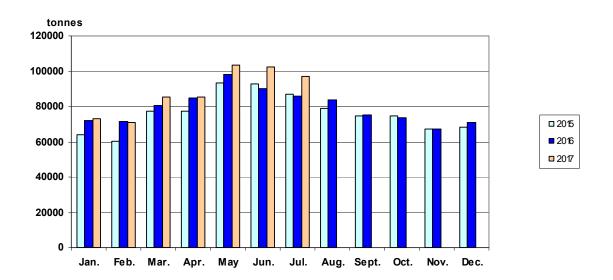
The quantity of cow's milk collected by processing units in the 1.I-31.VII.2017 period rose by 34649 tonnes (+5.9%) compared to the 1.I-31.VII.2016 period.

Increases in production were recorded for butter, for which a 687 tonne rise (+10.9%) was reported, acidified milk (yogurt, drinking yogurt, curd and other similar milk products), with 5818 more tonnes produced (+5.0%), drinking milk, for which a 4819 tonne rise (+3.0%) was reported, and cheese products, with 92 more tonnes produced (+0.2%).

A decrease in production was recorded for cream, for which a 2581 tonne drop (-6.5%) was reported.

The quantity of imported raw milk was up 3739 tonnes (+5.4%) in the same period.

## 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.

The next press release will be issued on Wednesday, 11 October 2017.

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