April 3rd, 2020 Progress Report #3



# **Progress of the Dairy Farm Report**

# **Selected Financial and Production Factors**

Average All Farms
Less Than 450 Cows
450 Cows to 899 Cows
900 Cows to 1,399 Cows
Greater Than 1,400 Cows

New York State, 2019
135 Farms

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# Progress of the Dairy Farm Report #3 Selected Financial and Production Factors Dairy Farm Business Summary 135 New York State Dairy Farms, 2018 & Preliminary 2019 April 2020

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The objective of the Dairy Farm Business Summary & Analysis Program is to help farm managers improve the financial management of their dairy farm through appropriate use of historical farm data and the application of modern farm business analysis techniques. This information can also be used to track changes within the business, establish goals that will enable the business to better meet its objectives, compare the performance of the farm to other dairy producers, and establish a basis for financial projection and planned changes within the business. This is the 3<sup>rd</sup> preliminary report released for 2019 business year as farms continue to submit information.

The Progress of the Dairy Farm Report provides averages of selected financial and production measures from 135 New York State Dairy Farms (pages 2-4) that participated in the program for both 2018 and 2019 that had submitted records by April 3, 2020. The report is also broken down into four herd size categories to provide additional comparison reports for across different herd sizes.

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To utilize these reports, begin by comparing how your farm changed from 2018 to 2019 to the change in the average of all farms report. Then, determine which herd size group most closely represents your farm and compare your financial and production parameters and change to the averages of that group. This benchmarking tool can be helpful for farm owners and managers to find areas of opportunity and strengths within their businesses. If you are a DFBS participant, you can work with your extension educator to look at these comparisons for all farms and your farm business.

These benchmarks and comparisons are provided for comparison purposes only and represent the performance of those farms participating in the Dairy Farm Business Summary and Analysis Program in New York State. These numbers do not represent the average for all dairy farms across New York, and are from farms that are generally considered above average dairy farms in New York. No analysis or interpretation of these benchmarks and ratios is provided.

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Same 131 New York Dairy Farms, Preliminary 2018 & 2019, DFBS

	Average of	Percent	
SELECTED FACTORS	2018	2019	Change
Size of Business			
Average number of cows	987	1,041	5%
Average number of heifers	834	834	0%
Milk sold, pounds	25,538,467	27,412,492	7%
Worker equivalent	20.3	20.8	2%
Total tillable acres	1,833	1,883	3%
Rates of Production			
Milk sold per cow, pounds	25,866	26,336	2%
Hay DM per acre, tons	3.2	3.2	0%
Corn silage per acre, tons	18.9	18.5	-2%
Labor Efficiency			
Cows per worker	48.7	50.1	3%
Milk sold per worker, pounds	1,259,293	1,320,448	5%
Cost Control and Milk Price			
Grain & concentrate per cwt. milk	\$5.75	\$5.63	-2%
Net milk income over purchased grain & conc. per cow	\$2,522	\$3,133	24%
Dairy feed & crop expense per cwt. milk	\$7.16	\$6.99	-2%
Labor and machinery costs per cow	\$1,707	\$1,749	2%
Hired labor costs per cwt. milk	\$2.98	\$2.98	0%
Hired labor costs per worker equivalent	\$43,518	\$45,356	4%
Operating cost of producing milk per cwt.	\$15.10	\$15.43	2%
Purchased input cost of producing milk per cwt.	\$16.75	\$17.03	2%
Total cost of producing milk per cwt.	\$18.97	\$19.15	1%
Net milk price	\$16.04	\$18.19	13%
Capital Efficiency (average for year)			
Farm capital per cow	\$11,735	\$11,455	-2%
Machinery and equipment per cow	\$1,819	\$1,764	-3%
Asset turnover ratio	0.42	0.52	24%
Profitability			
Net farm income without appreciation	\$117,040	\$635,791	443%
Net farm income without appreciation per cow	\$119	\$611	413%
Net farm income with appreciation	-\$11,375	\$940,224	8366%
Net farm income with appreciation per cow	-\$12	\$903	7625%
Labor & management income per operator/manager	-\$112,041	\$103,638	193%
Rate return on equity capital with appreciation	-2.6%	9.6%	469%
Rate return on equity capital without appreciation	-0.9%	5.7%	711%
Rate return on all capital with appreciation	-0.1%	8.0%	8100%
Rate return on all capital without appreciation	1.0%	5.4%	440%
Financial Summary (based on market value, excluding defe	rred taxes)		
Farm net worth, end year	\$7,438,935	\$8,082,056	9%
Debt to asset ratio	0.36	0.34	-6%
Farm debt per cow	\$4,120	\$3,899	-5%
Debt coverage ratio	0.88	1.69	92%

<sup>\*</sup>Farm participating both years



Same 131 New York Dairy Farms, Preliminary 2018 & 2019, DFBS

	20	018	20	19	% Change	
Item	Per Cow	Per Cwt.	Per Cow	Per Cwt.	Per Cwt.	
Average number of cows	987		1,041		5%	
Cwt. of milk sold		255,385		274,125	7%	
ACCRUAL OPERATING RECEIPTS						
Milk	\$4,452	\$17.21	\$5,095	\$19.35	12%	
Dairy cattle	\$305	\$1.18	\$287	\$1.09	-8%	
Dairy calves	\$24	\$0.09	\$20	\$0.08	-11%	
Other livestock	\$24	\$0.09	\$10	\$0.04	-56%	
Crops	\$110	\$0.43	\$49	\$0.19	-56%	
Miscellaneous receipts	\$176	\$0.68	\$199	\$0.76	12%	
Total Operating Receipts	\$5,092	\$19.69	\$5,660	\$21.49	9%	
ACCRUAL OPERATING EXPENSES						
Hired labor	\$771	\$2.98	\$784	\$2.98	0%	
Dairy grain & concentrate	\$1,486	\$5.75	\$1,483	\$5.63	-2%	
Dairy roughage	\$87	\$0.34	\$98	\$0.37	9%	
Nondairy feed	\$0	\$0.00	\$0	\$0.00	NA	
Professional nutritional services	\$1	\$0.00	\$2	\$0.01	NA	
Machine hire, rent & lease	\$133	\$0.51	\$155	\$0.59	16%	
Machine repair & vehicle expense	\$220	\$0.85	\$246	\$0.94	11%	
Fuel, oil & grease	\$152	\$0.59	\$144	\$0.55	-7%	
Replacement livestock	\$6	\$0.02	\$19	\$0.07	250%	
Breeding	\$52	\$0.20	\$46	\$0.18	-10%	
Veterinary & medicine	\$149	\$0.57	\$150	\$0.57	0%	
Milk marketing	\$304	\$1.17	\$306	\$1.16	-1%	
Bedding	\$82	\$0.32	\$90	\$0.34	6%	
Milking supplies	\$83	\$0.32	\$86	\$0.33	3%	
Cattle lease	\$2	\$0.01	\$4	\$0.02	100%	
Custom boarding	\$80	\$0.31	\$83	\$0.31	0%	
BST expense	\$0	\$0.00	\$0	\$0.00	NA	
Livestock professional fees	\$15	\$0.06	\$16	\$0.06	0%	
Other livestock expense	\$20	\$0.08	\$22	\$0.08	0%	
Fertilizer & lime	\$101	\$0.39	\$95	\$0.36	-8%	
Seeds & plants	\$113	\$0.44	\$104	\$0.40	-9%	
Spray & other crop expense	\$57	\$0.22	\$55	\$0.21	-5%	
Crop professional fees	\$7	\$0.03	\$5	\$0.02	-33%	
Land, building & fence repair	\$62	\$0.24	\$74	\$0.28	17%	
Taxes	\$62	\$0.24	\$62	\$0.24	0%	
Real estate rent & lease	\$84	\$0.32	\$84	\$0.32	0%	
Insurance	\$45	\$0.17	\$44	\$0.17	0%	
Utilities	\$95	\$0.37	\$85	\$0.32	-14%	
Interest paid	\$189	\$0.73	\$200	\$0.76	4%	
Other professional fees	\$27	\$0.10	-\$1	\$0.11	10%	
Miscellaneous	<u>\$24</u>	<u>\$0.09</u>	<u>\$29</u>	<u>\$0.11</u>	22%	
Total Operating Expenses	\$4,511	\$17.44	\$4,601	\$17.47	0%	
Expansion livestock	\$33	\$0.13	\$29	\$0.11	-15%	
Extraordinary expenses	\$3	\$0.01	\$1	\$0.01	0%	
Machinery depreciation	\$232	\$0.90	\$227	\$0.86	-4%	
Real estate depreciation	<u>\$195</u>	<u>\$0.75</u>	<u>\$192</u>	\$0.73	-3%	
Total Expenses	\$4,974	\$19.23	\$5,050	\$19.18	0%	
Net Farm Income w/o Appreciation	\$119	\$0.46	\$611	\$2.32	404%	



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#### FARM BUSINESS CHART FOR FARM MANAGEMENT COOPERATORS

135 New York Dairy Farms, Preliminary 2019, DFBS

Size of Business			Rates of Production			Labor Efficiency	
				Tons Hay	Tons Corn		Pounds Milk
Worker Equiv-		Pounds	Pounds Milk	Crop	Silage per	Cows Per	Sold Per
alents	No. of Cows	Milk Sold	Sold Per Cow	DM/Acre	Acre	Worker	Worker
(14)*	(12)	(12)	(12)	(11)	(11)	(14)	(14)
44.6	2,321	62,222,289	28,429	4.6	22.3	64.5	1,665,042
25.6	1,284	34,721,813	27,115	3.7	20.0	52.5	1,378,607
18.4	877	22,576,237	26,032	3.1	18.6	47.5	1,222,024
10.0	497	11,979,122	24,770	2.5	16.9	42.2	1,060,303
3.9	144	3,248,510	19,736	1.7	11.3	31.2	708,867

# Cost Control

							Hired Labor
		% Grain is	Machinery	Labor &	Feed & Crop	Feed & Crop	Cost per
Grain Bought	Grain Bought	of Milk	Costs per	Machinery	Expenses	Expenses	Wkr.
per Cow	per Cwt.	Receipts	Cow	Costs/Cow	per Cow	per Cwt. Milk	Equivalent
(12)	(12)	(12)	(14)	(14)	(12)	(12)	(14)
\$1,039	\$4.59	24	\$606	\$1,377	\$1,358	\$5.82	\$24,632
\$1,328	\$5.26	27	\$798	\$1,669	\$1,611	\$6.62	\$39,548
\$1,447	\$5.73	29	\$893	\$1,825	\$1,806	\$7.15	\$42,370
\$1,603	\$6.16	32	\$1,005	\$1,989	\$1,987	\$7.64	\$45,374
\$1,826	\$7.02	36	\$1,344	\$2,544	\$2,256	\$8.66	\$51,598

Value of Production	Profitability
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		Opr. Cost	Total Cost	% Rate of	Net Farm	Labor &	
		Milk	Milk	Return on All	Income	Management	Change in
Milk Receipts	Milk Receipts	Production	Production	Capital w/o	Without	Income per	Net Worth
Per Cow	Per Cwt.	per Cwt.	Per Cwt.	Apprec.	Apprec.	Operator	with Apprec.
(12)	(12)	(12)	(12)	(4)	(4)	(4)	(8)
\$5,594	\$20.98	\$13.15	\$17.56	9.2	\$1,852,731	\$514,441	\$1,831,649
\$5,262	\$19.67	\$14.80	\$18.87	6.1	\$783,307	\$142,086	\$800,235
\$5,020	\$19.36	\$15.52	\$19.73	4.2	\$396,054	\$42,373	\$433,329
\$4,736	\$19.06	\$16.46	\$21.01	2.2	\$163,896	-\$8,357	\$146,090
\$3,940	\$18.53	\$18.50	\$26.54	-3.6	-\$63,770	-\$141,280	-\$48,803

							Working
	Machinery	Asset	Operating	Debt	Planned Debt		Capital as %
Investment	Investment	Turnover	Expense	Coverage	Payments per	Percent	of Opr.
per Cow	per Cow	Ratio	Ratio	Ratio	Cow	Equity	Expense
(14)	(14)	(14)	(14)	(10)	(12)	(7)	(7)
\$7,993	\$854	0.77	0.69	10.78	\$59	95	61
\$10,373	\$1,508	0.57	0.75	2.04	\$337	78	31
\$11,776	\$1,944	0.50	0.78	1.39	\$560	65	21
\$13,362	\$2,529	0.42	0.82	0.94	\$766	57	13
\$18,638	\$4,143	0.30	0.90	0.24	\$1,017	41	-6

<sup>\*</sup>Page number of the participant's DFBS where the factor is located.



Same 32 New York Dairy Farms, Less than 450 Cows, Preliminary 2018 & 2019, DFBS

	Average o	Percent	
SELECTED FACTORS	2018	2019	Change
Size of Business			
Average number of cows	172	176	2%
Average number of heifers	151	153	1%
Milk sold, pounds	4,125,744	4,249,265	3%
Worker equivalent	4.7	4.8	1%
Total tillable acres	427	440	3%
Rates of Production			
Milk sold per cow, pounds	23,943	24,126	1%
Hay DM per acre, tons	2.9	2.9	0%
Corn silage per acre, tons	19	18.4	-3%
Labor Efficiency			
Cows per worker	36.3	36.8	1%
Milk sold per worker, pounds	870,410	888,968	2%
Cost Control and Milk Price			
Grain & concentrate per cwt. milk	\$5.89	\$6.10	4%
Net milk income over purchased grain & conc. per cow	\$2,225	\$2,742	23%
Dairy feed & crop expense per cwt. milk	\$7.32	\$7.61	4%
Labor and machinery costs per cow	\$2,058	\$2,105	2%
Hired labor costs per cwt. milk	\$2.13	\$2.19	3%
Hired labor costs per worker equivalent	\$38,291	\$38,791	1%
Operating cost of producing milk per cwt.	\$15.17	\$15.84	4%
Purchased input cost of producing milk per cwt.	\$17.23	\$17.91	4%
Total cost of producing milk per cwt.	\$21.74	\$22.37	3%
Net milk price	\$16.11	\$18.38	14%
Capital Efficiency (average for year)			
Farm capital per cow	\$13,983	\$13,993	0%
Machinery and equipment per cow	\$2,896	\$2,849	-2%
Asset turnover ratio	0.33	0.39	18%
Profitability			
Net farm income without appreciation	\$2,854	\$70,403	2367%
Net farm income without appreciation per cow	\$17	\$400	2253%
Net farm income with appreciation	-\$24,872	\$105,270	523%
Net farm income with appreciation per cow	-\$144	\$598	515%
Labor & management income per operator/manager	-\$53,625	-\$16,603	69%
Rate return on equity capital with appreciation	-7.4%	0.2%	103%
Rate return on equity capital without appreciation	-5.8%	-1.8%	<b>70%</b>
Rate return on all capital with appreciation	-3.8%	1.6%	142%
Rate return on all capital without appreciation	-2.7%	0.2%	107%
Financial Summary (based on market value, excluding defe	rred taxes)		
Farm net worth, end year	\$1,674,836	\$1,797,909	7%
Debt to asset ratio	0.3	0.28	-7%
Farm debt per cow	\$4,057	\$3,862	-5%
Debt coverage ratio	0.78	1.51	94%

<sup>\*</sup>Farm participating both years



Same 32 New York Dairy Farms, Less than 450 Cows, Preliminary 2018 & 2019, DFBS

	20	)18	20	19	% Change	
Item	Per Cow	Per Cwt.	Per Cow	Per Cwt.	Per Cwt.	
Average number of cows	172		176		2%	
Cwt. of milk sold		41,257		42,493	3%	
ACCRUAL OPERATING RECEIPTS						
Milk	\$4,143	\$17.30	\$4,720	\$19.56	13%	
Dairy cattle	\$214	\$0.89	\$237	\$0.98	10%	
Dairy calves	\$43	\$0.18	\$24	\$0.10	-44%	
Other livestock	-\$3	-\$0.01	\$20	\$0.08	900%	
Crops	\$135	\$0.56	\$100	\$0.41	-27%	
Miscellaneous receipts	\$176	\$0.74	<u>\$163</u>	\$0.68	-8%	
Total Operating Receipts	\$4,709	\$19.67	\$5,265	\$21.82	11%	
ACCRUAL OPERATING EXPENSES						
Hired labor	\$509	\$2.13	\$527	\$2.19	3%	
Dairy grain & concentrate	\$1,409	\$5.89	\$1,471	\$6.10	4%	
Dairy roughage	\$59	\$0.25	\$54	\$0.22	-12%	
Nondairy feed	\$3	\$0.01	\$4	\$0.02	100%	
Professional nutritional services	<b>\$</b> 0	\$0.00	\$13	\$0.06	NA	
Machine hire, rent & lease	\$121	\$0.50	\$131	\$0.54	8%	
Machine repair & vehicle expense	\$250	\$1.05	\$290	\$1.20	14%	
Fuel, oil & grease	\$162	\$0.68	\$156	\$0.65	-4%	
Replacement livestock	\$7	\$0.03	\$13	\$0.05	67%	
Breeding	\$59	\$0.25	\$55	\$0.23	-8%	
Veterinary & medicine	\$136	\$0.57	\$141	\$0.59	4%	
Milk marketing	\$285	\$1.19	\$286	\$1.18	-1%	
Bedding	\$105	\$0.44	\$113	\$0.47	7%	
Milking supplies	\$86	\$0.36	\$84	\$0.35	-3%	
Cattle lease	\$0	\$0.00	\$0	\$0.00	NA	
Custom boarding	\$10	\$0.04	\$12	\$0.05	25%	
BST expense	\$0	\$0.00	\$0	\$0.00	NA	
Livestock professional fees	\$32	\$0.13	\$29	\$0.12	-8%	
Other livestock expense	\$45	\$0.19	\$33	\$0.14	-26%	
Fertilizer & lime	\$109	\$0.46	\$122	\$0.50	9%	
Seeds & plants	\$111	\$0.46	\$112	\$0.46	0%	
Spray & other crop expense	\$59	\$0.25	\$61	\$0.25	0%	
Crop professional fees	\$6	\$0.02	\$17	\$0.07	250%	
Land, building & fence repair	\$48	\$0.20	\$58	\$0.24	20%	
Taxes	\$99	\$0.41	\$103	\$0.43	5%	
Real estate rent & lease	\$62	\$0.26	\$64	\$0.26	0%	
Insurance	\$70	\$0.29	\$68	\$0.28	-3%	
Utilities	\$104	\$0.43	\$88	\$0.36	-16%	
Interest paid	\$195	\$0.81	\$203	\$0.84	4%	
Other professional fees	\$20	\$0.08	-\$1	\$0.10	25%	
Miscellaneous	<u>\$33</u>	<u>\$0.14</u>	<u>\$25</u>	<u>\$0.11</u>	-21%	
Total Operating Expenses	\$4,195	\$17.52	\$4,356	\$18.05	3%	
Expansion livestock	\$3	\$0.01	\$9	\$0.04	300%	
Extraordinary expenses	\$5	\$0.02	\$0	\$0.00	-100%	
Machinery depreciation	\$331	\$1.38	\$326	\$1.35	-2%	
Real estate depreciation	\$157	\$0.66	<u>\$173</u>	\$0.72	9%	
Total Expenses	\$4,691	\$19.59	\$4,864	\$20.16	3%	
Net Farm Income w/o Appreciation	\$17	\$0.07	\$400	\$1.66	2271%	



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#### FARM BUSINESS CHART FOR FARM MANAGEMENT COOPERATORS

34 New York Dairy Farms, Less than 450 Cows, Preliminary 2019, DFBS

Size of Business			Rates of Production			Labor Efficiency	
				Tons Hay	Tons Corn		Pounds Milk
Worker Equiv-	1	Pounds	Pounds Milk	Crop	Silage per	Cows Per	Sold Per
alents	No. of Cows	Milk Sold	Sold Per Cow	DM/Acre	Acre	Worker	Worker
(14)*	(12)	(12)	(12)	(11)	(11)	(14)	(14)
9.1	345	9,135,692	28,225	4.2	22.2	51.2	1,233,424
6.1	255	5,956,282	25,866	3.2	19.8	42.6	1,045,898
4.5	170	3,977,526	23,185	2.7	19.0	38.3	928,632
3.3	114	2,684,737	21,553	2.1	15.8	31.6	713,276
22	55	1.000.565	16.450	1.5	10.3	21.1	385.778

#### Cost Control

							Hired Labor
		% Grain is	Machinery	Labor &	Feed & Crop	Feed & Crop	Cost per
Grain Bought	Grain Bought	of Milk	Costs per	Machinery	Expenses	Expenses	Wkr.
per Cow	per Cwt.	Receipts	Cow	Costs/Cow	per Cow	per Cwt. Milk	Equivalent
(12)	(12)	(12)	(14)	(14)	(12)	(12)	(14)
\$935	\$4.69	24	\$635	\$1,558	\$1,221	\$6.04	\$0
\$1,177	\$5.54	28	\$833	\$1,861	\$1,522	\$7.04	\$26,209
\$1,395	\$6.13	31	\$991	\$2,080	\$1,709	\$7.74	\$37,446
\$1,667	\$6.67	35	\$1,250	\$2,474	\$2,058	\$8.51	\$41,378
\$1,970	\$8.17	40	\$1,708	\$3,327	\$2,384	\$9.47	\$48,533

Value of Production	Profitability
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		Opr. Cost	Total Cost	% Rate of	Net Farm	Labor &	
		Milk	Milk	Return on All	Income	Management	Change in
Milk Receipts	Milk Receipts	Production	Production	Capital w/o	Without	Income per	Net Worth
Per Cow	Per Cwt.	per Cwt.	Per Cwt.	Apprec.	Apprec.	Operator	with Apprec.
(12)	(12)	(12)	(12)	(4)	(4)	(4)	(8)
\$5,532	\$21.41	\$13.31	\$19.14	5.7	\$233,823	\$63,489	\$213,081
\$4,973	\$19.95	\$14.88	\$20.82	3.0	\$155,797	\$20,013	\$128,383
\$4,543	\$19.56	\$15.77	\$22.51	0.4	\$78,947	-\$10,850	\$71,160
\$4,266	\$19.20	\$16.95	\$26.90	-3.6	\$15,608	-\$37,840	\$8,986
\$3,339	\$18.64	\$19.77	\$34.17	-8.4	-\$60,401	-\$127,511	-\$53,667

							Working
	Machinery	Asset	Operating	Debt	Planned Debt		Capital as %
Investment	Investment	Turnover	Expense	Coverage	Payments per	Percent	of Opr.
per Cow	per Cow	Ratio	Ratio	Ratio	Cow	Equity	Expense
(14)	(14)	(14)	(14)	(10)	(12)	(7)	(7)
\$9,824	\$1,350	0.56	0.68	12.27	\$22	99	50
\$11,885	\$2,076	0.45	0.75	2.30	\$281	89	34
\$13,496	\$2,638	0.42	0.78	1.32	\$566	73	23
\$16,560	\$3,870	0.30	0.83	0.92	\$835	65	15
\$23,520	\$6,236	0.22	0.96	0.02	\$1,064	52	2

<sup>\*</sup>Page number of the participant's DFBS where the factor is located.



Same 33 New York Dairy Farms, 450 Cows to 899 Cows, Preliminary 2018 & 2019, DFBS

	Average o	Percent	
SELECTED FACTORS	2018	2019	Change
Size of Business			
Average number of cows	627	653	4%
Average number of heifers	519	521	0%
Milk sold, pounds	15,307,327	16,076,538	5%
Worker equivalent	13.0	13.3	2%
Total tillable acres	1,289	1,318	2%
Rates of Production			
Milk sold per cow, pounds	24,411	24,602	1%
Hay DM per acre, tons	2.9	3.0	3%
Corn silage per acre, tons	19.1	18.6	-3%
Labor Efficiency			
Cows per worker	48.2	49.3	2%
Milk sold per worker, pounds	1,175,678	1,213,324	3%
Cost Control and Milk Price			
Grain & concentrate per cwt. milk	\$5.94	\$5.72	-4%
Net milk income over purchased grain & conc. per cow	\$2,484	\$3,109	25%
Dairy feed & crop expense per cwt. milk	\$7.49	\$7.17	-4%
Labor and machinery costs per cow	\$1,745	\$1,774	2%
Hired labor costs per cwt. milk	\$2.83	\$2.83	0%
Hired labor costs per worker equivalent	\$42,095	\$43,050	2%
Operating cost of producing milk per cwt.	\$15.71	\$15.90	1%
Purchased input cost of producing milk per cwt.	\$17.42	\$17.61	1%
Total cost of producing milk per cwt.	\$20.15	\$20.25	0%
Net milk price	\$16.19	\$18.45	14%
Capital Efficiency (average for year)			
Farm capital per cow	\$11,668	\$11,552	-1%
Machinery and equipment per cow	\$2,090	\$2,089	0%
Asset turnover ratio	0.4	0.51	28%
Profitability			
Net farm income without appreciation	-\$7,488	\$324,494	4434%
Net farm income without appreciation per cow	-\$12	\$497	4242%
Net farm income with appreciation	-\$135,472	\$613,566	553%
Net farm income with appreciation per cow	-\$216	\$939	535%
Labor & management income per operator/manager	-\$109,416	\$29,082	127%
Rate return on equity capital with appreciation	-6.1%	8.7%	243%
Rate return on equity capital without appreciation	-3.5%	3.0%	187%
Rate return on all capital with appreciation	-2.7%	7.5%	378%
Rate return on all capital without appreciation	-0.9%	3.6%	489%
Financial Summary (based on market value, excluding defe	rred taxes)		
Farm net worth, end year	\$4,865,583	\$5,281,826	9%
Debt to asset ratio	0.33	0.32	-3%
Farm debt per cow	\$3,854	\$3,736	-3%
Debt coverage ratio	0.69	1.65	139%

<sup>\*</sup>Farm participating both years



Same 33 New York Dairy Farms, 450 Cows to 899 Cows, Preliminary 2018 & 2019, DFBS

	20	018	20	19	% Change	
Item _	Per Cow	Per Cwt.	Per Cow	Per Cwt.	Per Cwt.	
Average number of cows	627		653		4%	
Cwt. of milk sold		153,073		160,765	5%	
ACCRUAL OPERATING RECEIPTS						
Milk	\$4,241	\$17.37	\$4,828	\$19.62	13%	
Dairy cattle	\$264	\$1.08	\$257	\$1.04	-4%	
Dairy calves	\$12	\$0.05	\$20	\$0.08	60%	
Other livestock	\$23	\$0.10	\$14	\$0.06	-40%	
Crops	\$118	\$0.48	\$56	\$0.23	-52%	
Miscellaneous receipts	<u>\$203</u>	<u>\$0.83</u>	\$217	<u>\$0.88</u>	6%	
Total Operating Receipts	\$4,862	\$19.92	\$5,392	\$21.92	10%	
ACCRUAL OPERATING EXPENSES						
Hired labor	\$691	\$2.83	\$695	\$2.83	0%	
Dairy grain & concentrate	\$1,449	\$5.94	\$1,408	\$5.72	-4%	
Dairy roughage	\$82	\$0.33	\$76	\$0.31	-6%	
Nondairy feed	\$0	\$0.00	\$0	\$0.00	NA	
Professional nutritional services	\$1	\$0.00	\$0	\$0.00	NA	
Machine hire, rent & lease	\$202	\$0.83	\$207	\$0.84	1%	
Machine repair & vehicle expense	\$195	\$0.80	\$224	\$0.91	14%	
Fuel, oil & grease	\$150	\$0.61	\$139	\$0.57	-7%	
Replacement livestock	\$13	\$0.05	\$36	\$0.14	180%	
Breeding	\$53	\$0.22	\$50	\$0.20	-9%	
Veterinary & medicine	\$143	\$0.59	\$144	\$0.59	0%	
Milk marketing	\$288	\$1.18	\$290	\$1.18	0%	
Bedding	\$96	\$0.39	\$98	\$0.40	3%	
Milking supplies	\$88	\$0.36	\$81	\$0.33	-8%	
Cattle lease	\$1	\$0.00	\$2	\$0.01	NA	
Custom boarding	\$102	\$0.42	\$111	\$0.45	7%	
BST expense	\$0	\$0.00	\$0	\$0.00	NA	
Livestock professional fees	\$16	\$0.07	\$19	\$0.08	14%	
Other livestock expense	\$28	\$0.11	\$25	\$0.10	-9%	
Fertilizer & lime	\$111	\$0.45	\$108	\$0.44	-2%	
Seeds & plants	\$114	\$0.47	\$107	\$0.44	-6%	
Spray & other crop expense	\$64	\$0.26	\$57	\$0.23	-12%	
Crop professional fees	\$8	\$0.03	\$7 \$7	\$0.03	0%	
Land, building & fence repair	\$47	\$0.03	\$56	\$0.23	21%	
Taxes	\$62	\$0.19	\$61	\$0.25	-4%	
Real estate rent & lease	\$87	\$0.26	\$81	\$0.33	- <b>4</b> %	
Insurance	\$47	\$0.30	\$52	\$0.33	11%	
Utilities	\$ <del>4</del> 7 \$87	\$0.19	\$32 \$83	\$0.21	-3%	
	\$169	\$0.55 \$0.69	\$186	\$0.34	10%	
Interest paid Other professional fees	\$109 \$25	\$0.09	-\$1	\$0.70	20%	
Miscellaneous						
	<u>\$24</u> \$4,440	<u>\$0.10</u> \$18.19	\$24 \$4.450	\$0.10 \$18.12	0% <mark>0%</mark>	
Total Operating Expenses	. ,		\$4,459 \$16	\$18.13	0% 17%	
Expansion livestock	\$16 \$2	\$0.06 \$0.01	\$16 \$0	\$0.07 \$0.00		
Extraordinary expenses	\$2 \$227	\$0.01	\$0 \$242	\$0.00	<b>-100%</b>	
Machinery depreciation	\$237	\$0.97	\$242 \$170	\$0.98 \$0.73	1%	
Real estate depreciation Total Expenses	\$180 \$4,875	<u>\$0.74</u> \$19.97	<u>\$179</u> \$4,896	<u>\$0.73</u> \$19.91	-1% 0%	
Net Farm Income w/o Appreciation	-\$12	-\$0.05	\$497	\$2.02	-4140%	
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#### FARM BUSINESS CHART FOR FARM MANAGEMENT COOPERATORS

35 New York Dairy Farms, 450 Cows to 899 Cows, Preliminary 2019, DFBS

Si	Size of Business			Rates of Production			Labor Efficiency	
				Tons Hay	Tons Corn		Pounds Milk	
Worker Equiv-		Pounds	Pounds Milk	Crop	Silage per	Cows Per	Sold Per	
alents	No. of Cows	Milk Sold	Sold Per Cow	DM/Acre	Acre	Worker	Worker	
(14)*	(12)	(12)	(12)	(11)	(11)	(14)	(14)	
19.6	855	23,072,484	27,746	4.9	22.5	70.3	1,651,236	
15.7	742	17,793,503	26,394	3.5	20.2	56.3	1,405,761	
12.8	648	15,340,524	25,708	2.9	18.8	50.1	1,262,404	
10.7	544	13,516,231	24,488	2.4	16.1	44.1	1,026,048	
8.4	484	10,779,126	18,436	1.7	7.7	35.6	853,067	

#### Cost Control

							Hired Labor
		% Grain is	Machinery	Labor &	Feed & Crop	Feed & Crop	Cost per
Grain Bought	Grain Bought	of Milk	Costs per	Machinery	Expenses	Expenses	Wkr.
per Cow	per Cwt.	Receipts	Cow	Costs/Cow	per Cow	per Cwt. Milk	Equivalent
(12)	(12)	(12)	(14)	(14)	(12)	(12)	(14)
\$938	\$4.48	22	\$561	\$1,233	\$1,295	\$5.94	\$37,294
\$1,328	\$5.14	27	\$800	\$1,678	\$1,593	\$6.63	\$39,819
\$1,392	\$5.69	29	\$918	\$1,830	\$1,735	\$7.08	\$42,292
\$1,512	\$6.11	31	\$1,069	\$1,986	\$1,898	\$7.39	\$44,785
\$1,737	\$6.60	33	\$1,339	\$2,288	\$2,153	\$8.45	\$50,056

#### Value of Production Profitability

		Opr. Cost	Total Cost	% Rate of	Net Farm	Labor &	
		Milk	Milk	Return on All	Income	Management	Change in
Milk Receipts	Milk Receipts	Production	Production	Capital w/o	Without	Income per	Net Worth
Per Cow	Per Cwt.	per Cwt.	Per Cwt.	Apprec.	Apprec.	Operator	with Apprec.
(12)	(12)	(12)	(12)	(4)	(4)	(4)	(8)
\$5,461	\$21.61	\$13.24	\$18.01	8.7	\$810,674	\$268,378	\$1,116,800
\$5,087	\$19.87	\$15.01	\$19.33	5.6	\$487,268	\$94,964	\$614,419
\$4,973	\$19.48	\$15.85	\$20.47	3.6	\$302,095	\$32,229	\$377,028
\$4,730	\$19.11	\$17.05	\$21.35	1.8	\$171,021	-\$20,896	\$203,887
\$3,795	\$18.45	\$18.57	\$23.47	-1.4	-\$126,798	-\$194,582	-\$154,235

	1 illancial Efficiency								
							Working		
	Machinery	Asset	Operating	Debt	Planned Debt		Capital as %		
Investment	Investment	Turnover	Expense	Coverage	Payments per	Percent	of Opr.		
per Cow	per Cow	Ratio	Ratio	Ratio	Cow	Equity	Expense		
(14)	(14)	(14)	(14)	(10)	(12)	(7)	(7)		
\$7,229	\$682	0.81	0.70	22.74	\$53	94	52		
\$10,410	\$1,408	0.58	0.75	2.47	\$269	78	30		
\$11,737	\$2,129	0.50	0.78	1.35	\$449	64	23		
\$13,087	\$2,751	0.44	0.83	0.94	\$662	55	13		
\$17,800	\$3,818	0.33	0.90	0.48	\$928	37	-25		

<sup>\*</sup>Page number of the participant's DFBS where the factor is located.



Same 31 New York Dairy Farms, 900 Cows to 1,399 Cows, Preliminary 2018 & 2019, DFBS

	Average o	Percent	
SELECTED FACTORS	2018	2019	Change
Size of Business			
Average number of cows	1,088	1,128	4%
Average number of heifers	929	929	0%
Milk sold, pounds	28,830,007	30,143,474	5%
Worker equivalent	23.1	23.6	2%
Total tillable acres	2,022	2,055	2%
Rates of Production			
Milk sold per cow, pounds	26,501	26,734	1%
Hay DM per acre, tons	3.3	3.3	0%
Corn silage per acre, tons	18.9	18.5	-2%
Labor Efficiency			
Cows per worker	47.2	47.8	1%
Milk sold per worker, pounds	1,249,675	1,278,349	2%
Cost Control and Milk Price			
Grain & concentrate per cwt. milk	\$5.93	\$5.69	-4%
Net milk income over purchased grain & conc. per cow	\$2,688	\$3,350	25%
Dairy feed & crop expense per cwt. milk	\$7.27	\$7.06	-3%
Labor and machinery costs per cow	\$1,723	\$1,776	3%
Hired labor costs per cwt. milk	\$3.04	\$3.10	2%
Hired labor costs per worker equivalent	\$42,387	\$44,162	4%
Operating cost of producing milk per cwt.	\$15.32	\$15.77	3%
Purchased input cost of producing milk per cwt.	\$16.93	\$17.37	3%
Total cost of producing milk per cwt.	\$18.88	\$19.31	2%
Net milk price	\$16.11	\$18.28	13%
Capital Efficiency (average for year)			
Farm capital per cow	\$11,526	\$11,360	-1%
Machinery and equipment per cow	\$1,895	\$1,866	-2%
Asset turnover ratio	0.44	0.53	20%
Profitability			
Net farm income without appreciation	\$109,250	\$627,248	474%
Net farm income without appreciation per cow	\$100	\$556	456%
Net farm income with appreciation	-\$18,392	\$916,979	5086%
Net farm income with appreciation per cow	-\$17	\$813	4882%
Labor & management income per operator/manager	-\$130,352	\$106,860	182%
Rate return on equity capital with appreciation	-2.5%	9.2%	468%
Rate return on equity capital without appreciation	-0.8%	5.5%	780%
Rate return on all capital with appreciation	0.2%	7.5%	3650%
Rate return on all capital without appreciation	1.2%	5.3%	338%
Financial Summary (based on market value, excluding defe	rred taxes)		
Farm net worth, end year	\$7,683,341	\$8,314,687	8%
Debt to asset ratio	0.38	0.37	-3%
Farm debt per cow	\$4,268	\$4,177	-2%
Debt coverage ratio	0.81	1.59	96%

<sup>\*</sup>Farm participating both years



Same 31 New York Dairy Farms, 900 Cows to 1,399 Cows, Preliminary 2018 & 2019, DFBS

	2018		20	19	% Change	
Item	Per Cow	Per Cwt.	Per Cow	Per Cwt.	Per Cwt.	
Average number of cows	1,088		1,128		4%	
Cwt. of milk sold		288,300		301,435	5%	
ACCRUAL OPERATING RECEIPTS						
Milk	\$4,588	\$17.31	\$5,200	\$19.45	12%	
Dairy cattle	\$284	\$1.07	\$264	\$0.99	-7%	
Dairy calves	\$28	\$0.11	\$25	\$0.09	-18%	
Other livestock	\$52	\$0.20	\$15	\$0.06	<b>-70</b> %	
Crops	\$86	\$0.32	\$6	\$0.02	-94%	
Miscellaneous receipts	<u>\$158</u>	<u>\$0.60</u>	<u>\$199</u>	<u>\$0.75</u>	25%	
Total Operating Receipts	\$5,196	\$19.61	\$5,709	\$21.36	9%	
ACCRUAL OPERATING EXPENSES						
Hired labor	\$806	\$3.04	\$829	\$3.10	2%	
Dairy grain & concentrate	\$1,570	\$5.93	\$1,522	\$5.69	-4%	
Dairy roughage	\$86	\$0.32	\$99	\$0.37	16%	
Nondairy feed	\$0	\$0.00	\$0	\$0.00	NA	
Professional nutritional services	\$2	\$0.01	\$2	\$0.01	0%	
Machine hire, rent & lease	\$117	\$0.44	\$130	\$0.49	11%	
Machine repair & vehicle expense	\$224	\$0.85	\$245	\$0.91	7%	
Fuel, oil & grease	\$161	\$0.61	\$157	\$0.59	-3%	
Replacement livestock	\$1	\$0.00	\$7	\$0.03	NA	
Breeding	\$45	\$0.17	\$43	\$0.16	-6%	
Veterinary & medicine	\$155	\$0.58	\$158	\$0.59	2%	
Milk marketing	\$319	\$1.20	\$312	\$1.17	-3%	
Bedding	\$86	\$0.32	\$93	\$0.35	9%	
Milking supplies	\$87	\$0.33	\$94	\$0.35	6%	
Cattle lease	\$0	\$0.00	\$0	\$0.00	NA	
Custom boarding	\$80	\$0.30	\$77	\$0.29	-3%	
BST expense	\$0	\$0.00	\$0	\$0.00	NA	
Livestock professional fees	\$16	\$0.06	\$15	\$0.06	0%	
Other livestock expense	\$18	\$0.07	\$25	\$0.09	29%	
Fertilizer & lime	\$108	\$0.41	\$100	\$0.37	-10%	
Seeds & plants	\$102	\$0.38	\$105	\$0.39	3%	
Spray & other crop expense	\$48	\$0.18	\$57	\$0.21	17%	
Crop professional fees	\$14	\$0.05	\$4	\$0.02	-60%	
Land, building & fence repair	\$67	\$0.25	\$78	\$0.29	16%	
Taxes	\$58	\$0.22	\$60	\$0.23	5%	
Real estate rent & lease	\$98	\$0.37	\$112	\$0.42	14%	
Insurance	\$44	\$0.17	\$43	\$0.16	-6%	
Utilities	\$100	\$0.38	\$89	\$0.33	-13%	
Interest paid	\$196	\$0.74	\$205	\$0.77	4%	
Other professional fees	\$25	\$0.09	-\$1	\$0.12	33%	
Miscellaneous	<u>\$26</u>	<u>\$0.10</u>	<u>\$30</u>	<u>\$0.11</u>	10%	
Total Operating Expenses	\$4,657	\$17.57	\$4,720	\$17.65	0%	
Expansion livestock	\$11	\$0.04	\$6	\$0.02	-50%	
Extraordinary expenses	\$1	\$0.00	\$0	\$0.00	NA	
Machinery depreciation	\$237	\$0.89	\$237	\$0.89	0%	
Real estate depreciation	\$189	\$0.71	\$190	\$0.71	0%	
Total Expenses	\$5,095	\$19.21	\$5,153	\$19.27	0%	
Net Farm Income w/o Appreciation	\$100	\$0.38	\$556	\$2.08	447%	



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#### FARM BUSINESS CHART FOR FARM MANAGEMENT COOPERATORS

31 New York Dairy Farms, 900 Cows to 1,399 Cows, Preliminary 2019, DFBS

Si	Size of Business			Rates of Production			Labor Efficiency	
				Tons Hay	Tons Corn		Pounds Milk	
Worker Equiv-		Pounds	Pounds Milk	Crop	Silage per	Cows Per	Sold Per	
alents	No. of Cows	Milk Sold	Sold Per Cow	DM/Acre	Acre	Worker	Worker	
(14)*	(12)	(12)	(12)	(11)	(11)	(14)	(14)	
30.0	1,343	36,191,072	28,535	4.5	22.0	61.0	1,653,654	
25.3	1,232	33,336,609	27,810	4.1	19.6	50.7	1,372,878	
23.7	1,103	30,271,760	27,056	3.5	18.7	48.3	1,261,590	
21.2	1,036	28,206,461	25,966	2.9	17.6	45.3	1,174,211	
18.5	954	23,773,182	24,476	1.9	13.6	40.1	1,078,393	

#### Cost Control

Cool Control									
							Hired Labor		
		% Grain is	Machinery	Labor &	Feed & Crop	Feed & Crop	Cost per		
Grain Bought	Grain Bought	of Milk	Costs per	Machinery	Expenses	Expenses	Wkr.		
per Cow	per Cwt.	Receipts	Cow	Costs/Cow	per Cow	per Cwt. Milk	Equivalent		
(12)	(12)	(12)	(14)	(14)	(12)	(12)	(14)		
\$1,260	\$4.83	25	\$640	\$1,437	\$1,520	\$5.84	\$38,777		
\$1,414	\$5.35	27	\$788	\$1,649	\$1,759	\$6.63	\$40,577		
\$1,518	\$5.63	29	\$898	\$1,811	\$1,887	\$7.15	\$44,164		
\$1,634	\$6.03	31	\$956	\$1,923	\$2,032	\$7.57	\$46,042		
\$1,810	\$6.76	35	\$1,093	\$2,134	\$2,260	\$8.19	\$50,407		

#### Value of Production Profitability

		Opr. Cost	Total Cost	% Rate of	Net Farm	Labor &	
		Milk	Milk	Return on All	Income	Management	Change in
Milk Receipts	Milk Receipts	Production	Production	Capital w/o	Without	Income per	Net Worth
Per Cow	Per Cwt.	per Cwt.	Per Cwt.	Apprec.	Apprec.	Operator	with Apprec.
(12)	(12)	(12)	(12)	(4)	(4)	(4)	(8)
\$5,681	\$20.61	\$13.92	\$17.32	10.6	\$1,331,419	\$691,091	\$1,270,973
\$5,410	\$19.58	\$14.92	\$18.92	6.1	\$774,952	\$162,092	\$747,556
\$5,208	\$19.32	\$15.45	\$19.53	4.8	\$586,403	\$68,439	\$605,124
\$5,050	\$19.05	\$16.63	\$19.89	3.8	\$415,282	\$9,995	\$426,851
\$4,667	\$18.68	\$18.24	\$21.38	1.7	\$113,765	-\$113,366	\$94,147

							Working
	Machinery	Asset	Operating	Debt	Planned Debt		Capital as %
Investment	Investment	Turnover	Expense	Coverage	Payments per	Percent	of Opr.
per Cow	per Cow	Ratio	Ratio	Ratio	Cow	Equity	Expense
(14)	(14)	(14)	(14)	(10)	(12)	(7)	(7)
\$7,724	\$885	0.87	0.73	3.87	\$151	89	54
\$10,736	\$1,648	0.59	0.77	1.78	\$506	69	30
\$11,572	\$1,911	0.53	0.79	1.49	\$697	61	17
\$12,418	\$2,302	0.48	0.82	0.97	\$816	55	8
\$14,815	\$2,769	0.41	0.89	0.34	\$1,051	40	-4

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Same 35 New York Dairy Farms, Greater than 1,400 Cows, Preliminary 2018 & 2019, DFBS

	Average o	Percent	
SELECTED FACTORS	2018	2019	Change
Size of Business			
Average number of cows	1,983	2,120	<b>7</b> %
Average number of heifers	1,672	1,668	0%
Milk sold, pounds	51,846,952	56,859,615	10%
Worker equivalent	38.9	40.0	3%
Total tillable acres	3,464	3,583	3%
Rates of Production			
Milk sold per cow, pounds	26,144	26,819	3%
Hay DM per acre, tons	3.2	3.3	3%
Corn silage per acre, tons	18.9	18.4	-3%
Labor Efficiency			
Cows per worker	51.0	53.1	4%
Milk sold per worker, pounds	1,334,542	1,423,269	7%
Cost Control and Milk Price			
Grain & concentrate per cwt. milk	\$5.60	\$5.55	-1%
Net milk income over purchased grain & conc. per cow	\$2,737	\$3,365	23%
Dairy feed & crop expense per cwt. milk	\$7.00	\$6.87	-2%
Labor and machinery costs per cow	\$1,661	\$1,702	2%
Hired labor costs per cwt. milk	\$3.05	\$3.01	-1%
Hired labor costs per worker equivalent	\$44,806	\$46,994	5%
Operating cost of producing milk per cwt.	\$14.81	\$15.13	2%
Purchased input cost of producing milk per cwt.	\$16.45	\$16.65	1%
Total cost of producing milk per cwt.	\$18.48	\$18.57	0%
Net milk price	\$15.96	\$18.06	13%
Capital Efficiency (average for year)			
Farm capital per cow	\$11,677	\$11,278	-3%
Machinery and equipment per cow	\$1,616	\$1,539	-5%
Asset turnover ratio	0.43	0.53	23%
Profitability			
Net farm income without appreciation	\$345,750	\$1,453,794	320%
Net farm income without appreciation per cow	\$174	\$686	294%
Net farm income with appreciation	\$124,186	\$2,032,190	1536%
Net farm income with appreciation per cow	\$63	\$959	1422%
Labor & management income per operator/manager	-\$133,098	\$218,666	264%
Rate return on equity capital with appreciation	-1.2%	11.1%	1025%
Rate return on equity capital without appreciation	0.3%	7.3%	2255%
Rate return on all capital with appreciation	0.9%	9.0%	900%
Rate return on all capital without appreciation	1.8%	6.6%	256%
Financial Summary (based on market value, excluding defe	rred taxes)		
Farm net worth, end year	\$14,918,798	\$16,261,735	9%
Debt to asset ratio	0.36	0.34	-6%
Farm debt per cow	\$4,129	\$3,819	-8%
Debt coverage ratio	0.98	1.76	80%

<sup>\*</sup>Farm participating both years



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	20	)18	2019		
	Per Cow	Per Cwt.	Per Cow	Per Cwt.	_ % Change Per Cwt.
Average number of cows	1,983		2,120		7%
Cwt. of milk sold		518,470		568,596	10%
ACCRUAL OPERATING RECEIPTS					
Milk	\$4,474	\$17.11	\$5,152	\$19.21	12%
Dairy cattle	\$336	\$1.28	\$310	\$1.16	-9%
Dairy calves	\$23	\$0.09	\$18	\$0.07	-22%
Other livestock	\$12	\$0.05	\$5	\$0.02	-60%
Crops	\$118	\$0.45	\$63	\$0.23	-49%
Miscellaneous receipts	<u>\$177</u>	<u>\$0.68</u>	<u>\$197</u>	<u>\$0.73</u>	7%
Total Operating Receipts	\$5,141	\$19.66	\$5,745	\$21.42	9%
ACCRUAL OPERATING EXPENSES					
Hired labor	\$798	\$3.05	\$807	\$3.01	-1%
Dairy grain & concentrate	\$1,463	\$5.60	\$1,488	\$5.55	-1%
Dairy roughage	\$92	\$0.35	\$108	\$0.40	14%
Nondairy feed	\$0	\$0.00	\$0	\$0.00	NA
Professional nutritional services	\$1	\$0.00	\$1	\$0.00	NA
Machine hire, rent & lease	\$122	\$0.47	\$154	\$0.57	21%
Machine repair & vehicle expense	\$223	\$0.85	\$250	\$0.93	9%
Fuel, oil & grease	\$148	\$0.57	\$139	\$0.52	-9%
Replacement livestock	\$7	\$0.03	\$20	\$0.07	133%
Breeding	\$54	\$0.21	\$46	\$0.17	-19%
Veterinary & medicine	\$148	\$0.57	\$148	\$0.55	-4%
Milk marketing	\$302	\$1.16	\$310	\$1.16	0%
Bedding	\$75	\$0.29	\$84	\$0.31	7%
Milking supplies	\$80	\$0.31	\$85	\$0.32	3%
Cattle lease	\$4	\$0.01	\$7	\$0.02	100%
Custom boarding	\$79	\$0.30	\$83	\$0.31	3%
BST expense	\$0	\$0.00	\$0	\$0.00	NA
Livestock professional fees	\$13	\$0.05	\$15	\$0.06	20%
Other livestock expense	\$18	\$0.07	\$18	\$0.07	0%
Fertilizer & lime	\$93	\$0.36	\$88	\$0.33	-8%
Seeds & plants	\$119	\$0.45	\$102	\$0.38	-16%
Spray & other crop expense	\$59	\$0.22	\$52	\$0.19	-14%
Crop professional fees	\$4	\$0.02	\$4	\$0.02	0%
Land, building & fence repair	\$66	\$0.25	\$78	\$0.29	16%
Taxes	\$61	\$0.23	\$60	\$0.23	0%
Real estate rent & lease	\$78	\$0.30	\$74	\$0.27	-10%
Insurance	\$42	\$0.16	\$41	\$0.15	-6%
Utilities	\$95	\$0.36	\$85	\$0.32	-11%
Interest paid	\$192	\$0.73	\$201	\$0.75	3%
Other professional fees	\$29	\$0.11	-\$1	\$0.10	-9%
Miscellaneous	<u>\$22</u>	\$0.08	<u>\$29</u>	<u>\$0.11</u>	38%
Total Operating Expenses	\$4,487	\$17.16	\$4,605	\$17.17	0%
Expansion livestock	\$51	\$0.19	\$44	\$0.17	-11%
Extraordinary expenses	\$3	\$0.01	\$3	\$0.01	0%
Machinery depreciation	\$221	\$0.84	\$209	\$0.78	<b>-7%</b>
Real estate depreciation	\$20 <u>4</u>	\$0.78	\$198	\$0.74	-5%
Total Expenses	\$4,966	\$18.98	\$5,059	\$18.87	-1%
Net Farm Income w/o Appreciation	\$174	\$0.67	\$686	\$2.56	282%



The Farm Business Chart is a tool which can be used in analyzing your business. Compare your business by drawing a line through or near the figure in each column, which represents your current level of performance. The five figures in each column represents the average of each 20 percent or quintile of farms included in the summary. Use this information to identify business areas where more challenging goals are needed.

#### FARM BUSINESS CHART FOR FARM MANAGEMENT COOPERATORS

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Size of Business			Rates of Production			Labor Efficiency	
				Tons Hay	Tons Corn		Pounds Milk
Worker Equiv-		Pounds	Pounds Milk	Crop	Silage per	Cows Per	Sold Per
alents	No. of Cows	Milk Sold	Sold Per Cow	DM/Acre	Acre	Worker	Worker
(14)*	(12)	(12)	(12)	(11)	(11)	(14)	(14)
64.5	3,451	93,210,487	28,794	4.7	22.6	67.1	1,810,269
43.6	2,409	64,509,443	27,623	3.7	20.4	56.6	1,542,489
35.4	1,775	46,939,310	26,719	3.4	18.2	52.4	1,402,246
31.3	1,532	41,076,343	25,981	3.0	17.4	48.3	1,285,204
24.9	1,433	38,562,491	24,964	2.1	15.4	43.3	1,147,333

#### Cost Control

Cool Control									
							Hired Labor		
		% Grain is	Machinery	Labor &	Feed & Crop	Feed & Crop	Cost per		
Grain Bought	Grain Bought	of Milk	Costs per	Machinery	Expenses	Expenses	Wkr.		
per Cow	per Cwt.	Receipts	Cow	Costs/Cow	per Cow	per Cwt. Milk	Equivalent		
(12)	(12)	(12)	(14)	(14)	(12)	(12)	(14)		
\$1,178	\$4.59	24	\$624	\$1,370	\$1,480	\$5.66	\$39,722		
\$1,358	\$5.08	26	\$778	\$1,602	\$1,656	\$6.39	\$42,270		
\$1,510	\$5.61	29	\$866	\$1,718	\$1,879	\$6.95	\$44,586		
\$1,625	\$6.02	31	\$916	\$1,834	\$2,015	\$7.35	\$48,524		
\$1,770	\$6.42	34	\$1,033	\$2,029	\$2,207	\$8.02	\$54,955		

#### Value of Production Profitability

		Opr. Cost	Total Cost	% Rate of	Net Farm	Labor &	
		Milk	Milk	Return on All	Income	Management	Change in
Milk Receipts	Milk Receipts	Production	Production	Capital w/o	Without	Income per	Net Worth
Per Cow	Per Cwt.	per Cwt.	Per Cwt.	Apprec.	Apprec.	Operator	with Apprec.
(12)	(12)	(12)	(12)	(4)	(4)	(4)	(8)
\$5,635	\$20.19	\$12.53	\$17.23	9.7	\$2,594,600	\$716,844	\$2,540,402
\$5,403	\$19.45	\$14.44	\$18.03	7.6	\$1,963,608	\$350,284	\$1,838,742
\$5,161	\$19.21	\$15.25	\$18.67	6.7	\$1,390,747	\$230,061	\$1,426,996
\$4,970	\$18.95	\$15.82	\$19.01	5.4	\$949,934	\$122,994	\$847,006
\$4,653	\$18.44	\$17.05	\$20.19	2.8	\$370,079	-\$65,082	\$340,802

							Working		
	Machinery	Asset	Operating	Debt	Planned Debt		Capital as %		
Investment	Investment	Turnover	Expense	Coverage	Payments per	Percent	of Opr.		
per Cow	per Cow	Ratio	Ratio	Ratio	Cow	Equity	Expense		
(14)	(14)	(14)	(14)	(10)	(12)	(7)	(7)		
\$7,956	\$846	0.78	0.67	4.34	\$76	94	88		
\$9,618	\$1,240	0.64	0.74	1.97	\$390	76	30		
\$10,476	\$1,566	0.56	0.78	1.51	\$563	61	21		
\$12,676	\$1,822	0.49	0.81	0.98	\$753	55	14		
\$16,588	\$2,521	0.36	0.86	0.20	\$1,026	42	7		

<sup>\*</sup>Page number of the participant's DFBS where the factor is located.