

Comment

Number of cattle as at 30 June 2014 increased by 21,8 thousand heads (+1.6%) y-o-y, of which number of other cows increased by 14.5 thousand heads (+8.0%) and number of dairy cows decreased by 112 heads (0.0%). Compared with the number as at 31 December 2013 the number of cattle increased by 4.9%, of which other cows rose by +10.4% and number of dairy cows went down by -0.7%.

Milk production reached the level of 1 428 mil. litres in the 1st half-year (+3.0%) y-o-y. Average daily milk yield 21.35 l rose by 3.9%. 54.3 calves were born per 100 cows (+3.8%) y-o-y and 51.4 calves were reared. Losses of calves less than 3 months old related to the total number of calves were 5.4% (-2.0 % points). Marketability of milk was 96.3%. Sale of cattle for slaughter rose by 4.1 thousand tonnes in live weight (+5.4%) y-o-y.