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Number of bovines as at 31 December 2025 decreased by 7.7 thousand heads (-0.6%) y-o-y, of which the number of other cows increased by 4.2 thousand heads (+1.9%) and the number of dairy cows decreased by 17.4 thousand heads (-4.8%). Compared with the 1st half-year of 2025, the number of bovines went down by 3.7%, of which the number of other cows decreased by 0.1% and the number of dairy cows fell by 4.1%.

In 2025, milk production reached 3,396.9 million litres, which was a decrease of 1.8% compared to the previous year. The average daily milk yield of 27.4 litres increased by 4.7% y-o-y. Per 100 cows, 102.8 calves were born and 97.2 calves were reared (+3.2%). Losses of calves less than 3 months old accounted for 5.5% of those born, the same as in 2024. Marketability of milk was 97.4%. Production of cattle for slaughter increased by 7.3 thousand tonnes in live weight (+4.1%) y-o-y.