Kingshay | Dairy Manager

February 2026
MONTHLY RESULTS

Holstein/Friesian, Conventional Herds		South West	South	South East	Midlands	North	Scotland	Wales
Cows in herd (end of month)		228	258	226	244	224	260	202
Cows in milk (end of month)		207	226	211	217	198	225	181
Cow calvings		11	18	7	14	12	14	10
Heifer calvings		4	7	3	5	6	9	5
MILK PRODUCTION								
Milk Produced	litres	163,460	191,735	169,809	189,876	166,905	175,771	135,257
Yield per cow in milk	litres/day	**28.2**	**30.3**	**28.7**	**31.2**	**30.1**	**27.9**	**26.6**
Yield from all forage per cow	litres/day	8.9	8.8	10.7	8.5	6.9	4.3	8.6
% of total yield from forage		**32%**	**29%**	**37%**	**27%**	**23%**	**15%**	**32%**
Butterfat	%	4.56	4.42	4.61	4.41	4.56	4.41	4.58
Protein	%	3.55	3.52	3.56	3.51	3.48	3.45	3.47
Bactoscan		26	27	30	22	29	23	26
Cell Count		149	161	133	144	126	122	133
Milk Price	p / litre	**36.08**	**36.51**	**39.48**	**35.25**	**33.28**	**34.67**	**32.68**
Total milk value	£	58,978	70,006	67,043	66,937	55,550	60,944	44,206
FEED								
Total concentrate use	tonnes	58	60	55	64	60	70	45
Concentrate use per cow per day	kg	**10.0**	**9.5**	**9.3**	**10.5**	**10.9**	**11.1**	**8.9**
Concentrate use per litre	kg	0.36	0.31	0.32	0.34	0.36	0.40	0.33
Concentrate price per tonne	£	298	293	298	290	291	300	298
Other purchased feed cost per cow	£	8	17	5	14	13	14	6
All purchased feed cost / litre	p	**11.56**	**11.17**	**10.29**	**11.44**	**12.08**	**13.71**	**10.78**
All purchased feed cost per herd	£	18,897	21,413	17,465	21,721	20,169	24,104	14,586
MARGINS								
MOPF per herd	£	40,081	48,593	49,578	45,217	35,381	36,840	29,620
MOPF per cow in herd	£	176	188	219	186	158	142	146
MOPF per litre	p	**24.52**	**25.34**	**29.20**	**23.81**	**21.20**	**20.96**	**21.90**

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