Dairy Fun Facts

A cow produces an average of 6.3 gallons of milk daily and 250,000 glasses of milk in a lifetime.

The average American consumes almost 25 gallons of milk annually.

U.S. dairy farms produce roughly 21 billion gallons of milk annually.

There are more than 51,000 dairy family farms in the United States, including more than 9,500 in the Midwest.

A Holstein’s spots are like a fingerprint. No two cows have exactly the same pattern of black and white spots.

Cows drink the equivalent of a bathtub full of water and eat approximately 40 pounds of food a day.

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