



Dairy Data from LIC

Livestock Improvement Corporation

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3. Data keywords:

Dairy, production, milk solids, effective hectares, stocking rate, regional council, territorial authorities

4. Dataset abstract:

Wei Zhang extracted dairy statistics from LIC reports and standardised them into a single spreadsheet. The LIC reports are publically available.

5. Motu Working Papers using this data set.

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6. Variables:

Sheet titles specify whether regional or territorial authority data. Column headings are self explanatory (see key words).

7. Additional notes.

Motu also has copies of the LIC reports. Wei Zhang merged Nelson and Tasman TAs as part of standardising the dataset. R code is stored in Motu's data library.