DAIRY MARKET NEWS AT A GLANCE

CME GROUP CASH MARKETS (11/26)

BUTTER: Grade AA closed at \$1.4500. The weekly average for Grade AA is \$1.4467 (-0.0553).

CHEESE: Barrels closed at \$1.5825 and 40# blocks at \$1.4700. The weekly average for barrels is \$1.5825 (-0.0225) and blocks \$1.4900 (-0.0680).

NONFAT DRY MILK: Grade A closed at \$1.1425. The weekly average for Grade A is \$1.1550 (-0.0300).

DRY WHEY: Extra grade dry whey closed at \$0.7325. The weekly average for dry whey is \$0.7442 (-0.0348).

BUTTER HIGHLIGHTS: Western region contacts report domestic butter demand varies from lighter to somewhat stronger, while contacts in the Central and East regions report demand varies from steady to strong. Demand from international buyers varies from steady to strong throughout the country. For the Thanksgiving holiday week, some butter manufacturers were taking in spot cream loads, while others were content with their contractual cream intakes. Butter production schedules were mixed. Some butter producers continued to focus their bulk butter production lines on loads for international sales, keeping availability of domestic bulk butter loads somewhat tight. Bulk butter overages range from 3 cents below to 5 cents above market across all regions.

CHEESE HIGHLIGHTS: Eastern cheese production is steady, supported by adequate milk and balanced demand. Inventories remain stable, spot activity is quiet, and overall market tone is firm heading into the holiday period. Central region production is steady, though less product is available for spot needs as increased bottling activity pulls more milk from cheese manufacturing. Retail interest is stronger with holiday buying, barrel supplies are tight, and milk volumes remain sufficient. Western plants report steady output with contracted and spot milk available. Spot opportunities tightened due to the Thanksgiving holiday week, while domestic and export demand stay supportive across key varieties.

FLUID MILK HIGHLIGHTS: Nationwide, milk production is steady to strong. Milk components continue to be strong, contributing to higher volumes of cream available to manufacturers. Demand for all classes is lighter this week. The Thanksgiving holiday negatively impacted demand as several processors nationwide had scheduled downtime. Spot sales to bottling facilities are down, but processors are anticipating sales to pick up in the first week of December. Class II production is expected to pick up as well, as many facilities are preparing for the end of year holidays. Class III spot milk is light, as plant managers are utilizing internal volumes. Spot prices for Class III are unchanged from last week ranging from \$1.5-under to \$1.5-over Class. Cream is plentiful, and contacts say lighter demand during the week of Thanksgiving pushed multiples lower. Condensed skim was widely available ahead of the Thanksgiving holiday, contributing to lower prices for spot loads. Condensed skim prices range from \$0.10 under to \$0.15 over Class price. Cream multiples for all Classes range: 0.95 - 1.26 in the East; 0.85 - 1.24 in the Midwest; 0.90 - 1.22 in the West.

DRY PRODUCTS HIGHLIGHTS: The price range for low/ medium heat nonfat dry milk (NDM) in the Central and East regions was steady, while the West region increased modestly; the mostly ranges in both regions saw no movement. The Central and East high heat NDM price range was firm, while the West region saw a minor decrease at the low end and no change at the high end of the price range. The price range for dry buttermilk in the Central and East was unchanged, while the West price range was up on the low end and down on the high end. The West dry buttermilk was down slightly on both ends of the mostly range. Dry whey prices in the Central region were down marginally at the bottom and unchanged at the top of the price range, but up across the mostly range. West region dry whey prices strengthened at the low end and weakened slightly at the top end of the price range. Similarly, the mostly range was up on the low end and down on the high end. Dry whey in the Northeast region saw a dip at the low end but was steady at the upper end of the price range. The price series for lactose was stagnant. Whey protein concentrate 34% increased at both ends of the price range, while the mostly range remained firm. Dry whole milk was steady at the low and up on the high end of the price range. No movement was seen for either acid or rennet casein.

ORGANIC DAIRY MARKET NEWS: Federal Milk Market Order 1, in the Northeast, reports utilization of types of organic milk by regulated plants. During October 2025, organic whole milk utilization totaled 18.73 million pounds, up from 16.17 million pounds the previous year. The Foreign Agricultural Service (FAS) releases monthly export data which includes export volumes and values for organic milk categorized as HS-10 code 0401201000. Recently released data for August 2025 indicated organic milk exports were 587,472 liters, down 24.2 percent from the month prior, but up 101.7 percent from August 2024. A large Dutch organic milk processor announced that the guaranteed price for organic farm milk in December 2025 is 68.71 EUR/100kg (\$79.86 USD), up 0.21 Euros from November 2025. The processor stated they anticipate reference companies to keep prices aligned with organic market developments.

OCTOBER MILK PRODUCTION (NASS): Milk production in the 24 major States during October totaled 18.7 billion pounds, up 3.9 percent from October 2024. September revised production, at 18.2 billion pounds, was up 4.0 percent from September 2024. The September revision represented a decrease of 34 million pounds or 0.2 percent from last month's preliminary production estimate.

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Production per cow in the 24 major States averaged 2,049 pounds for October, 30 pounds above October 2024. The number of milk cows on farms in the 24 major States was 9.14 million head, 211,000 head more than October 2024, but 7,000 head less than September 2025.

AUGUST MAILBOX MILK PRICES (FMMO): In August 2025, mailbox milk prices for selected reporting areas in Federal milk orders averaged \$20.03 per cwt, down \$0.11 from the July 2025 average and down \$2.90 per cwt from the August 2024 average. The component tests of producer milk in August 2025 were: butterfat, 4.14%; protein, 3.24%; and other solids, 5.77%.

AUGUST DAIRY PRODUCTS HIGHLIGHTS (NASS): Butter production was 173 million pounds, 8.1 percent above August 2024 but 2.9 percent below July 2025. American type cheese production totaled 474 million pounds, 0.3 percent above august 2024 but 1.6 percent below July 2025. Total cheese output (excluding cottage cheese) was 1.20 billion pounds, 0.5 percent above August 2024 but 1.2 percent below July 2025. Nonfat dry milk production, for human food, totaled 123 million pounds, 6.8 percent above August 2024, and 4.6 percent below July 2025. Dry whey production, for human food, was 68.3 million pounds, 4.7 percent above August 2024, and -2.2 percent below July 2025. Ice cream, regular hard production, totaled 66.1 million gallons, 5.5 percent below August 2024, and 5.1 percent below July 2025.

NOVEMBER RETAIL MILK PRICES (FMMO): U.S. simple average prices are: \$4.32 per gallon for conventional whole milk, \$4.25 per gallon for conventional reduced fat 2% milk, \$5.36 per half gallon organic whole milk, and \$5.36 per half gallon organic reduced fat 2% milk.

OCTOBER MARKET SUMMARY AND UTILIZATION: During October, 11.1 billion pounds of milk were received from Federally pooled producers. This volume of milk is 2.1 percent higher than the 2024 volume. Regulated handlers pooled 3.6 billion pounds of producer milk as Class I products, down 0.3 percent when compared to the previous year. The all-market average Class utilization percentages were: Class I = 32%, Class II = 18%, Class III = 25%, Class IV = 25%. The weighted average statistical uniform price was \$17.47 per cwt, \$1.16 lower than last month and \$4.98 lower than last year.

NATIONAL RETAIL REPORT: The week 48 retail dairy survey contained 1 percent more conventional ads while organic ads were up 277 percent. Ice cream overtook cheese as the most advertised conventional commodity this week. In the organic aisle, ice cream fell behind milk as the most advertised commodity, as organic milk ads grew 973 percent. The average price for conventional gallon milk is \$2.79. Organic gallon milk has an average price of \$8.66, leaving an organic premium of \$5.87.

COMMODITY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	WEEKLY	WEEKLY
COMMODITI	Nov 24	Nov 25	Nov 26	Nov 27	Nov 28	CHANGE	AVERAGE
CHEESE BARRELS	\$1.5825 (N.C.)	\$1.5825 (N.C.)	\$1.5825 (N.C.)	No Trading	No Trading	- (N.C.)	\$1.5825 (-0.0225)
40 POUND BLOCKS	\$1.5250 (-0.0250)	\$1.4750 (-0.0500)	\$1.4700 (-0.0050)	No Trading	No Trading	- (-0.0800)	\$1.4900 (-0.0680)
NONFAT DRY MILK GRADE A	\$1.1625 (-0.0200)	\$1.1600 (-0.0025)	\$1.1425 (-0.0175)	No Trading	No Trading	- (-0.0400)	\$1.1550 (-0.0300)
BUTTER GRADE AA	\$1.4600 (-0.0175)	\$1.4300 (-0.0300)	\$1.4500 (+0.0200)	No Trading	No Trading	(-0.0275)	\$1.4467 (-0.0553)
DRY WHEY EXTRA GRADE -	\$0.7600 (N.C.)	\$0.7400 (-0.0200)	\$0.7325 (-0.0075)	No Trading	No Trading	- (-0.0275)	\$0.7442 (-0.0348)

Prices shown are in U.S. dollars per lb. in carlot quantities. Carlot unit weights: CHEESE, 40,000-44,000 lbs.; NONFAT DRY MILK, 41,000-45,000 lbs.; BUTTER, 40,000-43,000 lbs; DRY WHEY, 41,000-45,000 lbs. Weekly Change is the sum of Daily Price Changes. Weekly Average is the simple average of the Daily Cash Close prices for the calendar week. Weekly Average Change is the difference between current and previous Weekly Average. Computed by Dairy Market News for informational purposes. This data is available on the Internet at WWW.AMS.USDA.GOV/MARKET-NEWS/DAIRY

NOTICE: Five days of trading information can be found at www.cmegroup.com/trading/agricultural/spot-call-data.html

BUTTER MARKETS

EAST

Butter production in the East runs steady heading into the holiday, though cream supplies tighten in the back half of the week as plants shift schedules. Churns stay focused on contract needs, and buyers keep demand moving at a steady holiday pace. Retail and foodservice orders remain strong, inventories stay balanced, and the market holds a firm tone with no major changes expected until post-holiday operations ramp back up.

Prices for: Eastern U.S., All First Sales, F.O.B., Grade AA, Conventional, and Edible Butter

Bulk Basis Pricing - 80% Butterfat \$/LB: -0.0200 - +0.0500

CENTRAL

In the Central region, milk production is steady but up from last year. Contacts report milk component levels are increasing, leaving plenty of cream available in the region. Demand for cream is steady to lighter, as processors are preparing for Thanksgiving. As of report publication, cream multiples are down from last week, 0.90 - 1.24. Butter churns were active early in the week, but planned downtime at plants for the holiday is contributing to lighter overall production. Contacts report strong demand from retail customers and say food service sales are steady. Some stakeholders say current butter prices are appealing to potential purchasers and are contributing to increased interest in recent weeks. Exports of 82 percent butterfat butter remain strong, and contacts say inventories are tighter than 80 percent butterfat butter.

Prices for: Central U.S., All First Sales, F.O.B., Grade AA, Conventional, and Edible Butter

Bulk Basis Pricing - 80% Butterfat \$/LB:

-0.0200 - +0.0500

WEST

Spot cream load availability is adequately fulfilling demands, although some manufacturers report milk volumes are tighter. Some butter manufacturers are taking in spot cream loads, while others are sticking to contractual cream volume intakes. Cream multiples for week 48 are below the bottom end and above the top end of the All-Classes range from week 47. Butter manufacturers note steady or strong production schedules and minimal downtime for the holiday week. Some butter producers in the region continue to focus their bulk butter production on loads for international sales. Domestic demand varies from lighter to somewhat stronger. Export demand varies from steady to strong. The CME closing butter price for Wednesday, November 26, 2025, is \$1.45, down 1 cent from the start of the week.

Prices for: Western U.S., All First Sales, F.O.B., Grade AA, Conventional, and Edible Butter

Bulk Basis Pricing - 80% Butterfat LB: -0.0300 - +0.0300

CHEESE MARKETS

EAST

Cheese production in the East is steady heading into Thanksgiving, with plants maintaining regular schedules and balanced output. Milk supplies continue to support Class III needs, and buyers keep demand moving at a consistent holiday pace. Spot milk activity remains quiet, inventories stay manageable, and the market holds a firm, stable tone.

CENTRAL

Milk production is steady in the Central region, but contacts say farm level output remains up from last year. Cheesemakers say demand from bottling operations is lighter ahead of Thanksgiving and cheesemakers are generally using milk internally ahead of the holiday. Spot milk trades are lighter this week, but Class III prices are unchanged last week, \$1.50-under to \$1.50-over. Cheese production is lighter this week, as processors have several days of downtime for the holiday weekend. Spot loads are available. Retail cheese demand remains strong, while food service sales are steady. Stakeholders say export interest is strong.

WEST

In the West, cheese manufacturers report contractual milk volumes are steadily being received. Availability of Class III spot milk loads is mixed throughout the region. Some cheese manufacturers note, despite the holiday week, spot Class III milk volumes are tight. Cheese production schedules vary from somewhat lighter to steady. Reported downtime for week 48 is predominately tied to converting, cutting, or packaging aspects of the cheese production process. Manufacturers and distributors note tight spot load availability for certain varieties of cheese. Domestic demand varies from flat to strong. A few stakeholders convey 2026 contract sales are strong. Export demand varies from steady to strong.

FOREIGN

Retail demand for foreign type cheese is strengthening further with upcoming holiday celebrations. Food service demand is steady. Stakeholders indicate sales within expectations. Demand international buyers is stronger. Stakeholders convey Q4 contract sales are strong. European milk production varies from steady to stronger this week and is up year over year. CLAL.it data shows cow's milk deliveries to European Union dairies for July 2025, August 2025, and September 2025 are up 0.87%, 3.03%, and 4.39%, respectively, compared to same month year ago. Cheese schedules vary from somewhat lighter to somewhat stronger with the holiday week. Spot load availability of foreign type cheese loads is tighter. Price sentiment from stakeholders is stability for the near term, but mixed outlooks for farther out.

COLD STORAGE

Date/Change	Butter	Cheese
11/24/2025:	40,014	81,051
11/01/2025:	49,258	83,845
Change:	(9,244)	(2,794)
% Change:	(19)	(3)

FLUID MILK AND CREAM

EAST

In the East, milk production is seasonally strong. Demand for all classes is lighter this week. Thanksgiving is negatively impacting demand, as several processors throughout the region scheduled downtime. Spot sales to bottling operations are down, but some contacts anticipate sales to pick up next week. Contacts report Class II demand should increase next week as processors prepare for the end of year holidays. Some cheesemakers say they were running busy schedules early in the week but are closed for the holiday and into the weekend. Cream is plentiful in the region and contacts say lighter demand ahead of Thanksgiving pushed multiples lower. Butter makers are less interested in cream volumes this week, as they prepared for the holiday. Condensed skim milk was more available ahead of the holiday and contacts report lower prices for spot loads, compared to prior weeks. Condensed skim prices range from \$0.10 under to \$0.15 over Class.

Northeastern U.S., F.O.B. Condensed Skim
Price Range - Class II, \$/LB Solids: 1.09 – 1.39
Price Range - Class III, \$/LB Solids: 1.31 – 1.61

Northeastern U.S., F.O.B. Cream
Price Range - All Classes, \$/LB Butterfat:

Multiples Range - All Classes:

Price Range - Class II, \$/LB Butterfat:

Multiples Range - Class II:

1.4269 - 1.8925

0.9500 - 1.2600

1.7123 - 1.8925

Multiples Range - Class II:

1.1400 - 1.2600

CENTRAL

Milk output is steady in the Central region and component levels are strong. Contacts report both milk production and components are up from last year. Processors throughout the region scheduled downtime this week for Thanksgiving, contributing to lighter demand for all Classes. Stakeholders say spot sales to bottling operations are significantly less than last week, though some expect interest to rebound following the holiday. Cheesemakers say spot demand for Class III milk is light, as plant managers are utilizing internal volumes to run busy schedules to prepare for the late-week holiday. Class III spot prices are unchanged from last week, ranging from \$1.5 -under to \$1.5-over Class. Cream remains plentiful in the region and butter makers report lower multiples than last week, showing significant declines due to the Thanksgiving holiday. Butter production is lighter this week as several processors are not purchasing additional spot cream as they prepare for downtime.

Price Range - Class III Milk; \$/CWT; Spot Basis: -1.50 - 1.50 Trade Activity: Slow

Midwestern U.S., F.O.B. Cream
Price Range - All Classes; \$/LB Butterfat: 1.2767 - 1.8625
Multiples Range - All Classes: 0.8500 - 1.2400
Price Range - Class II, \$/LB Butterfat: 1.5771 - 1.8625
Multiples Range - Class II: 1.0500 - 1.2400

WEST

California milk production is strong. Spot milk loads are available. Stakeholders convey higher year over year milk production is not always translating to higher availability of dry dairy product commodities. Most manufacturers say milk intakes remain steady or strong this week. According to the California Department of Water Resources, as of November 26, the statewide precipitation total is 2.30 inches above the historical mean for the current water year. Farm level milk output in Arizona is strengthening. Spot milk loads are somewhat looser. Week over week New Mexico milk production varies from steady to stronger. Pacific Northwest milk production varies from steady to stronger. Some manufacturers note milk intakes are above anticipated volumes. Stakeholders note purchases of spot milk loads from across state boarders as well. Week over week milk production in the mountain states of Idaho, Utah, and Colorado is mixed. Some stakeholders convey later breeding times in 2025 are having some impacts on Q4 milk production. Idaho handlers convey year over year milk production is comfortably up. Idaho/Utah manufacturers note some production schedules are lighter due to the holiday week. Class I demand is strong, Class II demand varies from steady to lighter, and all other Class demands are steady throughout the region. Cream demand is mixed for the holiday week. Cream multiples are below the bottom end and above the top end of the week 47 All-Classes range. Condensed skim milk demand and availability are steady.

 Western U.S., F.O.B. Cream

 Price Range - All Classes; \$/LB Butterfat:
 1.3518 - 1.8324

 Multiples Range - All Classes:
 0.9000 - 1.2200

 Price Range - Class II, \$/LB Butterfat:
 1.6071 - 1.8324

 Multiples Range - Class II:
 1.0700 - 1.2200

NONFAT DRY MILK, BUTTERMILK, & DRY WHOLE MILK

Prices represent carlot/trucklot quantities for domestic and export sales packaged in 25 kg. or 50 lb. bags, or totes, spray process, dollars per pound.

NONFAT DRY MILK - CENTRAL AND EAST

Prices for low/medium heat nonfat dry milk (NDM) are unchanged across the range and mostly price series in the Central and East regions. Contacts report steady domestic demand and say export demand is strong. Spot inventories are tight, and some contacts say they continue to source loads from the West to meet their immediate needs. Plant managers report condensed skim milk is available for drying, but they are running lighter production schedules due to the holiday. High heat NDM production remains limited, as manufacturers remain focused on low/medium heat. Demand for high heat NDM is light and inventories are snug. High heat NDM prices held steady this week.

Price Range - Low & Medium Heat:	1.1300 - 1.2500
Mostly Range - Low & Medium Heat:	1.1500 - 1.1900
Price Range - High Heat:	1.2200 - 1.3300

NONFAT DRY MILK - WEST

Low/medium heat nonfat dry milk (NDM) prices are slightly higher for both ends of the range in the West. The mostly price series is unchanged. Domestic and export demand is steady. Spot load availability is somewhat tighter. Some stakeholders convey stronger milk production is not translating into increasing NDM availability. Stakeholders report mostly steady production schedules for the holiday week. High heat NDM prices are slightly lower for the bottom end and are unchanged for the top end of the range. High heat NDM production schedules vary from steady to lighter for the holiday week. Demand is steady.

Price Range - Low & Medium Heat:	1.1250 - 1.2000
Mostly Range - Low & Medium Heat:	1.1400 - 1.1800
Price Range - High Heat:	1.2250 - 1.3300

DRY BUTTERMILK - CENTRAL AND EAST

Buttermilk powder (BMP) activity remains slow in the East and Central regions this week. Prices are unchanged, and buyers continue to secure only routine volumes as the mid-week holiday shortened trading windows. Producers ran normal schedules early in the week before shifting into lighter holiday operations, which is keeping output steady, but limited additional availability. Inventories remain comfortable but heavier than some suppliers prefer, and spot interest stays quiet. Overall market tone holds steady with no meaningful changes expected until post-holiday scheduling resumes.

Price Range: 1.1000 - 1.1900

DRY BUTTERMILK - WEST

In the West, dry buttermilk prices are 1 cent higher for the bottom end and 1 cent lower for the top end of the range. The mostly price series is 1 cent lower for both ends. Domestic and export demand is steady. Spot load availability is mixed. Manufacturers generally convey their inventories are tight or balanced. Traders note spot loads are available and in some cases are having more dry buttermilk loads offered to them. Butter manufacturers are actively churning this week and providing adequate amounts of liquid buttermilk. Dry buttermilk production schedules vary from somewhat lighter to steady.

 Price Range:
 1.0800 - 1.1800

 Mostly Range:
 1.1200 - 1.1600

DRY WHOLE MILK

Dry whole milk prices are higher at the top of the range this week, while the bottom stays unchanged. Buyers are steadily purchasing, staying focused on routine coverage with only light interest in extra spot loads. Plants maintained their usual output early in the week, but are shifting into lighter holiday schedules, keeping available volumes in line with recent weeks. Demand is firm, and the overall market tone reflects a stable, orderly pace with no major shifts heading into the end of the month.

Price Range - 26% Butterfat: 1.7300 - 1.9400

WHEY, WPC 34%, LACTOSE, & CASEIN

Prices represent carlot/trucklot quantities for domestic and export sales packaged in 25 kg. or 50 lb. bags, or totes, spray process, dollars per pound.

DRY WHEY- CENTRAL

The bottom of the Central region dry whey price range is slightly lower, but prices are unchanged at the top of the range. The mostly price series is 3 cents higher on both ends. Contacts report prices are generally moving higher as several manufacturers are sold out of spot inventories, and some note purchasers are often willing to pay higher prices for dry whey from specific brands from resellers. Dry whey production remains limited as manufacturers are focusing production schedules on higher whey protein concentrates (WPC) and whey protein isolate (WPI). Stakeholders say prices for WPCs and WPI continue to push higher, amid strong demand and limited availability. Some spot purchasers say lower prices for spot dry whey on the CME and declining CME futures prices may have an impact on dry whey prices in the coming weeks.

 Price Range - Animal Feed:
 0.3500 - 0.3700

 Price Range - Non-Hygroscopic:
 0.5600 - 0.8000

 Mostly Range - Non-Hygroscopic:
 0.6700 - 0.7300

DRY WHEY- EAST

Dry whey prices are lower at the bottom of the range this week and holding steady at the top. Demand for dry whey is steady to lighter. Spot prices for dry whey peaked at \$0.7850 last Wednesday but closed at \$0.7325 this Wednesday. Some contacts suggest recent high prices are causing some purchasers to become more hesitant to secure loads, while others note lighter demand this week due to the holiday. Dry whey production remains light as manufacturers remain focused on higher whey protein concentrates. Spot purchasers say loads are difficult to obtain as several brands remain sold out in the near term.

Price Range - Non-Hygroscopic: 0.5900 - 0.7000

DRY WHEY- WEST

In the West, dry whey prices are 3.75 cents higher at the bottom end and 0.50 cents lower at the top end of the range. Prices are higher for the bottom end and lower for the top end of the mostly price series as well. Domestic demand is steady. Demand from international buyers is stronger. Spot load availability is tight, especially for brand preferred dry whey loads. Stakeholders convey a few producers are behind on orders. Although some parts of the cheese production process are lighter this holiday week, liquid whey volumes continue to be at hand to utilize. Manufacturers report mostly steady production schedules.

Price Range - Non-Hygroscopic: 0.6375 - 0.7550 Mostly Range - Non-Hygroscopic: 0.6600 - 0.7200

WHEY PROTEIN CONCENTRATE

Whey protein concentrate 34% (WPC 34%) prices are higher at the bottom and top of the range this week, while the mostly series stays unchanged. Demand is steady as buyers are keeping routine coverage moving, even with the mid-week holiday reducing trading windows. Plants maintained normal production early in the week, but are shifting into lighter holiday schedules, keeping volumes in line with recent weeks and spot availability tight. Market tone stays firm as interest continues to meet the limited product moving outside contracts.

 Price Range - 34% Protein:
 1.1000 - 1.8500

 Mostly Range - 34% Protein:
 1.3000 - 1.7000

LACTOSE

Lactose prices are steady across the full price range and the mostly series this week. Demand remains strong from domestic buyers and Southeast Asia, keeping sales activity moving at a firm pace through the mid-week holiday. Producers ran normal schedules early in the week, but are shifting into lighter holiday operations, keeping spot availability tight but workable. Volumes track close to recent weeks, and the market holds a stable, consistent tone heading into month-end.

Price Range - Non Pharmaceutical: 0.4000 - 0.5600 Mostly Range - Non Pharmaceutical: 0.4500 - 0.5000

CASEIN

Prices for acid casein are unchanged this week. Contacts in Oceania report steady demand within the region and from purchasers in other regions. Milk output remains strong in Oceania and plant managers say production is steady. Spot loads are available for purchase.

Rennet casein prices are also steady this week. In Europe, most of the recent production is going towards contractual purchases, but some loads are moving on the spot market. Inventories are available to meet current market demands. Production is steady.

Acid Casein Price Range:3.8500 - 4.1500Rennet Casein Price Range:3.4000 - 3.8000

U.S. Dairy Cow Slaughter (1000 head) under Federal Inspection

	2025	2025	2024	2024
WEEK ENDING	WEEKLY DAIRY COWS	CUMULATIVE DAIRY COWS	WEEKLY DAIRY COWS	CUMULATIVE DAIRY COWS
11/15/2025	52.6	2,313.6	52.2	2,406.0

WEBSITE: http://www.ams.usda.gov/mnreports/ams_3658.pdf

SOURCE: The slaughter data are gathered and tabulated in a cooperative effort by the Agricultural Marketing Service, the Food Safety and Inspection Service, and the National Agricultural Statistics Service, all of USDA

FEDERAL MILK ORDER CLASS III MILK PRICES (3.5% Butterfat)												
YEAR	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC
2020	17.05	17.00	16.25	13.07	12.14	21.04	24.54	19.77	16.43	21.61	23.34	15.72
2021	16.04	15.75	16.15	17.67	18.96	17.21	16.49	15.95	16.53	17.83	18.03	18.36
2022	20.38	20.91	22.45	24.42	25.21	24.33	22.52	20.10	19.82	21.81	21.01	20.50
2023	19.43	17.78	18.10	18.52	16.11	14.91	13.77	17.19	18.39	16.84	17.15	16.04
2024	15.17	16.08	16.34	15.50	18.55	19.87	19.79	20.66	23.34	22.85	19.95	18.62
FEDERAL MILK ORDER CLASS IV MILK PRICES (3.5% Butterfat)												
YEAR	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC
2020	16.65	16.20	14.87	11.40	10.67	12.90	13.76	12.53	12.75	13.47	13.30	13.36
2021	13.75	13.19	14.18	15.42	16.16	16.35	16.00	15.92	16.36	17.04	18.79	19.88
2022	23.09	24.00	24.82	25.31	24.99	25.83	25.79	24.81	24.63	24.96	23.30	22.12
2023	20.01	18.86	18.38	17.95	18.10	18.26	18.26	18.91	19.09	21.49	20.87	19.23
2024	19.39	19.85	20.09	20.11	20.50	21.08	21.31	21.58	22.29	20.90	21.12	20.74
			F	EDERAL M	ILK ORDEF	R CLASS PR	ICES FOR 2	025 (3.5% B	utterfat)			
CLASS	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC
I (BASE) II	20.38 21.58	21.27 21.08	21.02 20.12	19.57 19.22	18.37 18.72	17.26 18.43	18.82 19.31	18.93 19.18	18.70 17.39	18.04 16.02	16.75	18.21
III IV	20.34	20.18 19.90	18.62	17.48	18.57	18.82	17.32	17.24	17.59	16.91		
1 V	20.73	19.90	18.21	17.92	18.13	18.30	18.89	18.50	16.17	14.30		

Further information may be found at: https://www.ams.usda.gov/rules-regulations/mmr/dmr

NATIONAL DAIRY PRODUCTS SALES REPORT

U.S. AVERAGES AND TOTAL POUNDS

WEEK ENDING	BUTTER	CHEESE 40# BLOCKS	DRY WHEY	NDM
11/22/2025	1.6393	1.7200	0.6465	1.1582
	2,768,837	12,717,483	5,481,841	14,711,824

Further data and revisions may be found on the internet at: http://www.ams.usda.gov/rules-regulations/mmr/dmr

CME GROUP, INC FUTURES

Selected closing prices

CLASS III N	IILK FUTU	RES (Pit-T	raded) (\$/cv	vt)		NONFAT DRY MILK FUTURES (Pit-Traded) (¢/lb)
DATE	11/21	11/24	11/25	11/26	11/27	DATE 11/21 11/24 11/25 11/26 11/27
NOV 25	17.17	17.18	17.19	17.20	No	NOV 25 116.850 116.000 116.025 116.125 No
DEC 25	16.10	16.19	15.93	15.87	Trading	DEC 25 115.500 115.050 115.050 115.050 Trading
JAN 26	15.15	15.20	15.11	15.18		JAN 26 114.250 113.050 113.275 112.175
CLASS IV M	DRY WHEY FUTURES (Electronic-Traded) (¢/lb)					
DATE	11/21	11/24	11/25	11/26	11/27	DATE 11/21 11/24 11/25 11/26 11/27
NOV 25	13.83	13.83	13.83	13.83	No	NOV 25 63.450 63.450 63.450 63.050 No
DEC 25	13.80	13.55	13.40	13.50	Trading	DEC 25 65.250 65.500 65.150 64.975 Trading
JAN 26	13.76	13.52	13.52	13.44		JAN 26 65.575 64.025 65.250 65.250
CASH SETT	LED BUTT	ER FUTUE	RES (Electro	onic-Traded	l) (¢/lb)	CASH-SETTLED CHEESE FUTURES (Electronic-Traded) (\$/lb)
DATE	11/21	11/24	11/25	11/26	11/27	DATE 11/21 11/24 11/25 11/26 11/27
NOV 25	159.250	159.250	158.800	158.800	No	NOV 25 1.749 1.749 1.749 1.753 No
DEC 25	152.700	152.000	149.775	150.000	Trading	DEC 25 1.570 1.579 1.557 1.554 Trading
JAN 26	154.750	154.000	151.000	151.025		JAN 26 1.483 1.491 1.476 1.486

Further information may be found at: https://www.cmegroup.com/markets/agriculture/dairy.html

ORGANIC DAIRY MARKET NEWS

Information gathered November 17 - 28, 2025

ORGANIC DAIRY MARKET OVERVIEW

The Transition to Organic Partnership Program (TOPP) was formed through cooperative agreements between the USDA and non-profit organizations to provide technical assistance and support for transitioning and existing organic farmers. A calendar of events held by partner organizations can be found at the following link: https://www.organictransition.org/events/

A selection of upcoming events is included below:

UNL's Transition to Organic Farming Conference, Mead, NE - Dec 2 IOA's Record Keeping for the Organic Farmer, Virtual - Dec 3 Farm Progress Organic Grower's Summit, Monterey, CA - Dec 3-4 MSU's Organic Farmer Training Program, Virtual - Dec 5 NCAT's Organic Seed Stewardship, Hattiesburg, MS - Dec 6 Food Works Fertile Ground Workshop, Carbondale, IL - Dec 7 NOFA-VT's Record Keeping for Organic, Virtual - Dec 8 MACD's Annual Conference, Bellaire, MI - Dec 8-9 NOFA-MASS's Certified Organic: Step-by-Step, Virtual - Dec 9 IOA's Annual Meeting, Stratford, IA - Dec 9 SDSPA's Organic Seed Starting and Transplants, Virtual - Dec 9 IAC's Annual Conference, Las Vegas, NV - Dec 9-11 MOA's Annual Conference, Great Falls, MT - Dec 9-11 OTA's Buyer-Seller Mixer for Organic Feedstuffs, Virtual - Dec 10 NCAT's Promoting Organic Farm products, Jackson, MS - Dec 11

ORGANIC DAIRY FLUID OVERVIEW

Federal Milk Market Order 1, in the Northeast, reports utilization of types of organic milk by regulated plants. During October 2025, organic whole milk utilization totaled 18.73 million pounds, up from 16.17 million pounds the previous year. The butterfat content, 3.30 percent, is unchanged from a year ago. The utilization of organic reduced fat milk, 17.73 million pounds, increased from 13.45 million pounds a year ago. The butterfat content, 1.56 percent, is up from 1.46 percent last year.

The Foreign Agricultural Service (FAS) releases monthly export data which includes export volumes and values for organic milk categorized as HS-10 code 0401201000. Recently released data for August 2025 indicated organic milk exports were 587,472 liters, down 24.2 percent from the month prior, but up 101.7 percent from August 2024. Exports of organic milk from the start of the year through August, 3,745,241 liters, are up 99.8 percent, compared to the same time period one year ago.

A large Dutch organic milk processor announced that the guaranteed price for organic farm milk in December 2025 is 68.71 EUR/100kg (\$79.86 USD), up 0.21 Euros from November 2025. The processor stated they anticipate reference companies to keep prices aligned with organic market developments. The guaranteed organic price applies to 100kg of milk with standard component levels: 3.58 percent protein, 4.45 percent fat, and 4.53 percent lactose. The amounts apply to an average supply of 550,000 kg of milk annually.

A cooperative announced their December organic milk pay price in the UK is unchanged from the previous month, 57.95 pence (\$0.77 USD) per liter. The announcement stated that while overall dairy markets are negatively impacted by the large volume of milk available, organic markets remain in balance.

European organic milk average pay prices for September 2025 increased in Austria, France, Germany, and Bavaria compared to August. The average pay price in September 2025 was up from a year ago in Austria, France, Germany, and Bavaria.

Organic Milk Pay Prices in Europe September 2025

Country	Euros/100KG	*(USD/100KG)	%Change	%Change
Country	Euros/100KG	(OSD/100KG)	Aug 2025	Sep 2024
Austria (1)	63.12	\$74.06	+0.32	+13.28
Austria (2)	68.91	\$80.85	+0.57	+11.70
Germany	66.84	\$78.42	+0.74	+15.10
Bavaria	67.00	\$78.61	+0.68	+15.38
France	51.97	\$60.97	+1.40	+ 3.21

*Results are based on the exchange rate for September 15, 2025, exchange rate of 1 Euro/1.17326 \$USD.

Austria (1) prices exclude "haymilk," Austria (2) prices include "haymilk" which is produced by cows mainly fed grasses and dry hay, rather than silage.

The Agricultural Marketing Service (AMS) reported September 2025 estimated fluid product sales. The U.S. sale of total organic milk products was 251 million pounds, up 0.5 percent from the previous year. From the start of the year through September, the U.S. sale of total organic milk products was 2,238 million pounds, down 1.2 percent compared to the same period last year. Organic whole milk sales, 136 million pounds, increased 3.8 percent compared to a year earlier and are up 3.4 percent year-to-date. Reduced fat milk (2%) sales were 83 million pounds, up 3.9 percent from the previous year but down 0.5 percent year-to-date.

Estimated Total U.S. Sales Of Organic Fluid Milk Products September 2025, with comparison

	Sales ¹	Sales ¹	% Change	% Change
Product Name	Sep	Y-T-D	Prev Yr.	Y-T-D
Whole Milk	136	1,223	3.8	3.4
Flavored Whole Milk	1	6	- 13.2	- 16.5
Reduced Fat Milk (2%)	83	720	3.9	- 0.5
Low Fat Milk (1%)	17	152	- 18.8	- 19.0
Fat-Free Milk (Skim)	9	90	- 9.5	- 10.3
Flavored Fat-Reduced Milk	5	44	- 19.5	- 25.5
Other Fluid Milk Products	0	3	- 68.3	- 26.1
Total Fat-Reduced Milk	114	1,006	- 2.5	- 6.0
Total Organic Milk Products	251	2,238	0.5	- 1.2
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1. Sales in million pounds. Data may not add due to rounding

In a recent report from a Pacific Northwest livestock auction, the top 10 organic cull cows traded lower than conventional cull cows. The average price for the top 10 organic cows auctioned was \$104.08 per hundredweight, compared to an average price of \$151.66 per hundredweight for the top 10 conventional cows auctioned. The average weight for the top 10 conventional cows was 1,553.0 pounds compared to 1,240.0 pounds for the top 10 organic cows. The overall price for conventional cows auctioned was \$108.95 per hundredweight with an average weight of 1,175.6 pounds.

NATIONAL ORGANIC GRAIN AND FEEDSTUFFS

The following was reported by USDA AMS Livestock, Poultry, and Grain Market News (LPGMN) in the National Organic Grain and Feedstuffs Report. Compared to the last period, organic feed corn and soybean trade was active for the spot market and forward contract activity, amid good demand. Harvest is wrapping up for the 2025 crop. Organic feed corn prices are slowly trending upward, while organic feed soybean prices are unevenly steady. Trade activity is limited for organic soybean meal and oil. The next report will be published on Wednesday, December 10, 2025.

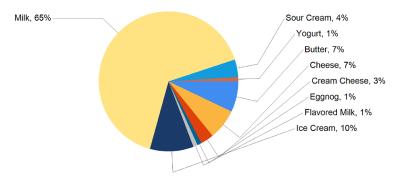
The National Organic Grain and Feedstuff report is available at the following link: https://www.ams.usda.gov/mnreports/ams 3802.pdf

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ORGANIC DAIRY RETAIL OVERVIEW

In the week 47 retail survey, organic dairy ads fell 68 percent but increased 277 percent in week 48. Yogurt is the only organic commodity that appeared in fewer ads this week. Organic eggnog and flavored milk were both present in retail ads in week 48, after not appearing in the previous survey. Milk overtook ice cream as the most advertised organic commodity.

Percentage of Total Organic Ads by Commodity



Organic milk ads increased 973 percent, and gallons appeared in surveyed ads after not appearing in week 47. Half gallons remained the most advertised organic milk product as ads grew 582 percent this week. The weighted average advertised price (average price) for organic half gallon milk decreased 38 cents to \$4.64. Conventional half gallon milk has an average price of \$1.64, making the organic premium \$3.00.

Ads for ice cream, the second most advertised organic commodity, are up 14 percent. The most advertised organic ice cream product is 14-16-ounce containers, which appeared in 43 percent more ads this week. The average price for this product is \$6.97, down 7 cents. Packages of 14-16-ounce conventional ice cream have an average price of \$3.57, so the organic premium is \$3.40.

Organic cheese ads are up 61 percent, as every organic cheese product present in the week 47 retail survey appeared in more ads this week. Ads for organic 6-8-ounce shred style cheese, the most advertised organic cheese product, increased 40 percent. This product's average price is up 23 cents to \$4.90, while its conventional counterpart has an average price of \$2.38. The week 48 organic premium for 6-8-ounce shred style cheese is \$2.52.

Butter overtook sour cream as the fourth most advertised organic commodity while appearing in 286 percent more ads this week. Organic 8-ounce butter ads are up 390 percent, and the average price increased 38 cents to \$5.19. Conventional butter in the same package size's average price is \$3.54, leaving an organic premium of \$1.65.

NATIONAL RETAIL ORGANIC DAIRY WEIGHTED AVERAGE ADVERTISED PRICES

COMMODITY	This	Last	Last
COMMODITI	Week	Week	Year
Butter - 8 oz.	\$5.19	\$4.81	\$4.99
Butter - 1 lb.	\$4.99	\$5.03	\$7.83
Cheese - 6-8 oz. Block	\$5.39	\$5.45	\$5.55
Cheese - 6-8 oz. Shred	\$4.90	\$4.67	\$3.99
Cheese - 6-8 oz. Sliced	\$4.54	\$4.36	\$3.93
Cream Cheese - 8 oz.	\$4.54	\$4.32	\$3.33
Eggnog - Half Gallon	\$4.56	n.a.	n.a.
Flavored Milk - Half Gallon	\$6.08	n.a.	n.a.
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Ice Cream - 14-16 oz.	\$6.97	\$7.04	\$5.99
Ice Cream - 48-64 oz.	\$8.87	\$8.95	\$8.04
Milk - Half Gal	\$4.64	\$5.02	\$4.79
Milk - Gallon	\$8.66	n.a.	\$7.59
Sour Cream - 16 oz.	\$3.77	\$3.79	\$4.58
W. A.C. W.	#2.25	#2.75	00.15
Yogurt - 4-6 oz. Yogurt	\$2.25	\$2.75	\$2.15
Yogurt - 32 oz. Yogurt	n.a.	\$4.44	\$4.46

October Milk Production

Milk production in the 24 major States during October totaled 18.7 billion pounds, up 3.9 percent from October 2024. September revised production, at 18.2 billion pounds, was up 4.0 percent from September 2024. The September revision represented a decrease of 34 million pounds or 0.2 percent from last month's preliminary production estimate.

Production per cow in the 24 major States averaged 2,049 pounds for October, 30 pounds above October 2024.

The number of milk cows on farms in the 24 major States was 9.14 million head, 211,000 head more than October 2024, but 7,000 head less than September 2025.

October 2025 Milk Cows and Milk Production, by States									
	Milk	Cows ¹	Milk pe	r Cow ²	•	Milk Production ²			
State	2024	2025	2024	2025	2024	2025	Change from 2024		
	(thoi	isands)	(pou	nds)	(million)	pounds)	(percent)		
AZ	190	200	1,960	1,960	372	392	5.4		
CA	1,709	1,713	1,870	1,995	3,196	3,417	6.9		
CO	206	211	2,185	2,180	450	460	2.2		
FL	98	100	1,570	1,675	154	168	9.1		
GA	85	89	1,930	2,000	164	178	8.5		
ID	676	725	2,145	2,140	1,450	1,552	7.0		
IL	77	79	1,780	1,790	137	141	2.9		
IN	189	194	1,990	2,010	376	387	2.9		
IA	244	246	2,080	2,085	508	513	1.0		
KS	181	218	2,005	2,020	363	440	21.2		
MI	439	459	2,330	2,325	1,023	1,067	4.3		
MN	442	452	1,965	1,980	869	895	3.0		
NM	242	235	2,055	2,020	497	475	-4.4		
NY	630	648	2,130	2,155	1,342	1,396	4.0		
OH	251	251	1,880	1,880	472	472	=		
OR	118	123	1,760	1,770	208	218	4.8		
PA	465	460	1,725	1,735	802	798	-0.5		
SD	215	235	1,990	1,990	428	468	9.3		
TX	675	701	2,225	2,205	1,502	1,546	2.9		
UT	91	98	1,935	1,945	176	191	8.5		
VT	113	116	1,840	1,840	208	213	2.4		
VA	66	67	1,705	1,705	113	114	0.9		
WA	259	238	2,000	2,015	518	480	-7.3		
WI	1,266	1,280	2,130	2,145	2,697	2,746	1.8		
24 State Total	8,927	9,138	2,019	2,049	18,025	18,727	3.9		

¹ Includes dry cows. Excludes heifers not yet fresh.

Source: U.S. Department of Agriculture. National Agricultural Statistics Service. Agricultural Statistics Board. *Milk Production*, (November 2025)

² Excludes milk sucked by calves.

Mailbox Milk Prices for Selected Reporting Areas in Federal Milk Marketing Orders, August 2025, With Comparisons

In August 2025, mailbox milk prices for selected reporting areas in Federal milk orders averaged \$20.03 per cwt, down \$0.11 from the July 2025 average and down \$2.90 per cwt from the August 2024 average. The component tests of producer milk in August 2025 were: butterfat, 4.14%; protein, 3.24%; and other solids, 5.77%.

Mailbox Milk Prices, August 2025

D		Mailbox Milk Price ²	
Reporting Area ¹	Aug 2024	Jul 2025	Aug 2025
	(a	lollars per hundredweigh	ht)
New England States ³	23.59	21.49	21.36
New York	23.49	21.24	21.27
Eastern Pennsylvania ⁴	22.94	20.66	20.62
Appalachian States ⁵	24.31	22.63	22.57
Southeast States ⁶	25.71	24.00	24.27
Southern Missouri 7	24.15	19.67	20.25
Florida	26.41	24.40	24.48
Western Pennsylvania 8	22.85	20.04	20.13
Ohio	23.51	21.26	21.15
Indiana	23.53	20.48	20.35
Michigan	22.71	19.84	19.38
Wisconsin	23.04	19.67	19.27
Minnesota	23.27	19.31	19.78
Iowa	22.28	18.94	19.17
Illinois	23.07	20.74	20.51
Corn Belt States ⁹	21.52	18.83	18.61
Western Texas ¹⁰	22.13	19.36	19.27
New Mexico	20.37	18.39	18.07
Northwest States 11	21.00	17.78	17.63
California	23.16	20.22	20.18
All Federal Order Areas 12	22.93	20.14	20.03

¹ Areas for which prices are reported for at least 75% of the milk marketed under Federal milk marketing orders. ² Net pay prices received by dairy farmers for milk. Prices reflect all payments received for milk sold and all costs associated with marketing the milk. Prices are weighted averages of the prices reported for all orders receiving milk from the reporting area and are reported at the average butterfat tests. ³ Includes Connecticut, Maine, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, Rhode Island and Vermont. ⁴ Includes all counties to the east of those listed in ⁸. ⁵ Includes Kentucky, North Carolina, South Carolina, Tennessee, and Virginia. ⁶ Includes Alabama, Arkansas, Georgia, Louisiana, and Mississippi. ⁷ Includes the counties Vernon, Cedar, Polk, Dallas, Laclede, Texas, Dent, Crawford, Washington, St. Francois, and Perry, and all those to the south of these. ⁸ Includes the counties of Warren, Elk, Clearfield, Indiana, Westmoreland, and Fayette, and all those counties to the west of these. ⁹ Includes Kansas, Nebraska, and the Missouri counties to the north of those listed in ⁷. ¹⁰ Includes all counties to the west of Fanin, Hunt, Van Zandt, Henderson, Houston, Cherokee, Nacogdoches, and Shelby. ¹¹ Includes Oregon and Washington. ¹² Weighted average of prices for all reporting areas.

August 2025 Dairy Products Highlights

Butter production was 173 million pounds, 8.1 percent above August 2024 but 2.9 percent below July 2025. **American type cheese** production totaled 474 million pounds, 0.3 percent above august 2024 but 1.6 percent below July 2025. **Total cheese** output (excluding cottage cheese) was 1.20 billion pounds, 0.5 percent above August 2024 but 1.2 percent below July 2025. **Nonfat dry milk** production, for human food, totaled 123 million pounds, 6.8 percent above August 2024, and 4.6 percent below July 2025. **Dry whey** production, for human food, was 68.3 million pounds, 4.7 percent above August 2024, and -2.2 percent below July 2025. **Ice cream, regular hard** production, totaled 66.1 million gallons, 5.5 percent below August 2024, and 5.1 percent below July 2025.

				Production of I	Dairy Products				
	August		Change from			August	(Change from	
Product	August 2025	August 2024	July 2025	Year to Date ¹	Product	August 2025	August 2024	July 2025	Year to Date ¹
	(1,000 lbs)		(percent)			(1,000 lbs)		(percent)	
Butter	173,200	8.1	-2.9	5.6	Yogurt (plain and flavored)	449,117	5.9	0.2	8.1
Cheese	,				Dry whey, human food	66,152	8.7	-2.3	
American types ²	473,888	0.3	-1.6	3.4	Dry whey, animal feed	2,139	-51.3	2.9	
Cheddar	323,188	2.1	-2.3	5.3	Dry whey, total ⁸	68,291	4.7	-2.2	-4.7
Other American	150,700	-3.2	(Z)		Reduced lactose & minerals				
Brick & Muenster	15,516	-10.3	-16.8		Human and Animal	3,559	-1.4	1.8	
Hispanic	40,630	9.7	5.5		Lactose, human food & animal feed	94,185	-0.8	-1.9	1.5
Total Italian types	510,288	1.8	-1.1	2.2	Whey protein concentrate				
Mozzarella	404,800	0.9	-0.6	1.7	Human food 9	39,291	-3.1	-1.9	
Other Italian	105,488	5.8	-2.8		Animal feed ⁹	1,139	-8.4	23.1	
Swiss	25,936	-5.2	-4.6		Total ⁹	40,430	-3.3	-1.3	-2.1
All other types	40,986	1.6	-2.0		25.0-49.9 percent ¹⁰	9,209	-30.3	-16.4	
Total	1,202,079	0.5	-1.2	1.6	50.0-89.9 percent ¹⁰	31,221	9.3	4.2	
Cottage cheese, curd ³	41,997	5.0	-7.6		Whey protein isolates ¹¹	17,652	11.6	6.0	
Cottage cheese, cream ⁴	38,999	4.8	-2.7	9.8					
Cottage cheese, lowfat ⁵	36,226	8.8	-1.0	7.8		(1,000 gal)		(percent)	
Dry buttermilk	9,864	9.7	-11.2		Frozen products				
Dry whole milk	8,067	-6.4	-41.3		Ice cream, regular hard	66,104	-5.5	-5.1	-1.8
Milk protein conc. (MPC), total ⁶	20,117	-11.9	-18.3		Ice cream, lowfat, hard	17,311	-14.6	-8.0	
Nonfat dry milk (NDM), human	122,755	6.8	-4.6	0.4	Ice cream, lowfat, soft	17,941	-5.3	-11.4	
Skim milk powders (SMP) ⁷	42,317	-13.1	-4.6	-20.7	Ice cream, lowfat, total	35,252	-10.1	-9.8	-4.0
Sour cream	123,503	-2.8	-2.3	-2.0	Sherbet, hard	1,748	-19.3	-0.3	-8.8
					Frozen yogurt, total	3,444	-3.7	-3.1	5.7

Manufacturers' Stocks, End of Month 12

Product	August	August	July	Product	August	August	July
	2025 (1,000 lbs)	2024 (perce	2025 ent)		2025 (1,000 lbs)	2024 (perc	2025 ent)
				Whey protein concentrate			
Dry whey, human food	48,109	-12.9	-0.5	Human food ⁹	49,300	-9.8	-9.2
Dry whey, animal feed	994	-69.7	-10.6	Animal feed ⁹	1,567	12.7	34.3
Reduced lactose & minerals—human & animal 13	6,664	-22.3	-5.8	Total ⁹	50,867	-9.3	-8.2
Lactose, human food & animal feed	93,870	-24.3	0.1	25.0-49.9 percent ¹⁰	21,974	-3.0	-6.4
Dry buttermilk	25,651	-2.6	-4.6	50.0-89.9 percent ¹⁰	28,893	-13.5	-9.6
Nonfat dry milk, human food	233,487	10.4	-1.7	Whey protein isolates 11	15,167	-6.2	-2.1

¹ 2025 cumulative as percent change compared to 2024 cumulative. ² Includes Cheddar, Colby, washed curd, stirred curd, Monterey, and Jack. ³ Mostly used for processing into cream or lowfat cottage cheese. ⁴ Fat content 4 percent or more. ⁵ Fat content less than 4 percent. ⁶ Dry milk protein concentrate, 40-89.9 percent. ⁷ Includes protein standardized and blends. ⁸ Excludes all modified dry whey products. ⁹ Whey protein concentrate, 25.0 to 89.9 percent. ¹⁰ Whey protein concentrate, human and animal. ¹¹ Whey protein isolates, 90.0 percent or greater. ¹² Stocks held by manufacturers at all points and in transit. ¹³ Reduced lactose and minerals stocks combined to avoid disclosure of individual operations. (Z) Less than half of the unit shown. **Source:** U.S. Department of Agriculture. National Agricultural Statistics Service. Agricultural Statistics Board. *Dairy Products, November 2025.*

November 2025 Highlights: U.S. simple average prices are: \$4.32 per gallon for conventional whole milk, \$4.25 per gallon for conventional reduced fat 2% milk, \$5.36 per half gallon organic whole milk, and \$5.36 per half gallon organic reduced fat 2% milk.

Retail Prices for Conventional Whole Milk,

Average of Three Outlets, Selected Cities, by Months, 2025 1

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City and State	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Avg ²
						dollars pe							
Atlanta, GA	4.46	4.31	4.31	4.34	4.34	4.31	4.24	4.31	4.32	4.42	4.40		4.34
Baltimore, MD	4.34	4.47	4.54	4.49	4.44	4.44	4.44	4.34	4.44	4.34	4.34		4.42
Boston, MA	4.16	4.16	4.16	4.16	4.20	4.16	4.16	4.11	4.11	4.04	4.02		4.13
Chicago, IL	5.52	5.42	5.42	5.42	5.29	5.22	5.29	5.39	5.49	5.46	4.76		5.33
Cincinnati, OH	3.48	3.49	3.45	3.45	3.60	3.33	3.28	3.39	3.27	3.23	3.20		3.38
Cleveland, OH	4.22	4.22	4.22	4.22	4.32	4.32	4.32	4.32	4.32	4.32	4.32		4.28
Dallas, TX	3.40	3.43	3.33	3.48	3.33	3.31	3.40	3.43	3.35	3.32	3.30		3.37
Denver, CO	4.59	4.92	4.32	4.42	4.46	4.52	4.52	4.56	4.19	4.19	4.19		4.44
Detroit, MI	3.78	3.78	3.78	3.80	3.76	3.76	3.79	3.87	3.93	3.77	3.64		3.79
Hartford, CT	4.42	4.42	4.42	4.42	4.42	4.42	4.52	4.56	4.69	4.69	4.69		4.52
Houston, TX	4.00	4.00	4.00	4.05	3.93	3.89	3.87	3.97	4.03	4.17	4.28		4.02
Indianapolis, IN	3.47	3.47	3.47	3.47	3.47	3.41	3.37	3.38	3.31	3.19	3.03		3.37
Kansas City, MO	6.04	6.08	6.08	6.08	6.02	5.75	6.08	6.11	6.11	6.09	6.02		6.04
Louisville, KY	3.43	3.51	3.58	3.75	4.00	3.64	3.62	3.67	3.57	3.57	3.43		3.62
Miami, FL	4.45	4.45	4.43	4.17	4.17	4.42	4.18	4.35	4.33	4.33	4.33		4.33
Milwaukee, WI	4.52	4.72	4.69	4.39	4.42	4.42	4.42	4.49	4.62	4.62	4.69		4.55
Minneapolis, MN	4.96	4.96	4.69	4.72	4.72	4.72	4.72	4.72	4.92	4.92	4.92		4.82
New Orleans, LA	4.81	4.81	4.98	4.98	4.98	4.32	4.34	4.22	4.32	4.32	4.23		4.57
New York, NY	5.05	5.06	5.06	5.05	4.96	4.96	5.07	4.98	4.79	4.79	4.71		4.95
Oklahoma City, OK ³		4.53	4.72	4.88	4.40	4.43	4.43	4.47	4.40	4.40	4.37		4.50
Philadelphia, PA	5.42	4.94	5.47	5.44	5.27	5.29	5.45	5.45	5.45	5.42	4.88		5.32
Phoenix, AZ	3.72	3.69	3.76	3.49	3.56	3.43	3.43	3.56	3.49	3.49	3.49		3.56
Pittsburgh, PA	5.16	5.13	5.13	5.00	4.96	4.98	4.88	5.02	5.02	5.01	4.98		5.02
Portland, OR	4.39	4.39	4.39	4.49	4.49	4.46	4.39	4.52	4.49	4.36	4.12		4.41
Sacramento, CA	5.12	5.19	5.22	5.25	5.25	5.25	5.29	5.32	5.32	5.32	5.32		5.26
Seattle, WA	4.82	4.92	4.92	4.92	4.99	4.82	4.59	4.62	4.66	4.62	4.66		4.78
St. Louis, MO	5.15	5.10	5.11	5.11	5.09	5.14	4.96	5.09	5.10	5.07	5.04		5.09
Syracuse, NY	4.05	4.05	4.11	4.11	4.11	3.98	3.98	3.98	3.98	3.91	3.97		4.02
Washington, DC	4.14	4.14	4.14	3.89	3.89	3.89	3.89	4.34	4.44	4.34	4.34		4.13
Wichita, KS	4.52	4.53	4.68	4.73	4.53	4.40	4.28	4.23	4.23	4.14	4.02		4.39
Simple Average	4.47	4.48	4.49	4.47	4.45	4.38	4.37	4.43	4.42	4.40	4.32		4.43

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Retail Prices for Conventional Reduced Fat (2%) Milk, Average of Three Outlets, Selected Cities, by Months, 2025 ¹

Avera	ige or	1 111		uticts	, scic	cicu	Citi	o, Dy	17101	itiis,	2023		
City and State	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Avg ²
						(dollar	s per g	allon)					
Atlanta, GA	4.46	4.31	4.31	4.34	4.34	4.31	4.28	4.34	4.32	4.42	4.40		4.35
Baltimore, MD	4.34	4.47	4.54	4.49	4.44	4.44	4.44	4.34	4.44	4.34	4.34		4.42
Boston, MA	4.16	4.16	4.16	4.16	4.20	4.16	4.16	4.11	4.11	4.04	4.02		4.13
Chicago, IL	5.39	5.36	5.36	5.39	5.39	5.32	5.39	5.32	5.29	5.29	4.92		5.31
Cincinnati, OH	3.48	3.49	3.45	3.45	3.60	3.33	3.28	3.39	3.27	3.23	3.20		3.38
Cleveland, OH	4.22	4.22	4.22	4.22	4.32	4.32	4.32	4.32	4.32	4.32	4.32		4.28
Dallas, TX	3.40	3.43	3.33	3.48	3.33	3.31	3.40	3.43	3.35	3.32	3.30		3.37
Denver, CO	4.39	4.92	4.12	4.22	4.26	4.32	4.32	4.36	4.02	4.02	4.02		4.27
Detroit, MI	3.78	3.78	3.78	3.80	3.76	3.76	3.79	3.87	3.93	3.77	3.64		3.79
Hartford, CT	4.42	4.42	4.42	4.42	4.42	4.42	4.52	4.56	4.69	4.69	4.69		4.52
Houston, TX	4.00	4.00	4.00	4.05	3.93	3.89	3.87	3.97	4.03	4.17	4.28		4.02
Indianapolis, IN	3.47	3.47	3.47	3.47	3.47	3.41	3.37	3.38	3.31	3.19	3.03		3.37
Kansas City, MO	5.64	5.64	5.64	5.66	5.62	5.61	5.66	5.76	5.76	5.89	5.74		5.69
Louisville, KY	3.43	3.51	3.58	3.75	4.00	3.64	3.62	3.67	3.57	3.57	3.43		3.62
Miami, FL	4.35	4.35	4.30	4.17	4.03	4.42	4.18	4.35	4.33	4.19	4.33		4.27
Milwaukee, WI	4.09	4.22	4.52	4.42	4.26	4.22	4.22	4.22	4.22	4.22	4.22		4.26
Minneapolis, MN	4.79	4.62	4.52	4.82	4.82	4.82	4.82	4.82	4.49	4.49	4.49		4.68
New Orleans, LA	4.71	4.81	4.98	4.83	4.83	4.32	4.29	4.11	4.22	4.32	4.14		4.51
New York, NY	5.05	5.06	5.06	5.05	4.96	4.96	5.07	4.98	4.79	4.79	4.71		4.95
Oklahoma City, OK3		4.53	4.72	4.88	4.40	4.43	4.43	4.47	4.40	4.40	4.37		4.50
Philadelphia, PA	5.27	4.94	5.32	5.29	4.74	5.01	5.16	5.16	5.12	5.05	4.79		5.08
Phoenix, AZ	3.72	3.69	3.76	3.49	3.56	3.43	3.43	3.56	3.49	3.49	3.49		3.56
Pittsburgh, PA	4.89	4.86	4.93	4.74	4.71	4.72	4.74	4.79	4.83	4.76	4.75		4.79
Portland, OR	4.39	4.39	4.39	4.49	4.49	4.46	4.39	4.52	4.49	4.36	4.12		4.41
Sacramento, CA	5.12	5.19	5.22	5.22	5.22	5.22	5.29	5.32	5.32	5.32	5.32		5.25
Seattle, WA	4.72	4.82	4.82	4.82	4.89	4.72	4.52	4.56	4.59	4.56	4.59		4.69
St. Louis, MO	4.90	4.84	4.87	4.87	4.87	4.89	4.71	4.78	4.78	4.74	4.75		4.82
Syracuse, NY	3.91	3.91	3.98	3.98	3.98	3.85	3.85	3.85	3.85	3.77	3.84		3.89
Washington, DC	4.14	4.14	4.14	3.89	3.89	3.89	3.89	4.34	4.44	4.34	4.34		4.13
Wichita, KS	4.52	4.53	4.68	4.73	4.53	4.40	4.28	4.23	4.23	4.14	4.02		4.39
Simple Average	4.38	4.40	4.42	4.42	4.38	4.33	4.32	4.36	4.33	4.31	4.25		4.36

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Retail Prices for Organic Whole Milk, Average of Two Outlets, Selected Cities, by Months, 2025 ¹

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City and State	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec Avg ²
						(dollars	per hal	f gallon)			
Atlanta, GA	3.99	4.29	4.29	4.29	3.99	4.69	4.29	4.39	4.59	4.69	4.69	4.38
Baltimore, MD	5.64	6.14	5.74	5.74	5.74	5.84	5.84	6.04	6.04	6.04	6.04	5.89
Boston, MA	5.01	5.01	5.16	5.16	5.16	5.17	5.17	5.17	5.17	5.17	5.17	5.14
Chicago, IL	5.44	5.89	5.44	5.89	5.64	6.14	6.14	5.99	6.14	6.14	6.14	5.91
Cincinnati, OH	3.99	4.14	4.24	4.24	4.24	4.24	4.34	4.74	4.59	4.59	4.59	4.36
Cleveland, OH	4.39	4.39	4.39	4.39	4.49	4.54	4.64	4.64	4.64	4.79	4.79	4.55
Dallas, TX	3.99	4.14	4.21	4.21	4.31	4.21	4.41	4.31	4.39	4.39	4.19	4.25
Denver, CO	4.14	4.64	4.29	4.39	4.39	4.39	4.39	4.24	4.59	4.59	4.89	4.45
Detroit, MI	3.99	3.99	3.99	4.19	4.24	4.24	4.24	4.34	4.59	4.59	4.59	4.27
Hartford, CT	5.14	5.34	5.44	5.64	5.64	5.64	5.39	5.39	5.39	5.39	5.39	5.44
Houston, TX	3.99	4.14	4.21	4.21	4.21	4.21	4.21	4.31	4.39	4.39	4.39	4.24
Indianapolis, IN	3.99	3.99	4.31	4.31	4.21	4.61	4.61	4.31	4.81	4.81	4.29	4.39
Kansas City, MO	5.24	5.24	5.29	5.29	5.29	6.04	6.04	5.89	6.14	5.59	6.14	5.65
Louisville, KY	3.99	4.14	4.14	4.21	4.21	4.21	4.21	4.31	5.98	4.39	4.39	4.38
Miami, FL	4.15	4.15	4.28	4.51	4.51	4.28	4.91	4.91	4.95	4.95	4.95	4.60
Milwaukee, WI	5.44	5.94	5.89	5.89	6.29	6.29	6.29	6.39	6.39	6.54	6.39	6.16
Minneapolis, MN	4.94	5.34	4.94	5.64	5.64	5.74	5.74	5.74	5.74	5.74	5.74	5.54
New Orleans, LA	6.07	6.07	6.07	5.49	5.49	6.12	6.26	6.26	6.26	6.26	6.26	6.06
New York, NY	5.24	5.27	5.37	5.37	5.37	5.40	5.40	5.74	5.74	5.74	5.65	5.48
Oklahoma City, OK ³		4.14	4.12	4.80	4.80	5.86	5.86	5.86	5.86	5.44	5.86	5.26
Philadelphia, PA	6.14	5.64	6.29	6.29	6.29	6.29	6.29	5.84	6.29	6.49	6.49	6.21
Phoenix, AZ	4.74	4.89	4.89	4.89	4.89	5.14	5.14	5.34	5.49	5.34	5.34	5.10
Pittsburgh, PA	6.69	6.69	6.69	6.69	6.69	6.89	6.89	6.73	6.89	6.89	6.89	6.78
Portland, OR	6.24	6.24	6.24	6.49	6.49	6.49	6.49	6.49	6.49	6.74	6.74	6.47
Sacramento, CA	4.89	4.89	4.99	4.99	5.49	5.49	5.49	5.49	5.49	5.49	5.49	5.29
Seattle, WA	4.39	4.49	4.49	4.49	4.49	4.49	4.49	4.49	4.59	4.59	4.59	4.51
St. Louis, MO	5.34	5.34	5.41	5.41	5.41	5.96	5.96	5.96	5.96	5.54	5.54	5.62
Syracuse, NY	4.34	4.34	4.44	4.44	4.44	4.19	4.19	4.19	4.34	4.19	4.34	4.31
Washington, DC	5.64	5.64	5.74	5.74	5.74	5.84	5.84	6.04	6.04	6.04	6.04	5.85
Wichita, KS	3.99	4.14	4.21	4.31	4.21	4.61	4.61	4.71	4.71	4.84	4.81	4.47
Simple Average	4.87	4.96	4.97	5.05	5.07	5.24	5.26	5.28	5.42	5.35	5.36	5.17
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Retail Prices for Organic Reduced Fat (2%) Milk, Average of Two Outlets, Selected Cities, by Months, 2025 ¹

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City and State	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Avg ²
					(d	lollars p	er half	gallon)					
Atlanta, GA	3.99	4.29	4.29	4.29	3.99	4.69	4.29	4.39	4.59	4.69	4.69		4.38
Baltimore, MD	5.64	6.14	5.74	5.74	5.74	5.84	5.84	6.04	6.04	6.04	6.04		5.89
Boston, MA	5.01	5.01	5.16	5.16	5.16	5.17	5.17	5.17	5.17	5.17	5.17		5.14
Chicago, IL	5.44	5.89	5.44	5.89	5.64	6.14	6.14	5.99	6.14	6.14	6.14		5.91
Cincinnati, OH	3.99	4.14	4.24	4.24	4.24	4.24	4.34	4.74	4.59	4.59	4.59		4.36
Cleveland, OH	4.39	4.39	4.39	4.39	4.49	4.54	4.64	4.64	4.64	4.79	4.79		4.55
Dallas, TX	3.99	4.14	4.21	4.21	4.31	4.21	4.41	4.31	4.39	4.39	4.19		4.25
Denver, CO	4.14	4.64	4.29	4.39	4.39	4.39	4.39	4.24	4.59	4.59	4.89		4.45
Detroit, MI	3.99	3.99	3.99	4.19	4.24	4.24	4.24	4.34	4.59	4.59	4.59		4.27
Hartford, CT	5.14	5.34	5.44	5.64	5.64	5.64	5.39	5.39	5.39	5.39	5.39		5.44
Houston, TX	3.99	4.14	4.21	4.21	4.21	4.21	4.21	4.31	4.39	4.39	4.39		4.24
Indianapolis, IN	3.99	3.99	4.31	4.31	4.21	4.71	4.61	4.31	4.96	4.96	4.29		4.42
Kansas City, MO	5.24	5.24	5.29	5.29	5.29	6.04	6.04	5.89	6.14	5.54	6.14		5.65
Louisville, KY	3.99	4.14	4.14	4.21	4.21	4.21	4.21	4.31	5.98	4.39	4.39		4.38
Miami, FL	4.15	4.15	4.28	4.51	4.51	4.28	4.91	4.91	4.95	4.95	4.95		4.60
Milwaukee, WI	5.44	5.94	5.89	5.89	6.29	6.29	6.29	6.39	6.39	6.54	6.39		6.16
Minneapolis, MN	4.94	5.34	4.94	5.64	5.64	5.74	5.74	5.74	5.74	5.74	5.74		5.54
New Orleans, LA	6.07	6.07	6.07	7.09	7.09	6.12	6.26	6.26	6.26	6.27	6.26		6.35
New York, NY	5.24	5.27	5.37	5.37	5.37	5.40	5.40	5.74	5.74	5.74	5.65		5.48
Oklahoma City, OK ³		4.14	4.12	4.80	4.80	5.86	5.86	5.86	5.86	5.44	5.86		5.26
Philadelphia, PA	6.14	5.64	6.29	6.29	6.29	6.29	6.29	5.84	6.29	6.49	6.49		6.21
Phoenix, AZ	4.74	4.89	4.89	4.89	4.89	5.14	5.14	5.34	5.49	5.34	5.34		5.10
Pittsburgh, PA	6.69	6.69	6.69	6.69	6.69	6.89	6.89	6.73	6.89	6.89	6.89		6.78
Portland, OR	6.24	6.24	6.24	6.49	6.49	6.49	6.49	6.49	6.49	6.74	6.74		6.47
Sacramento, CA	4.89	4.89	4.99	4.99	5.49	5.49	5.49	5.49	5.49	5.49	5.49		5.29
Seattle, WA	4.39	4.49	4.49	4.49	4.49	4.49	4.49	4.49	4.59	4.59	4.59		4.51
St. Louis, MO	5.34	5.34	5.41	5.41	5.41	5.96	5.96	5.96	5.96	5.54	5.54		5.62
Syracuse, NY	4.34	4.34	4.44	4.44	4.44	4.19	4.19	4.19	4.34	4.19	4.34		4.31
Washington, DC	5.64	5.64	5.74	5.74	5.74	5.84	5.84	6.04	6.04	6.04	6.04		5.85
	3.99	4.14	4.21	4.31	4.21	4.61	4.61	4.71	4.71	4.84	4.81		4.47
Simple Average	4.87	4.96	4.97	5.11	5.12	5.25	5.26	5.28	5.43	5.35	5.36	-	5.18

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Market Summary and Utilization Report, October 2025

Highlights. During October, 11.1 billion pounds of milk were received from Federally pooled producers. This volume of milk is 2.1 percent higher than the 2024 volume. Regulated handlers pooled 3.6 billion pounds of producer milk as Class I products, down 0.3 percent when compared to the previous year. The all-market average Class utilization percentages were: Class I = 32%, Class II = 18%, Class III = 25%, Class IV = 25%. The weighted average statistical uniform price was \$17.47 per cwt, \$1.16 lower than last month and \$4.98 lower than last year.

Federal Milk Order	Order	Receipts of P	roducer Milk		Producer Milk lass I
Marketing Area ¹	Number	Total	Change from Prev. Year	Total	Change from Prev. Year
		(million lbs)	(percent)	(million lbs)	(percent)
Northeast (Boston)	001	2,306.4	3.2	683.4	-1.1
Appalachian (Charlotte)	005	430.4	-2.8	327.6	1.1
Florida (Tampa)	006	217.2	1.3	178.2	0.4
Southeast (Atlanta)	007	267.7	-6.6	213.7	-8.3
Upper Midwest (Chicago)	030	1,527.2	-5.7	171.8	2.6
Central (Kansas City)	032	997.8	-5.5	368.9	0.2
Mideast (Cleveland)	033	1,885.5	12.2	605.3	-2.1
California (Los Angeles)	051	1,788.5	10.1	421.9	2.4
Pacific Northwest (Seattle)	124	522.4	-4.1	140.7	3.6
Southwest (Dallas)	126	879.1	1.9	349.7	3.3
Arizona (Phoenix)	131	280.8	-8.2	127.7	-4.7
All Market Total or Average ²		11,102.9	2.1	3,588.8	-0.3

¹ Each name in parentheses is the major city in the principal pricing point of the market. ² Totals may not add due to rounding. Averages are the weighted average percent change.

Federal Milk Order	Order	Utilizat	ion of Producer	Milk in All C	lasses ²	Uniform Price ³
Marketing Area ¹	Number	Class I	Class II	Class III	Class IV	Uniform Price
			(perce	$nt)^2$		(\$ per cwt)
N. 4. (D.)	001	2.0	20	20	1.2	10.20
Northeast (Boston)	001	30	28	30	13	18.20
Appalachian (Charlotte)	005	76	17	4	3	21.42
Florida (Tampa)	006	82	16	1	1	22.62
Southeast (Atlanta)	007	80	16	1	3	21.91
Upper Midwest (Chicago)	030	11	10	69	9	17.05
Central (Kansas City)	032	37	19	19	25	17.04
Mideast (Cleveland)	033	32	24	33	11	17.47
California (Los Angeles)	051	24	8	2	67	15.54
Pacific Northwest (Seattle)	124	27	7	23	43	16.16
Southwest (Dallas)	126	40	16	3	41	16.89
Arizona (Phoenix)	131	46	24	10	20	17.55
All Market Total or Average ³		32	18	25	25	17.47

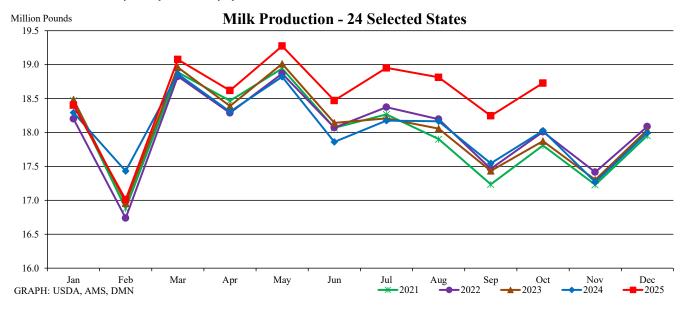
¹ Each name in parentheses is the major city in the principal pricing point of the market. ² Totals may not add to 100 percent due to rounding. Averages are weighted averages. ³ Statistical uniform prices for component pricing orders (Class III price plus producer price differential). For other orders, uniform skim milk price times 0.965 plus uniform butterfat price times 3.5.

U.S. Milk Production - 24 Selected States (Billion Pounds)

Year	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
2021	18.468	16.878	18.887	18.467	18.942	18.067	18.267	17.902	17.237	17.809	17.229	17.952
2022	18.201	16.739	18.826	18.287	18.868	18.070	18.373	18.196	17.465	18.009	17.415	18.088
2023	18.485	16.958	18.960	18.389	19.011	18.142	18.207	18.056	17.435	17.872	17.302	18.034
2024	18.293	17.432	18.861	18.305	18.821	17.861	18.175	18.164	17.544	18.025	17.270	17.996
2025	18.401	17.011	19.075	18.618	19.273	18.470	18.951	18.812	18.245	18.727	#N/A	#N/A

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NOTE: February data adjusted to 28 day equivalents.

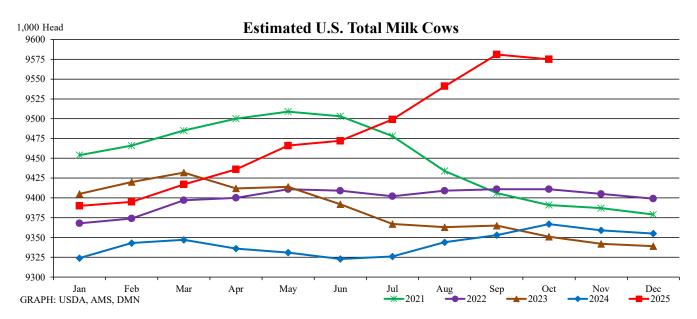


Estimated U.S. Total Milk Cows (1000 Head)

Year	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
2021	9454	9466	9485	9500	9509	9503	9478	9434	9406	9391	9387	9379
2022	9368	9374	9397	9400	9411	9409	9402	9409	9411	9411	9405	9399
2023	9405	9420	9432	9412	9414	9392	9367	9363	9365	9351	9342	9339
2024	9324	9343	9347	9336	9331	9323	9326	9344	9353	9367	9359	9355
2025	9390	9395	9417	9436	9466	9472	9499	9541	9581	9575	#N/A	#N/A

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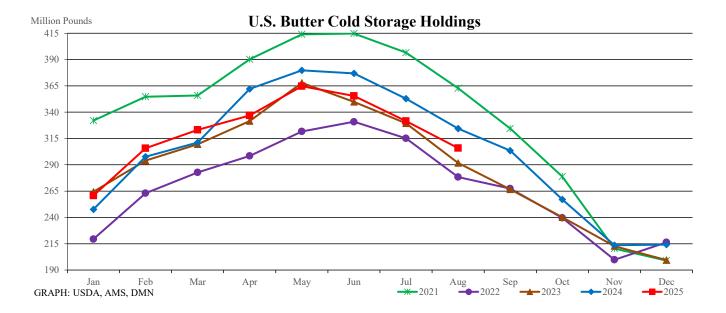
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U.S. Butter Cold Storage Holdings (Million Pounds)

Year	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
2021	331.912	354.595	355.784	390.145	413.926	414.654	396.474	362.708	324.395	278.772	210.473	199.056
2022	219.353	263.028	282.821	298.334	321.575	330.840	315.097	278.298	267.356	239.666	199.775	216.295
2023	264.294	294.033	309.486	331.506	367.868	349.779	329.353	291.750	266.635	240.153	212.785	199.530
2024	247.588	297.689	311.146	362.089	379.750	376.834	352.856	324.395	303.350	257.111	213.629	214.284
2025	260.767	305.652	323.155	336.822	364.623	355.367	331.498	305.858	#N/A	#N/A	#N/A	#N/A
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U.S. Total Natural Cheese Cold Storage Holdings (Million Pounds)

Year	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
2021	1408.243	1436.246	1468.976	1448.762	1458.368	1435.146	1449.523	1432.852	1457.850	1448.595	1422.271	1441.631
2022	1445.090	1466.985	1465.825	1480.872	1512.915	1506.266	1521.797	1481.468	1469.792	1448.071	1430.970	1445.133
2023	1446.501	1438.122	1460.381	1468.499	1497.820	1510.341	1492.841	1495.372	1483.634	1458.691	1438.263	1442.413
2024	1456.506	1457.619	1454.125	1443.405	1434.458	1417.099	1403.415	1393.731	1368.866	1347.047	1338.291	1354.181
2025	1356.126	1375.888	1397.694	1403.489	1409.425	1419.164	1428.040	1417.145	#N/A	#N/A	#N/A	#N/A
	DATA SOU	RCE, USDA	, NASS Cold	Storage, rele	ased 11/26/20	025						

U.S. Total Natural Cheese Cold Storage Holdings Million Pounds 1525 1500 1475 1450 1425 1400 1375 1350 1325 Nov 2024 Dec -2025 Jan Mar May Jun

GRAPH: USDA, AMS, DMN

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U.S. Total American Cheese Cold Storage Holdings (Million Pounds)

Year	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	
2021	809.110	817.169	834.403	826.740	827.995	809.825	817.589	827.067	844.115	843.347	834.775	842.869	
2022	837.609	831.198	828.448	835.747	857.892	846.750	859.995	841.513	843.112	831.191	816.077	825.285	
2023	823.405	809.238	826.768	841.910	857.083	853.497	841.822	852.876	851.186	833.923	830.006	837.682	
2024	839.788	830.294	828.645	825.532	816.105	801.484	791.449	793.571	782.341	774.375	771.539	771.129	
2025	770.798	780.299	795.619	801.881	807.616	811.188	813.490	818.182	#N/A	#N/A	#N/A	#N/A	
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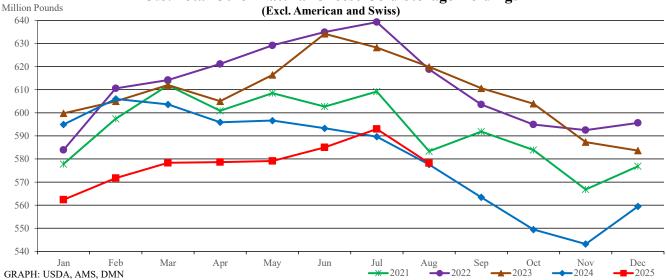
U.S. Total Other Natural Cheese Cold Storage Holdings (Million Pounds)

(Excluding American and Swiss Cheese)

Year	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
2021	577.789	597.385	611.912	600.862	608.496	602.698	609.166	583.310	591.856	583.885	566.827	576.834
2022	583.951	610.581	614.178	621.150	629.183	634.946	639.296	618.815	603.565	594.933	592.496	595.630
2023	599.762	604.955	612.008	605.005	616.408	634.201	628.248	619.902	610.620	603.942	587.321	583.670
2024	594.936	606.008	603.605	595.877	596.617	593.288	589.640	577.590	563.416	549.446	543.193	559.434
2025	562.347	571.722	578.323	578.633	579.112	585.016	592.990	578.239	#N/A	#N/A	#N/A	#N/A

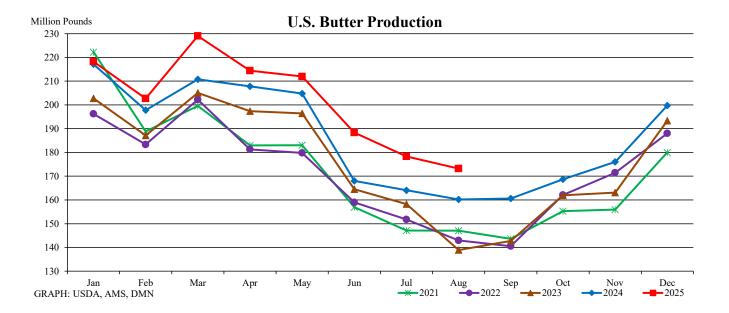
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U.S. Total Other Natural Cheese Cold Storage Holdings



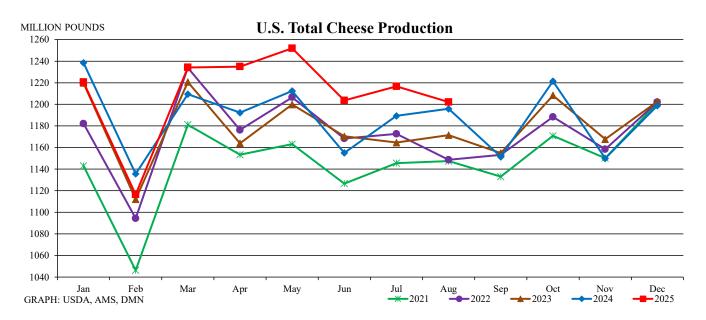
U.S. Butter Production (Million Pounds)

Year	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	
2021	222.263	188.833	199.574	182.992	183.041	156.965	147.113	147.053	143.640	155.297	155.989	179.965	
2022	196.236	183.332	202.210	181.304	179.813	158.979	151.756	142.962	140.553	162.115	171.463	188.020	
2023	202.770	187.117	205.028	197.364	196.429	164.497	158.240	138.934	142.734	161.962	163.098	193.334	
2024	217.081	197.802	210.764	207.790	204.806	168.024	164.074	160.215	160.577	168.689	176.016	199.754	
2025	218.242	202.719	229.024	214.433	211.949	188.330	178.326	173.200	#N/A	#N/A	#N/A	#N/A	
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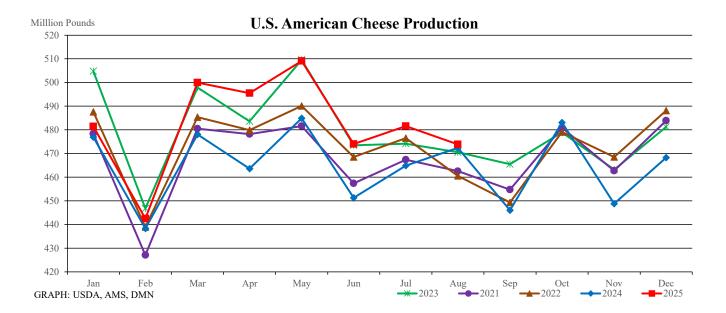
U.S. Cheese Production (Million Pounds)

Year	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	
2021	1142.952	1046.237	1181.072	1153.280	1163.075	1126.512	1145.473	1147.331	1133.017	1170.740	1150.063	1201.275	
2022	1182.183	1094.459	1233.759	1176.234	1206.490	1168.340	1172.601	1148.642	1153.165	1188.281	1158.392	1201.936	
2023	1219.699	1112.095	1220.644	1163.871	1199.749	1170.287	1164.544	1171.388	1154.820	1208.293	1167.660	1202.527	
2024	1238.361	1135.573	1209.415	1192.243	1212.400	1155.018	1189.240	1195.814	1151.338	1221.414	1149.860	1198.672	
2025	1220.583	1116.498	1234.197	1234.932	1251.908	1203.603	1216.644	1202.079	#N/A	#N/A	#N/A	#N/A	
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U.S. American Cheese Production (Million Pounds)

Year	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	
2021	478.326	427.092	480.503	478.206	481.553	457.401	467.358	462.547	454.716	480.925	462.692	483.852	
2022	487.601	438.928	485.339	479.868	490.065	468.522	476.511	460.532	449.342	479.083	468.546	488.145	
2023	504.761	446.744	497.856	483.606	509.554	473.450	474.167	470.524	465.477	478.900	463.202	481.206	
2024	476.910	438.328	478.035	463.581	484.880	451.315	464.906	472.379	446.038	483.093	448.814	468.264	
2025	481.440	442.498	499.929	495.470	509.117	473.977	481.556	473.888	#N/A	#N/A	#N/A	#N/A	
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U.S. Italian Cheese Production (Million Pounds)

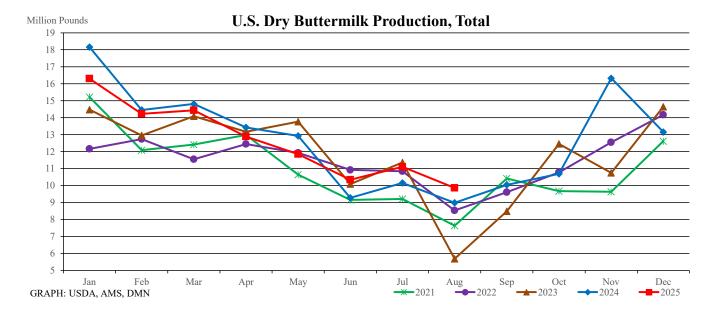
Year	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
2021	482.474	443.401	502.107	483.160	472.512	465.029	480.268	480.017	475.982	488.442	485.872	509.445
2022	485.649	457.297	519.270	491.096	496.917	485.579	488.754	486.721	496.479	499.221	488.732	508.710
2023	501.662	460.738	496.216	477.008	483.926	486.140	483.407	484.136	479.375	509.164	487.489	507.542
2024	514.928	482.336	518.896	505.628	505.124	485.284	497.566	501.027	488.774	510.576	492.866	522.330
2025	520.335	474.243	523.416	522.584	522.351	510.302	515.826	510.288	#N/A	#N/A	#N/A	#N/A
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U.S. Dry Buttermilk Production, Total (Million Pounds)

Year	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
2021	15.219	12.089	12.417	12.982	10.647	9.155	9.210	7.635	10.418	9.674	9.634	12.615
2022	12.161	12.740	11.553	12.444	11.924	10.923	10.843	8.536	9.606	10.779	12.548	14.168
2023	14.468	12.954	14.086	13.168	13.763	10.087	11.360	5.689	8.485	12.456	10.750	14.641
2024	18.159	14.452	14.806	13.429	12.927	9.275	10.157	8.988	10.041	10.695	16.324	13.157
2025	16.302	14.229	14.436	12.890	11.849	10.346	11.104	9.864	#N/A	#N/A	#N/A	#N/A

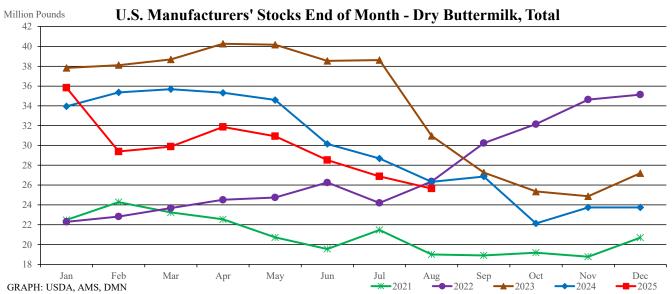
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U.S. Manufacturers' Stocks End of Month (Million Pounds) - Dry Buttermilk, Total

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Year	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
2021	22.482	24.279	23.238	22.547	20.722	19.546	21.475	19.000	18.906	19.176	18.775	20.695
2022	22.302	22.832	23.683	24.515	24.746	26.256	24.195	26.363	30.235	32.146	34.623	35.131
2023	37.834	38.115	38.688	40.265	40.169	38.540	38.623	30.963	27.269	25.355	24.875	27.199
2024	33.950	35.350	35.683	35.314	34.586	30.152	28.686	26.324	26.859	22.133	23.752	23.747
2025	35.823	29.387	29.884	31.865	30.928	28.521	26.878	25.651	#N/A	#N/A	#N/A	#N/A

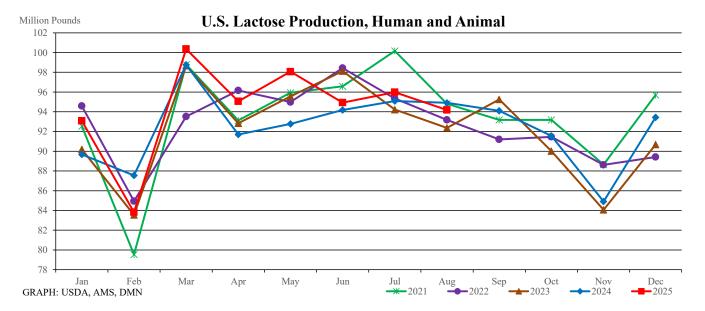
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U.S. Lactose Production, Human and Animal (Million Pounds)

Year	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
2021	92.548	79.546	98.787	93.120	95.929	96.586	100.170	94.813	93.179	93.184	88.654	95.704
2022	94.587	84.943	93.521	96.162	94.985	98.429	95.345	93.173	91.193	91.462	88.620	89.419
2023	90.193	83.542	98.668	92.838	95.558	98.125	94.224	92.371	95.253	90.017	84.059	90.687
2024	89.669	87.552	98.763	91.706	92.772	94.183	95.088	94.905	94.098	91.558	84.900	93.434
2025	93.082	83.824	100.368	95.059	98.067	94.925	95.978	94.185	#N/A	#N/A	#N/A	#N/A

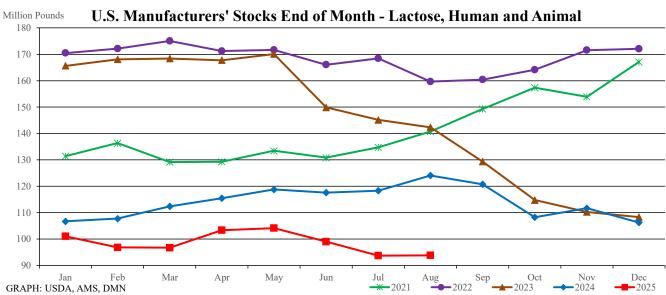
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U.S. Manufacturers' Stocks End of Month (Million Pounds) - Lactose, Human and Animal

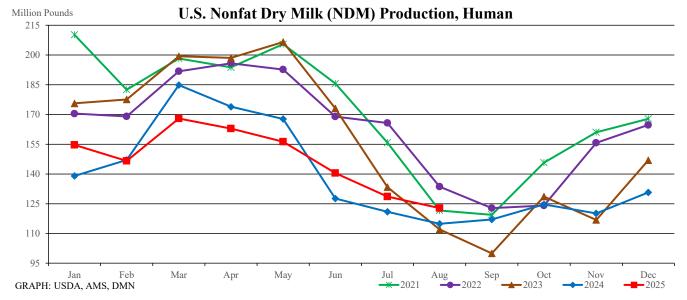
Year	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
2021	131.419	136.361	129.184	129.305	133.453	130.849	134.768	140.741	149.292	157.372	153.908	167.123
2022	170.499	172.170	175.082	171.260	171.682	166.071	168.474	159.652	160.455	164.156	171.585	172.089
2023	165.641	168.095	168.417	167.778	170.086	149.878	145.153	142.336	129.374	114.800	110.264	108.338
2024	106.726	107.754	112.386	115.491	118.790	117.621	118.348	124.079	120.772	108.263	111.697	106.280
2025	101.051	96.854	96.735	103.376	104.180	99.034	93.772	93.870	#N/A	#N/A	#N/A	#N/A

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U.S. Nonfat Dry Milk Production, Human (Million Pounds)

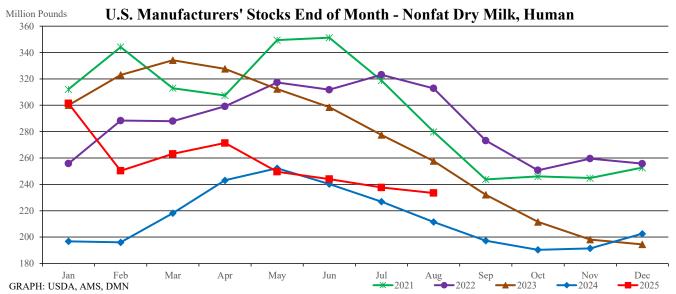
Year	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	
2021	210.168	182.471	198.254	193.792	205.470	185.604	155.789	121.559	119.384	145.721	161.011	167.804	
2022	170.437	168.997	191.815	195.821	192.677	168.971	165.726	133.625	122.804	124.037	155.743	164.711	
2023	175.602	177.583	199.390	198.521	206.532	173.093	133.356	112.079	99.972	128.563	116.815	146.889	
2024	139.032	147.100	184.846	173.911	167.726	127.609	120.950	114.903	117.057	124.669	120.137	130.715	
2025	154.663	146.611	168.003	162.873	156.267	140.491	128.617	122.755	#N/A	#N/A	#N/A	#N/A	
	DATA SOURCE, USDA, NASS Dairy Products, released 11/21/2025												



U.S. Manufacturers' Stocks End of Month (Million Pounds) - Nonfat Dry Milk, Human

Year	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
2021	312.124	344.227	313.028	307.427	349.522	351.226	318.811	279.835	243.779	246.011	244.785	252.674
2022	255.740	288.351	287.919	299.123	317.325	311.755	323.129	312.818	273.195	250.704	259.552	255.687
2023	300.066	323.005	334.192	327.675	312.319	298.497	277.506	257.719	232.110	211.516	198.138	194.486
2024	196.776	196.000	218.159	243.084	252.232	240.212	226.915	211.447	197.297	190.397	191.482	202.548
2025	301.383	250.281	263.074	271.365	249.594	243.962	237.619	233.487	#N/A	#N/A	#N/A	#N/A

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U.S. Dry	Whey Pr	oduction, Total	l (Million l	Pounds)
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Year	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
2021	83.394	75.068	76.775	74.225	77.104	70.138	80.762	76.096	69.076	70.797	67.856	70.704
2022	72.766	68.293	77.764	79.446	79.205	80.062	84.287	75.314	75.792	75.348	72.041	74.930
2023	76.713	66.699	77.296	79.595	81.782	88.164	88.654	83.570	78.899	75.276	68.581	72.550
2024	77.711	72.131	79.925	81.022	68.285	73.147	67.869	65.246	68.014	66.282	64.801	69.016
2025	71.962	60.110	70.748	69.603	71.549	75.723	69.809	68.291	#N/A	#N/A	#N/A	#N/A
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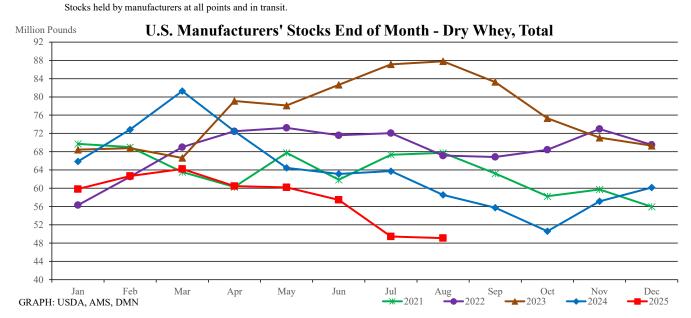
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U.S. Manufacturers' Stocks End of Month (Million Pounds) - Dry Whey, Total

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Year	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
2021	69.710	68.988	63.557	60.273	67.755	61.848	67.334	67.740	63.217	58.242	59.743	55.949
2022	56.302	62.532	68.988	72.467	73.210	71.584	72.056	67.137	66.839	68.416	72.968	69.511
2023	68.441	68.743	66.639	79.103	78.102	82.638	87.132	87.782	83.255	75.320	71.061	69.316
2024	65.858	72.851	81.284	72.462	64.455	63.138	63.741	58.541	55.748	50.618	57.154	60.157
2025	59.830	62.672	64.223	60.469	60.189	57.461	49.451	49.103	#N/A	#N/A	#N/A	#N/A

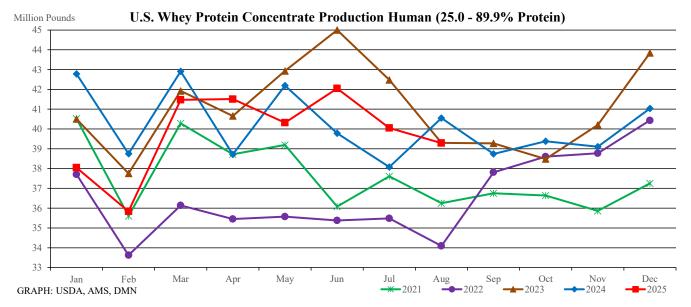
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U.S. Whey Protein Concentrate Production, Human (25.0 - 89.9% Protein) (Million Pounds)

Year	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
2021	40.518	35.606	40.283	38.724	39.193	36.079	37.609	36.250	36.749	36.643	35.863	37.256
2022	37.708	33.622	36.138	35.450	35.573	35.376	35.487	34.093	37.815	38.601	38.772	40.434
2023	40.503	37.757	41.920	40.659	42.930	44.998	42.478	39.300	39.271	38.480	40.204	43.839
2024	42.782	38.751	42.915	38.713	42.194	39.781	38.076	40.548	38.743	39.382	39.108	41.038
2025	38.047	35.836	41.469	41.508	40.319	42.043	40.052	39.291	#N/A	#N/A	#N/A	#N/A

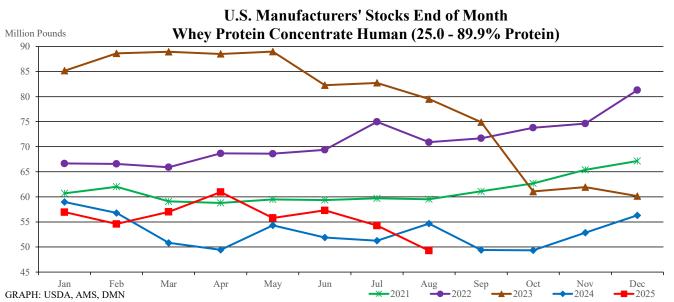
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U.S. Manufacturers' Stocks End of Month (Million Pounds) Whey Protein Concentrate Human (25.0 - 89.9% Protein)

Year	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
2021	60.704	62.012	59.089	58.799	59.498	59.361	59.693	59.523	61.103	62.680	65.389	67.142
2022	66.651	66.565	65.896	68.662	68.597	69.376	74.964	70.887	71.672	73.777	74.604	81.276
2023	85.168	88.621	88.948	88.509	88.961	82.271	82.741	79.506	74.893	61.075	61.942	60.180
2024	58.975	56.791	50.834	49.451	54.316	51.909	51.272	54.682	49.414	49.356	52.850	56.321
2025	56.956	54.594	57.013	60.951	55.800	57.304	54.272	49.300	#N/A	#N/A	#N/A	#N/A

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Advertised Prices for Dairy Products at Major Retail Supermarket Outlets ending during the period of 11/28/2025 to 12/4/2025

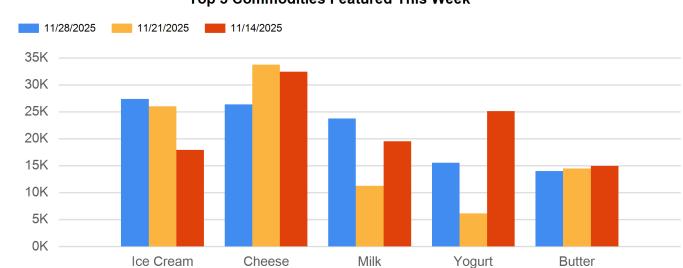
The week 48 retail dairy survey contained 1 percent more conventional ads while organic ads were up 277 percent. Ice cream overtook cheese as the most advertised conventional commodity this week. In the organic aisle, ice cream fell behind milk as the most advertised commodity, as organic milk ads grew 973 percent.

Conventional ice cream ads are up 5 percent and organic ice cream ads increased 14 percent. The most advertised conventional ice cream product is 48-64-ounce containers, which appeared in 4 percent more ads this week. The weighted average advertised price (average price) for 48-64-ounce conventional ice cream decreased 25 cents to \$3.77. This product's organic counterpart appeared in 15 percent fewer ads, and the average price is \$8.87, down 8 cents. The organic premium is \$5.10.

Conventional cheese ads are down 24 percent, but organic cheese ads grew 61 percent. The most advertised conventional cheese product is 6-8-ounce sliced, which appeared in 1 percent more ads this week and has an average price of \$2.14, up 9 cents. Organic 6-8-ounce sliced cheese ads increased 108 percent, and the average price increased 18 cents to \$4.54. The week 48 organic premium for this product is \$2.40.

Conventional yogurt ads are up 73 percent in week 48, and organic yogurt ads decreased 40 percent. Greek 4-6-ounce yogurt appeared in more ads than any other conventional yogurt product. Ads for this product are up 128 percent, and the average price is up 9 cents to \$1.35. There were no ads for 4-6-ounce organic Greek yogurt this week.

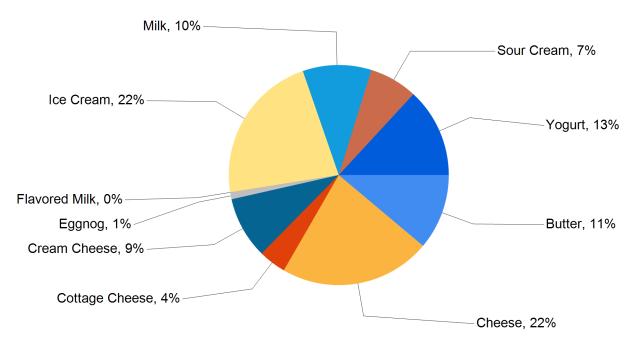
Conventional milk ads increased 10 percent in this week's retail survey. Ads for conventional gallons increased 16 percent, and organic gallon milk reappeared in ads after taking week 47 off. The average price for conventional gallon milk is \$2.79. Organic gallon milk has an average price of \$8.66, leaving an organic premium of \$5.87.



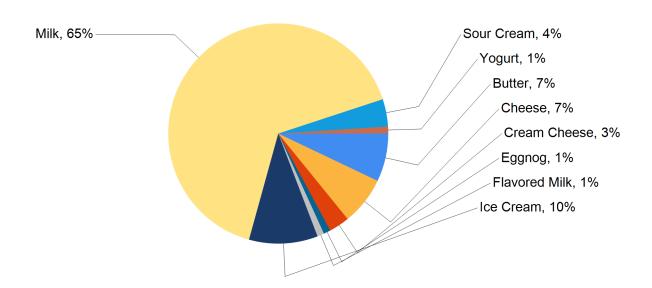
Top 5 Commodities Featured This Week



Percentage of Total Conventional Ads by Commodity



Percentage of Total Organic Ads by Commodity





NATIONAL -- CONVENTIONAL DAIRY PRODUCTS

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			THIS P	ERIOD	LAST	WEEK	LAST	YEAR
Commodity	Туре	Pack Size	Stores With Ads	Wtd Avg Price	Stores With Ads	Wtd Avg Price	Stores With Ads	Wtd Avg Price
Butter		8 oz	1063	3.54	1367	4.39	4329	2.79
Butter		1 lb	11649	3.55	12791	3.56	11354	3.60
Cheese	Natural Varieties	6-8 oz Block	5022	2.59	7797	2.53	7550	2.33
Cheese	Natural Varieties	6-8 oz Shred	6944	2.38	9202	2.56	12445	2.40
Cheese	Natural Varieties	6-8 oz Sliced	7977	2.14	7900	2.05	11672	2.69
Cheese	Natural Varieties	1 lb Block	375	4.77	814	4.59	592	4.31
Cheese	Natural Varieties	1 lb Shred	1538	4.66	763	4.08	4355	5.16
Cheese	Natural Varieties	1 lb Sliced	66	4.99	146	4.99	2967	2.72
Cheese	Natural Varieties	2 lb Block	1233	6.28	2746	6.04	2632	5.87
Cheese	Natural Varieties	2 lb Shred	1798	6.19	3498	6.00	7153	7.34
Cottage Cheese		16 oz	1422	2.38	1440	2.67	1436	2.71
Cottage Cheese		24 oz	3265	3.10	664	3.93	301	3.82
Cream Cheese		8 oz	10685	2.41	10889	2.20	11670	2.35
Eggnog		Quart	190	3.49	473	3.97	893	4.38
Eggnog		Half Gallon	1055	5.40	405	5.83	2167	6.00
Flavored Milk	All Fat Tests	Half Gallon			291	3.37	516	3.05
Flavored Milk	All Fat Tests	Gallon	3	7.79	3	7.79	591	3.99
Ice Cream		14-16 oz	9800	3.57	9270	3.63	7472	3.28
Ice Cream		48-64 oz	15645	3.77	15063	4.02	17555	3.74
Milk	All Fat Tests	Half Gallon	5125	1.64	4961	1.78	457	2.58
Milk	All Fat Tests	Gallon	5992	2.79	5148	2.82	5927	3.46
Sour Cream		16 oz	8139	2.28	8602	2.26	7688	2.28
Sour Cream		24 oz	353	2.72	812	3.02	356	3.77
Yogurt	Greek	4-6 oz	11429	1.35	5003	1.26	2725	1.24
Yogurt	Yogurt	4-6 oz	1766	0.72	2535	0.92	1567	0.83
Yogurt	Greek	32 oz	227	4.65	472	4.96	6244	3.80
Yogurt	Yogurt	32 oz	1952	3.26	867	3.42	4328	2.90



REGIONAL -- CONVENTIONAL DAIRY PRODUCTS

Commodity	Туре	Pack Size	Price Range	Stores with Ads	Wtd Avg Price	Price Range	Stores with Ads	Wtd Avg Price	Price Range	Stores with Ads	Wtd Avg Price
Butter		8 oz	1.99 - 2.99	491	2.15						
Butter		1 lb	2.49 - 4.99	2513	3.39	2.49 - 4.99	2904	3.79	2.19 - 4.99	2559	3.42
Cheese	Natural Varieties	6-8 oz Block	1.97 - 4.22	1234	2.86	2.00 - 4.22	510	2.79	1.99 - 4.99	967	2.68
Cheese	Natural Varieties	6-8 oz Shred	1.77 - 3.99	2203	2.67	1.98 - 3.50	991	2.22	1.99 - 2.50	1326	2.22
Cheese	Natural Varieties	6-8 oz Sliced	1.97 - 4.22	1318	2.90	1.84 - 4.22	1777	2.05	1.49 - 3.50	1450	1.97
Cheese	Natural Varieties	1 lb Block	3.99	72	3.99	5.99	74	5.99	3.99	83	3.99
Cheese	Natural Varieties	1 lb Shred	3.00 - 5.99	364	4.62	4.69	945	4.69	3.99	83	3.99
Cheese	Natural Varieties	2 lb Block	7.99	162	7.99	5.49 - 5.98	650	5.63			
Cheese	Natural Varieties	2 lb Shred	7.99	352	7.99	5.49 - 5.98	650	5.63			
Cottage Cheese		16 oz	2.50	162	2.50	1.88	187	1.88	2.48 - 3.50	319	2.75
Cottage Cheese		24 oz	3.19	131	3.19	2.87	1341	2.87	3.48	199	3.48
Cream Cheese		8 oz	1.67 - 3.99	2950	2.48	1.99 - 2.50	2477	2.39	1.50 - 3.89	1979	2.29
Eggnog		Quart	3.49	190	3.49						
Eggnog		Half Gallon	5.49 - 6.49	261	6.19						
Ice Cream		14-16 oz	2.50 - 4.94	3227	3.95	1.99 - 4.50	2089	3.35	1.99 - 4.50	1492	3.09
Ice Cream		48-64 oz	2.49 - 5.99	4608	3.62	1.99 - 6.99	3232	4.08	1.99 - 4.50	2556	3.22
Milk	All Fat Tests	Half Gallon	ĺ			1.52 - 3.49	1945	1.68	1.33	892	1.33
Milk	All Fat Tests	Gallon	3.68	496	3.68	2.48 - 3.05	1871	2.64	2.22 - 2.89	998	2.29
Sour Cream		16 oz	1.69 - 2.64	2590	2.30	1.48 - 2.50	1747	2.32	2.00 - 2.50	977	2.38
Sour Cream		24 oz	Ì						2.49	245	2.49
Yogurt	Greek	4-6 oz	1.00 - 1.50	1608	1.22	1.00 - 1.68	5751	1.44	1.00 - 1.20	434	1.16
Yogurt	Yogurt	4-6 oz	0.50 - 0.99	1119	0.69	0.99	86	0.99	0.60	245	0.60
Yogurt	Greek	32 oz	4.99	59	4.99						
Yogurt	Yogurt	32 oz	2.49 - 4.49	927	3.43	3.99	86	3.99	2.49 - 2.99	179	2.72



			SOUTH CE	NTRAL U	.S.						
Commodity	Туре	Pack Size	Price Range	Stores with Ads	Wtd Avg Price	Price Range	Stores with Ads	Wtd Avg Price	Price Range	Stores with Ads	Wtd Avg Price
Butter		8 oz	4.39	75	4.39	4.50 - 4.99	474	4.86			
Butter		1 lb	2.99 - 4.99	1064	3.67	2.49 - 4.99	1991	3.42	2.19 - 4.99	601	3.90
Cheese	Natural Varieties	6-8 oz Block	1.49 - 3.49	1107	2.25	1.87 - 4.31	1162	2.44			
Cheese	Natural Varieties	6-8 oz Shred	1.49 - 3.49	957	2.08	1.87 - 3.00	1360	2.38	2.00	61	2.00
Cheese	Natural Varieties	6-8 oz Sliced	1.67 - 2.27	1608	1.71	1.67 - 4.99	1618	2.21	1.67	162	1.67
Cheese	Natural Varieties	1 lb Block				4.99	146	4.99		-	
Cheese	Natural Varieties	1 lb Shred				4.99	146	4.99			
Cheese	Natural Varieties	1 lb Sliced				4.99	66	4.99			
Cheese	Natural Varieties	2 lb Block	5.49	115	5.49	5.49	120	5.49	7.99	184	7.99
Cheese	Natural Varieties	2 lb Shred	5.49 - 5.99	418	5.85	5.49 - 5.99	376	5.83			
Cottage Cheese		16 oz	1.99 - 2.50	362	2.14	2.50	392	2.50			
Cottage Cheese		24 oz	2.87	1221	2.87	4.49	352	4.49			
Cream Cheese		8 oz	1.49 - 2.50	1299	2.25	1.99 - 3.49	1637	2.65	1.99 - 2.50	317	2.18
Eggnog		Half Gallon	4.69	255	4.69	4.69 - 6.99	530	5.32			
Ice Cream		14-16 oz	1.99 - 4.99	712	3.52	1.99 - 5.49	1993	3.66	1.99 - 4.50	256	2.70
Ice Cream		48-64 oz	1.99 - 6.98	1835	4.70	1.99 - 4.99	2797	3.63	1.99 - 4.00	520	2.96
Milk	All Fat Tests	Half Gallon	1.39 - 1.77	1476	1.70	1.59 - 2.50	641	1.77	1.67	162	1.67
Milk	All Fat Tests	Gallon	2.47 - 4.89	1705	2.88	2.68 - 4.49	727	2.97	2.78	162	2.78
Sour Cream		16 oz	1.99 - 2.50	488	2.23	1.87 - 3.00	2086	2.22	1.29 - 2.50	245	1.94
Sour Cream		24 oz				2.99 - 3.49	108	3.24			
Yogurt	Greek	4-6 oz	1.22 - 1.50	2824	1.26	1.33	762	1.33			
Yogurt	Yogurt	4-6 oz	0.59 - 0.99	178	0.76	1.00	109	1.00			
Yogurt	Greek	32 oz	5.49	60	5.49	3.49 - 4.49	108	4.00			
Yogurt	Yogurt	32 oz	2.75 - 3.99	378	3.00	2.99 - 3.99	217	3.49	2.50	131	2.50



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Commodity	Туре	Pack Size	Price Range	Stores with Ads	Wtd Avg Price	Price Range	Stores with Ads	Wtd Avg Price
Butter		8 oz		,		2.99	23	2.99
Butter		1 lb	2.88 - 5.99	10	4.44	4.39	7	4.39
Cheese	Natural Varieties	6-8 oz Block	2.00 - 3.50	15	2.33	2.69 - 3.47	27	3.35
Cheese	Natural Varieties	6-8 oz Shred	1.99 - 3.50	16	2.19	2.39 - 3.47	30	3.22
Cheese	Natural Varieties	6-8 oz Sliced	1.84 - 3.50	11	2.14	2.00 - 3.47	33	3.02
Cheese	Natural Varieties	2 lb Block	12.49	2	12.49			
Cheese	Natural Varieties	2 lb Shred	7.19	2	7.19			
Cottage Cheese		24 oz	3.53 - 4.79	11	3.76	3.44	10	3.44
Cream Cheese		8 oz	2.50 - 4.49	19	3.01	2.50	7	2.50
Eggnog		Half Gallon	7.49	9	7.49			
Flavored Milk	All Fat Tests	Gallon				7.79	3	7.79
Ice Cream		14-16 oz	4.49 - 6.49	17	4.82	4.50 - 6.79	14	5.26
Ice Cream		48-64 oz	3.49 - 7.28	20	5.51	3.49 - 7.99	77	5.57
Milk	All Fat Tests	Half Gallon	2.76	9	2.76			
Milk	All Fat Tests	Gallon	3.29 - 4.58	20	3.87	5.98 - 7.79	13	6.40
Sour Cream		16 oz	2.79 - 3.25	6	2.99			
Yogurt	Greek	4-6 oz	1.44 - 1.96	30	1.65	1.52 - 1.98	20	1.75
Yogurt	Yogurt	4-6 oz	0.89	2	0.89	0.49 - 1.00	27	0.57
Yogurt	Yogurt	32 oz	İ			3.49 - 5.99	34	4.06



NATIONAL -- ORGANIC DAIRY PRODUCTS

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			THIS P	PERIOD	LAST	WEEK	LAST	YEAR
Commodity	Туре	Pack Size	Stores With Ads	Wtd Avg Price	Stores With Ads	Wtd Avg Price	Stores With Ads	Wtd Avg Price
Butter		8 oz	1117	5.19	228	4.81	343	4.99
Butter		1 lb	184	4.99	109	5.03	1789	7.83
Cheese	Natural Varieties	6-8 oz Block	259	5.39	167	5.45	184	5.55
Cheese	Natural Varieties	6-8 oz Shred	675	4.90	481	4.67	131	3.99
Cheese	Natural Varieties	6-8 oz Sliced	482	4.54	232	4.36	240	3.93
Cream Cheese		8 oz	632	4.54	182	4.32	2627	3.33
Eggnog		Quart					109	5.66
Eggnog		Half Gallon	283	4.56				
Flavored Milk	All Fat Tests	Half Gallon	283	6.08				
Ice Cream		14-16 oz	1207	6.97	843	7.04	107	5.99
Ice Cream		48-64 oz	711	8.87	837	8.95	651	8.04
Milk	All Fat Tests	Half Gallon	8020	4.64	1176	5.02	8374	4.79
Milk	All Fat Tests	Gallon	4597	8.66			5124	7.59
Sour Cream		16 oz	739	3.77	571	3.79	109	4.58
Yogurt	Yogurt	4-6 oz	184	2.25	142	2.75	92	2.15
Yogurt	Greek	32 oz					1341	6.84
Yogurt	Yogurt	32 oz			166	4.44	1341	4.46

REGIONAL -- ORGANIC DAIRY PRODUCTS

Commodity	Туре	Pack Size	Price Range	Stores with Ads	Wtd Avg Price	Price Range	Stores with Ads	Wtd Avg Price	Price Range	Stores with Ads	Wtd Avg Price
Butter		8 oz	5.03 - 5.58	366	5.32	4.99 - 5.58	310	5.26			
Cheese	Natural Varieties	6-8 oz Shred	5.17 - 5.21	244	5.19	5.17 - 5.21	172	5.19			
Cheese	Natural Varieties	6-8 oz Sliced	4.94	122	4.94	4.49 - 4.94	172	4.71			
Cream Cheese		8 oz	4.49	122	4.49	4.99	52	4.99			
Eggnog		Half Gallon	4.99	122	4.99	4.24	86	4.24			
Flavored Milk	All Fat Tests	Half Gallon	6.20	122	6.20	5.76	86	5.76			
Ice Cream		14-16 oz	ĺ			4.06 - 7.99	362	6.30			
Ice Cream		48-64 oz	ĺ			7.48 - 9.99	138	8.43			
Milk	All Fat Tests	Half Gallon	3.99 - 5.99	1363	4.91	3.98 - 5.99	2683	4.50	4.08 - 5.99	1296	4.68
Milk	All Fat Tests	Gallon	8.18	496	8.18	8.18	1341	8.18	8.18	892	8.18
Sour Cream		16 oz	3.43	122	3.43	3.43 - 4.00	138	3.64			

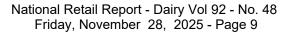


			SOUTH CENTRAL U.S.								
Commodity	Туре	Pack Size	Price Range	Stores with Ads	Wtd Avg Price	Price Range	Stores with Ads	Wtd Avg Price	Price Range	Stores with Ads	Wtd Avg Price
Butter		8 oz	4.67 - 5.58	257	5.07	4.99	184	4.99			
Butter		1 lb				4.99	184	4.99			
Cheese	Natural Varieties	6-8 oz Block	5.39	150	5.39	5.39	109	5.39			
Cheese	Natural Varieties	6-8 oz Shred	4.04 - 4.72	150	4.38	4.49	109	4.49			
Cheese	Natural Varieties	6-8 oz Sliced	4.49	75	4.49	3.86	109	3.86			
Cream Cheese		8 oz	3.37 - 4.99	274	4.16	4.99	184	4.99			
Eggnog		Half Gallon	4.24	75	4.24						
Flavored Milk	All Fat Tests	Half Gallon	6.27	75	6.27						
Ice Cream		14-16 oz	6.63 - 7.99	364	7.22	6.63 - 7.99	477	7.29			
Ice Cream		48-64 oz	7.29 - 9.99	274	8.60	8.09 - 9.99	293	9.28			
Milk	All Fat Tests	Half Gallon	4.08 - 5.93	1446	4.29	4.08 - 6.49	1040	5.11	4.08	162	4.08
Milk	All Fat Tests	Gallon	9.97	1221	9.97	8.18	485	8.18	8.18	162	8.18
Sour Cream		16 oz	3.58 - 4.00	182	3.83	3.82 - 4.00	293	3.93			
Yogurt	Yogurt	4-6 oz	2.25	75	2.25	2.25	109	2.25			

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Commodity	Туре	Pack Size	Price Range	Stores with Ads	Wtd Avg Price	Price Range	Stores with Ads	Wtd Avg Price
Cheese	Natural Varieties	6-8 oz Sliced				4.49	4	4.49
Ice Cream		14-16 oz				7.37	4	7.37
Ice Cream		48-64 oz	10.99	2	10.99	10.83	4	10.83
Milk	All Fat Tests	Half Gallon	5.18	9	5.18	5.24 - 6.61	21	5.75
Sour Cream		16 oz				4.43	4	4.43

REGIONAL DEFINITIONS

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ALASKA	Alaska
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NATIONAL	Continental United States





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- 2--As of October 1, 2022, the previous year weighted average prices and store counts will be calculated using the date from the prior year that most closely matches the current report date.

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