

dairy products



March 1973

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BUTTER: Production of butter in the United States during March 1973 is estimated at 90,646,000 pounds, according to the Crop Reporting Board. This is 7 percent more than the month before but 15 percent below a year earlier. In the 4 leading butter producing States, March output was down 23 percent from a year earlier in Minnesota, down 6 percent in Wisconsin, down 20 percent in Iowa but up 9 percent in California.

CHEESE: Production of American cheese in the United States during March totaled 142,668,000 pounds, 3 percent below March a year ago. The increase from February to March amounted to 19 percent. Production in Wisconsin during March was 19 percent above February but 4 percent below a year earlier.

Production of miscellaneous types of cheese was up 14 percent from the preceding month and 1 percent above a year ago. Production of all miscellaneous types was above a year ago except Cream and Neufchatel. All types showed increases from last month.

COTTAGE CHEESE: Creamed cottage cheese output in the United States during March totaled 94,678,000 pounds. This was 16 percent more than a month earlier but 4 percent below March 1972.

Production of lowfat cottage cheese during March 1973 totaled 11,659,000 pounds. This was 14 percent above February of this year.

FROZEN DESSERTS: Ice cream production in March 1973 amounted to 66,958,000 gallons, 18 percent above the preceding month and 3 percent above March 1972. In the three leading ice cream producing States, output was up 3 percent from a year earlier in Pennsylvania, up 13 percent in New York but down 9 percent in California.

Production of ice milk in March was 23,084,000 gallons, 31 percent above the preceding month but 1 percent less than March 1972.

Sherbet production during March is estimated at 4,326,000 gallons, 23 percent above the preceding month and up 10 percent from a year earlier.

Production of mellorine totaled 3,599,000 gallons. This was 25 percent more than a month earlier but 9 percent below March 1972.

CANNED MILK: Production of canned evaporated and condensed whole milk for March 1973 totaled 92.4 million pounds, up 26 percent from the preceding month but 12 percent below March 1972. Manufacturers' stocks of canned whole milk were 35 percent below a month earlier and 42 percent less than at the end of March 1972. Manufacturers' selling prices for canned evaporated whole milk were reported at \$8.30-\$10.10 per case in March, compared to \$8.13-\$9.48 the previous month and \$7.52-\$9.10 a year earlier.

DRY MILK PRODUCTS: Production of nonfat dry milk for human food during March 1973 amounted to 95.1 million pounds, 19 percent below March 1972. Manufacturers' stocks of nonfat dry milk totaled 38.3 million pounds, up 4 percent from a month earlier but down 38 percent from the end of March 1972.

Manufacturers' selling prices for bulk goods averaged 42.15 cents per pound in March, up 2.36 cents from February and 10.23 cents above March 1972.

Dry whole milk production is estimated at 6.9 million pounds for March. This is an increase of 18 percent from the preceding month but 16 percent less than a year earlier. Manufacturers' stocks of dry whole milk on March 31 totaled 3.4 million pounds, down 17 percent from a month earlier and 21 percent below March 31, 1972. Manufacturers' selling prices for bulk goods averaged 52.67 cents per pound in March. This was an increase of 0.76 cent from February and 5.75 cents above March 1972.

Dry buttermilk output in March is estimated at 4.7 million pounds, 1 percent above the preceding month but down 19 percent from a year earlier. Manufacturers' stocks of dry buttermilk at the end of March were 4.7 million pounds, 15 percent above the preceding month and 14 percent above a year earlier. Manufacturers' selling prices for dry buttermilk for human food averaged 41.29 cents per pound in March compared with 39.38 cents in February and 30.26 cents in March 1972.

WHEY PRODUCTS: Production of dry whey for human food during March totaled 37,102,000 pounds compared with 31,389,000 pounds a month earlier. Dry whey for animal feed totaled 32,252,000 pounds, up 31 percent from the preceding month. Production of condensed whey was 26,552,000 pounds, 24 percent above last month.

MILK PRICES: Prices to producers for manufacturing grade milk used at butter plants averaged \$5.48 per 100 pounds in March, up 6 cents from February and 52 cents above March a year earlier. The average milkfat test decreased from 3.66 percent in February to 3.63 percent in March. The equivalent price per pound of fat in milk used for butter was \$1.51, up 3 cents from February and 14 cents above a year earlier.

At American cheese plants, prices paid for manufacturing grade milk averaged \$5.63 per cwt. in March. This was 5 cents above the preceding month and 49 cents more than March 1972. The March fat test averaged 3.67 percent compared with 3.73 percent in February. The equivalent price per pound of milkfat, at \$1.53, was 3 cents above the previous month and 13 cents above March 1972.

Manufacturing grade milk used at miscellaneous-type cheese plants averaged \$5.69 per cwt. in March, 5 cents above a month earlier and 46 cents more than March 1972. March fat test averaged 3.67 percent compared with 3.70 the preceding month and 3.69 a year earlier. The price per pound of milkfat in March was \$1.55, up 3 cents from February and 13 cents above March 1972.

Prices paid to producers for manufacturing grade milk used for canning by condenseries averaged \$5.07 per 100 pounds in March. This was 5 cents above February and 29 cents above a year earlier. The test of producer milk in March averaged 3.69 percent, compared with 3.82 percent in February and 3.71 percent in March 1972. The equivalent price per pound of milkfat at condenseries in March amounted to \$1.37, up 6 cents from the preceding month and 8 cents above a year earlier.

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Production of dairy products by months, 1971-73

Month	1971	1972	1973	Change from	
				1971	1972
			1,000 pounds	Percent	
<u>BUTTER</u>					
January	102,606	101,475	96,142	- 6	- 5
February	97,719	99,390	84,437	-14	-15
March	111,227	106,775	90,646	-19	-15
April	112,266	110,250			
May	118,139	119,416			
June	112,598	111,146			
July	89,385	89,436			
August	81,107	76,277			
September	69,428	65,363			
October	79,870	75,921			
November	79,331	73,153			
December	89,881	80,951			
Annual Total	1,143,557	1,109,553			
<u>NONFAT DRY MILK FOR HUMAN FOOD</u>					
January	108,948	98,500	85,154	-22	-14
February	106,683	100,000	79,902	-25	-20
March	125,269	118,000	95,071	-24	-19
April	142,465	128,935			
May	164,414	153,040			
June	171,119	159,956			
July	137,530	127,408			
August	116,690	99,427			
September	86,025	76,965			
October	86,813	69,603			
November	78,546	61,631			
December	93,146	75,843			
Annual Total	1,417,648	1,269,308			
<u>AMERICAN CHEESE</u>					
January	112,447	123,960	123,503	+10	0
February	104,617	122,885	120,145	+15	- 2
March	126,940	147,715	142,668	+12	- 3
April	137,489	153,890			
May	157,345	172,149			
June	163,172	176,361			
July	141,714	164,211			
August	127,816	145,645			
September	111,093	124,983			
October	109,748	118,073			
November	103,621	106,911			
December	114,620	116,013			
Annual Total	1,510,622	1,672,796			

Production of dairy products by months, 1971-73

State	1971	1972	1973	Change from	
				1971	1972
	1,000 gallons			Percent	
<u>ICE CREAM</u>					
January	51,435	53,780	54,939	+ 7	+ 2
February	54,025	57,080	56,979	+ 5	0
March	64,444	65,300	66,958	+ 4	+ 3
April	64,599	62,395			
May	64,058	70,171			
June	77,356	80,090			
July	79,606	76,057			
August	75,435	80,338			
September	70,075	72,432			
October	59,134	61,669			
November	55,365	55,133			
December	51,998	51,882			
Annual Total	767,530	786,327			
<u>ICE MILK</u>					
January	15,012	16,630	17,101	+14	+ 3
February	16,639	17,790	17,588	+ 6	- 1
March	22,034	23,290	23,084	+ 5	- 1
April	25,171	24,280			
May	27,283	30,327			
June	34,405	33,431			
July	36,158	33,151			
August	32,131	33,472			
September	26,061	26,231			
October	20,962	20,980			
November	16,534	17,353			
December	14,800	14,918			
Annual Total	287,190	291,853			
<u>SHERBET</u>					
January	2,814	3,200	3,480	+24	+ 9
February	2,992	3,090	3,527	+18	+14
March	3,968	3,950	4,326	+ 9	+10
April	4,279	3,985			
May	4,528	4,838			
June	5,860	5,605			
July	6,008	5,562			
August	5,273	5,562			
September	4,361	4,469			
October	3,335	3,446			
November	2,980	3,078			
December	2,808	2,923			
Annual Total	49,206	49,708			

Production of dairy products by months, 1971-73

Month	1971	1972	1973	Change from	
				1971	1972
			1,000 gallons	Percent	
<u>MELLORINE-TYPE</u>					
<u>FROZEN DESSERTS</u>					
January	3,185	3,090	2,867	- 10	- 7
February	3,417	3,315	2,883	- 16	-13
March	4,166	3,960	3,599	- 14	- 9
April	4,180	3,650			
May	4,333	4,393			
June	5,118	4,776			
July	5,208	4,580			
August	4,845	4,822			
September	4,403	4,003			
October	3,673	3,382			
November	3,166	2,699			
December	2,617	2,359			
Annual Total	48,311	45,029			
			1,000 pounds		
<u>CREAMED COTTAGE</u>					
<u>CHEESE</u>					
January	79,615	83,225	85,209	+ 7	+ 2
February	80,152	86,115	81,859	+ 2	- 5
March	94,638	98,305	94,678	0	- 4
April	88,963	87,370			
May	88,388	96,164			
June	86,508	91,783			
July	87,021	86,567			
August	83,106	87,429			
September	81,511	83,778			
October	80,383	85,016			
November	78,933	77,927			
December	74,204	74,583			
Annual Total	1,003,422	1,038,262			
<u>LOWFAT COTTAGE</u>					
<u>CHEESE</u>					
January	6,470	1/	9,877	+53	
February	6,174		10,214	+65	
March	7,665		11,659	+52	
April	7,246				
May	7,487				
June	7,168				
July	7,290				
August	6,846				
September	6,623				
October	6,493				
November	6,122				
December	5,662				
Annual Total	81,246				

1/ Not available.

Canned milk and dry milk products: Manufacturers' shipments, stocks and selling prices, March 1973

Product	Mar.	Mar.	Feb.	Mar.	Change from	
	1971	1972	1973	1973	Mar. 1972	Feb. 1973
	1,000 pounds				Percent	
	<u>MANUFACTURERS' SHIPMENTS 1/</u>					
Dry Whole milk	6,661	5,924	6,362	5,713	- 4	-10
Nonfat dry milk for human food	149,705	117,931	66,087	70,886	-40	+ 7
Dry skim milk for animal feed	1,039	633	537	256	-60	-52
Dry buttermilk for human food	6,327	3,779	1,903	2,414	-36	+27
Dry buttermilk, total	6,605	4,037	2,018	2,475	-39	+23
	<u>MANUFACTURERS' STOCKS, END OF MONTH 2/</u>					
Canned evaporated and condensed whole milk	67,631	61,176	55,159	35,622	-42	-35
Dry whole milk	3,865	4,297	4,112	3,410	-21	-17
Nonfat dry milk for human food	74,353	62,132	36,899	38,261	-38	+ 4
Dry skim milk for animal feed	2,225	857	880	810	- 5	- 8
Dry buttermilk, total	7,028	4,125	4,068	4,683	+14	+15
	<u>MANUFACTURERS' SELLING PRICES 3/</u>					
	Cents per pound				Cents	
Dry whole milk	45.69	46.92	51.91	52.67	+ 5.75	+ .76
Nonfat dry milk for human food	27.72	31.92	39.79	42.15	+10.23	+2.36
Dry skim milk for animal feed	16.54	23.94	31.63	28.67	+ 4.73	-2.96
Dry buttermilk for human food	25.37	30.26	39.38	41.29	+11.03	+1.91
Dry buttermilk for animal feed	13.66	20.64	26.23	31.06	+10.42	+4.83

1/ For dry products, shipments of bulk goods only.

2/ Stocks held by manufacturers at all points and in transit.

3/ Prices for bulk goods, f.o.b. plant. Average monthly prices reported by firms, weighted by shipments of each firm.

Dry milk: Manufacturers' reported shipments at specified
price ranges, f.o.b. plant, March 1973 1/

Price per pound 2/ Cents	Nonfat dry milk, human food (bulk goods) spray and roller process	Dry skim milk for animal feed	Dry buttermilk		Dry whole milk (bulk goods)
			Human food	Animal feed	
		P o u n d s			
16-16 1/2		5,300			
17-17 1/2		12,725			
22-22 1/2		21,275			
22 1/2-23		2,200			
25 1/2-26		34,370			
27-27 1/2		2,000			
28-28 1/2			1,100		
30-30 1/2		19,040		18,650	
31-31 1/2			4,600		
32-32 1/2		22,415	9,000	20,000	
34 1/2-35	1,307,600		32,900		
35-35 1/2		44,500	18,400		
36-36 1/2	904,000		206,200		
36 1/2-37	438,000	10,700			
37-37 1/2	1,177,932		103,900		
37 1/2-38			4,000		
38-38 1/2			267,500		
38 1/2-39	5,193,878				
39-39 1/2	660,155		27,570		
39 1/2-40	5,850,845				
40-40 1/2	2,179,676				
40 1/2-41	772,550				
41-41 1/2	755,520		64,300		
41 1/2-42	1,879,942		20,000		
42-42 1/2	2,326,814				
42 1/2-43	22,676,394		754,910		
43-43 1/2	2,162,515		154,900		
43 1/2-44	1,199,800		7,550		
44-44 1/2	789,271		4,050		
44 1/2-45	9,919,114		402,075		
45-45 1/2	497,557				
45 1/2-46	75,750				
46-46 1/2	10,550				
46 1/2-47	508,700				
47 1/2-48	2,460,716				
45 1/2-46 1/2				4,000	
50 1/2-51 1/2				1,422,650	
51 1/2-52 1/2				1,782,550	
53 1/2-54 1/2				501,670	
55 1/2-56 1/2				1,069,200	
56 1/2-57 1/2				3,000	

1/ Excludes shipments for which prices were not reported. For total reported see page 8.

2/ Classified according to average monthly prices reported by firms.

Canned evaporated whole milk: Manufacturers' range of selling prices
by regions, March 1973 1/

Region	March 1971	March 1972	February 1973	March 1973
Dollars per case of 48 14-1/2 oz. cans				
North Atlantic	7.07-8.60	7.52-9.10	8.13-9.48	8.30-10.10
South Atlantic	8.00-8.60	8.20-9.10	8.30-9.48	8.70-10.10
North Central	7.50-8.60	7.70-9.10	8.25-9.48	8.65-10.10
South Central	7.55-8.60	7.73-9.10	8.33-9.48	8.73-10.10
Western	7.40-8.60	7.80-9.10	8.24-9.48	8.48-10.10
United States	7.07-8.60	7.52-9.10	8.13-9.48	8.30-10.10

1/ Carlot sales, delivered at manufacturers' distributing points in each region.

USDA dairy support program activities, January 1973
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Butter: Production by States, March 1973

State	Mar. 1971	Mar. 1972	Feb. 1973	Mar. 1973	Change from	
					Mar. 1972	Feb. 1973
				1,000 pounds		Percent
Vermont	1,100	1,185	337	324	-73	- 4
New York	4,997	4,960	2,000	2,200	-56	+10
Pennsylvania	2,392	2,670	2,200	2,200	-18	0
Ohio	2,036	1,870	1,520	1,400	-25	- 8
Indiana	2,298	2,050	1,319	1,279	-38	- 3
Illinois	2,109	1,650	1,600	1,600	- 3	0
Michigan	3,116	3,060	2,060	2,025	-34	- 2
Wisconsin	19,598	19,460	16,600	18,370	- 6	+11
Minnesota	29,665	26,900	18,500	20,800	-23	+12
Iowa	8,697	8,150	5,750	6,500	-20	+13
Missouri	2,737	3,200	2,800	3,000	- 6	+ 7
North Dakota	1,905	1,820	1,100	1,100	-40	0
South Dakota	1,853	1,330	1,262	1,450	+ 9	+15
Nebraska	2,802	2,530	2,055	2,237	-12	+ 9
Kansas	1,155	1,260	1,202	1,059	-16	-12
Kentucky	1,774	1,590	1,479	1,643	+ 3	+11
Tennessee	1,875	1,140	1,165	1,304	+14	+12
Oklahoma	3,009	2,380	2,180	1,995	-16	- 8
Idaho	2,071	2,300	1,740	2,100	- 9	+21
Utah	761	715	760	777	+ 9	+ 2
Washington	2,001	2,130	2,400	2,492	+17	+ 4
Oregon	1,211	1,250	1,030	1,100	-12	+ 7
California	7,564	9,000	9,300	9,775	+ 9	+ 5
Other States	4,501	4,175	4,078	3,916	- 6	- 4
United States	111,227	106,775	84,437	90,646	-15	+ 7

American cheese: Production by States, March 1973

State	Mar. 1971	Mar. 1972	Feb. 1973	Mar. 1973	Change from	
					Mar. 1972	Feb. 1973
1,000 pounds					Percent	
Vermont	: 1,242	: 1/	: 880	: 1,050		+19
New York	: 4,037	: 5,780	: 5,100	: 6,000	+ 4	+18
Ohio	: 1,081	: 1,475	: 1,280	: 1,500	+ 2	+17
Indiana	: 1,134	: 1,650	: 1,117	: 1,253	-24	+12
Illinois	: 1,127	: 1,240	: 1,150	: 1,200	- 3	+ 4
Michigan	: 1,323	: 1,630	: 930	: 1,140	-30	+23
Wisconsin	:59,070	:68,800	:55,900	:66,350	- 4	+19
Minnesota	:15,099	:18,200	:17,400	:19,950	+10	+15
Iowa	: 6,922	: 8,700	: 6,100	: 7,300	-16	+20
Missouri	: 6,398	: 6,600	: 5,000	: 5,100	-23	+ 2
North Dakota	: 3,198	: 3,430	: 3,150	: 3,750	+ 9	+19
South Dakota	: 3,590	: 3,600	: 3,500	: 3,712	+ 3	+ 6
Nebraska	: 2,464	: 2,300	: 2,225	: 2,350	+ 2	+ 6
Kansas	: 2,233	: 3,570	: 2,285	: 2,950	-17	+29
Kentucky	: 3,559	: 4,530	: 2,666	: 3,871	-15	+45
Tennessee	: 2,568	: 1,910	: 1,258	: 1,851	- 3	+47
Idaho	: 2,932	: 3,450	: 3,320	: 3,700	+ 7	+11
Utah	: 2,344	: 2,495	: 2,403	: 2,609	+ 5	+ 9
Oregon	: 1,483	: 1,500	: 1,200	: 1,620	+ 8	+35
Other States	: 5,136	: 6,855	: 3,281	: 5,412	-21	+65
United States	:126,940	:147,715	:120,145	:142,668	- 3	+19

1/ Not available separately.

Ice cream: Production by States, March 1973

State	Mar.	Mar.	Feb.	Mar.	Change from	
	1971	1972	1973	1973	Mar.	Feb.
	1,000 gallons				Percent	
Massachusetts	3,543	3,290	3,500	3,700	+12	+ 6
Connecticut	1,230	1,470	1,300	1,400	- 5	+ 8
New York	5,795	5,300	4,500	6,000	+13	+33
New Jersey	1,564	1,265	875	1,200	- 5	+37
Pennsylvania	6,066	6,350	5,210	6,530	+ 3	+25
Ohio	3,914	3,350	3,050	2,800	-16	- 8
Indiana	2,174	2,210	2,600	3,230	+46	+24
Illinois	3,464	3,250	3,500	3,800	+17	+ 9
Michigan	2,961	3,190	2,800	3,400	+ 7	+21
Wisconsin	1,688	1,690	1,400	1,480	-12	+ 6
Minnesota	2,396	2,500	2,325	2,645	+ 6	+14
Iowa	613	745	510	750	+ 1	+47
Missouri	1,486	1,410	1,300	1,350	- 4	+ 4
Nebraska	875	770	530	660	-14	+25
Kansas	684	640	545	630	- 2	+16
Maryland & D. C.	1,809	1,580	1,400	1,580	0	+13
Virginia	788	780	615	745	- 4	+21
North Carolina	1,479	1,730	1,500	1,800	+ 4	+20
South Carolina	559	510	816	885	+74	+ 8
Georgia	665	720	435	558	-22	+28
Florida	2,021	2,480	1,550	2,300	- 7	+48
Kentucky	460	420	445	518	+23	+16
Tennessee	1,329	1,570	1,089	1,431	- 9	+31
Alabama	857	1,000	898	1,104	+10	+23
Louisiana	803	910	715	950	+ 4	+33
Oklahoma	436	505	505	585	+16	+16
Texas	2,684	2,815	2,400	2,850	+ 1	+19
Colorado	556	720	625	675	- 6	+ 8
Arizona	469	595	455	505	-15	+11
Utah	427	510	398	478	- 6	+20
Washington	1,154	1,250	1,050	1,200	- 4	+14
Oregon	625	550	530	600	+ 9	+13
California	6,346	6,565	5,250	5,960	- 9	+14
Other States	2,524	2,660	2,358	2,659	0	+13
United States	64,444	65,300	56,979	66,958	+ 3	+18

**Manufacturing grade milk: Average price and fat test
for milk used primarily for specified uses, March 1973**

Primary use	Price per 100 lb. of milk 1/			Milkfat test			Price per pound of milkfat		
	Mar. 1972	Feb. 1973	Mar. 1973	Mar. 1972	Feb. 1973	Mar. 1973	Mar. 1972	Feb. 1973	Mar. 1973
	Dollars			Percent			Dollars		
MILK FOR:									
Butter and by-products	4.96	5.42	5.48	3.62	3.66	3.63	1.37	1.48	1.51
American cheese	4.96	5.42	5.48	3.62	3.66	3.63	1.37	1.48	1.51
Misc. cheese:	5.14	5.58	5.63	3.68	3.73	3.67	1.40	1.50	1.53
Swiss	5.18	5.52	5.55	3.65	3.71	3.67	1.42	1.49	1.51
Brick & Munster	5.18	5.64	5.71	3.65	3.69	3.65	1.42	1.53	1.56
Italian	5.31	5.69	5.75	3.71	3.70	3.67	1.43	1.54	1.57
All other	5.17	5.69	5.77	3.77	3.70	3.68	1.37	1.54	1.57
All misc. cheese	5.23	5.64	5.69	3.69	3.70	3.67	1.42	1.52	1.55
All cheese	5.17	5.60	5.65	3.68	3.72	3.67	1.40	1.51	1.54

1/ Average price to producers for milk of average fat test, f.o.b. plant or receiving station.

**Manufacturing grade milk: Average price and fat test
for milk used primarily for canned evaporated milk,
by regions, March 1973**

Region	Price per 100 lb. of milk 1/			Milkfat test			Price per pound of milkfat		
	Mar. 1972	Feb. 1973	Mar. 1973	Mar. 1972	Feb. 1973	Mar. 1973	Mar. 1972	Feb. 1973	Mar. 1973
	Dollars			Percent			Dollars		
North Central	4.80	4.99	5.04	3.75	3.81	3.71	1.28	1.31	1.36
South Atlantic	4.84	4.90	4.79	3.96	4.01	3.86	1.22	1.22	1.24
South Central	4.63	4.92	5.00	3.68	3.84	3.67	1.26	1.28	1.36
West	4.94	5.23	5.24	3.68	3.73	3.63	1.34	1.40	1.44
United States	4.78	5.02	5.07	3.71	3.82	3.69	1.29	1.31	1.37

1/ Average price to producers for milk of average fat test, f.o.b. plant or receiving station.

**Manufacturing grade milk: Average price and fat test
for milk used primarily for butter and American cheese
by States, March 1973**

Primary use and State	Price per 100 lb. of milk 1/			Milkfat test			Price per pound of milkfat		
	Mar. 1972	Feb. 1973	Mar. 1973	Mar. 1972	Feb. 1973	Mar. 1973	Mar. 1972	Feb. 1973	Mar. 1973
	Dollars			Percent			Dollars		
<u>MILK FOR BUTTER AND BY-PRODUCTS:</u>									
Wisconsin	5.18	5.59	5.65	3.67	3.72	3.69	1.41	1.50	1.53
Minnesota	4.90	5.36	5.42	3.53	3.57	3.54	1.39	1.50	1.53
Iowa	5.06	5.56	5.64	3.67	3.76	3.74	1.38	1.48	1.51
Nebraska	4.97	5.70	5.67	3.63	3.92	3.80	1.37	1.45	1.49
Idaho	5.21	5.43	5.60	3.90	3.85	3.95	1.34	1.41	1.42
California	4.75	5.08	5.06	3.83	3.91	3.86	1.24	1.30	1.31
United States	4.96	5.42	5.48	3.62	3.66	3.63	1.37	1.48	1.51
<u>MILK FOR AMERICAN CHEESE:</u>									
Ohio	4.98	5.53	5.53	3.77	3.84	3.82	1.32	1.44	1.45
Indiana	4.93	5.05	5.13	3.85	3.86	3.79	1.28	1.31	1.35
Wisconsin	5.32	5.79	5.85	3.71	3.74	3.70	1.43	1.55	1.58
Minnesota	5.11	5.47	5.52	3.60	3.61	3.54	1.42	1.52	1.56
Iowa	5.06	5.45	5.53	3.69	3.73	3.71	1.37	1.46	1.49
Missouri	4.90	5.30	5.51	3.80	4.00	3.70	1.29	1.33	1.37
North Dakota	4.87	5.30	5.35	3.48	3.62	3.57	1.40	1.46	1.50
South Dakota	5.14	5.44	5.53	3.58	3.66	3.61	1.44	1.49	1.53
Nebraska	5.14	5.60	5.56	3.66	3.75	3.67	1.40	1.49	1.51
Kansas	4.78	5.41	5.44	3.63	3.77	3.67	1.32	1.44	1.48
Kentucky	4.59	5.04	4.94	3.85	3.85	3.69	1.19	1.31	1.34
Tennessee	4.58	4.89	4.90	3.89	4.00	3.85	1.18	1.22	1.27
Idaho	4.94	5.39	5.44	3.55	3.63	3.62	1.39	1.48	1.50
United States	5.14	5.58	5.63	3.68	3.73	3.67	1.40	1.50	1.53

1/ Average price to producers for milk of average fat test, f.o.b. plant or receiving station, except California price which is f.o.b. ranch.
