

2002 Utilization of Producer Milk in Class III Products - Monthly and Year-to-Date

Federal Milk Marketing Order Area	Order Number	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	2002 YTD ₁
<i>(million pounds)</i>														
Northeast	1	698	599	736	709	716	689	709	632	547	532	584	640	7,790
Appalachian	5	39	35	54	68	48	52	34	40	46	30	42	56	543
Florida	6	5	1	7	7	4	6	4	3	4	²	2	11	54
Southeast	7	150	133	162	167	160	142	126	106	119	115	127	130	1,638
Upper Midwest ³	30	1,505	1,233	1,418	1,360	1,192	1,185	1,133	1,330	1,247	1,119	1,264	1,414	15,400
Central	32	882	808	944	935	967	1,006	1,062	1,024	951	997	999	1,093	11,666
Mideast ⁴	33	584	637	775	782	848	845	780	529	587	601	561	594	8,124
Pacific Northwest	124	225	219	242	237	246	245	247	250	237	241	215	237	2,840
Southwest	126	291	257	310	300	301	300	273	246	248	254	248	250	3,277
Arizona Las-Vegas	131	107	95	111	104	95	81	91	69	88	93	102	105	1,142
Western ⁵	135	232	230	224	257	248	291	313	321	298	228	292	313	3,248
All Markets Combined ¹		4,718	4,247	4,983	4,927	4,824	4,841	4,772	4,550	4,373	4,209	4,434	4,844	55,723

¹ All markets combined and yearly total may not add due to rounding

² Less than 500,000 pounds.

³ Handlers in this marketing area elected not to pool milk used in Class III in February, July, and October due to the relationship between the order's Class III and uniform prices.

⁴ Handlers in this marketing area elected not to pool milk used in Class III in July due to the relationship between the order's Class III and uniform prices.

⁵ Handlers in this marketing area elected not to pool milk used in Class III in Jan.-Feb., May, July, August, and Oct.-Dec. due to the relationship between the order's Class III and uniform prices.

2002 Class III Utilization Percentage of Producer Milk - Monthly and Year-to-Date

Federal Milk Marketing Order Area	Order Number	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	2002 YTD ₁
		<i>(percent)</i>												
Northeast	1	31.64	29.80	32.17	31.65	31.36	32.30	32.38	30.87	28.41	26.95	29.61	30.58	30.72
Appalachian	5	6.45	6.59	8.63	11.08	7.80	9.04	6.48	7.57	9.15	5.83	8.05	9.99	8.10
Florida	6	2.12	0.64	2.89	2.98	1.49	2.75	1.74	1.17	2.03	0.18	1.07	4.58	2.02
Southeast	7	20.12	19.96	21.28	22.81	21.56	21.74	20.77	17.13	19.95	19.03	21.48	21.51	20.66
Upper Midwest	30	77.36	76.27	77.60	76.45	73.52	76.66	74.93	76.86	75.57	71.08	75.25	77.49	75.84
Central	32	58.15	58.20	60.51	60.00	59.92	63.36	66.86	65.57	62.42	61.40	64.69	66.79	62.39
Mideast	33	40.99	43.26	49.19	50.21	48.87	51.88	54.52	38.94	41.95	40.89	42.48	43.56	45.80
Pacific Northwest	124	35.80	36.98	36.52	36.01	35.67	36.64	36.42	36.69	36.77	36.57	35.31	36.25	36.30
Southwest	126	36.60	33.84	35.75	34.18	33.60	35.73	33.03	31.53	33.15	32.04	33.57	31.48	33.74
Arizona Las-Vegas	131	41.17	38.43	38.86	37.12	33.54	31.68	37.79	30.81	40.62	38.91	43.26	40.93	37.72
Western	135	48.75	50.99	64.29	51.95	51.11	56.99	71.76	70.58	55.23	48.44	67.05	69.87	58.50
All Markets Combined ¹		43.53	42.66	45.10	44.65	43.09	45.62	46.54	44.58	43.97	41.58	45.00	46.22	44.38

¹ All markets combined and yearly average weighted by producer pounds.

2002 Butterfat Test of Producer Milk Used in Class III Products - Monthly and Year-to-Date

Federal Milk Marketing Order Area	Order Number	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	2002 YTD ₁
		<i>(percent)</i>												
Northeast	1	3.36	3.57	3.58	3.49	3.46	3.59	3.33	3.35	3.54	3.65	3.64	3.64	3.51
Appalachian	5	5.35	4.39	5.04	3.51	4.66	4.20	6.32	5.93	5.90	6.58	5.39	3.78	4.92
Florida	6	7.09	16.64	5.01	5.21	7.14	6.80	6.27	17.56	8.96	28.74	9.46	3.09	6.78
Southeast	7	4.08	4.06	4.00	3.70	4.02	3.84	3.84	4.38	4.01	4.31	4.53	4.34	4.07
Upper Midwest	30	3.69	3.56	3.63	3.60	3.61	3.48	3.43	3.50	3.60	3.79	3.75	3.72	3.62
Central	32	3.66	3.65	3.64	3.61	3.55	3.52	3.49	3.56	3.64	3.73	3.72	3.69	3.62
Mideast	33	3.58	3.53	3.46	3.40	3.45	3.37	3.31	3.44	3.60	3.65	3.65	3.63	3.49
Pacific Northwest	124	3.67	3.65	3.73	3.77	3.80	3.76	3.73	3.80	3.89	3.94	3.86	3.79	3.78
Southwest	126	3.53	3.30	3.46	3.37	3.49	3.44	3.53	3.57	3.42	3.51	3.63	3.43	3.47
Arizona Las-Vegas	131	5.54	5.74	5.65	5.62	6.30	6.29	5.34	5.80	4.91	5.58	5.21	5.51	5.61
Western	135	3.72	3.74	3.69	3.73	3.70	3.69	3.42	3.37	3.79	3.87	3.72	3.62	3.66
All Markets Combined ¹		3.69	3.65	3.67	3.60	3.63	3.58	3.50	3.58	3.69	3.81	3.79	3.73	3.66

¹ All markets combined and yearly average weighted by producer pounds.

2002 Protein Test of Producer Milk Used in Class III Products - Monthly and Year-to-Date

Federal Milk Marketing Order Area	Order Number	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	2002 YTD ₁
		<i>(percent)</i>												
Northeast	1	3.06	3.01	3.00	2.97	2.98	2.93	2.89	2.89	3.28	3.05	3.07	3.05	3.01
Upper Midwest	30	3.06	3.05	3.05	3.01	2.98	2.96	2.90	2.95	3.01	3.09	3.11	3.08	3.02
Central	32	3.07	3.05	3.06	3.02	3.01	2.96	2.92	2.97	3.03	3.11	3.13	3.10	3.04
Mideast	33	3.06	3.04	3.04	2.99	2.99	2.94	2.90	2.93	2.99	3.09	3.13	3.11	3.01
Pacific Northwest	124	3.10	3.08	3.09	3.07	3.06	3.01	3.00	3.04	3.08	3.14	3.13	3.11	3.07
Southwest	126	3.10	3.07	3.04	2.99	2.96	2.93	2.92	2.94	3.02	3.10	3.14	3.12	3.03
Western	135	3.13	3.09	3.13	3.10	3.09	2.99	2.97	3.03	3.06	3.15	3.16	3.14	3.08
All Markets Combined ¹		3.07	3.05	3.05	3.01	3.00	2.96	2.91	2.95	3.05	3.10	3.12	3.09	3.03

¹ All markets combined and yearly average weighted by producer pounds.

2002 Other Solids Test of Producer Milk Used in Class III Products - Monthly and Year-to-Date

Federal Milk Marketing Order Area	Order Number	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	2002 YTD ₁
		<i>(percent)</i>												
Northeast	1	5.75	5.72	5.74	5.75	5.77	5.71	5.71	5.69	5.68	5.67	5.68	5.68	5.71
Upper Midwest	30	5.71	5.71	5.72	5.74	5.72	5.75	5.71	5.70	5.70	5.70	5.69	5.68	5.71
Central	32	5.70	5.71	5.74	5.75	5.74	5.74	5.71	5.70	5.68	5.69	5.69	5.70	5.71
Mideast	33	5.66	5.72	5.74	5.77	5.76	5.75	5.74	5.70	5.70	5.70	5.68	5.70	5.72
Pacific Northwest	124	5.71	5.73	5.72	5.74	5.73	5.72	5.71	5.69	5.67	5.66	5.71	5.70	5.71
Southwest	126	5.69	5.70	5.70	5.70	5.68	5.68	5.66	5.66	5.66	5.68	5.68	5.70	5.68
Western	135	5.71	5.72	5.79	5.73	5.73	5.74	5.74	5.73	5.72	5.67	5.68	5.68	5.72
All Markets Combined ¹		5.71	5.72	5.73	5.75	5.74	5.73	5.71	5.70	5.69	5.69	5.69	5.69	5.71

¹ All markets combined and yearly average weighted by producer pounds.

Methodology:

Data are submitted monthly by regulated handlers (milk buyers) to the regional Federal Milk Marketing Order Administrators (MA's). The monthly data are collected and then submitted to the Market Information Branch located in Washington, DC. Data are aggregated, organized, and formatted to provide the industry with monthly information reports.

Utilization of Producer Milk in Class III Products is the monthly volume of milk used to produce Class III Milk products.

The monthly All Markets Combined line is the total volume of milk used to produce Class III Milk products for each month.

The year-to-date (YTD) column is the total volume of milk used to produce Class III Milk products for each individual order and for all orders combined.

Class III Utilization Percentage of Producer Milk is the monthly volume of Class III Milk used to produce Class III products in each individual order divided by the monthly total of all producer milk pooled for that individual order for all classes.

The monthly All Markets Combined percentage line is the total volume of milk used to produce Class III Milk products for each month divided by total volume of milk pooled that month.

The year-to-date (YTD) column is the total of milk used to produce Class III Milk products for each individual order and for all orders combined divided by the total of all milk pooled for all classes of milk.

Butterfat Test of Producer Milk Used in Class III Products is the percentage of butterfat found in the Class III milk for each order for each month.

The All Markets Combined line is the percentage of butterfat found in the total Class III milk for all orders for the month.

The year-to-date (YTD) column is the percentage of butterfat found in the total Class III milk for each individual order and for all orders combined.

Protein Test of Producer Milk Used in Class III Products is the percentage of protein found in the Class III milk for each order for each month.

The All Markets Combined line is the percentage of protein found in the total Class III milk for all orders for the month.

The year-to-date (YTD) column and the annual is the percentage of protein found in the total Class III milk for each individual order and for all orders combined.

Other Solids Test of Producer Milk Used in Class III Products is the percentage of other solids found in the Class III milk for each order for each month.

The All Markets Combined line is the percentage of other solids found in the total Class III milk for all orders for the month.

The year-to-date (YTD) column and the annual is the percentage of other solids found in the total Class III milk for each individual order and for all orders combined.

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