

## 2009 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	2009 YTD <sub>1</sub>
<i>(million pounds)</i>														
Northeast	1	449	449	466	467	508	498	500	485	428	421	417	442	5,531
Appalachian	5	32	44	31	29	41	32	31	23	25	25	28	30	370
Florida	6	12	15	3	3	7	3	3	1	1	0	1	1	50
Southeast	7	74	98	131	123	155	133	111	60	63	64	72	104	1,186
Upper Midwest <sup>2</sup>	30	2,162	2,027	2,120	2,239	2,377	2,313	2,461	2,118	1,828	2,162	1,847	2,091	25,747
Central <sup>3</sup>	32	340	395	299	373	524	478	458	293	249	266	280	314	4,270
Mideast <sup>4</sup>	33	442	420	451	469	525	512	518	422	391	391	404	441	5,387
Pacific Northwest <sup>5</sup>	124	270	257	223	176	297	289	296	247	37	271	249	210	2,822
Southwest <sup>4</sup>	126	453	384	38	390	421	399	414	365	351	381	23	390	4,008
Arizona	131	88	93	104	90	96	102	88	107	104	95	92	96	1,157
All Markets Combined <sup>1</sup>		4,322	4,183	3,867	4,359	4,951		4,881	4,122	3,478	4,076	3,411	4,119	50,528

<sup>1</sup> All markets combined and yearly total may not add due to rounding

<sup>2</sup> Handlers in this marketing area elected not to pool producer milk used in Class III in January-April due to the relationship between the order's Class III and uniform price.

<sup>3</sup> Handlers in this marketing area elected not to pool producer milk used in Class III in February-April due to the relationship between the order's Class III and uniform price.

<sup>4</sup> Handlers in these marketing areas elected not to pool producer milk used in Class III in March due to the relationship between the order's Class III and uniform price.

<sup>5</sup> Handlers in this marketing area elected not to pool producer milk used in Class III in March and April due to the relationship between the order's Class III and uniform price.

## 2009 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	2009 YTD <sub>1</sub>
		<i>(percent)</i>												
Northeast	1	22.24	24.37	22.62	23.05	23.95	24.88	24.52	25.05	23.23	22.45	22.93	23.12	23.54
Appalachian	5	6.21	9.28	5.92	5.72	7.99	6.37	6.38	4.73	5.38	5.09	5.73	5.87	6.22
Florida	6	4.11	5.70	0.97	0.97	2.95	1.46	1.46	0.52	0.24	0.18	0.23	0.27	1.64
Southeast	7	12.14	17.93	19.38	19.02	23.37	21.90	19.37	10.46	11.67	11.32	12.81	16.84	16.55
Upper Midwest	30	78.61	81.48	79.27	80.15	82.39	83.85	84.35	79.97	76.35	78.59	76.26	77.47	80.00
Central	32	31.60	37.16	28.71	33.01	41.70	40.25	38.91	29.12	28.18	28.30	29.48	32.37	33.66
Mideast	33	31.79	32.87	32.06	33.13	35.18	35.77	35.50	30.60	29.90	29.29	30.87	31.73	32.46
Pacific Northwest	124	39.00	41.02	36.26	31.33	42.92	43.10	43.23	39.43	9.35	41.34	39.41	33.94	37.78
Southwest	126	41.59	38.79	5.48	37.63	38.80	40.15	43.61	42.17	41.58	43.65	4.64	43.31	37.08
Arizona	131	23.98	26.98	26.98	24.19	26.13	30.45	28.87	35.19	36.77	31.00	28.74	27.83	28.63
All Markets Combined <sup>1</sup>		40.03	42.17	37.36	40.57	43.74	44.44	45.09	40.95	37.79	40.59	36.92	40.33	40.94

<sup>1</sup> All markets combined and yearly average weighted by producer pounds.

## 2009 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	2009 YTD <sub>1</sub>
		<i>(percent)</i>												
Northeast	1	3.88	4.10	4.08	4.24	3.92	3.56	3.59	3.70	3.82	3.96	3.93	4.04	3.90
Appalachian	5	6.18	5.42	7.03	6.23	4.68	5.16	5.58	6.97	8.05	8.73	7.17	7.85	6.42
Florida	6	1.86	3.44	11.69	14.03	5.88	4.83	5.57	18.22	32.33	41.37	37.31	15.75	6.26
Southeast	7	4.48	4.29	3.92	3.92	3.50	3.70	3.75	5.17	5.75	5.87	6.12	4.95	4.38
Upper Midwest	30	3.72	3.71	3.67	3.64	3.58	3.52	3.47	3.52	3.62	3.74	3.71	3.70	3.63
Central	32	3.75	3.57	3.59	3.61	3.30	3.40	3.39	3.72	3.68	3.80	4.04	3.76	3.59
Mideast	33	3.78	3.94	3.74	3.69	3.62	3.47	3.44	3.68	3.82	3.95	3.81	3.66	3.70
Pacific Northwest	124	3.84	3.83	3.83	3.79	3.73	3.71	3.74	3.71	4.91	3.94	3.94	3.93	3.83
Southwest	126	3.77	3.35	6.04	3.47	3.48	3.55	3.52	3.58	3.56	3.74	6.11	3.74	3.62
Arizona	131	6.53	6.84	7.09	6.99	6.89	6.05	5.95	4.10	3.95	5.23	5.96	6.35	5.96
All Markets Combined <sup>1</sup>		3.84	3.84	3.89	3.80	3.66	3.59	3.56	3.65	3.76	3.90	3.95	3.87	3.77

<sup>1</sup> All markets combined and yearly average weighted by producer pounds.

## 2009 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	2009 YTD <sub>1</sub>
		<i>(percent)</i>												
Northeast	1	3.11	3.08	3.06	3.04	3.03	3.01	3.00	2.99	3.07	3.15	3.14	3.13	3.07
Upper Midwest	30	3.09	3.06	3.05	3.03	3.01	2.96	2.95	2.97	3.02	3.11	3.09	3.10	3.04
Central	32	3.11	3.08	3.06	3.04	3.01	2.96	2.94	2.96	3.11	3.15	3.12	3.14	3.05
Mideast	33	3.13	3.09	3.07	3.05	3.01	2.98	2.98	2.99	3.05	3.14	3.13	3.15	3.06
Pacific Northwest	124	3.20	3.16	3.12	3.03	3.11	3.06	3.04	3.01	3.02	3.26	3.30	3.24	3.14
Southwest	126	3.13	3.10	3.01	3.04	2.98	2.95	2.90	2.93	3.04	3.12	3.08	3.14	3.03
All Markets Combined <sup>1</sup>		3.11	3.08	3.06	3.04	3.02	2.97	2.96	2.97	3.04	3.13	3.12	3.13	3.05

<sup>1</sup> All markets combined and yearly average weighted by producer pounds.

## 2009 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	2009 YTD <sub>1</sub>
		<i>(percent)</i>												
Northeast	1	5.69	5.69	5.69	5.66	5.68	5.69	5.69	5.67	5.65	5.66	5.67	5.67	5.68
Upper Midwest	30	5.71	5.73	5.73	5.72	5.73	5.76	5.76	5.74	5.73	5.75	5.72	5.73	5.73
Central	32	5.73	5.75	5.76	5.74	5.77	5.76	5.75	5.72	5.77	5.76	5.72	5.75	5.75
Mideast	33	5.70	5.69	5.69	5.70	5.71	5.72	5.71	5.68	5.66	5.69	5.69	5.72	5.70
Pacific Northwest	124	5.67	5.67	5.69	5.66	5.70	5.70	5.70	5.69	5.61	5.69	5.70	5.72	5.69
Southwest	126	5.71	5.75	5.62	5.74	5.76	5.75	5.74	5.72	5.75	5.78	5.61	5.75	5.74
All Markets Combined <sup>1</sup>		5.71	5.72	5.72	5.71	5.73	5.74	5.74	5.72	5.72	5.73	5.71	5.73	5.72

<sup>1</sup> 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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