

2006 Utilization of Producer Milk in Class IV 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	2006 YTD ₁
<i>(million pounds)</i>														
Northeast	1	291	274	305	364	324	249	246	88	78	75	77	212	2,584
Appalachian	5	58	67	74	103	84	82	56	33	33	42	41	85	758
Florida	6	18	16	16	20	7	10	12	8	8	16	7	16	154
Southeast	7	106	73	77	93	69	56	54	35	17	27	30	56	691
Upper Midwest	30	68	65	64	72	59	46	55	32	41	67	60	99	728
Central	32	143	135	139	168	154	132	143	108	96	110	115	123	1,566
Mideast	33	109	96	94	147	127	113	133	65	81	78	59	129	1,230
Pacific Northwest ²	124	236	214	241	258	258	249	271	247	225	190	182	201	2,771
Southwest	126	198	218	227	192	209	173	169	58	37	54	72	133	1,740
Arizona ³	131	82	61	77	82	83	70	49	26	11	29	30	52	652
All Markets Combined ¹		1,310	1,218	1,314	1,500	1,374	1,179	1,188	699	627	688	673	1,105	12,873

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

² Handlers in this marketing area elected not to pool producer milk used in Class IV in September and December due to the relationship between the order's Class II and uniform prices.

³ Effective May 1, 2006, the name of the Federal order was changed. Clark County, Nevada which includes Las Vegas, was removed from the marketing area.

2006 Class IV 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	2006 YTD ₁
		<i>(percent)</i>												
Northeast	1	14.66	14.93	14.79	18.17	15.65	13.10	12.93	4.88	4.48	4.20	4.45	11.47	11.39
Appalachian	5	11.18	13.63	12.84	18.00	14.31	15.03	11.46	6.78	7.34	8.38	8.12	16.28	12.14
Florida	6	6.64	6.14	5.26	7.21	2.70	3.79	4.80	3.21	3.27	6.52	2.80	6.05	4.92
Southeast	7	13.71	10.82	10.08	12.51	9.52	8.24	8.88	5.47	2.74	4.24	4.83	9.15	8.58
Upper Midwest	30	3.07	3.15	2.80	3.31	2.60	2.12	2.40	1.30	2.13	2.81	2.52	4.36	2.71
Central	32	11.50	10.97	10.08	12.65	10.97	12.97	10.91	9.09	11.87	9.63	12.01	13.58	11.25
Mideast	33	7.18	6.91	6.11	9.69	8.04	7.52	8.85	4.78	6.42	5.75	4.51	9.38	7.15
Pacific Northwest	124	37.67	35.28	35.45	37.50	35.90	37.65	38.29	33.98	46.05	30.66	30.54	44.28	36.60
Southwest	126	21.94	24.55	22.70	20.33	19.30	17.44	16.08	6.22	4.16	5.88	7.77	12.33	15.00
Arizona ²	131	30.62	24.06	26.54	27.13	25.53	22.79	17.75	10.10	4.59	10.72	10.77	17.06	19.27
All Markets Combined ¹		12.68	12.58	12.09	14.19	12.46	11.78	11.43	6.95	7.23	6.98	7.05	11.48	10.67

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

² Effective May 1, 2006, the name of the Federal order was changed. Clark County, Nevada which includes Las Vegas, was removed from the marketing area.

2006 Butterfat Test of Producer Milk Used in Class IV 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	2006 YTD ₁
		<i>(percent)</i>												
Northeast	1	4.58	3.96	3.69	3.40	3.11	2.94	2.83	4.07	5.33	6.39	6.35	4.96	3.88
Appalachian	5	7.99	6.25	5.85	4.61	4.33	4.40	4.62	5.53	6.34	8.36	6.44	6.10	5.67
Florida	6	12.52	14.17	11.92	7.66	16.40	8.70	6.08	8.17	8.24	8.08	13.86	11.05	10.46
Southeast	7	7.54	7.46	7.07	5.87	6.42	6.17	6.06	9.16	19.30	14.46	14.02	10.20	8.04
Upper Midwest	30	11.95	11.75	11.37	9.89	10.83	11.20	9.44	15.21	14.62	10.90	11.82	9.47	11.19
Central	32	7.11	6.70	6.49	5.27	4.69	4.33	4.42	4.48	6.58	6.74	6.66	6.77	5.80
Mideast	33	10.42	11.37	11.12	7.20	7.03	4.97	4.86	7.74	9.16	10.81	12.09	8.72	8.42
Pacific Northwest	124	4.30	4.24	4.14	4.03	3.89	3.61	3.61	3.33	4.07	4.15	4.23	4.25	3.96
Southwest	126	4.72	4.47	4.04	3.65	3.38	2.50	2.34	2.89	6.83	6.32	4.06	4.93	3.89
Arizona ²	131	1.35	0.09	0.03	0.22	0.20	0.02	0.40	0.16	1.19	0.35	0.43	1.35	0.44
All Markets Combined ¹		5.99	5.68	5.24	4.55	4.30	3.82	3.83	4.84	6.65	6.97	6.73	6.15	5.21

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

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2006 Nonfat Solids Test of Producer Milk Used in Class IV 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	2006 YTD ₁
		<i>(percent)</i>												
Northeast	1	8.72	8.77	8.80	8.80	8.82	8.77	8.70	8.59	8.57	8.56	8.60	8.68	8.74
Upper Midwest	30	8.02	8.08	8.07	8.17	8.07	7.98	8.10	7.64	7.79	8.21	8.13	8.31	8.09
Central	32	8.48	8.52	8.52	8.59	8.64	8.60	8.59	8.60	8.54	8.58	8.52	8.53	8.56
Mideast	33	8.18	8.08	8.09	8.40	8.38	8.52	8.52	8.26	8.23	8.16	7.59	8.31	8.27
Pacific Northwest	124	8.70	8.76	8.75	8.74	8.69	8.67	8.68	8.74	8.74	8.82	8.80	8.78	8.73
Southwest	126	8.74	8.75	8.74	8.70	8.76	8.81	8.79	8.75	8.50	8.59	8.86	8.78	8.75
All Markets Combined ¹		8.58	8.62	8.63	8.65	8.67	8.66	8.64	8.58	8.52	8.56	8.53	8.60	8.62

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 IV Products is the monthly volume of milk used to produce Class IV Milk products.

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

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

Class IV Utilization Percentage of Producer Milk is the monthly volume of Class IV Milk used to produce Class IV 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 IV 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 IV 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 IV Products is the percentage of butterfat found in the Class IV milk for each order for each month.

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

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

Nonfat Test of Producer Milk Used in Class IV Products is the percentage of nonfat solids found in the Class IV milk for each order for each month.

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

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

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