

2008 Number of Producers Delivering Milk to Regulated Handlers - Monthly and Year-to-Date

Federal Milk Marketing Order Area	Order Number	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	2008 YTD ¹
		<i>(number of producers)</i>												
Northeast	1	13,812	13,714	13,792	13,839	13,253	12,578	13,796	13,677	13,675	13,641	13,625	13,603	13,583
Appalachian	5	2,666	2,655	2,719	2,506	2,516	2,651	2,693	2,936	2,904	2,911	2,802	2,819	2,731
Florida	6	378	356	351	327	315	356	369	436	422	447	430	444	385
Southeast	7	3,125	3,045	3,008	3,002	3,042	2,724	2,995	3,137	2,996	2,966	2,966	3,031	3,003
Upper Midwest	30	16,617	16,503	15,208	16,489	13,869	13,722	15,356	16,125	16,039	14,313	16,091	15,061	15,449
Central	32	4,168	4,253	3,911	3,899	3,761	3,697	3,896	4,056	3,993	3,926	3,897	3,701	3,929
Mideast	33	7,918	7,723	7,695	7,693	7,483	7,383	7,328	7,376	7,191	7,327	7,271	7,325	7,476
Pacific Northwest	124	683	680	525	683	538	531	680	677	669	509	662	510	612
Southwest	126	773	596	545	602	552	539	587	567	577	584	631	518	589
Arizona	131	92	96	96	96	95	97	100	99	101	101	100	102	97
All Markets Combined ¹		50,232	49,621	47,850	49,136	45,424	44,278	47,800	49,086	48,567	46,725	48,475	47,114	47,854

¹ Simple Average is the simple average of data that is available at time of publication.

2008 Receipts of Producer Milk by Regulated Handlers - Monthly and Year-to-Date

Federal Milk Marketing Order Area	Order Number	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	2008 YTD ¹
<i>(million pounds)</i>														
Northeast	1	2,050	1,977	2,134	2,122	2,086	1,833	2,051	1,982	1,882	1,932	1,870	1,977	23,895
Appalachian	5	513	460	510	489	491	466	476	489	480	498	488	523	5,882
Florida	6	283	266	283	270	270	260	244	249	237	254	251	265	3,130
Southeast	7	642	606	614	609	597	494	540	553	537	564	561	606	6,923
Upper Midwest	30	2,538	2,409	2,105	2,513	1,868	1,948	2,384	2,627	2,531	2,175	2,625	2,318	28,041
Central	32	1,105	1,064	864	1,031	817	767	931	1,035	1,019	927	1,075	929	11,564
Mideast	33	1,469	1,375	1,288	1,444	1,230	1,216	1,389	1,329	1,253	1,187	1,300	1,225	15,707
Pacific Northwest	124	585	607	506	646	531	506	665	659	627	455	621	473	6,882
Southwest	126	834	754	677	1,088	702	655	1,034	927	901	559	954	604	9,687
Arizona	131	340	338	381	373	388	353	328	319	310	331	336	359	4,156
All Markets Combined ¹		10,361	9,856	9,363	10,582	8,979	8,498	10,043	10,169	9,777	8,882	10,080	9,278	115,867

¹ All markets and Total YTD combined may not add due to rounding

2008 Average Daily Delivery of Milk Per Producer to Regulated Handlers - Monthly and Year-to-Date

Federal Milk Marketing Order Area	Order Number	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	2008 YTD ²
		<i>(pounds)</i>												
Northeast	1	4,789	4,971	4,991	5,110	5,077	4,858	4,795	4,674	4,587	4,570	4,574	4,688	4,807
Appalachian	5	6,208	5,980	6,052	6,500	6,290	5,855	5,708	5,376	5,508	5,515	5,800	5,982	5,898
Florida	6	24,171	25,726	26,012	27,474	27,622	24,362	21,365	18,398	18,687	18,315	19,437	19,231	22,567
Southeast	7	6,629	6,864	6,589	6,758	6,333	6,039	5,815	5,690	5,970	6,129	6,305	6,454	6,298
Upper Midwest	30	4,926	5,033	4,465	5,079	4,345	4,731	5,008	5,255	5,261	4,902	5,439	4,965	4,951
Central	32	8,551	8,627	7,129	8,812	7,007	6,919	7,707	8,235	8,510	7,615	9,194	8,094	8,033
Mideast	33	5,987	6,141	5,401	6,257	5,304	5,488	6,115	5,813	5,809	5,226	5,960	5,396	5,741
Pacific Northwest	124	27,652	30,775	31,071	31,516	31,812	31,782	31,569	31,395	31,254	28,864	31,279	29,902	30,739
Southwest	126	34,804	43,624	40,042	60,243	41,004	40,531	56,841	52,718	52,029	30,857	50,383	37,610	45,057
Arizona	131	119,340	121,280	128,016	129,412	131,673	121,389	105,917	103,810	102,455	105,767	112,011	113,383	116,205
All Markets Combined ¹		6,654	7,094	6,312	7,179	6,376	6,397	6,778	6,683	6,710	6,132	6,932	6,353	6,633

¹ All markets combined weighted by producer pounds. ² Simple Average is the simple average of data that is available at time of publication.

2008 Butterfat Test 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	2008 YTD ¹
		<i>(percent)</i>												
Northeast	1	3.79	3.77	3.78	3.73	3.67	3.61	3.58	3.62	3.69	3.79	3.83	3.84	3.73
Appalachian	5	3.79	3.77	3.74	3.66	3.60	3.56	3.55	3.58	3.65	3.76	3.83	3.83	3.69
Florida	6	3.65	3.59	3.55	3.54	3.55	3.54	3.57	3.60	3.62	3.66	3.70	3.69	3.60
Southeast	7	3.78	3.75	3.71	3.62	3.58	3.55	3.55	3.57	3.63	3.71	3.78	3.80	3.67
Upper Midwest	30	3.81	3.79	3.77	3.73	3.67	3.61	3.58	3.59	3.67	3.77	3.82	3.83	3.72
Central	32	3.78	3.73	3.71	3.66	3.60	3.51	3.50	3.52	3.61	3.68	3.72	3.75	3.65
Mideast	33	3.80	3.78	3.77	3.70	3.62	3.56	3.54	3.57	3.65	3.76	3.83	3.86	3.70
Pacific Northwest	124	3.81	3.74	3.71	3.70	3.58	3.55	3.56	3.58	3.63	3.70	3.76	3.78	3.67
Southwest	126	3.81	3.72	3.69	3.59	3.56	3.52	3.51	3.54	3.59	3.71	3.68	3.76	3.63
Arizona	131	3.70	3.65	3.55	3.50	3.48	3.51	3.50	3.51	3.53	3.55	3.60	3.61	3.56
All Markets Combined ¹		3.79	3.76	3.74	3.68	3.62	3.57	3.55	3.58	3.65	3.74	3.78	3.80	3.69

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

2008 Nonfat Solids Test 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	2008 YTD ¹
		<i>(percent)</i>												
Northeast	1	8.81	8.86	8.80	8.75	8.75	8.69	8.65	8.70	8.75	8.82	8.83	8.82	8.77
Upper Midwest	30	8.79	8.79	8.76	8.72	8.70	8.69	8.65	8.66	8.74	8.80	8.83	8.82	8.75
Central	32	8.83	8.81	8.79	8.76	8.75	8.70	8.67	8.70	8.78	8.86	8.88	8.90	8.79
Mideast	33	8.82	8.81	8.78	8.73	8.74	8.68	8.65	8.67	8.71	8.79	8.83	8.83	8.75
Pacific Northwest	124	8.86	8.79	8.78	8.81	8.76	8.72	8.70	8.75	8.79	8.83	8.85	8.87	8.79
Southwest	126	8.87	8.80	8.79	8.77	8.75	8.69	8.67	8.70	8.76	8.85	8.89	8.90	8.78
All Markets Combined ¹		8.82	8.82	8.78	8.75	8.74	8.69	8.66	8.69	8.75	8.82	8.85	8.84	8.77

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

2008 Protein (True) Test 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	2008 YTD ¹
		<i>(percent)</i>												
Northeast	1	3.09	3.08	3.07	3.03	3.03	2.98	2.95	3.01	3.06	3.13	3.15	3.13	3.06
Upper Midwest	30	3.09	3.10	3.06	3.02	3.00	2.97	2.93	2.95	3.02	3.09	3.12	3.11	3.04
Central	32	3.14	3.11	3.09	3.06	3.03	2.98	2.96	2.97	3.06	3.13	3.16	3.17	3.07
Mideast	33	3.11	3.11	3.09	3.04	3.02	2.96	2.94	2.97	3.03	3.11	3.15	3.15	3.06
Pacific Northwest	124	3.13	3.10	3.11	3.10	3.04	3.01	2.98	3.03	3.09	3.16	3.18	3.18	3.09
Southwest	126	3.16	3.09	3.07	3.04	3.01	2.95	2.94	2.96	3.03	3.13	3.16	3.16	3.05
All Markets Combined ¹		3.11	3.10	3.08	3.04	3.02	2.97	2.94	2.98	3.04	3.12	3.14	3.14	3.06

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

2008 Other Solids Test 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	2008 YTD ¹
		<i>(percent)</i>												
Northeast	1	5.73	5.78	5.73	5.72	5.73	5.71	5.70	5.69	5.68	5.69	5.68	5.69	5.71
Upper Midwest	30	5.69	5.70	5.70	5.70	5.70	5.73	5.72	5.71	5.72	5.71	5.71	5.71	5.71
Central	32	5.70	5.70	5.70	5.71	5.73	5.72	5.72	5.73	5.73	5.73	5.73	5.73	5.72
Mideast	33	5.70	5.70	5.69	5.70	5.72	5.72	5.72	5.70	5.69	5.68	5.69	5.68	5.70
Pacific Northwest	124	5.73	5.69	5.67	5.71	5.72	5.71	5.72	5.72	5.70	5.67	5.67	5.69	5.70
Southwest	126	5.71	5.71	5.72	5.73	5.74	5.74	5.73	5.74	5.73	5.72	5.73	5.73	5.73
All Markets Combined ¹		5.71	5.72	5.71	5.71	5.72	5.72	5.72	5.71	5.71	5.70	5.70	5.70	5.71

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

2008 Somatic Cell Count 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	2008 YTD ¹
		<i>(thousands)</i>												
Upper Midwest	30	258	279	281	280	279	294	311	312	291	271	253	259	281
Central	32	280	287	281	272	263	282	306	317	306	270	253	257	281
Mideast	33	295	309	318	312	301	339	339	360	344	303	286	292	317
Southwest	126	261	239	231	210	224	236	279	286	300	285	241	242	253
All Markets Combined ¹		274	279	278	269	267	288	309	319	310	282	258	263	283

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

Methodology: Total Receipts Report

Data Source: Total Receipts reports are created using information on the handling of milk obtained from Federal Milk Marketing Order personnel.

Receipts of Producer Milk by Regulated Handlers is the amount of producer milk in pounds that qualifies for pooling on each of the Federal Milk Marketing Orders each month. Each order has its own criteria that determines if a producer's milk is eligible to be pooled. Handlers must comply with these standards or the producer's milk is not eligible to be pooled on the Federal Milk Marketing Order. Regulated handlers, under certain circumstances and price relationships, may elect to not include certain quantities of producer milk that is eligible to be pooled on Federal Milk Marketing Orders. The All Markets Combined is the total of all the producer milk pooled for the month. The year-to-date and annual amount of receipts is the total of the monthly amounts.

Average Daily Delivery of Milk Per Producer to Regulated Handlers is the amount of producer milk pooled under each Federal Milk Marketing Order divided by the number of producers whose milk is pooled for that month for each Order and then divided by the number of days in the month. The All Markets Combined is the monthly total of milk pooled divided by the total number of producers whose milk is pooled for the month and then divided by the days in the month. The year-to-date is the simple average of the monthly data that is available at the time of publication. Once all monthly data becomes available at the end of each year the year-to-date amount is the annual simple average for all months for each Federal Milk Marketing Order.

Butterfat Test of Producer Milk is the average percentage of butterfat contained in the producer milk pooled each month. Since all Federal Milk Marketing Orders utilize butterfat content in their milk pricing, all Federal Milk Marketing Orders are listed. The All Markets Combined is the weighted average percentage of butterfat contained in all of the orders combined, weighted by the amount of butterfat in each order. The year-to-date average is the weighted average butterfat test percentage for all available months. Once all monthly data becomes available at the end of each year, the year-to-date amount is the annual weighted average for all months for each and all Federal Milk Marketing Order(s).

Nonfat Solids Test of Producer Milk is the average percentage of nonfat solids (all milk solids other than butterfat) contained in the producer milk pooled each month. Data is only reported for those Federal Milk Marketing Orders that utilize multiple component pricing. *Multiple component pricing is used in the Northeast (Order 1), Upper Midwest (Order 30), Central (Order 32), Mideast (Order 33), California (51), Pacific Northwest (Order 124), and Southwest (Order 126) Orders.* The All Markets Combined is the weighted average percentage of nonfat solids contained in all of the component orders combined. The year-to-date is the weighted average nonfat solids test percentage for all available months. Once all monthly data becomes available at the end of each year, the year-to-date amount is the annual weighted average for all months for each and all Federal Milk Marketing Order(s).

Protein (True) Test of Producer Milk is the average percentage of protein (true) contained in the producer milk pooled each month. Data is only reported for those Federal Milk Marketing Orders that utilize multiple component pricing. *Multiple component pricing is used in the Northeast (Order 1), Upper Midwest (Order 30), Central (Order 32), Mideast (Order 33), California (Order 51), Pacific Northwest (Order 124), and Southwest (Order 126) Orders.* The All Markets Combined is the weighted average percentage of protein (true) contained in all of the component orders combined. The year-to-date is the weighted average protein (true) test percentage for all available months. Once all monthly data becomes available at the end of each year, the year-to-date amount is the annual weighted average for all months for each and all Federal Milk Marketing Order(s).

Other Solids Test of Producer Milk is the average percentage of other solids (other than butterfat and protein (true)). Data is only reported for those Federal Milk Marketing Orders that utilize multiple component pricing. *Multiple component pricing is used in the Northeast (Order 1), Upper Midwest (Order 30), Central (Order 32), Mideast (Order 33), California (Order 51), Pacific Northwest (Order 124), and Southwest (Order 126) Orders.* The All Markets Combined is the weighted average percentage of other solids contained in all of the component orders combined. The year-to-date is the weighted average other solids test percentage for all available months. Once all monthly data becomes available at the end of each year, the year-to-date amount is the annual weighted average for all months for each and all Federal Milk Marketing Order(s).

Somatic Cell Count of Producer Milk is the average number of somatic cells per milliliter contained in the producer milk reported for those orders who utilize somatic cell counts in their milk pricing formulas. *Somatic cell counts are used in the pricing of producer milk in the Upper Midwest (Order 30), Central (Order 32), Mideast (Order 33), California (Order 51), and Southwest (Order 126) Orders.* The All Markets Combined is the weighted average somatic cell count of the orders that utilize this count. The year-to-date is the weighted average somatic cell count for all available months. Once all monthly data becomes available at the end of each year, the year-to-date amount is the annual weighted average for all months for each and all Federal Milk Marketing Order(s).

Reliability: The AMS audit staff periodically perform on-site audits on the amounts of producer milk pooled to ensure accurate reporting of pool, milk components, and other milk price information.

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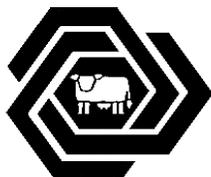
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