

dairy products



November 1973

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NOVEMBER HIGHLIGHTS

Butter production in November is estimated at 60.4 million pounds--down 4 percent from the previous month and 18 percent from November 1972.

American cheese production in November totaled 121 million pounds, an increase of one percent from October and up 12 percent from November 1972.

Miscellaneous types of cheese production in November amounted to 79.5 million pounds--up 6 percent from last month and 1 percent from a year ago.

Cottage cheese: Creamed cottage output totaled 70.1 million pounds--down 9 percent from November 1972.
Lowfat cottage amounted to 8.6 million pounds, 2 percent above a year earlier.

Canned evaporated and condensed whole milk production in November was 69.8 million pounds, a 3-percent decrease from a year ago.

Frozen Desserts (November 1973 production compared with November 1972)

Ice cream -- 55.9 million gallons, up 5 percent.
Ice milk -- 17.9 million gallons, up 10 percent.
Sherbet -- 3.1 million gallons, up 3 percent.
Mellorine -- 2.6 million gallons, down 3 percent.

Dry milk products (November 1973 production compared with November 1972)

Nonfat dry milk for human food -- 45 million pounds, down 21 percent.

Dry whole milk -- 4.6 million pounds, down 23 percent.

Dry whey for human food -- 30.2 million pounds, up 3 percent.

Dry whey for animal feed -- 28.4 million pounds, the same as last year.

Condensed whey -- 14.5 million pounds, up 18 percent.

Milk prices for manufacturing grade milk in November used primarily for production of:

Butter-powder -- \$7.56, up 27 cents from October and \$2.19 from a year ago.

American cheese -- \$7.90, up 31 cents from October and \$2.35 from a year ago.

Miscellaneous cheese -- \$7.84, up 30 cents from October and \$2.27 from a year ago.

Evaporated milk (canned) -- \$7.13, up 30 cents from October and \$2.14 from a year ago.

Production of dairy products, November 1973.

Product	November	November	October	November	Percent of	
	1971	1972	1973	1973	November	October
	1,000 pounds				Percent	
Butter	79,331	73,453	62,716	60,442	82	96
Cheese:						
American types 1/	103,688	107,894	119,570	120,935	112	101
Swiss	12,576	13,951	10,810	10,031	72	93
Brick and Munster	5,373	5,576	5,490	5,546	99	101
Cream and Neufchatel	14,213	14,300	9,773	14,669	103	150
Blue	2,137	2,269	2,378	2,029	89	85
Mozzarella	2/	2/	28,282	29,433	2/	104
Other Italian types	2/	2/	15,127	15,055	2/	100
Total Italian types	38,458	39,453	43,409	44,488	113	102
All other types 3/	2,486	2,804	2,918	2,782	99	95
Total	178,931	186,247	194,348	200,480	108	103
Cottage cheese, curd 4/	58,510	60,626	59,829	55,175	91	92
Cottage cheese, creamed 5/	78,960	77,110	76,923	70,062	91	91
Cottage cheese, lowfat 6/	6,433	8,422	9,025	8,575	102	95
Canned evaporated and condensed whole milk	81,476	72,203	80,616	69,756	97	87
Dry whole milk	4,727	6,008	5,182	4,642	77	90
Nonfat dry milk for human food	78,546	57,219	48,704	45,112	79	93
Dry skim milk for animal feed	539	1,085	864	728	67	84
Dry buttermilk	3,515	3,339	2,300	2,143	64	93
Dry whey for human food	24,820	29,364	29,162	30,224	103	104
Dry whey for animal feed	26,059	28,281	26,597	28,382	100	107
Condensed whey	23,876	12,235	14,002	14,490	118	103
	1,000 gallons				Percent	
Ice cream	55,248	53,465	63,689	55,879	105	88
Ice milk	16,536	16,266	23,049	17,918	110	78
Sherbet	2,957	2,991	3,864	3,093	103	80
Mellorine-type frozen desserts 7/	3,171	2,650	3,211	2,581	97	80

1/ Whole milk cheese, including Cheddar, Colby, Washed curd, Stirred curd, Monterey and Jack.
 2/ Not available. 3/ Includes limburger formerly published separately. 4/ Mostly used for processing into creamed or lowfat cottage cheese. 5/ Fat content 4 percent or more. 6/ Fat content less than 4 percent. 7/ Made with fats and oils other than milkfat.

Production of dairy products by months, 1971-73

Month	By months				Cumulative			
	1971	1972	1973	1973 as % of 1972	1971	1972	1973	1973 as % of 1972
	1,000 pounds			Percent	1,000 pounds			Percent
BUTTER								
January	102,606	99,913	96,142	96	102,606	99,913	96,142	96
February	97,719	99,897	84,437	85	200,325	199,810	180,579	90
March	111,227	106,949	90,646	85	311,552	306,759	271,225	88
April	112,266	108,011	93,736	87	423,818	414,770	364,961	88
May	118,170	117,853	100,256	85	541,988	532,623	465,217	87
June	112,598	110,040	87,621	80	654,586	642,663	552,838	86
July	89,419	87,703	69,138	79	744,005	730,366	621,976	85
August	81,144	74,965	58,431	78	825,149	805,331	680,407	84
September	69,464	66,354	51,324	77	894,613	871,685	731,731	84
October	79,870	75,204	62,716	83	974,483	946,889	794,447	84
November	79,331	73,453	60,442	82	1,053,814	1,020,342	854,889	84
December	89,881	81,568			1,143,695	1,101,910		
NONFAT DRY MILK FOR HUMAN FOOD								
January	108,948	95,505	85,154	89	108,948	95,505	85,154	89
February	106,683	99,729	79,902	80	215,631	195,234	165,056	85
March	125,269	115,859	95,071	82	340,900	311,093	260,127	84
April	142,465	130,156	97,346	75	483,365	441,249	357,473	81
May	164,414	151,330	121,514	80	647,779	592,579	478,987	81
June	171,119	155,320	118,995	77	818,898	747,899	597,982	80
July	137,530	121,162	87,105	72	956,428	869,061	685,087	79
August	116,690	92,356	63,999	69	1,073,118	961,417	749,086	78
September	86,025	69,113	51,056	74	1,159,143	1,030,530	800,142	78
October	86,813	63,618	48,704	77	1,245,956	1,094,148	848,846	78
November	78,546	57,219	45,112	79	1,324,502	1,151,367	893,958	78
December	93,146	72,089			1,417,648	1,223,456		
AMERICAN CHEESE								
January	112,498	120,113	123,503	103	112,498	120,113	123,503	103
February	104,680	119,517	120,145	101	217,178	239,630	243,648	102
March	127,007	142,264	142,668	100	344,185	381,894	386,316	101
April	137,553	147,729	151,271	102	481,738	529,623	537,587	102
May	157,428	168,562	171,738	102	639,166	698,185	709,325	102
June	163,268	174,815	172,443	99	802,434	873,000	881,768	101
July	141,811	157,601	154,708	98	944,245	1,030,601	1,036,476	101
August	127,890	142,657	137,597	96	1,072,135	1,173,258	1,174,073	100
September	111,171	124,177	110,282	89	1,183,306	1,297,435	1,284,355	99
October	109,839	119,457	119,570	100	1,293,145	1,416,892	1,403,925	99
November	103,688	107,894	120,935	112	1,396,833	1,524,786	1,524,860	100
December	114,675	119,501			1,511,508	1,644,287		

Production of dairy products by months, 1971-73

Month	By months				Cumulative			
	1971	1972	1973	1973 as % of 1972	1971	1972	1973	1973 as % of 1972
	1,000 gallons			Percent	1,000 gallons			Percent
<u>ICE CREAM</u>								
January	51,370	52,617	54,939	104	51,370	52,617	54,939	104
February	53,963	55,515	56,979	103	105,333	108,132	111,918	104
March	64,397	66,253	66,958	101	169,730	174,385	178,876	103
April	64,493	59,389	63,377	107	234,223	233,774	242,253	104
May	63,913	69,336	67,876	98	298,136	303,110	310,129	102
June	77,160	78,963	79,657	101	375,296	382,073	389,786	102
July	79,338	74,834	78,756	105	454,634	456,907	468,542	103
August	75,200	78,856	78,205	99	529,834	535,763	546,747	102
September	69,871	69,821	68,372	98	599,705	605,584	615,119	102
October	58,966	59,884	63,689	106	658,671	665,468	678,808	102
November	55,248	53,465	55,879	105	713,919	718,933	734,687	102
December	51,924	51,306			765,843	770,239		
<u>ICE MILK</u>								
January	15,047	15,925	17,101	107	15,047	15,925	17,101	107
February	16,658	17,269	17,588	102	31,705	33,194	34,689	105
March	22,048	22,995	23,084	100	53,753	56,189	57,773	103
April	25,249	23,894	23,588	99	79,002	80,083	81,361	102
May	27,335	29,953	28,696	96	106,337	110,036	110,057	100
June	34,481	33,406	33,759	101	140,818	143,442	143,816	100
July	36,220	34,535	34,148	99	177,038	177,977	177,964	100
August	32,213	33,893	33,760	100	209,251	211,870	211,724	100
September	26,102	25,621	25,225	98	235,353	237,491	236,949	100
October	21,005	20,822	23,049	111	256,358	258,313	259,998	101
November	16,536	16,266	17,918	110	272,894	274,579	277,916	101
December	14,800	14,447			287,694	289,026		
<u>SHERBET</u>								
January	2,801	3,084	3,480	113	2,801	3,084	3,480	113
February	2,958	3,128	3,527	113	5,759	6,212	7,007	113
March	3,932	4,126	4,326	105	9,691	10,338	11,333	110
April	4,244	4,020	4,514	112	13,935	14,358	15,847	110
May	4,494	4,983	5,425	109	18,299	19,341	21,272	110
June	5,818	5,821	6,486	111	24,247	25,162	27,758	110
July	5,971	5,565	6,426	115	30,218	30,727	34,184	111
August	5,235	5,551	5,635	102	35,453	36,378	39,819	110
September	4,328	4,487	4,594	102	39,781	40,765	44,413	109
October	3,304	3,413	3,864	113	43,085	44,178	48,277	109
November	2,957	2,991	3,093	103	46,042	47,169	51,370	109
December	2,789	2,893			48,831	50,062		

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Month	By months				Cumulative			
	1971	1972	1973	1973 as % of 1972	1971	1972	1973	1973 as % of 1972
	1,000 gallons			Percent	1,000 gallons			Percent
MELLORINE-TYPE FROZEN DESSERTS								
January	3,190	3,037	2,867	94	3,190	3,037	2,867	94
February	3,426	3,194	2,883	90	6,616	6,231	5,750	92
March	4,172	3,924	3,599	92	10,788	10,155	9,349	92
April	4,187	3,811	3,280	86	14,975	13,966	12,629	90
May	4,337	4,415	4,223	96	19,312	18,381	16,852	92
June	5,127	4,951	4,464	90	24,439	23,332	21,316	91
July	5,212	4,767	4,503	94	29,651	28,099	25,819	92
August	4,851	4,938	4,097	83	34,502	33,037	29,916	91
September	4,408	4,073	3,446	85	38,910	37,110	33,362	90
October	3,677	3,343	3,211	96	42,587	40,453	36,573	90
November	3,171	2,650	2,581	97	45,758	43,103	39,154	91
December	2,620	2,344			48,378	45,447		
CREAMED COTTAGE CHEESE								
	1,000 pounds				1,000 pounds			
January	79,615	82,307	85,209	104	79,615	82,307	85,209	104
February	80,152	84,248	81,859	97	159,767	166,555	167,068	100
March	94,641	95,884	94,678	99	254,408	262,439	261,746	100
April	88,966	85,165	89,131	105	343,374	347,604	350,877	101
May	88,395	92,397	91,827	99	431,769	440,001	442,704	101
June	86,529	88,508	87,276	99	518,298	528,509	529,980	100
July	87,034	83,987	82,924	99	605,332	612,496	612,904	100
August	83,123	87,728	80,220	91	688,455	700,224	693,124	99
September	81,545	82,292	72,860	89	770,000	782,516	765,984	98
October	80,468	82,370	76,923	93	850,468	864,886	842,907	97
November	78,960	77,110	70,062	91	929,428	941,996	912,969	97
December	74,224	71,648			1,003,652	1,013,644		
LOWFAT COTTAGE CHEESE								
January	6,659	7,459	9,877	132	6,659	7,459	9,877	132
February	6,462	7,950	10,214	128	13,121	15,409	20,091	130
March	8,178	9,718	11,659	120	21,299	25,127	31,750	126
April	7,591	8,301	11,409	137	28,890	33,428	43,159	129
May	7,842	8,872	11,467	129	36,732	42,300	54,626	129
June	7,586	9,005	11,609	129	44,318	51,305	66,235	129
July	7,593	8,449	10,276	122	51,911	59,754	76,511	128
August	7,155	9,016	10,219	113	59,066	68,770	86,730	126
September	6,993	8,571	9,125	106	66,059	77,341	95,855	124
October	6,745	8,449	9,025	107	72,804	85,790	104,880	122
November	6,433	8,422	8,575	102	79,237	94,212	113,455	120
December	6,000	7,236			85,237	101,448		

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

Product	November	November	October	November	Percent of	
	1971	1972	1973	1973	November	October
	1,000 pounds				Percent	
	<u>MANUFACTURERS' SHIPMENTS 1/</u>					
Dry whole milk	5,532	6,141	4,575	4,944	81	108
Nonfat dry milk for human food	97,920	59,765	57,247	36,314	61	63
Dry skim milk for animal feed	915	459	432	474	103	110
Dry buttermilk for human food	2,626	2,537	2,551	1,017	40	40
Dry buttermilk, total	2,946	2,655	2,630	1,075	40	41
	<u>MANUFACTURERS' STOCKS, END OF MONTH 2/</u>					
Canned evaporated and condensed whole milk	111,729	104,065	89,367	75,261	72	84
Dry whole milk	5,293	4,695	7,592	7,041	150	93
Nonfat dry milk for human food	85,063	34,889	78,494	63,451	182	81
Dry skim milk for animal feed	1,131	771	2,251	1,669	216	74
Dry buttermilk, total	2,144	2,521	4,169	3,866	153	93
	<u>MANUFACTURERS' SELLING PRICES 3/</u>					
	Cents per pound				Change-cents	
Dry whole milk	46.69	50.77	67.32	68.10	+17.33	+ .78
Nonfat dry milk for human food	32.07	35.87	51.79	51.98	+16.11	+ .19
Dry skim milk for animal feed	22.66	28.53	38.18	38.41	+ 9.88	+ .23
Dry buttermilk for human food	29.65	35.83	51.47	50.28	+14.45	-1.19
Dry buttermilk for animal feed	16.92	24.68	36.83	36.60	+11.92	- .23

- 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, November 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	
			Pounds		
25-25½		15,938			
26½-27		1,205			
27-27½					17,700
28-28½		5,100			
28½-29		1,200			
29½-30		22,300			
30-30½					
32-32½					2,400
34½-35		15,080			
35-35½		4,250			
38-38½		84,473			
40-40½		10,000	105,400		
41½-42					36,900
42-42½		5,800			
42½-43		55,900			
44-44½	6,160				
45-45½	375,793				
46½-47	2,038,250				
47-47½	733,827				
47½-48	1,914,586			94,300	
48-48½	3,786,537	32,800		56,500	
48½-49	93,000				
49-49½	1,077,008			6,500	
49½-50	704,550			66,500	
50-50½	636,350			3,500	
50½-51				3,500	
51-51½	187,700			32,600	
51½-52	6,634,218			272,650	
52-52½	4,018,625			53,200	
52½-53	345,472			20,000	
53-53½	1,758,384				
53½-54	1,149,475				
54-54½	105,750			203,100	
54½-55	644,600				
55-55½	185,700			6,000	
55½-56	95,165				
56-56½	4,696,905				
57-57½	3,260,848				
58-58½	338,950				
51½-52½					26,000
54½-55½					14,155
58½-59½					189,000
63½-64½					238,275
64½-65½					26,000
65½-66½					769,600
66½-67½					760,250
69½-70½					1,978,354
70½-71½					5,000
71½-72½					119,300
72½-73½					180,050
84½-85½					107,066

1/ Excludes shipments for which prices were not reported. For total reported see page 7.
2/ Classified according to average monthly prices reported by firms.

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

Region	November 1971	November 1972	October 1973	November 1973
Dollars per case of 48 14-1/2 oz. cans				
North Atlantic	7.45 - 9.08	9.97 - 9.10	9.92 - 11.30	10.90 - 11.30
South Atlantic	8.20 - 9.08	8.30 - 9.10	10.90 - 11.30	10.90 - 11.30
North Central	7.70 - 9.08	8.10 - 9.10	10.65 - 10.93	10.65 - 10.98
South Central	7.73 - 9.08	8.13 - 9.10	10.60 - 10.93	10.60 - 10.93
Western	7.80 - 9.08	8.20 - 9.26	9.61 - 11.35	9.88 - 11.35
United States	7.45 - 9.08	7.97 - 9.26	9.61 - 11.35	9.88 - 11.35

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

USDA dairy support program activities, November 1973

Product	CCC purchases (delivery basis)				Uncommitted	
	November 1972	November 1973	April 1, 1972 through November 30, 1972	April 1, 1973 through November 30, 1973	November 1972	November 1973
1,000 pounds						
Butter	1,951	0	163,766	22,961	72,524	7,308
Cheese	0	0	20,127	3,192	0	0
Nonfat dry milk	9,775	3,802	253,453	25,604	0	0

Butter: Production by States, November 1973

State	November	November	October	November	Percent of	
	1971	1972	1973	1973	November	October
	1,000 pounds				Percent	
Vermont	391	154	235	162	105	69
New York	2,194	1,197	711	870	73	122
Pennsylvania	1,730	1,590	810	495	31	61
Ohio	1,424	1,917	1,055	970	51	92
Indiana	1,531	1,250	944	983	79	104
Illinois	1,609	1,695	1,105	1,210	71	110
Michigan	2,957	2,017	1,180	1,035	51	88
Wisconsin	13,162	12,622	13,100	12,200	97	93
Minnesota	19,048	15,059	14,650	14,560	97	99
Iowa	6,452	5,246	2,900	2,100	40	72
Missouri	2,977	2,711	1,760	1,419	52	81
North Dakota	1,258	939	747	490	52	66
South Dakota	1,065	1,132	655	663	59	101
Nebraska	2,350	1,875	2,020	1,878	100	93
Kansas	941	1,183	859	995	84	116
Kentucky	1,322	1,588	1,037	1,407	89	136
Tennessee	1,440	1,748	970	1,328	76	137
Oklahoma	1,756	2,024	1,620	1,850	91	114
Idaho	1,836	1,711	1,180	890	52	75
Utah	690	714	637	542	76	85
Washington	2,137	2,279	2,310	2,150	94	93
Oregon	1,093	1,036	1,225	955	92	78
California	6,468	8,168	8,200	8,700	107	106
Other States	3,500	3,598	2,806	2,590	72	92
United States	79,331	73,453	62,716	60,442	82	96

American cheese: Production by States, November 1973

State	November	November	October	November	Percent of	
	1971	1972	1973	1973	November	October
	1,000 pounds				Percent	
Vermont	954	555	620	493	89	80
New York	3,336	3,046	3,100	2,900	95	94
Ohio	975	1,274	1,300	650	51	50
Indiana	1,570	1,368	1,266	1,158	85	91
Illinois	885	869	660	630	72	95
Michigan	1,442	1,032	1,050	1,065	103	101
Wisconsin	44,924	48,527	52,200	52,100	107	100
Minnesota	12,753	14,955	19,740	22,000	147	111
Iowa	5,849	6,595	6,700	7,400	112	110
Missouri	5,881	5,063	4,850	4,700	93	97
North Dakota	2,362	2,679	3,650	3,900	146	107
South Dakota	2,681	2,877	3,500	3,300	115	94
Nebraska	2,252	2,231	2,550	2,450	110	96
Kansas	2,528	2,171	2,220	2,450	113	110
Kentucky	3,684	2,974	2,976	2,325	78	78
Tennessee	1,855	1,474	1,612	1,238	84	77
Idaho	3,241	3,215	4,200	4,080	127	97
Utah	1,759	2,194	2,829	3,144	143	111
Oregon	1,088	1,168	1,230	1,430	122	116
Other States	3,669	3,627	3,317	3,522	97	106
United States	103,688	107,894	119,570	120,935	112	101

Ice cream: Production by States, November 1973

State	November	November	October	November	Percent of	
	1971	1972	1973	1973	November	October
	1,000 gallons				Percent	
	1971	1972	1973	1973	1972	1973
Massachusetts	3,140	3,083	3,275	3,350	109	102
Connecticut	1,264	1,261	1,300	1,250	99	96
New York	4,440	4,155	5,400	4,630	111	86
New Jersey	1,357	953	1,300	1,200	126	92
Pennsylvania	5,640	5,214	5,650	5,000	96	88
Ohio	3,266	2,900	3,550	3,050	105	86
Indiana	1,689	1,861	3,240	2,530	136	78
Illinois	3,107	2,958	3,230	3,140	106	97
Michigan	2,671	2,272	2,840	2,560	113	90
Wisconsin	1,522	1,351	1,400	1,400	104	100
Minnesota	2,178	2,308	2,470	2,490	108	101
Iowa	551	544	680	600	110	88
Missouri	1,293	1,227	1,600	1,200	98	75
Nebraska	682	636	530	575	90	108
Kansas	511	520	670	620	119	93
Maryland & D. C.	1,498	1,395	1,700	1,300	93	76
Virginia	713	674	735	602	89	82
North Carolina	1,386	1,583	2,020	2,000	126	99
South Carolina	522	751	795	703	94	88
Georgia	464	402	493	410	102	83
Florida	1,648	1,635	1,820	1,591	97	87
Kentucky	335	332	469	353	106	75
Tennessee	1,136	1,132	1,398	974	86	70
Alabama	715	782	1,085	841	108	78
Louisiana	685	669	848	690	103	81
Oklahoma	439	419	685	465	111	68
Texas	2,361	2,079	2,770	2,350	113	85
Colorado	443	552	685	395	72	58
Arizona	412	399	495	450	113	91
Utah	370	386	424	380	98	90
Washington	1,034	1,007	1,060	965	96	91
Oregon	538	522	570	520	100	91
California	4,943	5,258	5,950	5,020	95	84
Other States	2,295	2,245	2,552	2,275	101	89
United States	55,248	53,465	63,689	55,879	105	88

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

Primary use	Price per 100 lb. of milk 1/			Milkfat test			Price per pound of milkfat		
	Nov. 1972	Oct. 1973	Nov. 1973	Nov. 1972	Oct. 1973	Nov. 1973	Nov. 1972	Oct. 1973	Nov. 1973
	Dollars			Percent			Dollars		
MILK FOR:									
Butter and by-products	5.37	7.29	7.56	3.81	3.73	3.77	1.41	1.95	2.01
American cheese	5.55	7.59	7.90	3.85	3.78	3.83	1.44	2.01	2.06
Misc. cheese:									
Swiss	5.42	7.23	7.65	3.78	3.72	3.79	1.43	1.94	2.02
Brick & Munster	5.73	7.56	7.78	3.82	3.72	3.82	1.50	2.03	2.04
Italian	5.64	7.72	7.97	3.82	3.76	3.80	1.48	2.05	2.10
All other	5.59	7.78	7.99	3.84	3.84	3.86	1.46	2.03	2.07
All misc. cheese	5.57	7.54	7.84	3.81	3.75	3.80	1.46	2.01	2.06
All cheese	5.56	7.58	7.88	3.84	3.77	3.82	1.45	2.01	2.06

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, November 1973

Region	Price per 100 lb. of milk 1/			Milkfat test			Price per pound of milkfat		
	Nov. 1972	Oct. 1973	Nov. 1973	Nov. 1972	Oct. 1973	Nov. 1973	Nov. 1972	Oct. 1973	Nov. 1973
	Dollars			Percent			Dollars		
North Central	5.00	6.63	7.02	3.98	3.75	3.83	1.26	1.77	1.83
S. Atl. & Cent.	4.86	7.08	7.43	4.10	3.99	4.03	1.19	1.77	1.84
West	5.12	6.60	6.85	3.71	3.59	3.68	1.38	1.84	1.86
United States	4.99	6.83	7.13	3.96	3.82	3.87	1.26	1.79	1.84

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, November 1973

Primary use and State	Price per 100 lb. of milk 1/			Milkfat test			Price per pound of milkfat		
	Nov.	Oct.	Nov.	Nov.	Oct.	Nov.	Nov.	Oct.	Nov.
	1972	1973	1973	1972	1973	1973	1972	1973	1973
	Dollars			Percent			Dollars		
<u>MILK FOR BUTTER</u>									
<u>AND BY PRODUCTS</u>									
Wisconsin	5.74	7.40	7.85	3.86	3.82	3.85	1.49	1.94	2.04
Minnesota	5.36	7.40	7.65	3.72	3.67	3.70	1.44	2.02	2.07
Iowa	5.41	7.45	7.73	3.78	3.66	3.72	1.43	2.04	2.08
South Dakota	5.45	7.44	7.71	3.64	3.54	3.60	1.50	2.10	2.14
Nebraska	5.59	7.66	7.96	4.00	3.81	3.90	1.40	2.01	2.04
Idaho	5.38	7.20	7.45	4.05	3.95	4.00	1.33	1.82	1.86
California	4.98	6.30	6.43	4.08	3.94	4.02	1.22	1.60	1.60
United States	5.37	7.29	7.56	3.81	3.73	3.77	1.41	1.95	2.01
<u>MILK FOR AMERICAN</u>									
<u>CHEESE:</u>									
Ohio	5.25	6.52	6.78	3.84	3.72	3.82	1.37	1.75	1.77
Indiana	5.19	6.40	6.80	4.07	3.77	4.01	1.28	1.70	1.70
Wisconsin	5.80	7.83	8.14	3.87	3.83	3.86	1.50	2.04	2.11
Minnesota	5.44	7.80	7.79	3.72	3.69	3.70	1.46	2.11	2.11
Iowa	5.53	7.61	7.85	3.81	3.65	3.79	1.45	2.08	2.07
Missouri	5.12	6.77	7.38	3.92	3.81	3.99	1.31	1.78	1.85
North Dakota	5.26	7.57	7.95	3.72	3.71	3.72	1.41	2.04	2.14
South Dakota	5.45	7.43	7.83	3.79	3.68	3.77	1.44	2.02	2.08
Nebraska	5.38	7.67	7.54	3.74	3.76	3.66	1.44	2.04	2.06
Kansas	5.19	7.00	7.71	3.85	3.72	3.79	1.35	1.88	2.03
Kentucky	4.80	7.25	7.71	4.14	3.98	4.02	1.16	1.82	1.92
Tennessee	4.82	7.09	7.73	4.19	4.10	4.25	1.15	1.73	1.82
Idaho	5.30	7.01	7.33	3.63	3.53	3.64	1.46	1.99	2.01
United States	5.55	7.59	7.90	3.85	3.78	3.83	1.44	2.01	2.06

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.

