

# Dairy Products



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## June 1996 Highlights

**Butter** production was 72.2 million pounds in June, 27 percent below June 1995 and 28 percent below May 1996.

**American type cheese** production totaled 282 million pounds, 6 percent above June 1995 but 6 percent below May 1996.

**Total cheese** output (excluding cottage cheese) was 601 million pounds, up 3 percent from June 1995 but 5 percent below May 1996.

**Creamed cottage cheese** production was 30.0 million pounds, 12 percent below June 1995 and 7 percent below May 1996.

**Lowfat cottage cheese** production was 27.5 million pounds, 8 percent below June 1995 and 4 percent below May 1996.

### **Frozen desserts:** (comparisons with June 1995)

Ice cream (hard) --- 87.8 million gallons, up 4 percent.

Ice cream (lowfat) --- 36.1 million gallons, down 7 percent.

Sherbet (hard) --- 5.15 million gallons, down 3 percent.

Frozen Yogurt (total) --- 11.6 million gallons, down 29 percent.

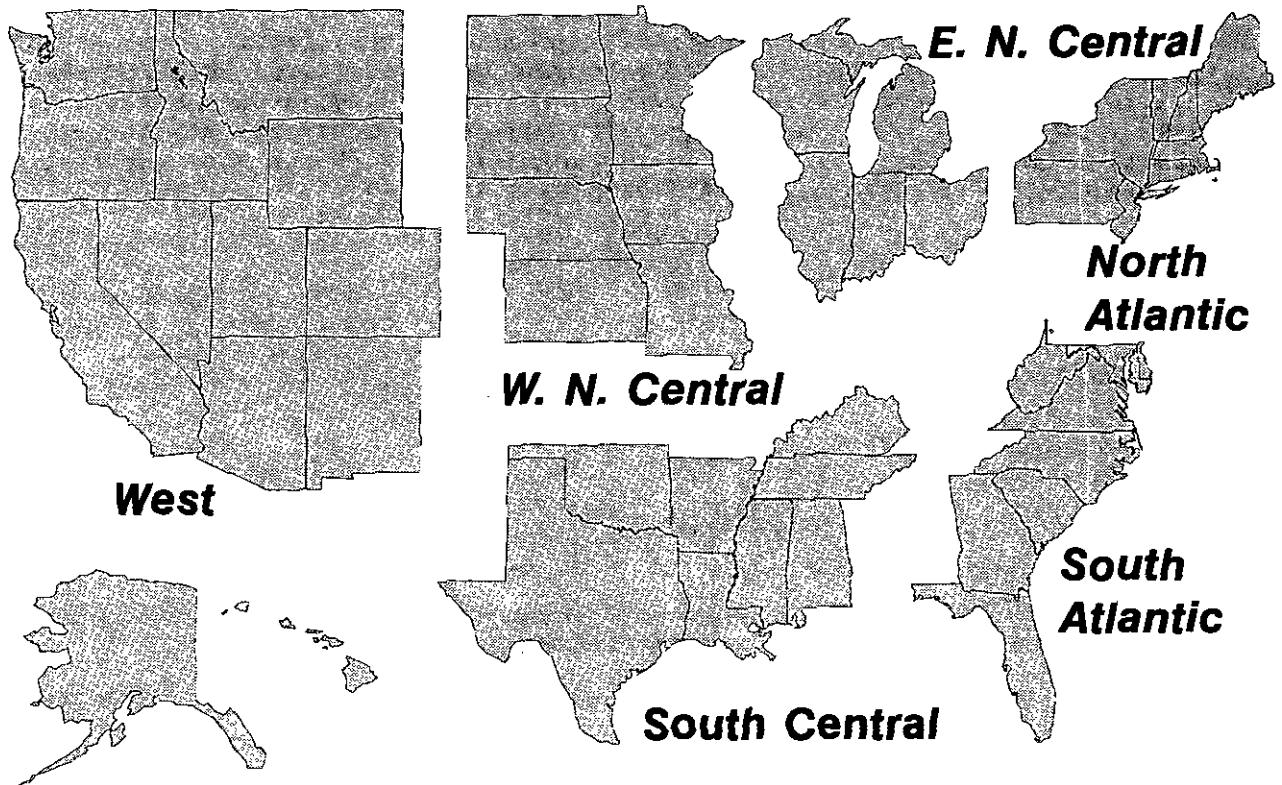
### **Dry milk products:** (comparisons with June 1995)

Nonfat dry milk for human food --- 88.4 million pounds, down 31 percent.

Dry whole milk --- 11.0 million pounds, up 7 percent.

Dry buttermilk --- 2.24 million pounds, down 46 percent.

# U.S. Geographic Regions Manufactured Dairy



State totals are not published when fewer than 3 firms have reported or one firm comprises more than 60 percent of the State total. The map above outlines the regions used in the product tables. If we are not able to publish a region for confidentiality reasons, it will be combined with other regions when possible. For example, if North Atlantic can not be published, then it will be combined with South Atlantic to publish Atlantic. The West North Central and East North Central will be combined, if necessary, to form North Central. In the event that neither could be published, they will be combined with South Central to publish Central. Some tables will have only one or two regions shown, therefore the regions may not add to the United States total.

Dairy Products: Production by Product,  
United States, June 1995-96

Product	Jun	May	Jun	Percent of	
	1995	1996 1/	1996	Jun	May
	1,000 Pounds			Percent	
Butter	98,401	100,732	72,153	73	72
Cheese					
American Types 2/	264,457	299,335	281,553	106	94
Swiss	19,930	20,712	16,989	85	82
Brick and Muenster	10,854	10,236	11,516	106	113
Cream and Neufchatel	48,110	51,783	53,870	112	104
Blue	3,247	3,239	3,455	106	107
Mozzarella	175,388	191,938	180,167	103	94
Other Italian Types	44,858	43,954	40,540	90	92
Total Italian Types	220,246	235,892	220,707	100	94
All Other Types 3/	17,840	12,976	12,791	72	99
Total	584,684	634,173	600,881	103	95
Cottage Cheese, Curd 4/	40,346	39,281	36,717	91	93
Cottage Cheese, Creamed 5/	34,242	32,187	30,047	88	93
Cottage Cheese, Lowfat 6/	29,897	28,726	27,500	92	96
Canned Evaporated and					
Condensed Whole Milk	44,234	40,971	40,525	92	99
Dry Whole Milk	10,273	11,207	11,016	107	98
Nonfat Dry Milk, Human	128,149	112,647	88,370	69	78
Dry Skim Milk, Animal	1,170	706	529	45	75
Dry Buttermilk	4,160	3,761	2,240	54	60
Yogurt, Plain & Flavored	131,492	115,739	120,257	91	104
	1,000 Gallons			Percent	
Frozen Products					
Ice Cream, Hard	84,608	80,698	87,773	104	109
Ice Cream, Lowfat, Hard	11,910	10,265	11,682	98	114
Ice Cream, Lowfat, Soft	26,779	23,474	24,388	91	104
Ice Cream, Lowfat, Total	38,689	33,739	36,070	93	107
Sherbet, Hard	5,329	4,826	5,149	97	107
Water and Juice Ices	8,045	6,858	8,456	105	123
Frozen Yogurt, Total	16,393	12,248	11,649	71	95
Regular & Lowfat, Hard	7,464	5,533	5,235	70	95
Nonfat, Hard	2,582	2,460	2,636	102	107
Other Frozen Dairy					
Products	1,375	1,362	1,689	123	124
Mixed for Frozen Products					
Ice Cream Mix	46,338	44,716	48,364	104	108
Ice Cream, Lowfat, Mix	22,527	21,052	22,407	99	106
Ice Cream, Nonfat, Mix	2,431	1,914	1,777	73	93
Sherbet Mix	3,786	3,567	3,755	99	105
Yogurt Mix	10,375	7,752	7,373	71	95

- 1/ Revised.
- 2/ Whole milk cheese, including Cheddar, Colby, washed curd, stirred curd, Monterey, and Jack.
- 3/ Does not include Part Skim cheese beginning January 1996.
- 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.

Whey and Modified Whey Products: Production, Stocks,  
and Prices, United States, June, 1995-96

Product	Jun	May	Jun	Percent of	
	1995	1996 1/	1996	Jun	May
				1995	1996
	Production			Percent	
	----- 1,000 Pounds -----				
Condensed Whey, Solids Content 2/					
Sweet-Type, Human	7,940	4,594	6,320	80	138
Sweet-Type, Animal	2,078	2,269	3,091	149	136
Dry Whey Products					
Dry Whey, Human	91,656	93,535	90,920	99	97
Dry Whey, Animal	12,779	8,569	7,532	59	88
Reduced Lactose and Minerals					
Human Food	6,785	7,712	7,052	104	91
Animal Feed	2,691	2,199	1,993	74	91
Lactose, Human and Animal	28,125	26,933	29,471	105	109
Whey					
Solids in Wet Blends, Animal	6,425	6,648	4,965	77	75
Protein Concentrate, Human	16,561	15,500	15,299	92	99
Protein Concentrate, Animal	2,948	2,906	3,201	109	110
	Manufacturers' Stocks End-of-Month 3/			Percent	
	----- 1,000 Pounds -----				
Dry Whey Products					
Dry Whey, Human	34,908	38,009	47,940	137	126
Dry Whey, Animal	10,040	5,544	3,240	32	58
Reduced Lactose and Minerals					
Human and Animal 4/	13,799	8,085	12,012	87	149
Lactose, Human and Animal	20,981	16,675	15,883	76	95
Whey Protein Concentrate, Human	9,574	9,218	6,814	71	74
Whey Protein Concentrate, Animal	565	440	437	77	99
	Manufacturers' Selling Price 5/			Cents. Change	
	---- Cents per Pound ---				
Dry Whey, Human	17.7	21.0	21.5	3.8	.5
Dry Whey, Animal	16.3	20.4	19.3	3.0	-1.1

1/ Revised.

2/ Final marketable product only. Does not include quantity used or shipped to another plant for further processing into dry whey or modified whey products.

3/ Stocks held by manufacturers at all points and in transit.

4/ Reduced lactose and minerals stocks combined to avoid disclosure of individual operations.

5/ Prices for bulk goods, f.o.b. plant. Average monthly prices reported by firms.

Dairy Products: Production by Product and Month,  
United States, 1995-96 (continued)

Product and Month	By Month			Cumulative		
	1995	1996	1996 as % of 1995	1995	1996	1996 as % of 1995
	-- 1,000 Pounds --		Percent	--- 1,000 Pounds ---		Percent
Butter						
Jan	135,639	125,431	92	135,639	125,431	92
Feb	121,719	118,088	97	257,358	243,519	95
Mar	127,338	113,249	89	384,696	356,768	93
Apr	120,641	107,907	89	505,337	464,675	92
May	119,435	100,732	84	624,772	565,407	90
Jun	98,401	72,153	73	723,173	637,560	88
Jul	84,989			808,162		
Aug	76,025			884,187		
Sep	80,218			964,405		
Oct	93,461			1,057,866		
Nov	90,451			1,148,317		
Dec	112,419			1,260,736		
American Cheese						
Jan	263,879	275,432	104	263,879	275,432	104
Feb	243,162	270,824	111	507,041	546,256	108
Mar	269,545	286,133	106	776,586	832,389	107
Apr	264,907	277,215	105	1,041,493	1,109,604	107
May	278,284	299,335	108	1,319,777	1,408,939	107
Jun	264,457	281,553	106	1,584,234	1,690,492	107
Jul	262,443			1,846,677		
Aug	245,069			2,091,746		
Sep	251,379			2,343,125		
Oct	252,814			2,595,939		
Nov	252,752			2,848,691		
Dec	279,877			3,128,568		
Italian Cheese						
Jan	214,778	228,900	107	214,778	228,900	107
Feb	206,112	224,937	109	420,890	453,837	108
Mar	228,619	245,362	107	649,509	699,199	108
Apr	207,334	234,908	113	856,843	934,107	109
May	223,812	235,892	105	1,080,655	1,169,999	108
Jun	220,246	220,707	100	1,300,901	1,390,706	107
Jul	207,511			1,508,412		
Aug	211,872			1,720,284		
Sep	221,655			1,941,939		
Oct	229,139			2,171,078		
Nov	228,193			2,399,271		
Dec	242,753			2,642,024		

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Dairy Products: Production by Product and Month,  
United States, 1995-96 (continued)

Product and Month	By Month			Cumulative		
	1995	1996	1996 as % of 1995	1995	1996	1996 as % of 1995
	-- 1,000 Pounds --		Percent	--- 1,000 Pounds ---		Percent
Total Cheese						
Jan	562,558	588,044	105	562,558	588,044	105
Feb	527,310	587,418	111	1,089,868	1,175,462	108
Mar	601,198	634,668	106	1,691,066	1,810,130	107
Apr	563,598	609,921	108	2,254,664	2,420,051	107
May	599,693	634,173	106	2,854,357	3,054,224	107
Jun	584,684	600,881	103	3,439,041	3,655,105	106
Jul	559,878			3,998,919		
Aug	556,090			4,555,009		
Sep	577,685			5,132,694		
Oct	594,037			5,726,731		
Nov	589,728			6,316,459		
Dec	623,780			6,940,239		
Nonfat Dry Milk, Human						
Jan	113,913	98,945	87	113,913	98,945	87
Feb	98,292	92,967	95	212,205	191,912	90
Mar	118,726	104,443	88	330,931	296,355	90
Apr	125,028	113,063	90	455,959	409,418	90
May	137,075	112,647	82	593,034	522,065	88
Jun	128,149	88,370	69	721,183	610,435	85
Jul	107,578			828,761		
Aug	82,401			911,162		
Sep	72,046			983,208		
Oct	75,732			1,058,940		
Nov	73,099			1,132,039		
Dec	101,799			1,233,838		
Total Dry Whey 1/:						
Jan	102,090	89,595	88	102,090	89,595	88
Feb	95,744	93,545	98	197,834	183,140	93
Mar	105,349	97,431	92	303,183	280,571	93
Apr	102,788	97,891	95	405,971	378,462	93
May	110,690	102,104	92	516,661	480,566	93
Jun	104,435	98,452	94	621,096	579,018	93
Jul	101,225			722,321		
Aug	92,475			814,796		
Sep	86,370			901,166		
Oct	89,684			990,850		
Nov	89,296			1,080,146		
Dec	93,139			1,173,285		

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Dairy Products: Production by Product and Month,  
United States, 1995-96 (continued)

Product and Month	By Month			Cumulative		
	1995	1996	1996 as % of 1995	1995	1996	1996 as % of 1995
	1,000 Pounds		Percent	1,000 Pounds		Percent
Cream Cottage Cheese						
Jan	31,225	29,830	96	31,225	29,830	96
Feb	30,166	29,511	98	61,391	59,341	97
Mar	36,949	30,834	83	98,340	90,175	92
Apr	30,683	30,162	98	129,023	120,337	93
May	33,601	32,187	96	162,624	152,524	94
Jun	34,242	30,047	88	196,866	182,571	93
Jul	31,309			228,175		
Aug	34,602			262,777		
Sep	30,714			293,491		
Oct	29,758			323,249		
Nov	29,633			352,882		
Dec	27,480			380,362		
Lowfat Cottage Cheese						
Jan	26,576	25,174	95	26,576	25,174	95
Feb	26,469	26,281	99	53,045	51,455	97
Mar	29,543	27,837	94	82,588	79,292	96
Apr	26,147	28,522	109	108,735	107,814	99
May	29,294	28,726	98	138,029	136,540	99
Jun	29,897	27,500	92	167,926	164,040	98
Jul	27,002			194,928		
Aug	28,409			223,337		
Sep	25,504			248,841		
Oct	25,037			273,878		
Nov	23,518			297,396		
Dec	20,902			318,298		
Ice Cream, Hard						
Jan	57,909	54,090	93	57,909	54,090	93
Feb	60,387	60,872	101	118,296	114,962	97
Mar	73,467	66,892	91	191,763	181,854	95
Apr	72,173	72,948	101	263,936	254,802	97
May	76,625	80,698	105	340,561	335,500	99
Jun	84,608	87,773	104	425,169	423,273	100
Jul	81,712			506,881		
Aug	82,358			589,239		
Sep	64,717			653,956		
Oct	62,023			715,979		
Nov	54,261			770,240		
Dec	46,671			816,911		

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Dairy Products: Production by Product and Month,  
United States, 1995-96 (continued)

Product and Month	By Month			Cumulative		
	1995	1996	1996 : as % of : 1995	1995	1996	1996 : as % of : 1995
	1,000 Gallons		Percent	1,000 Gallons		Percent
<b>Ice Cream, Lowfat</b>						
Jan	22,143	20,183	91	22,143	20,183	91
Feb	22,159	21,237	96	44,302	41,420	93
Mar	31,546	27,654	88	75,848	69,074	91
Apr	29,922	30,007	100	105,770	99,081	94
May	33,562	33,739	101	139,332	132,820	95
Jun	38,689	36,070	93	178,021	168,890	95
Jul	36,790			214,811		
Aug	37,173			251,984		
Sep	28,846			280,830		
Oct	27,161			307,991		
Nov	21,847			329,838		
Dec	20,015			349,853		
<b>Sherbet, Hard</b>						
Jan	3,205	3,451	108	3,205	3,451	108
Feb	3,725	3,569	96	6,930	7,020	101
Mar	4,446	4,039	91	11,376	11,059	97
Apr	4,447	4,260	96	15,823	15,319	97
May	5,025	4,826	96	20,848	20,145	97
Jun	5,329	5,149	97	26,177	25,294	97
Jul	5,145			31,322		
Aug	5,503			36,825		
Sep	4,131			40,956		
Oct	3,331			44,287		
Nov	3,051			47,338		
Dec	2,884			50,222		
<b>Frozen Yogurt</b>						
Jan	9,305	7,420	80	9,305	7,420	80
Feb	11,333	9,314	82	20,638	16,734	81
Mar	14,664	10,779	74	35,302	27,513	78
Apr	12,763	11,308	89	48,065	38,821	81
May	14,514	12,248	84	62,579	51,069	82
Jun	16,393	11,649	71	78,972	62,718	79
Jul	15,287			94,259		
Aug	16,088			110,347		
Sep	12,991			123,338		
Oct	11,845			135,183		
Nov	9,387			144,570		
Dec	7,012			151,582		

1/ Excludes all modified dry whey products.



American Cheese: Production by State and United States, June 1995-96

State	Jun	May	Jun	Percent of	
	1995	1996	1996	Jun 1995	May 1996
1,000 Pounds			Percent		
CA	28,055	38,742	34,860	124	90
ID	29,646	31,979	34,896	118	109
IA	8,365	8,495	8,125	97	96
KS	2,827	3,234	2,654	94	82
MN	50,665	53,553	50,246	99	94
NY	7,341	8,779	7,953	108	91
ND	3,195	2,450	2,542	80	104
OH	1,967	2,938	2,235	114	76
OR	4,272	4,339	4,204	98	97
SD	3,378	4,691	4,087	121	87
TN	1,710	655	942	55	144
UT	3,361	3,005	2,880	86	96
VT	2,305	4,389	2,493	108	57
WA	2,235	4,756	4,216	189	89
WI	79,900	86,800	81,500	102	94
Oth Sts 1/	35,235	40,530	37,720	107	93
US	264,457	299,335	281,553	106	94
Atlantic	13,172	15,526	12,852	98	83
E N Central	84,508	91,526	85,416	101	93
W N Central	73,791	78,315	72,880	99	93
S Central	13,495	12,600	11,040	82	88
West	79,491	101,368	99,365	125	98

1/ States not shown when fewer than 3 plants reported or individual plant operations could be disclosed.

Mozzarella Cheese: Production by State and United States, June 1995-96

State	Jun	May	Jun	Percent of	
	1995	1996	1996	Jun 1995	May 1996
1,000 Pounds			Percent		
CA	36,003	41,915	39,137	109	93
NY	16,279	17,490	16,727	103	96
PA	17,137	19,890	16,950	99	85
WI	53,070	53,000	53,000	100	100
Oth Sts 1/	52,899	59,643	54,353	103	91
US	175,388	191,938	180,167	103	94
Atlantic	39,217	43,179	39,343	100	91
E N Central	63,954	63,867	64,884	101	102
W N Central	22,545	22,230	19,792	88	89
West	48,587	62,662	56,148	116	90

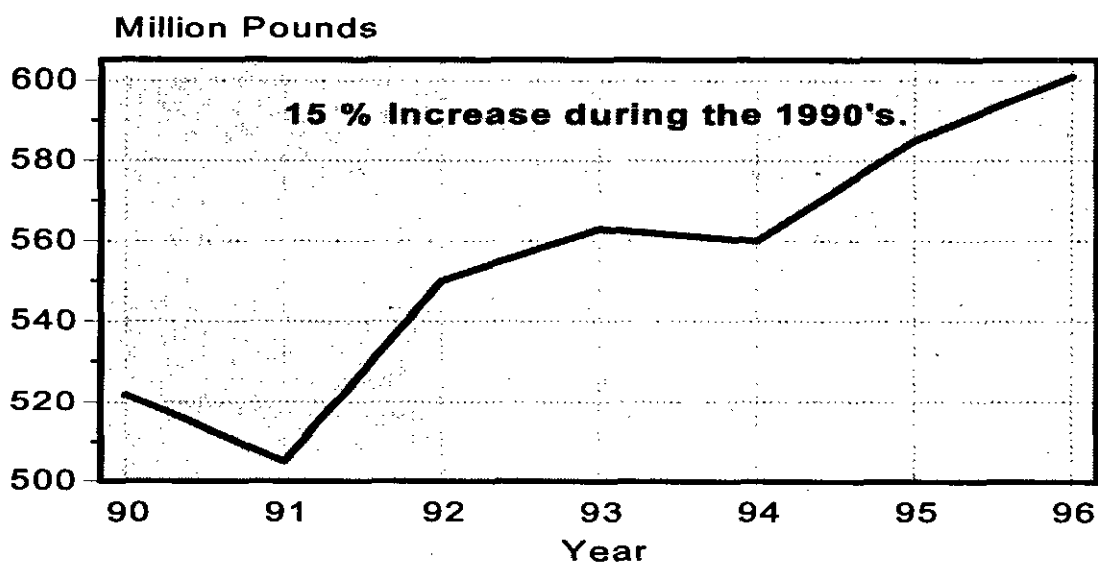
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Butter: Production by State and United States, June 1995-96

State	Jun 1995	May 1996	Jun 1996	Percent of	
				Jun 1995	May 1996
	1,000 Pounds			Percent	
CA	27,001	24,325	16,371	61	67
MI	2,196	3,000	1,700	77	57
MN	5,133	5,433	5,992	117	110
NY	1,993	2,357	1,849	93	78
ND	357	349	170	48	49
OR	1,607	1,950	1,400	87	72
PA	7,075	7,255	5,880	83	81
WA	6,912	8,500	8,114	117	95
WI	21,655	24,400	17,000	79	70
Oth Sts 1/	24,472	23,163	13,677	56	59
US	98,401	100,732	72,153	73	72
N Atlantic	10,266	11,496	8,670	84	75
S Atlantic	2,522	3,684	2,251	89	61
E N Central	28,262	33,067	21,548	76	65
W N Central	14,048	9,860	10,242	73	104
S Central	6,674	7,037	3,473	52	49
West	36,629	35,588	25,969	71	73

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## June Total Cheese Production United States



Nonfat Dry Milk, Human: Production by State  
and United States, June 1995-96

State	Jun	May	Jun	Percent of	
	1995	1996	1996	Jun 1995	May 1996
1,000 Pounds			Percent		
CA	39,212	37,040	29,743	76	80
IA	6,156	5,477	5,602	91	102
MI	4,771	4,688	2,318	49	49
MN	3,465	2,247	1,534	44	68
NY	3,743	2,940	2,424	65	82
ND	200		180	90	
TN	1,507	1,300			
WA	20,146	17,101	17,538	87	103
WI	7,922	5,300	5,125	65	97
Oth Sts 1/	41,027	36,554	23,906	58	65
US	128,149	112,647	88,370	69	78
Atlantic	21,122	20,436	16,342	77	80
E N Central	15,491	11,467	8,196	53	71
W N Central	15,928	12,285	10,488	66	85
S Central	11,350	8,785	3,480	31	40
West	64,258	59,674	49,864	78	84

1/ States not shown when fewer than 3 plants reported or individual plant operations could be disclosed.

Ice Cream, Hard: Production by State and United States, June 1995-96

State	Jun	May	Jun	Percent of	
	1995	1996	1996	Jun 1995	May 1996
1,000 Gallons			Percent		
AZ	749	751	582	78	77
AR	416	344	415	100	121
CA	11,471	10,138	11,375	99	112
CO	1,028	980	1,096	107	112
FL	2,335	1,840	2,200	94	120
GA	1,007	1,048	1,013	101	97
ID	732	713	799	109	112
IL	3,010	3,110	3,386	112	109
IN	4,497	4,047	4,874	108	120
KS	337	252	232	69	92
MD	1,519	1,877	1,848	122	98
MA	3,577	5,149	4,974	139	97
MI	2,865	2,280	2,800	98	123
MN	4,291	3,898	4,988	116	128
MO	1,587	1,110	970	61	87
NM	601	547	582	97	106
NY	3,284	2,800	2,700	82	96
NC	3,115	2,918	3,055	98	105
ND	89	84	114	128	136
OH	4,482	3,600	3,570	80	99
OR	1,073	1,100	1,110	103	101
PA	5,720	6,400	6,175	108	96
SC	713	993	884	124	89
TN	1,375	946	1,228	89	130
TX	5,284	4,050	4,572	87	113
UT	1,379	976	1,463	106	150
WA	2,025	2,075	2,450	121	118
WI	933	800	930	100	116
Oth Sts 1/	15,114	15,872	17,388	115	110
US	84,608	80,698	87,773	104	109
N Atlantic	16,610	19,684	19,478	117	99
S Atlantic	10,096	10,429	10,615	105	102
E N Central	15,787	13,837	15,560	99	112
W N Central	11,997	10,869	12,694	106	117
S Central	10,725	8,423	9,184	86	109
West	19,393	17,456	20,242	104	116

1/ States not shown when fewer than 3 plants reported or individual plant operations could be disclosed.

Canned Milk and Dry Milk Products: Manufacturers' Shipments,  
Stocks, and Selling Prices, June 1995-96

Product	Jun	May	Jun	Percent of	
	1995	1996 1/	1996	Jun 1995	May 1996
Manufacturers' Shipments 2/					
	1,000 Pounds			Percent	
Dry Whole Milk	10,097	9,829	8,696	86	88
Nonfat Dry Milk, Human	103,739	105,029	82,003	79	78
Dry Skim Milk, Animal	819	610	488	60	80
Dry Buttermilk, Human	3,363	3,595	2,537	75	71
Manufacturers' Stocks End-of-Month 3/					
	1,000 Pounds			Percent	
Canned Evaporated and Condensed Whole Milk	104,335	51,780	49,073	47	95
Dry Whole Milk	10,840	9,391	9,037	83	96
Nonfat Dry Milk, Human	141,922	86,463	82,164	58	95
Dry Skim Milk, Animal	2,311	1,305	1,171	51	90
Dry Buttermilk, Total	7,252	3,137	2,843	39	91
Manufacturers' Selling Prices 4/					
	Cents per Pound			Cents Change	
Dry Whole Milk	107.33	123.92	125.64	18.31	1.72
Nonfat Dry Milk, Human	105.09	111.46	120.20	15.11	8.74
Dry Skim Milk, Animal	44.44	65.08	51.38	6.94	-13.70
Dry Buttermilk, Human	87.87	103.00	109.47	21.60	6.47

1/ Revised.

2/ For dry products, shipments of bulk goods only.

3/ Stocks held by manufacturers at all points and in transit.

4/ Prices for bulk goods, f.o.b. plant. Average monthly prices reported by firms, weighted by shipments of each firm.

**Procedures and Reliability:** Estimates included in this report are based on data provided each month by manufacturers of these products. In 32 States, the State Departments of Agriculture assist in collection of data, which eliminates duplicate reporting and reduces respondent burden. Data are collected by mail, personal and telephone interviews following the close of each month. There were 1,495 manufacturers that made one or more products in 1995. Each month, reports are generally received from all dairy plants in States with small numbers of plants. In States with large numbers of plants, survey procedures are designed to obtain monthly reports from all large plants and from a sample of small plants. Monthly estimates are based upon returns from about 70 percent of the plants which account for 70 to 90 percent of the total production of major dairy products.

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