

MAILBOX MILK PRICE COMPARISON 1/ 2002

FEDERAL ORDER 2/	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	AVG
Northeast Milk Order	13.24	12.91	12.48	12.05	11.74	11.49	11.14	11.25	11.29	11.74	11.65	11.58	
Appalachian States 3/	13.83	13.37	12.92	12.57	12.31	12.08	12.18	12.29	12.21	12.42	12.58	12.45	
Southeast States 4/	14.09	13.57	13.21	13.05	12.69	12.83	12.98	13.17	13.10	13.24	13.35	12.93	
Florida	15.81	15.34	15.13	15.09	14.75	14.68	15.28	15.58	15.36	15.50	15.31	14.92	
Ohio	13.45	12.92	12.42	12.25	11.85	11.19	10.63	11.06	11.19	11.86	11.95	11.99	
Michigan	13.26	12.79	12.27	12.06	11.68	11.06	10.48	10.87	11.03	11.68	11.56	11.61	
Wisconsin	13.57	13.12	12.45	12.48	12.16	11.42	10.61	10.98	11.46	12.38	11.83	11.78	
Minnesota	13.50	12.75	12.22	12.23	11.88	11.08	10.49	10.90	11.48	12.18	11.64	11.56	
Illinois	13.22	13.07	12.32	12.21	12.02	11.31	10.83	10.83	11.29	12.15	11.87	11.77	
Northern Missouri 5/	13.45	12.94	12.91	12.67	12.56	12.21	11.42	11.64	12.03	12.69	12.46	12.25	
Southern Missouri 6/	13.09	12.46	12.19	12.06	11.76	11.66	11.61	11.73	11.55	11.92	11.92	11.72	
Corn Belt States 7/	13.12	12.71	12.06	12.02	11.68	10.96	10.45	10.82	11.19	11.94	11.57	11.41	
Western Texas 8/	13.48	13.10	12.39	11.98	11.66	11.14	11.11	11.38	11.75	12.14	11.99	11.95	
New Mexico	12.60	12.18	11.45	11.07	10.80	10.21	10.21	10.44	10.86	11.10	10.86	11.06	
Idaho	12.34	11.77	11.50	11.29	10.88	10.30	9.87	10.24	10.52	10.97	10.61	10.66	
Utah	12.41	11.99	11.30	11.08	10.72	10.13	9.48	9.85	10.16	10.87	10.56	10.37	
Northwest States 9/	12.81	12.44	12.08	11.91	11.52	11.12	10.78	10.87	11.07	11.56	11.40	11.24	
All Federal Orders 10/	13.34	12.91	12.39	12.16	11.83	11.33	10.95	11.18	11.40	11.99	11.75	11.69	
California 11/	12.48	11.73	11.46	11.38	10.98	10.44	10.11	10.35	10.58	10.94	10.69	NA	

1/ Information is shown for those areas for which prices are reported for at least 75% of the milk marketed under Federal milk orders. The price shown is the weighted average of the prices reported for all orders that received milk for the area.

2/ Net pay price received by dairy farmers marketing milk to handlers regulated under the Federal milk orders. Includes all payments received for milk sold and all costs associated with marketing the milk. Price is a weighted average for the market and is reported at the market average butterfat test.

3/ Includes Kentucky, North Carolina, South Carolina, Tennessee, and Virginia.

4/ Includes Alabama, Arkansas, Georgia, Louisiana, and Mississippi.

5/ All Counties to the north of Vernon, Cedar, Polk, Dallas, Laclede, Texas, Dent, Crawford, Washington, St. Francois, and Perry.

6/ The counties listed in 5/ and all those to the south of these.

7/ Includes Iowa, Kansas, and Nebraska.

8/ All counties to the west of Fannin, Hunt Van Zandt, Henderson, Anderson, Houston, Cherokee, Nacogdoches, and Shelby.

9/ Includes Oregon and Washington.

10/ Weighted average of the information for all selected reporting areas in Federal milk orders.

11/ Calculated by California Department of Food Agriculture, and published in "California Dairy Information Bulletin."