



Wisconsin Ag News – Milk Prices

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The Wisconsin all milk price for October 2021 was \$19.60 per hundredweight (cwt) according to the latest USDA, National Agricultural Statistics Service - *Agricultural Prices* report. This was \$1.30 above last month's price but \$2.00 below last October's price.

The U.S. all milk price for October was \$19.70 per cwt, 10 cents higher than Wisconsin's price and \$1.30 higher than last month's U.S. price. All 24 major milk producing states had a higher price when compared with September. South Dakota had the largest price increase, up \$2.00 to \$21.40 per cwt.

The Chicago Mercantile Exchange* (CME) 40-pound block cheese price closed at \$1.8575 per pound on November 30, while barrels were \$1.6000 per pound. The CME butter price was \$1.9700 per pound.

For the week ending November 20, 2021, the Agricultural Marketing Service* U.S. weekly 40-pound block cheese price averaged \$1.7338 per pound, and 500 pound barrels adjusted to 38 percent moisture averaged \$1.6805 per pound. The U.S. butter price was \$1.9931 per pound.

Prices Received for All Milk – Selected States and United States

[Before deduction for hauling. Includes quality, quantity, and other premiums. Excludes hauling subsidies.]

State	October 2020		September 2021		October 2021	
	Price	Fat test	Price	Fat test	Price	Fat test
	(dollars per cwt)	(percent)	(dollars per cwt)	(percent)	(dollars per cwt)	(percent)
California	19.80	3.90	18.80	3.89	19.90	4.00
Idaho	21.70	4.13	18.60	4.08	20.40	4.18
Iowa.....	22.80	4.14	18.30	4.11	20.00	4.20
Michigan	16.90	3.93	17.10	3.83	18.30	3.91
Minnesota	23.80	4.22	18.40	4.16	20.30	4.23
New Mexico	18.30	3.87	16.10	3.72	17.50	3.87
New York	18.80	3.99	18.90	3.92	19.90	4.00
Pennsylvania	18.80	4.01	19.00	3.90	19.90	3.99
Texas	20.40	4.25	17.80	4.11	18.90	4.24
Wisconsin	21.60	4.05	18.30	3.96	19.60	4.02
United States	20.00	4.02	18.40	3.95	19.70	4.05

* Links to data are available at www.ams.usda.gov/market-news/dairy.