



Wisconsin Ag News – Milk Prices



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The Wisconsin all milk price for April 2022 was \$27.10 per hundredweight (cwt) according to the latest USDA, National Agricultural Statistics Service - *Agricultural Prices* report. This was \$1.80 above last month's price and \$8.20 above last April's price.

The U.S. all milk price for April was \$27.10 per cwt, the same as Wisconsin's price but \$1.20 higher than last month's U.S. price. All of the 24 major milk producing states had a higher price when compared with March. South Dakota and Wisconsin had the largest price increases, both up \$1.80 per cwt.

The Chicago Mercantile Exchange* (CME) 40-pound block cheese price closed at \$2.2475 per pound on May 31, while barrels were \$2.2950 per pound. The CME butter price was \$2.8800 per pound.

For the week ending May 21, 2022, the Agricultural Marketing Service* U.S. weekly 40-pound block cheese price averaged \$2.3749 per pound, and 500-pound barrels adjusted to 38 percent moisture averaged \$2.4175 per pound. The U.S. butter price was \$2.7208 per pound.

Prices Received for All Milk – Selected States and United States: April 2022 with Comparisons

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

State	April 2021		March 2022		April 2022	
	Price	Fat test	Price	Fat test	Price	Fat test
	(dollars per cwt)	(percent)	(dollars per cwt)	(percent)	(dollars per cwt)	(percent)
California	17.90	3.90	26.20	4.10	27.00	4.05
Idaho	18.90	4.10	26.10	4.19	27.70	4.15
Iowa	19.20	4.13	25.90	4.24	27.00	4.19
Michigan	17.20	3.88	24.90	4.03	26.40	4.00
Minnesota	19.50	4.21	26.20	4.37	27.40	4.30
New Mexico	16.00	3.81	23.60	3.94	24.60	3.85
New York	18.30	3.98	25.90	4.09	27.10	4.05
Pennsylvania	18.40	3.95	26.40	4.06	27.50	4.01
Texas	17.70	4.22	26.20	4.37	27.30	4.27
Wisconsin	18.90	4.00	25.30	4.13	27.10	4.08
United States	18.30	3.99	25.90	4.13	27.10	4.08