



# Wisconsin Ag News – Milk Prices

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The Wisconsin all milk price for March 2024 was \$19.10 per hundredweight (cwt) according to the latest USDA, National Agricultural Statistics Service - *Agricultural Prices* report. This was 10 cents above last month's price but \$1.60 below last March's price. The U.S. all milk price for March was \$20.70 per cwt, \$1.60 higher than Wisconsin's price and 10 cents higher than last month's U.S. price.

## Prices Received for All Milk – Selected States and United States: March 2024 with Comparisons

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

State	March 2023		February 2024		March 2024	
	Price	Fat test	Price	Fat test	Price	Fat test
	(dollars per cwt)	(percent)	(dollars per cwt)	(percent)	(dollars per cwt)	(percent)
Arizona .....	20.00	3.78	20.90	4.12	21.30	4.06
California .....	20.30	4.17	20.20	4.25	20.20	4.23
Colorado .....	21.40	3.98	20.90	4.14	21.30	4.11
Florida .....	24.40	3.78	24.30	3.94	25.10	3.93
Georgia .....	24.00	3.83	24.10	4.09	25.50	4.04
Idaho .....	21.70	4.30	20.80	4.37	20.50	4.45
Illinois .....	20.90	4.18	20.40	4.30	20.70	4.28
Indiana .....	21.70	4.10	21.60	4.20	22.20	4.16
Iowa .....	20.40	4.36	19.00	4.43	19.10	4.51
Kansas .....	19.40	4.25	19.90	4.40	20.00	4.35
Michigan .....	20.60	4.11	20.50	4.23	21.30	4.22
Minnesota .....	21.00	4.46	19.50	4.55	19.50	4.55
New Mexico .....	18.50	3.96	19.50	4.15	19.50	4.07
New York .....	22.10	4.23	22.00	4.30	22.40	4.28
Ohio .....	21.90	4.07	21.10	4.16	21.70	4.12
Oregon .....	24.40	4.37	23.20	4.47	23.40	4.44
Pennsylvania .....	21.90	4.14	21.90	4.19	21.70	4.19
South Dakota .....	22.00	4.69	20.20	4.78	20.20	4.76
Texas .....	20.80	4.26	21.10	4.42	21.20	4.35
Utah .....	21.00	4.09	20.40	4.24	20.80	4.22
Vermont .....	22.20	4.23	22.40	4.36	22.80	4.35
Virginia .....	24.00	4.01	24.10	4.17	25.10	4.12
Washington .....	21.60	4.26	21.50	4.36	22.10	4.32
Wisconsin .....	20.70	4.18	19.00	4.26	19.10	4.24
United States .....	21.00	4.19	20.60	4.30	20.70	4.28

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The average price received by farmers for **corn** during March 2024 in Wisconsin was \$4.09 per bushel according to the latest USDA, National Agricultural Statistics Service – *Agricultural Prices* report. This was 5 cents below the February price and \$2.16 below March 2023.

The March 2024 average price received by farmers for **soybeans**, at \$11.60 per bushel, was 50 cents below the February price and \$2.80 below the March 2023 price.

The March average **oat** price per bushel, at \$4.00, was 8 cents below February and 54 cents below March 2023.

**All hay** prices in Wisconsin averaged \$175.00 per ton in March. This was \$4.00 below the February price but \$23.00 above the March 2023 price. The March 2024 **alfalfa hay** price, at \$187.00, was \$1.00 above the previous month and \$25.00 above March 2023. The average price received for **other hay** during March was \$137.00 per ton. This was \$15.00 below the February price but \$22.00 above March last year.

The average price for **milk** was \$19.10 per cwt, 10 cents above the February price but \$1.60 below March 2023. Prices received for **milk cows** for dairy herd replacement averaged \$2,380 per head as of April 1, 2024.

Prices Received by Farmers – Wisconsin and United States

	Wisconsin			United States		
	March 2023	February 2024	March 2024	March 2023	February 2024	March 2024
	(dollars)	(dollars)	(dollars)	(dollars)	(dollars)	(dollars)
Corn .....bu	6.25	4.14	4.09	6.67	4.36	4.36
Hay, all baled .....ton	152.00	179.00	175.00	231.00	189.00	183.00
Alfalfa .....ton	162.00	186.00	187.00	266.00	200.00	195.00
Other .....ton	115.00	152.00	137.00	177.00	170.00	161.00
Oats .....bu	4.54	4.08	4.00	4.18	4.10	4.23
Soybeans .....bu	14.40	12.10	11.60	14.90	11.90	11.80
Milk, all .....cwt	20.70	19.00	19.10	21.00	20.60	20.70
Milk cows <sup>1 2</sup> .....head	1,840.00	2,060.00	2,380.00	1,720.00	1,890.00	2,120.00

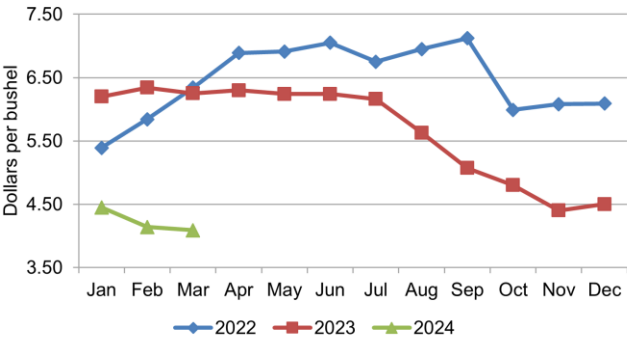
<sup>1</sup> Animals sold for dairy herd replacement only. Prices available for July, October, January, and April.  
<sup>2</sup> Milk cow prices are for April 1, 2023, January 1, 2024, and April 1, 2024.

Livestock Prices Received by Farmers – United States

	March 2023	February 2024	March 2024
Calves .....cwt	230.00	311.00	328.00
Cattle, all beef .....cwt	164.00	178.00	185.00
Cows <sup>1</sup> .....cwt	95.70	109.00	119.00
Steers and heifers .....cwt	167.00	182.00	188.00
Hogs, all .....cwt	61.70	58.20	62.80
Barrows & Gilts .....cwt	61.60	58.70	62.70
Sows .....cwt	64.40	50.10	64.50
Eggs, market <sup>2</sup> .....doz	2.68	2.30	2.15

<sup>1</sup> Beef cows and cull dairy cows sold for slaughter.  
<sup>2</sup> Also referred to as table eggs.

Corn Price Received by Farmers - Wisconsin



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