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Wisconsin Ag News – Milk Prices



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The Wisconsin all milk price for June 2020 was \$19.50 per hundredweight (cwt) according to the latest USDA, National Agricultural Statistics Service – *Agricultural Prices* report. This was \$5.90 higher than last month's price and \$1.60 higher than last June's price.

The U.S. all milk price for June was \$18.10 per cwt, \$1.40 lower than Wisconsin's price but \$4.50 higher than last month's U.S. price. All but two of the 24 major milk producing states had a higher price when compared with May. Georgia and Florida had lower prices. South Dakota had the largest increase and highest price, up \$7.90 to \$22.70 per cwt.

The Chicago Mercantile Exchange* (CME) 40-pound block cheese price closed at \$2.2525 per pound on July 31, while barrels were \$2.2350 per pound. The CME butter price was \$1.6075 per pound.

For the week ending July 25, 2020, the Agricultural Marketing Service* U.S. weekly 40-pound block cheese price averaged \$2.7737 per pound, and 500 pound barrels adjusted to 38 percent moisture averaged \$2.4592 per pound. The U.S. butter price was \$1.7572 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	June 2019		May 2020		June 2020	
	Price	Fat test	Price	Fat test	Price	Fat test
	(dollars per cwt)	(percent)	(dollars per cwt)	(percent)	(dollars per cwt)	(percent)
California	18.10	3.84	13.20	3.82	18.70	3.80
Idaho	17.40	3.82	14.50	3.93	20.20	3.91
lowa	18.40	3.84	14.80	3.98	20.70	3.92
Michigan	16.90	3.70	12.10	3.78	14.80	3.68
Minnesota	18.30	3.89	14.70	4.02	21.20	3.93
New Mexico	16.60	3.65	11.60	3.65	16.50	3.66
New York	18.60	3.78	13.30	3.88	15.50	3.80
Pennsylvania	18.90	3.73	14.00	3.88	16.30	3.80
Texas	18.60	4.03	13.50	4.09	19.50	4.06
Wisconsin	17.90	3.78	13.60	3.87	19.50	3.77
United States	18.10	3.81	13.60	3.87	18.10	3.82

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