

EVAPORATED, CONDENSED, AND DRY MILK REPORT

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Production of total nonfat dry milk solids during January was 13 percent above a year earlier and the highest of record for the month, the Agricultural Marketing Service reports. Dry whole milk production during January was down 5 percent from a year earlier, while dry buttermilk was up 12 percent.

Total nonfat dry milk solids production during January equaled 124,900,000 pounds, an advance of 13 percent and 79 percent, respectively, from a year earlier and the January 1950-54 average. Production of spray-dried nonfat milk solids totaled 113,800,000 pounds, the highest of record for January, up 20 percent from a year earlier and 105 percent from the 5-year January average. Roller-dried nonfat milk solids production, at 11,100,000 pounds, declined 29 percent from a year earlier and 23 percent from the 1950-54 January average.

January production of dry whole milk equaled 7,150,000 pounds, down 5 percent and 14 percent, respectively, from a year earlier and the average. Spray-dried whole milk production, at 6,500,000 pounds, was 6 percent less than a year earlier and 14 percent less than the January average. Production of roller-dried whole milk for January was 650,000 pounds, 8 percent above a year earlier, but 17 percent below the average.

January output of dry skim milk for animal feed totaled 1,200,000 pounds, a decline of 11 percent from a year earlier and 3 percent from the 5-year average. Dry buttermilk production equaled 4,800,000 pounds, up 12 percent from a year earlier and 18 percent from the January average.

Manufacturers' stocks of total nonfat dry milk solids equaled 83,883,000 pounds on January 31, 46 percent higher than a year earlier and 35 percent higher than the average for the date. Stocks of spray-dried nonfat milk solids totaled 68,305,000 pounds, up 34 percent and 39 percent, respectively, from a year earlier and the 5-year January 31 average. Roller-dried nonfat milk solids, at 15,578,000 pounds, were 140 percent above January 31, 1955 and 21 percent above the average.

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Revised data for 1955 on manufacturers' stocks, selling prices, and sales are shown on pages 7, 11, and 12. Revised prices paid for milk to be used in the production of evaporated milk appear on pages 8 and 9.

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MANUFACTURERS' SELLING PRICES OF DRY MILK SOLIDS DURING JANUARY 1956
Reported shipments (F.O.B. plant)

NONFAT DRY MILK SOLIDS (Bulk goods)			DRY SKIM Animal feed	DRY BUTTERMILK (Bulk goods)		
Price 1/ Cents	Spray process 2/ Pounds	Roller process Pounds		Price 1/ Cents	Human food Pounds	Animal feed Pounds
6 - 6½			2,655	5 - 5½		2,850
6½ - 7			2,325	6 - 6½		5,500
7 - 7½			27,076	7½ - 8		10,960
7½ - 8			8,315	8 - 8½		107,850
8 - 8½			43,309	9 - 9½		71,100
8½ - 9			13,814	9½ - 10		150,345
9 - 9½			15,742	10 - 10½		73,675
9½ - 10			61,734	10½ - 11		17,205
10 - 10½			128,690	11 - 11½		83,050
10½ - 11			45,319	13 - 13½	151,800	
11 - 11½	81,540		81,046	13½ - 14	66,000	
12 - 12½	446,400		16,572	14 - 14½	1,441,557	
12½ - 13	534,530		14,938	14½ - 15	25,750	
13 - 13½	2,490,416		1,600	15 - 15½	87,200	
13½ - 14	113,023	744,607	5,267	15½ - 16	156,665	
14 - 14½	625,412	3,748,965		16 - 16½	32,520	
14½ - 15	4,256,754	439,513		16½ - 17	5,625	
15 - 15½	17,189,065	198,925		17 - 17½	22,800	
15½ - 16	33,463,540	39,500		18 - 18½	21,600	
16 - 16½	9,818,609	5,660				
16½ - 17	2,235,763	15,950				
17 - 17½	471,106					
17½ - 18	244,493					
18 - 18½	31,500					
Total	68,449,265	8,746,006	468,402		2,011,517	522,535
Total human	77,195,271					
Grand total		77,663,673			2,534,052	

MANUFACTURERS' SELLING PRICES OF DRY WHOLE MILK DURING JANUARY 1956 3/
Reported shipments (F.O.B. plant)

Price 1/ Cents	1-2½ lb. packages Pounds	5 lb. packages Pounds	All other packages, including bbls. & drums Pounds	Total reported shipments Pounds
27½ - 28½			168,540	168,540
30½ - 31½			330,560	330,560
31½ - 32½	12,211		250,505	262,716
32½ - 33½	-		23,037	23,037
33½ - 34½	-		299,406	299,406
34½ - 35½	-		505,384	505,384
35½ - 36½	402,810	128,460	131,331	662,601
40½ - 41½	105,720	983,920	42,133	1,131,773
41½ - 42½	-	72,660		72,660
42½ - 43½	2,050	15,525		17,575
43½ - 44½	8,793			8,793
44½ - 45½	5,424			5,424
45½ - 46½	1,852,530			1,852,530
48½ - 49½	74,130			74,130
Total	2,463,668	1,200,565	1,750,896	5,415,129

- 1/ Classified according to average monthly prices reported by firms.
2/ Excludes spray-dried nonfat dry milk solids sold in retail packages.
3/ Includes some dry whole milk in special packages for export.

MANUFACTURERS' AVERAGE SELLING PRICES OF DRY MILK SOLIDS, JANUARY 1956

	Nonfat dry milk solids			Dry skim an. feed	N. F. solids & dry skim	Dry buttermilk			Dry whole milk			Total shipments
	Spray	Roller	Spray and roller			Human food	Animal feed	Human and animal	1-2# pound pkgs.	5- pound pkgs.	Other pkgs. 1/	
	— Cents per pound —											
Jan. 50-54	14.60	13.01	14.29	10.61	14.23	13.40	9.67	11.49	48.95	42.70	36.79	42.49
Jan. 1955	15.60	14.36	15.42	10.48	15.37	12.86	9.92	11.93	42.92	38.76	33.19	38.23
Dec. 1955	2/15.62	14.02	15.43	10.08	15.39	14.25	9.41	12.95	43.74	39.42	33.25	38.96
Jan. 1956	2/15.57	13.69	15.35	9.90	15.32	14.28	9.42	13.28	43.93	40.79	33.04	39.71

1/ Includes barrels and drums.

2/ Excludes spray-dried nonfat milk solids sold in retail packages.

MANUFACTURERS' AVERAGE CARLOT SELLING PRICES OF EVAPORATED WHOLE MILK IN CASES OF 48 14½-OZ. CANS, BY GEOGRAPHIC DIVISIONS, JANUARY 1956, WITH COMPARISONS 1/

Geographic division	January 1955	December 1955	January 1956
	- Dollars -		
New England	5.55	5.71	5.70
Middle Atlantic	5.54	5.66	5.68
South Atlantic	5.55	5.70	5.70
East North Central	5.47	5.61	5.63
West North Central	5.55	5.70	5.70
South Central	5.62	5.76	5.76
North Western	5.69	5.82	5.81
South Western	5.66	5.82	5.83
United States	5.56	5.71	5.71

1/ Manufacturers' prices are based upon the reports made by manufacturers covering actual sales of goods delivered at manufacturers' distributing points on the basis of cash or short-time credit.

Prices paid for entire month of January at 13 Midwest condenseries used in determining class prices under the Chicago Milk Marketing Order:

Price per cwt.
Chicago - \$3.125

Prices received f.o.b. plants for nonfat dry milk solids in the Chicago area covering the States of Illinois, Indiana, Michigan, Minnesota, and Wisconsin for their period December 26, 1955 through January 25, 1956 average for:

Cents per pound
Spray - 15.48
Roller - 13.38

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Stocks of total dry whole milk held by manufacturers on January 31 were reported at 8,883,000 pounds, 8 percent higher than a year earlier and 29 percent lower than the 1950-54 average for the date. Manufacturers' stocks of spray-dried whole milk equaled 8,732,000 pounds, 7 percent above a year earlier although 29 percent below the January 31 average. Roller-dried whole milk stocks, at 151,000 pounds, were 99 percent more than a year earlier but 1 percent less than the average.

Stocks of dry skim milk for animal feed on January 31 equaled 766,000 pounds, 41 percent higher than a year earlier and 42 percent lower than the average for that date. Dry buttermilk stocks totaled 4,558,000 pounds, 58 percent above a year earlier but 37 percent below the January 31 average.

Sales of total nonfat dry milk solids for January as shown by reporting manufacturers totaled 77,195,000 pounds, up 9 percent and 12 percent,

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AVERAGE PRICES PAID BY CONDENSERIES FOR MILK TO BE USED PRIMARILY FOR EVAPORATED
MILK DURING JANUARY 1956, WITH COMPARISONS 1/

State and division	January 1955			December 1955			January 1956		
	Price paid per 100 lbs. milk	Milk-fat test	Price per lb. of milk-fat	Price paid per 100 lbs. milk	Milk-fat test	Price per lb. of milk-fat	Price paid per 100 lbs. milk	Milk-fat test	Price per lb. of milk-fat
	Dollars	Percent	Dollars	Dollars	Percent	Dollars	Dollars	Percent	Dollars
Pa.....	3.19	3.84	.83	3.35	3.97	.84	3.23	3.89	.83
M. Atl. 2/.	3.20	3.84	.83	3.36	3.96	.85	3.24	3.89	.83
Md.....	3.49	4.19	.83	3.71	4.52	.82	3.61	4.38	.82
Va.....	3.56	4.72	.75	3.79	5.03	.75	3.76	4.88	.77
S. Atl. 2/.	3.59	4.66	.77	3.76	4.88	.77	3.71	4.75	.78
Ohio.....	3.52	4.21	.84	3.74	4.33	.86	3.67	4.24	.87
Ind.....	3.72	4.37	.85	3.83	4.50	.85	3.72	4.41	.84
Ill.....	3.19	3.82	.84	3.30	3.92	.84	3.22	3.82	.84
Mich.....	3.39	3.91	.87	3.59	4.05	.89	3.46	3.90	.89
Wis.....	3.24	3.71	.87	3.37	3.83	.88	3.27	3.74	.87
E. N. C....	3.37	3.93	.86	3.51	4.03	.87	3.40	3.92	.87
Mo.....	3.62	4.58	.79	3.71	4.76	.78	3.68	4.64	.79
Kans.....	3.46	4.34	.80	3.50	4.40	.80	3.49	4.33	.81
W.N.C. 2/.	3.39	4.16	.81	3.50	4.28	.82	3.44	4.16	.83
Ky.....	3.51	4.76	.74	3.74	4.99	.75	3.69	4.80	.77
Tenn.....	3.57	4.81	.74	3.77	5.03	.75	3.71	4.84	.77
Ala.....	3.63	4.89	.74	3.91	5.10	.77	3.68	4.75	.77
Miss.....	3.54	4.77	.74	3.76	5.07	.74	3.63	4.79	.76
Ark.....	3.64	4.67	.78	3.75	4.86	.77	3.71	4.70	.79
S.Cent. 2/.	3.57	4.77	.75	3.77	4.99	.75	3.69	4.79	.77
Idaho.....	3.73	4.23	.88	3.71	4.19	.88	3.80	4.14	.92
Wash.....	3.63	4.36	.83	3.55	4.55	.78	3.45	4.45	.78
Oreg.....	3.90	4.61	.85	3.98	4.63	.86	3.89	4.56	.85
N. W.....	3.73	4.34	.86	3.74	4.35	.86	3.75	4.29	.87
Utah.....	3.13	3.67	.85	3.26	3.69	.88	3.20	3.61	.89
Calif.....	3.60	4.17	.86	3.60	4.14	.87	3.82	4.12	.88
S.W. 2/....	3.49	4.06	.86	3.52	4.04	.87	3.52	4.00	.88
U. S. 2/.	3.45	4.16	.83	3.58	4.29	.83	3.50	4.16	.84

1/ Preliminary; subject to revision. Prices are for milk of actual milkfat as reported. All prices are reported as f.o.b. plant.

2/ Includes prices for some States not shown separately.

MILK PURCHASED BY CONDENSERIES, JANUARY 1956, WITH COMPARISONS 1/

	Unit	Average 1950-54	1955	1956
Purchases, reported total	Pounds	461,731,000	431,478,000	418,693,000
Producers	Number	138,000	128,000	116,000
Average daily purchases per producer	Pounds	97.4	108.7	116
Change in purchases per producer:				
1956 from 1955	Percent	XXX	XXX	+ 7
1956 from 5-year average	Percent	XXX	XXX	+19

1/ Milk purchases at plants (or their receiving stations) which have canning equipment. In some periods a part or all of the milk received at such plants may be used for purposes other than the manufacture of canned milk.

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respectively, from the preceding month and a year earlier. Manufacturers' sales of dry whole milk were reported at 5,415,000 pounds, down 43 percent from the previous month and 5 percent from January 1955. Dry buttermilk sales during January, at 2,534,000 pounds, increased 17 percent from the preceding month and 12 percent from a year earlier.

Manufacturers' selling prices of total nonfat dry milk solids during January averaged 15.35 cents per pound, down 1/10 cent per pound from both the preceding month and a year earlier. Spray-dried nonfat milk solids averaged 15.57 cents per pound compared with 15.62 cents the previous month and 15.60 cents in January 1955. Prices of roller-dried nonfat milk solids in January averaged 13.69 cents per pound, down 1/3 cent from the preceding month and 2/3 cent from a year earlier.

PRODUCTION OF EVAPORATED, CONDENSED, AND DRY MILK

Commodity	Jan. 1955 1/	Jan. 1956 1/	Changes in Jan. 1956 from		Cumulative total	
			1950-54 average	1955	Jan. 1956	Change from Jan. 1955
Evaporated and condensed milk	- Thousand pounds -		- Percent -		1,000 lb.	Percent
Evaporated whole (case goods)	164,000	164,200	- 2	0	164,000	0
Condensed whole (case goods)	2,600	3,150	- 30	+21	3,150	+21
Dry milk						
Dry whole						
Spray process	6,900	6,500	- 14	- 6	6,500	- 6
Roller process	600	650	- 17	+ 8	650	+ 8
Total	7,500	7,150	- 14	- 5	7,150	- 5
Dry nonfat solids						
Human food - spray process	94,800	113,800	+105	+20	113,800	+20
Human food - roller process	15,700	11,100	- 23	-29	11,100	-29
Total (human food)	110,500	124,900	+ 79	+13	124,900	+13
Dry skim milk (animal feed)	1,350	1,200	- 3	-11	1,200	-11
Dry buttermilk	4,300	4,800	+ 18	+12	4,800	+12

1/ Estimates subject to revisions when enumerations are available for 1955.

MANUFACTURERS' STOCKS OF EVAPORATED, CONDENSED, AND DRY MILK, JANUARY 31 1/

Commodity	Average 1950-54	1955 2/	1956	Change in 1956 from	
				1950-54	1955
Evaporated and condensed milk	- Thousand pounds -			- Percent -	
Evaporated whole (case goods)	177,521	143,201	157,214	-11	+10
Condensed whole (case goods)	6,571	4,775	6,222	- 5	+30
Dry milk					
Dry whole					
Spray process	12,300	8,147	8,732	-29	+ 7
Roller process	152	76	151	- 1	+99
Total	12,452	8,223	8,883	-29	+ 8
Dry nonfat solids					
Human food - spray process	49,247	50,790	68,305	+39	+34
Human food - roller process	12,856	6,489	15,578	+21	+140
Total (human food)	62,104	57,279	83,883	+35	+46
Dry skim milk (animal feed)	1,331	545	766	-42	+41
Dry buttermilk	7,256	2,891	4,558	-37	+58

1/ Stocks held by manufacturers at all points, also those in transit and those contracted for sale but not delivered.

2/ Revised to include late reports.

Sales by manufacturers of dry skim milk for animal feed in January averaged 9.90 cents per pound, a decline of 1/5 cent and 3/5 cent, respectively, from the previous month and a year earlier. Combining both human food and animal feed, the price of dry buttermilk averaged 13.28 cents per pound, up 1/3 cent from the preceding month and 1.4 cents from a year earlier.

Selling prices of dry whole milk for all sizes of packages averaged 39.71 cents per pound, up 3/4 cent from the previous month and 1.5 cents from a year earlier. Prices of 1-2 1/2 pound packages averaged 43.93 cents per pound during January, an increase of 1/5 cent from the preceding month and 1.0 cent from a year earlier. In 5 pound packages, prices averaged 40.79 cents per pound, 1.4 cents and 2.0 cents higher, respectively, than the previous month and January 1955. Miscellaneous large packages, mostly barrels and drums, averaged 33.04 cents per pound in January, 1/5 cent below both the preceding month and a year earlier.

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United States Department of Agriculture purchases of nonfat dry milk solids for price support purposes in February, through the 24th, totaled 48,795,000 pounds. January purchases totaled 46,969,000 pounds, and for the marketing year beginning April 1, 1955 through February 24, 541,497,000 pounds. The Department held 29,987,000 pounds of uncommitted supplies of nonfat dry milk solids on February 22. There were no sales of nonfat dry milk solids back to the trade for domestic human food use during the month of January, and February through the 24th. Sales for human food for the period April 1, 1955 through February 24, 1956, totaled 832,000 pounds. The Department sold 683,000 pounds of nonfat dry milk solids for animal and poultry feed in February through the 24th, 720,000 pounds for the month of January and 12,416,000 pounds from April 1, 1955 through February 24, 1956.

EVAPORATED AND CONDENSED MILK

January production of both evaporated and canned condensed whole milk was the highest for the month in several years, the Agricultural Marketing Service reports.

Evaporated whole milk production for January, at 164,200,000 pounds, was fractionally higher than that of a year earlier, the highest for the month since 1953, but 2 percent less than in January 1950-54 average.

Canned condensed whole milk produced equaled 3,150,000 pounds during January, highest for the month since 1953, 21 percent higher than a year earlier, but 30 percent lower than the 5-year January average.

Manufacturers' stocks of evaporated milk at the end of January totaled 157,214,000 pounds, 10 percent larger than a year earlier, but 11 percent smaller than the 5-year average. Stocks on December 31, 1955 totaled 213,202,000 pounds, with the seasonal decline during January being slightly less than average. Stocks of canned condensed milk, at 6,222,000 pounds were the highest for January 31 since 1953, a gain of 30 percent from the same date a year earlier, but a decline of 5 percent from the 5-year January 31 average.

Manufacturers' selling prices of evaporated whole milk averaged \$5.71 per case of 48 14½-oz. cans during January. This average is unchanged from the preceding month, but 15 cents higher than that of a year earlier. Changes in average prices from the preceding month, by regions ranged from a decline of 1 cent in the New England and Northwestern areas to a gain of 2 cents per case in the Middle Atlantic and East North Central regions. The Southwestern region registered a gain of 1 cent, but the South Atlantic, West North Central, and South Central areas were unchanged.

Condensery buying prices in January for milk f.o.b. plant averaged \$3.50 per hundred-weight for milk testing 4.16 percent of milkfat, or an average of 84 cents per pound of milkfat. The price of milk per hundredweight declined 8 cents from the preceding month, but was 5 cents higher than that of a year earlier. Based on the price per pound of milkfat, January showed a gain of 1 cent both from the preceding month and a year earlier. During January, the average price per pound of milkfat by States ranged from 76 cents per pound in Mississippi to a high of 92 cents in Idaho.

Purchases of milk by reporting condenseries in January totaled 418,693,000 pounds. These purchases were made from approximately 116,000 producers, with an average daily purchase per producer of 116.4 pounds. This was a gain of 7 percent from a year earlier and between 19 and 20 percent from the 5-year January average.

Manufacturers' average carlot selling prices of evaporated whole milk in cases of 48 14 $\frac{1}{2}$ -oz. cans, by geographic divisions, 1955 1/ (Dollars per case)

Div.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Av.
N.E.	5.55	5.54	5.56	5.55	5.56	5.55	5.56	5.56	5.56	5.56	5.62	5.71	5.57
M.A.	5.54	5.54	5.54	5.53	5.53	5.53	5.54	5.53	5.53	5.53	5.60	5.66	5.55
S.A.	5.55	5.56	5.56	5.56	5.56	5.56	5.57	5.56	5.57	5.57	5.63	5.70	5.58
E.N.C.	5.47	5.47	5.49	5.49	5.49	5.49	5.49	5.49	5.49	5.49	5.55	5.61	5.50
W.N.C.	5.55	5.55	5.55	5.55	5.55	5.55	5.55	5.55	5.55	5.55	5.63	5.70	5.57
S.C.	5.62	5.62	5.61	5.61	5.61	5.61	5.62	5.63	5.63	5.63	5.70	5.76	5.64
N.W.	5.69	5.69	5.69	5.69	5.69	5.69	5.69	5.69	5.69	5.71	5.78	5.82	5.71
S.W.	5.66	5.66	5.66	5.66	5.66	5.66	5.66	5.66	5.66	5.66	5.74	5.82	5.68
U.S.	5.56	5.56	5.57	5.57	5.57	5.57	5.57	5.57	5.57	5.57	5.64	5.71	5.59

1/ Manufacturers' prices are based upon the reports made by manufacturers covering actual sales of goods delivered at manufacturers' distributing points on the basis of cash or short-time credit.

Manufacturers' selling prices of dry milk products, United States, 1954 and 1955 (Cents per pound)

Month	Nonfat-spray		Nonfat-roller		Total nonfat		Dry buttermilk					
							Human food		Animal feed		Total	
	1954	1955	1954	1955	1954	1955	1954	1955	1954	1955	1954	1955
Jan.	15.58	15.60	13.29	14.36	15.22	15.42	14.03	12.86	7.96	9.92	11.17	11.93
Feb.	15.49	15.58	13.07	14.17	15.11	15.37	13.04	12.73	8.24	10.14	11.24	11.99
Mar.	15.28	15.53	12.79	13.91	14.89	15.33	13.14	12.80	7.82	9.53	11.23	11.65
Apr.	14.96	15.56	12.63	13.70	14.55	15.29	12.34	13.71	7.61	9.58	10.42	12.47
May	14.76	15.51	12.55	13.68	14.34	15.20	12.85	13.86	7.36	9.39	11.11	12.33
June	14.72	15.57	12.50	13.67	14.20	15.28	12.43	13.91	7.66	9.29	10.99	12.01
July	14.94	15.55	12.82	13.79	14.52	15.26	12.41	14.18	8.21	9.33	9.81	12.94
Aug.	15.40	15.57	13.49	14.17	15.09	15.38	13.72	14.49	8.45	9.41	11.49	13.25
Sept.	15.53	15.68	13.88	14.26	15.26	15.49	13.34	14.36	8.39	9.70	11.51	13.61
Oct.	15.57	15.54	14.14	14.20	15.35	15.37	13.54	14.24	9.26	9.78	12.02	13.08
Nov.	15.63	15.55	14.45	14.12	15.44	15.35	13.66	14.48	9.30	9.62	12.17	12.87
Dec.	15.65	15.62	14.54	14.02	15.48	15.43	13.36	14.25	10.00	9.41	11.92	12.95
Yr. Av.	15.29	15.57	13.35	14.00	14.95	15.35	13.16	13.82	8.36	9.59	11.26	12.59

Month	Dry whole milk						Dry skim-animal feed			
	1-2 $\frac{1}{2}$ lb. pkgs.		5 lb. pkgs.		Bulk		Total			
	1954	1955	1954	1955	1954	1955	1954	1955	1954	1955
Jan.	48.75	42.92	43.11	38.76	35.27	33.19	43.24	38.23	10.14	10.48
Feb.	46.35	44.74	40.12	39.53	35.01	33.63	41.02	40.07	10.02	10.66
Mar.	44.79	42.19	39.28	39.35	36.27	32.55	40.57	38.06	10.07	10.59
Apr.	44.14	43.24	39.07	38.64	34.86	32.30	39.70	38.77	9.18	10.85
May	44.56	42.94	40.44	39.32	32.53	31.80	40.52	38.66	8.43	10.63
June	43.53	43.33	37.51	37.66	31.98	32.78	37.99	38.14	8.37	10.51
July	42.56	43.52	35.54	38.42	32.76	32.23	36.95	38.89	8.83	10.70
Aug.	42.95	43.09	38.12	38.64	33.79	33.36	39.08	39.23	9.23	10.26
Sept.	43.24	43.04	38.35	37.36	33.80	32.90	38.37	37.77	9.26	10.20
Oct.	42.17	44.56	37.29	38.90	34.38	33.30	38.37	38.73	10.07	10.10
Nov.	41.45	43.41	37.44	39.59	33.28	33.02	37.25	38.83	9.93	9.86
Dec.	42.85	43.74	38.87	39.42	35.26	33.25	38.58	38.96	9.61	10.08
Yr. Av.	43.94	43.13	38.76	38.80	34.10	32.89	39.30	38.62	9.43	10.37

* Revised

AVERAGE PRICES PAID BY CONDENSERIES FOR MILK TO BE USED PRIMARILY FOR EVAPORATED MILK,
UNITED STATES, 1954 1/

States	JANUARY			FEBRUARY			MARCH		
	Av. pr. per 100 lbs.	Milk- fat test	Av. pr. per lb. M.F.	Av. pr. per 100 lbs.	Milk- fat test	Av. pr. per lb. M.F.	Av. pr. per 100 lbs.	Milk- fat test	Av. pr. per lb. M.F.
	Dollars	Percent	Dollars	Dollars	Percent	Dollars	Dollars	Percent	Dollars
Pa.....	3.44	3.82	.90	3.31	3.74	.89	3.19	3.68	.87
M. A. 2/..	3.43	3.81	.90	3.31	3.74	.89	3.20	3.69	.87
Md.....	3.61	4.27	.85	3.35	4.08	.82	3.18	3.96	.80
Va.....	3.70	4.74	.78	3.40	4.46	.76	3.21	4.29	.75
S. A. 2/..	3.74	4.70	.80	3.44	4.45	.77	3.26	4.30	.76
Ohio.....	3.61	4.30	.84	3.35	4.14	.81	3.20	4.07	.79
Ind.....	3.84	4.42	.87	3.57	4.27	.84	3.43	4.22	.81
Ill.....	3.30	3.84	.86	3.10	3.75	.83	2.98	3.72	.80
Mich.....	3.47	3.97	.87	3.25	3.89	.84	3.15	3.87	.81
Wis.....	3.52	3.76	.94	3.34	3.69	.91	3.28	3.67	.89
E. N. C...	3.54	3.99	.89	3.33	3.88	.86	3.22	3.85	.84
Iowa.....	3.35	3.79	.88	3.14	3.73	.84	3.08	3.72	.83
Mo.....	3.89	4.68	.83	3.56	4.42	.81	3.29	4.31	.76
Kans.....	3.66	4.36	.84	3.39	4.15	.82	3.13	4.07	.77
W. N. C. 2/	3.62	4.23	.86	3.36	4.06	.83	3.18	4.02	.79
Ky.....	3.88	4.81	.81	3.37	4.47	.75	3.19	4.33	.74
Tenn.....	3.81	4.81	.79	3.40	4.50	.76	3.22	4.39	.73
Ala.....	3.76	4.85	.78	3.38	4.52	.75	3.17	4.36	.73
Miss.....	3.69	4.79	.77	3.31	4.40	.75	3.10	4.25	.73
Ark.....	3.91	4.73	.83	3.53	4.41	.80	3.25	4.28	.78
S. C. 2/..	3.83	4.80	.80	3.40	4.46	.76	3.20	4.33	.74
Idaho.....	*3.71	*4.05	*.92	*3.48	*3.92	*.89	*3.34	*3.87	*.86
Wash.....	*4.07	*4.54	*.90	*3.68	*4.32	*.85	*3.43	*4.10	*.84
Oreg.....	4.15	4.57	.91	3.92	4.43	.88	3.68	4.28	.86
N. W.....	*3.87	*4.26	*.91	*3.60	*4.10	*.88	*3.42	*4.00	*.86
Utah.....	*3.10	*3.62	*.86	*2.90	*3.56	*.81	*2.78	*3.50	.79
Calif.....	3.85	4.10	.94	3.71	4.03	.92	3.47	3.90	.89
S. W. 2/..	*3.75	*4.04	*.93	*3.59	*3.97	.90	3.38	*3.86	.88
U. S. 2/	3.65	4.19	.87	*3.40	*4.05	.84	*3.25	3.98	.82

States	APRIL			MAY			JUNE		
	Av. pr. per 100 lbs.	Milk- fat test	Av. pr. per lb. M.F.	Av. pr. per 100 lbs.	Milk- fat test	Av. pr. per lb. M.F.	Av. pr. per 100 lbs.	Milk- fat test	Av. pr. per lb. M.F.
Pa.....	3.02	3.61	.84	2.92	3.67	.80	2.87	3.51	.82
M. A. 2/..	3.02	3.61	.84	2.92	3.67	.80	2.87	3.52	.82
Md.....	2.94	3.81	.77	2.92	3.84	.76	2.95	3.89	.76
Va.....	2.93	4.11	.71	2.94	4.21	.70	2.93	4.20	.70
S. A. 2/..	3.01	4.13	.73	3.01	4.20	.72	2.99	4.18	.72
Ohio.....	2.95	3.96	.74	2.89	3.94	.73	2.90	3.87	.75
Ind.....	3.12	4.05	.77	3.02	3.96	.76	3.03	3.90	.78
Ill.....	2.84	3.67	.77	2.76	3.61	.76	2.74	3.59	.76
Mich.....	2.96	3.79	.78	2.87	3.77	.76	2.83	3.74	.75
Wis.....	*3.07	3.63	*.85	3.00	3.67	.82	2.96	3.65	.81
E. N. C...	*3.01	*3.78	.80	2.93	*3.78	.78	2.91	*3.74	.78
Iowa.....	2.97	3.70	.80	2.93	3.70	.79	2.88	3.64	.79
Mo.....	3.10	4.15	.75	3.09	4.19	.74	3.07	4.19	.73
Kans.....	2.94	3.91	.75	2.91	3.95	.74	2.89	3.93	.74
W. N. C. 2/	3.03	3.95	.77	3.01	4.01	.75	2.97	3.96	.75
Ky.....	2.99	4.23	.71	2.97	4.30	.69	2.95	4.26	.69
Tenn.....	2.96	4.26	.69	2.98	4.32	.69	2.97	4.29	.69
Ala.....	3.00	4.25	.71	2.99	4.35	.69	2.93	4.25	.69
Miss.....	2.95	4.20	.70	2.96	4.31	.69	2.87	4.16	.69
Ark.....	3.06	4.15	.74	3.09	4.28	.72	3.05	4.25	.72
S. C. 2/..	2.99	4.23	.71	2.99	4.31	.69	2.96	4.26	.69
Idaho.....	*3.11	*3.76	.83	*3.02	*3.71	*.81	*3.00	*3.70	*.81
Wash.....	*3.28	*4.05	*.81	*3.02	*4.02	*.75	*3.05	4.11	*.74
Oreg.....	3.37	4.18	.81	3.24	4.06	.80	3.33	4.15	.80
N. W.....	*3.21	*3.92	*.82	*3.06	*3.87	*.79	*3.07	*3.90	.79
Utah.....	2.86	3.41	.78	*2.59	*3.38	*.77	*2.57	*3.36	*.76
Calif.....	3.23	3.78	*.85	3.05	3.72	.82	3.05	3.71	.82
S. W. 2/..	3.17	3.75	.85	*3.01	*3.69	.82	*2.99	*3.68	*.81
U. S. 2/	*3.04	*3.90	.78	*2.97	3.93	.76	*2.95	3.89	.76

AVERAGE PRICES PAID BY CONDENSERIES FOR MILK TO BE USED PRIMARILY FOR EVAPORATED MILK,
UNITED STATES, 1954 1/ (Continued)

States	JULY			AUGUST			SEPTEMBER		
	Av. pr. per 100 lbs.	Milk-fat test	Av. pr. per lb. M.F.	Av. pr. per 100 lbs.	Milk-fat test	Av. pr. per lb. M.F.	Av. pr. per 100 lbs.	Milk-fat test	Av. pr. per lb. M.F.
	Dollars	Percent	Dollars	Dollars	Percent	Dollars	Dollars	Percent	Dollars
Pa.....	3.05	3.73	.82	3.13	3.79	.83	3.25	3.92	.83
M. A. 2/..	3.05	3.73	.82	3.13	3.79	.83	3.26	3.91	.83
Md.....	3.03	3.92	.77	3.19	4.04	.79	3.38	4.19	.81
Va.....	3.03	4.23	.72	3.14	4.36	.72	3.32	4.52	.73
S. A. 2/..	3.05	4.20	.73	3.17	4.31	.74	3.34	4.47	.75
Ohio.....	2.99	3.85	.78	3.11	3.91	.80	3.25	4.01	.81
Ind.....	3.14	3.91	.80	3.25	3.95	.83	3.49	4.05	.86
Ill.....	2.87	3.62	.79	2.99	3.69	.81	3.07	3.71	.83
Mich.....	2.98	3.77	.79	3.10	3.83	.81	3.28	3.96	.83
Wis.....	3.00	3.66	.82	3.16	3.73	.85	3.31	3.86	.86
E. N. C.	3.00	3.75	.80	3.14	3.92	.82	3.29	3.93	.84
Iowa.....	2.95	3.69	.80	3.05	3.76	.81	3.14	3.84	.82
Mo.....	3.10	4.12	.75	3.18	4.21	.76	3.34	4.41	.76
Kans.....	2.90	3.81	.76	2.96	3.86	.77	3.09	3.99	.77
W. N. C. 2/	3.01	3.92	.77	3.10	4.01	.77	3.23	4.14	.78
Ky.....	3.04	4.28	.71	3.18	4.39	.72	3.30	4.54	.73
Tenn.....	3.04	4.26	.71	3.15	4.39	.72	3.35	4.56	.73
Ala.....	3.00	4.21	.71	3.15	4.30	.73	3.39	4.55	.75
Miss.....	2.95	4.16	.71	3.08	4.28	.72	3.31	4.53	.73
Ark.....	3.06	4.12	.74	3.14	4.19	.75	3.34	4.43	.75
S. C. 2/..	3.03	4.24	.71	3.16	4.35	.73	3.33	4.53	.74
Idaho.....	3.27	3.66	.81	3.05	3.73	.82	3.21	3.85	.83
Wash.....	3.16	4.24	.75	3.25	4.32	.75	3.35	4.49	.75
Oreg.....	3.29	4.10	.80	3.34	4.15	.80	3.55	4.36	.81
N. W.	3.08	3.89	.79	3.15	3.95	.80	3.30	4.07	.81
Utah.....	2.54	3.31	.77	2.61	3.37	.77	2.72	3.48	.78
Calif.....	3.07	3.72	.83	3.19	3.83	.83	3.34	3.95	.85
S. W. 2/..	3.02	3.58	.82	3.12	3.79	.82	3.27	3.90	.84
U. S. 2/	3.02	3.91	.77	3.14	4.00	.78	3.30	4.13	.80

States	OCTOBER			NOVEMBER			DECEMBER		
	Av. pr. per 100 lbs.	Milk-fat test	Av. pr. per lb. M.F.	Av. pr. per 100 lbs.	Milk-fat test	Av. pr. per lb. M.F.	Av. pr. per 100 lbs.	Milk-fat test	Av. pr. per lb. M.F.
Pa.....	3.34	4.00	.84	3.42	4.00	.86	3.37	3.86	.87
M. A. 2/..	3.34	3.99	.84	3.42	3.99	.86	3.37	3.86	.87
Md.....	3.52	4.33	.81	3.64	4.45	.82	3.64	4.41	.83
Va.....	3.53	4.80	.74	3.72	5.07	.73	3.73	5.03	.74
S. A. 2/..	3.55	4.71	.75	3.74	4.96	.75	3.74	4.91	.76
Ohio.....	3.51	4.22	.83	3.69	4.29	.86	3.69	4.30	.86
Ind.....	3.85	4.31	.89	3.94	4.45	.89	3.95	4.49	.88
Ill.....	3.26	3.89	.84	3.30	3.93	.84	3.30	3.96	.83
Mich.....	3.48	4.06	.86	3.53	4.01	.88	3.53	3.98	.89
Wis.....	3.44	3.93	.88	3.39	3.85	.88	3.34	3.77	.89
E. N. C.	3.50	4.07	.86	3.53	4.06	.87	3.51	4.03	.87
Iowa.....	3.26	3.94	.83	3.18	3.83	.83	3.23	3.82	.85
Mo.....	3.59	4.73	.76	3.67	4.73	.78	3.70	4.75	.78
Kans.....	3.32	4.27	.78	3.35	4.22	.79	3.39	4.22	.80
W. N. C. 2/	3.43	4.36	.79	3.43	4.29	.80	3.44	4.23	.81
Ky.....	3.58	4.88	.73	3.70	5.07	.73	3.66	5.00	.73
Tenn.....	3.60	4.90	.73	3.73	5.08	.73	3.69	5.00	.74
Ala.....	3.68	5.03	.73	3.80	5.22	.73	3.77	5.14	.73
Miss.....	3.73	5.10	.73	3.75	5.19	.72	3.71	5.05	.73
Ark.....	3.56	4.70	.76	3.68	4.79	.77	3.70	4.78	.77
S. C. 2/..	3.60	4.89	.74	3.72	5.05	.74	3.69	4.97	.74
Idaho.....	3.37	3.95	.85	3.50	4.02	.87	3.57	4.08	.88
Wash.....	3.35	4.52	.74	3.55	4.67	.76	3.63	4.61	.79
Oreg.....	3.74	4.48	.83	3.85	4.57	.84	3.95	4.65	.85
N. W.	3.44	4.14	.83	3.57	4.22	.85	3.64	4.27	.85
Utah.....	2.76	3.54	.78	2.93	3.63	.81	2.99	3.64	.82
Calif.....	3.47	4.03	.86	3.60	4.12	.87	3.65	4.19	.87
S. W. 2/..	3.39	3.98	.85	3.51	4.07	.86	3.56	4.13	.86
U. S. 2/	3.50	4.31	.81	3.57	4.33	.82	3.56	4.28	.83

1/ Prices are for milk of actual milkfat test as reported. All prices are reported as f.o.b. plant.
2/ Includes prices for some States not shown separately.

Production of evaporated, sweetened condensed whole milk (case goods) and dry milk,
United States, 1949-53 average, 1954 and 1955 ^{1/}
(In thousands of pounds)

Month	Evaporated whole milk			Sweetened cond. whole milk (case)			Nonfat-spray		
	1949-53 av.	1954	1955	1949-53 av.	1954	1955	1949-53 av.	1954	1955
Jan.	166,091	163,399	164,000	5,913	2,303	2,600	44,716	94,849	94,800
Feb.	171,232	156,132	174,800	6,147	1,839	2,110	46,542	92,581	91,500
Mar.	224,107	194,476	230,100	6,930	2,118	2,950	60,255	115,747	113,800
Apr.	264,003	243,796	255,750	6,318	2,484	2,125	70,317	118,898	128,800
May	357,613	314,645	325,750	6,174	1,657	1,700	86,876	139,853	162,800
June	349,582	308,014	304,500	5,856	1,764	2,140	85,283	131,491	151,100
July	291,798	265,801	257,800	4,769	1,947	3,000	70,555	101,894	111,100
Aug.	265,116	238,673	227,500	4,882	2,569	3,010	57,849	81,727	86,400
Sept.	211,071	186,396	184,500	4,247	2,242	2,540	42,669	67,205	77,900
Oct.	161,096	159,044	164,500	4,281	2,129	3,925	38,048	66,092	79,300
Nov.	148,256	150,621	142,200	3,815	2,080	3,875	35,907	65,949	80,500
Dec.	155,638	153,218	152,800	4,210	2,097	4,025	47,876	82,251	104,000
Total	2,785,603	2,534,215	2,584,200	63,542	25,229	34,000	686,893	1,158,537	1,282,000

Month	Nonfat-roller			Total nonfat solids			Skim-animal feed		
	1949-53 av.	1954	1955	1949-53 av.	1954	1955	1949-53 av.	1954	1955
Jan.	13,568	19,172	15,700	58,284	114,021	110,500	1,265	1,421	1,350
Feb.	14,492	20,055	14,100	61,034	112,636	105,600	1,259	1,449	1,350
Mar.	20,969	27,025	18,200	81,224	142,772	132,000	1,694	1,981	1,450
Apr.	27,194	29,300	24,000	97,511	148,198	152,800	2,191	2,006	1,550
May	37,636	39,499	35,000	124,512	179,352	197,800	2,632	2,479	2,300
June	36,131	35,034	30,200	121,414	166,525	181,300	2,628	2,472	1,850
July	22,987	19,346	16,400	93,542	121,240	127,500	2,017	1,563	1,400
Aug.	17,379	11,913	12,200	75,228	93,640	98,600	1,559	1,330	1,260
Sept.	12,025	10,485	11,200	54,694	77,690	89,100	1,251	982	1,023
Oct.	9,824	9,831	8,900	47,872	75,923	88,200	1,098	1,131	1,050
Nov.	8,012	9,434	7,000	43,919	75,383	87,500	960	928	875
Dec.	12,069	12,743	9,700	59,945	94,994	113,700	1,090	1,278	1,050
Total	232,286	243,837	202,600	919,179	1,402,374	1,484,600	19,644	19,020	16,510

Month	Dry whole-spray			Total dry whole milk			Dry buttermilk		
	1949-53 av.	1954	1955	1949-53 av.	1954	1955	1949-53 av.	1954	1955
Jan.	8,303	5,436	6,900	9,311	6,061	7,500	3,797	4,790	4,300
Feb.	7,649	5,812	6,100	8,544	6,107	6,650	3,672	4,819	4,250
Mar.	9,893	6,410	8,100	10,733	6,585	8,650	4,624	5,757	5,350
Apr.	9,914	10,372	8,550	10,788	10,547	9,100	4,801	5,459	5,750
May	11,380	10,147	9,900	12,292	10,572	10,650	5,711	6,139	6,350
June	11,330	10,223	9,550	12,319	10,848	10,325	5,629	6,091	6,300
July	10,506	7,914	7,800	11,565	8,294	8,070	4,841	5,065	5,500
Aug.	9,219	6,804	6,525	10,374	7,454	7,400	4,012	3,959	4,200
Sept.	7,748	6,226	7,550	8,776	6,726	8,900	3,300	3,516	4,200
Oct.	7,186	6,273	7,100	8,244	6,698	8,300	2,930	3,310	3,750
Nov.	6,176	5,879	8,200	6,805	6,604	8,925	2,896	3,483	4,050
Dec.	6,987	6,578	8,000	7,775	7,378	8,750	3,418	3,960	4,350
Total	106,291	88,074	94,275	117,526	93,874	103,220	49,631	56,348	58,350

^{1/} Data for 1949-53 average and 1954 are enumerations; for 1955 are revised estimates.

Manufacturers' stocks of evaporated, sweetened condensed whole milk (case goods) and dry milk at end of month, United States, 1949-53 average, 1954 and 1955 1/ (In thousands of pounds)

Month	Evaporated whole milk			Sweetened cond. whole milk (case)			Nonfat-spray		
	1949-53 av.	1954	1955	1949-53 av.	1954	1955	1949-53 av.	1954	1955
Jan.	198,472	192,836	143,201	7,221	4,733	4,775	42,683	69,444	50,790
Feb.	145,505	127,681	104,537	8,171	4,784	4,569	43,132	74,931	53,871
Mar.	133,806	102,634	97,576	8,456	4,997	3,895	46,870	69,255	55,888
Apr.	166,138	127,708	135,214	8,152	5,373	5,783	51,605	66,324	72,650
May	286,848	231,456	261,402	8,474	5,242	5,523	71,303	79,891	102,239
June	403,456	320,487	357,514	9,535	5,010	5,570	85,350	85,553	115,876
July	449,696	381,143	412,888	7,720	4,723	6,457	86,546	72,045	109,732
Aug.	474,984	410,355	448,405	7,259	5,134	7,171	83,274	57,723	88,894
Sept.	472,856	410,170	427,570	7,104	4,762	5,482	71,045	44,288	75,303
Oct.	432,267	355,473	384,261	7,123	5,113	7,397	56,754	36,880	65,076
Nov.	358,845	290,624	274,432	7,726	4,934	7,556	49,543	35,319	61,896
Dec.	254,848	206,954	213,202	7,333	3,739	4,752	49,468	45,898	63,760

Month	Nonfat-roller			Total nonfat solids			Skim-animal feed		
	1949-53 av.	1954	1955	1949-53 av.	1954	1955	1949-53 av.	1954	1955
Jan.	13,143	12,083	6,489	55,826	81,527	57,279	1,307	1,052	545
Feb.	14,072	13,781	7,091	57,204	88,712	60,962	1,178	1,379	681
Mar.	17,277	16,256	9,675	64,147	85,511	65,563	1,576	1,277	682
Apr.	23,182	17,653	15,691	74,787	83,977	88,341	1,688	1,277	738
May	32,279	26,815	27,437	103,582	106,706	129,676	2,900	1,286	1,137
June	37,970	26,567	34,290	123,320	112,120	150,166	2,347	1,814	1,464
July	34,142	19,460	30,919	120,688	91,505	140,651	3,184	1,712	1,544
Aug.	29,450	13,861	28,075	112,724	71,584	116,969	2,885	1,561	1,563
Sept.	23,144	9,871	26,199	95,189	54,159	101,502	2,692	1,253	1,096
Oct.	18,004	6,924	22,772	74,758	43,804	87,848	2,205	896	1,090
Nov.	14,514	5,477	19,124	64,057	40,796	81,020	1,832	588	806
Dec.	13,497	5,352	17,003	62,965	51,250	80,763	1,576	568	1,119

Month	Dry whole-spray			Total dry whole milk			Dry buttermilk		
	1949-53 av.	1954	1955	1949-53 av.	1954	1955	1949-53 av.	1954	1955
Jan.	13,622	9,458	8,147	13,781	9,604	8,223	6,809	8,987	2,891
Feb.	12,337	8,465	6,578	12,452	8,510	6,712	7,014	8,795	3,483
Mar.	13,181	7,588	7,600	13,306	7,629	7,678	6,903	7,803	3,915
Apr.	13,401	8,635	7,400	13,527	8,692	7,477	7,979	8,837	4,412
May	15,285	10,331	8,970	15,458	10,433	9,067	9,354	9,256	5,185
June	17,167	11,930	10,659	17,310	11,956	10,773	10,003	6,779	5,325
July	18,226	12,865	12,200	18,414	12,910	12,281	10,476	6,637	5,398
Aug.	18,907	10,690	11,768	19,163	10,783	11,875	10,170	4,895	4,796
Sept.	17,854	9,582	10,837	18,014	9,624	10,998	9,390	3,944	4,089
Oct.	16,933	8,313	9,920	17,033	8,415	10,314	8,383	3,224	3,563
Nov.	14,609	8,438	10,515	14,752	8,615	10,687	7,656	2,867	3,651
Dec.	12,795	8,046	8,483	12,931	8,245	8,587	7,360	2,905	4,275

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Manufacturers' sales of dry milk products, United States, 1949-53 average, 1954 and 1955 ^{1/}
(In thousands of pounds)

Month	Spray-dried nonfat milk solids			Roller-dried nonfat milk solids			Dry whole milk		
	1949-53 av.	1954	1955	1949-53 av.	1954	1955	1949-53 av.	1954	1955
Jan.	43,614	70,749	58,887	12,899	13,697	10,160	8,844	5,291	5,702
Feb.	43,406	69,921	59,522	11,807	13,450	11,351	8,001	5,521	6,523
Mar.	54,334	100,264	76,960	15,304	19,053	11,790	8,954	5,601	5,829
Apr.	60,859	100,657	74,776	18,443	22,530	13,389	9,322	7,284	7,181
May	61,445	94,232	85,207	23,811	23,280	17,466	8,972	7,076	7,408
June	66,145	94,876	97,586	27,192	28,713	18,350	8,985	6,746	7,518
July	65,467	91,931	81,525	25,023	23,772	15,786	8,608	6,378	5,579
Aug.	55,448	74,700	72,965	19,610	15,147	11,376	8,414	8,137	7,689
Sept.	51,265	59,861	63,995	16,870	12,272	9,892	8,666	6,311	7,176
Oct.	45,380	54,211	60,669	13,521	10,412	9,480	7,692	6,446	7,311
Nov.	41,789	51,519	55,357	11,004	9,612	8,756	7,701	4,691	6,851
Dec.	44,018	54,537	62,735	11,860	10,285	8,397	8,088	7,540	9,492

Month	Dry buttermilk		
	1949-53 av.	1954	1955
Jan.	2,194	1,983	2,272
Feb.	2,135	2,824	2,250
Mar.	2,555	2,874	2,150
Apr.	2,602	3,276	2,696
May	2,814	4,283	3,057
June	3,345	4,624	3,479
July	3,181	2,615	3,197
Aug.	2,898	3,347	3,081
Sept.	2,635	2,539	3,197
Oct.	2,255	1,981	2,322
Nov.	2,076	1,967	2,025
Dec.	2,307	1,845	2,170

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