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Pennsylvania Ranks 7th in Lowfat Ice Cream Production

Ice Cream Production: Pennsylvania manufacturers produced 33.4 million gallons of full fat regular hard ice cream in 2007, down 6.0 percent from 2006. Lowfat ice cream production totaled 16.7 million gallons, up 4.2 percent from 2006. Pennsylvania ranks seventh in lowfat ice cream production. Milk sherbet production, at 1,121,000 gallons, increased 12.4 percent from 2006.

Butter Production: The state's 3 butter processors produced 70.5 million pounds of butter during 2007, down 2.3 percent from 2006.

Cheese Production: Production of all cheese, excluding cottage cheese, totaled 393.9 million pounds in 2007, up 4.3 percent from 2006. Production of all types of Italian cheeses increased 2.6 percent to 252.7 million pounds.

U.S. Cheese Output Up 1.8 Percent from Last Year

Total Cheese production, excluding cottage cheese, was 9.70 billion pounds, 1.8 percent above the 2006 production level. Wisconsin was the leading state with 25.3 percent of total production.

Production of **Butter** in the United States during 2007 totaled 1.53 billion pounds, 5.8 percent above what was produced in 2006. California, the leading state, accounted for 32.5 percent of this production, followed by Wisconsin with 24.3 percent.

Frozen Dairy Products: Regular ice cream production totaled 951 million gallons, down 3.2 percent from 2006. Lowfat ice cream, which checked in at 383 million gallons, was up 1.6 percent. Milk sherbet, at 62.7 million gallons, was up 6.1 percent from the previous year. Frozen yogurt production, at 60.7 million gallons, was down 8.0 percent from last year.



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Pennsylvania: Specified Dairy Products Manufactured, Monthly, 2005-2007

| Product | Year | Plants | Jan | Feb | Mar | Apr | May | Jun | Jul | Aug | Sep | Oct | Nov | Dec | Total |
|---|------|---------------|----------------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|---------|
| | | <i>Number</i> | <i>(000) Pounds</i> | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Butter | 2007 | 3 | 6,890 | 6,174 | 7,176 | 7,448 | 7,325 | 5,171 | 4,350 | 2,780 | 3,882 | 5,733 | 5,726 | 7,807 | 70,462 |
| | 2006 | 4 | 7,933 | 5,974 | 7,555 | 7,163 | 6,950 | 6,044 | 4,926 | 1,822 | 4,829 | 5,613 | 6,306 | 7,036 | 72,151 |
| | 2005 | 4 | 6,511 | 6,466 | 6,375 | 6,441 | 6,872 | 6,228 | 5,228 | 3,244 | 5,653 | 5,703 | 5,969 | 6,926 | 71,616 |
| Cheese, Italian, total | 2007 | 13 | 21,686 | 19,940 | 21,874 | 21,931 | 22,286 | 21,359 | 21,767 | 20,377 | 19,451 | 20,232 | 21,031 | 20,811 | 252,745 |
| | 2006 | 9 | 22,074 | 20,802 | 23,001 | 22,126 | 23,109 | 21,036 | 21,635 | 18,351 | 17,349 | 17,969 | 18,418 | 20,528 | 246,398 |
| | 2005 | 10 | 22,471 | 20,303 | 25,324 | 23,932 | 22,596 | 23,424 | 22,272 | 20,574 | 19,027 | 18,779 | 19,674 | 21,855 | 260,231 |
| Cheese, Italian, other total | 2007 | * | * | * | * | * | * | * | * | * | * | * | * | * | * |
| | 2006 | 8 | 2,797 | 2,477 | 3,083 | 2,920 | 3,827 | 2,702 | 2,656 | 2,907 | 2,393 | 2,444 | 3,267 | 2,950 | 34,423 |
| | 2005 | 9 | 3,488 | 3,223 | 5,021 | 4,499 | 4,320 | 4,598 | 3,359 | 4,272 | 3,230 | 3,066 | 2,948 | 2,950 | 44,974 |
| Cheese, total | 2007 | 33 | 31,688 | 29,235 | 34,068 | 32,105 | 33,795 | 32,092 | 33,531 | 32,387 | 32,095 | 33,982 | 34,610 | 34,277 | 393,865 |
| | 2006 | 23 | 31,802 | 29,362 | 35,284 | 32,731 | 34,088 | 31,627 | 31,579 | 29,788 | 28,939 | 29,492 | 30,923 | 31,925 | 377,540 |
| | 2005 | 21 | 31,086 | 28,966 | 37,096 | 31,787 | 33,737 | 34,915 | 32,747 | 33,440 | 32,148 | 32,412 | 32,314 | 34,355 | 395,003 |
| | | | <i>(000) Gallons</i> | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Ice cream, regular, hard | 2007 | 30 | 2,718 | 2,020 | 2,542 | 3,072 | 3,327 | 3,508 | 3,275 | 3,278 | 2,562 | 2,853 | 2,206 | 2,060 | 33,421 |
| | 2006 | 26 | 1,941 | 2,321 | 3,118 | 2,777 | 3,156 | 3,344 | 3,785 | 4,138 | 3,401 | 3,042 | 2,462 | 2,073 | 35,558 |
| | 2005 | 26 | 2,812 | 2,998 | 3,537 | 3,650 | 3,587 | 4,575 | 4,115 | 4,737 | 2,947 | 2,898 | 2,948 | 2,797 | 41,601 |
| Ice cream, lowfat, total ¹ | 2007 | - | 995 | 1,089 | 1,241 | 1,525 | 1,810 | 1,877 | 1,904 | 1,697 | 1,232 | 1,272 | 972 | 1,040 | 16,654 |
| | 2006 | - | 771 | 695 | 1,276 | 1,783 | 1,491 | 1,882 | 2,032 | 1,889 | 1,036 | 1,202 | 1,055 | 872 | 15,984 |
| | 2005 | - | 660 | 901 | 1,129 | 1,246 | 1,349 | 1,712 | 1,423 | 1,464 | 1,047 | 767 | 661 | 558 | 12,918 |
| Sherbet, hard | 2007 | - | 41 | 74 | 70 | 111 | 112 | 157 | 160 | 93 | 66 | 89 | 88 | 60 | 1,121 |
| | 2006 | - | 54 | 82 | 81 | 91 | 102 | 115 | 94 | 129 | 56 | 86 | 49 | 60 | 997 |
| | 2005 | - | 56 | 129 | 129 | 131 | 186 | 175 | 145 | 208 | 88 | 74 | 64 | 63 | 1,448 |
| Ice cream mix, regular | 2007 | 20 | 1,446 | 1,105 | 1,464 | 1,697 | 1,932 | 1,994 | 1,875 | 1,892 | 1,449 | 1,597 | 1,151 | 1,107 | 18,709 |
| | 2006 | 21 | 1,006 | 1,254 | 1,708 | 1,632 | 1,805 | 1,958 | 2,145 | 2,307 | 1,864 | 1,697 | 1,384 | 1,163 | 19,923 |
| | 2005 | 22 | 1,435 | 1,442 | 1,735 | 1,949 | 1,894 | 2,341 | 2,118 | 2,476 | 1,566 | 1,423 | 1,326 | 1,324 | 21,029 |
| Ice cream mix, lowfat, ² | 2007 | 12 | 316 | 345 | 423 | 502 | 651 | 636 | 646 | 481 | 432 | 404 | 312 | 333 | 5,481 |
| | 2006 | 13 | 216 | 207 | 367 | 482 | 432 | 525 | 562 | 528 | 304 | 319 | 278 | 248 | 4,468 |
| | 2005 | 16 | 193 | 242 | 320 | 353 | 370 | 471 | 410 | 404 | 290 | 208 | 170 | 158 | 3,589 |
| Sherbet mix | 2007 | 9 | 26 | 40 | 41 | 71 | 56 | 81 | 86 | 50 | 35 | 45 | 49 | 32 | 612 |
| | 2006 | 11 | 33 | 50 | 53 | 54 | 64 | 66 | 53 | 82 | 32 | 55 | 33 | 35 | 610 |
| | 2005 | 16 | 39 | 82 | 79 | 82 | 119 | 114 | 89 | 140 | 59 | 45 | 39 | 42 | 929 |

¹ Includes hard, soft-serve, and freezer-made milkshake. ² Includes milkshake mix. * Not disclosed.

