



## Annual Dairy Products

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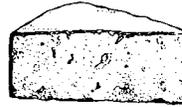
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### Pennsylvania Ranks 4<sup>th</sup> In Ice Cream Production

**Ice Cream Production Down 15 Percent:** Pennsylvania manufacturers produced 44.6 million gallons of ice cream in 2004, fourth nationally. Lowfat ice cream production totaled 13.9 million gallons, up 12 percent from 2003. Pennsylvania ranks ninth in lowfat ice cream production. Milk sherbet production, at 1.5 million gallons, is 7 percent higher than the previous year.



**Butter Production Decreases 3 Percent:** The state's processors churned out 60.3 million pounds of butter during 2004, a decrease of 3 percent from 2003.



**Cheese Production Up 2 Percent:** Production of all cheese, excluding cottage cheese, totaled 376.7 million pounds in 2004, up 2 percent from 2003.

Production of all types of Italian cheeses increased 3 percent to 249.5 million pounds.

### U.S. Cheese Output Up 3.7 Percent from Last Year

**Total Cheese** production, excluding cottage cheese, was 8.88 billion pounds, 3.7 percent above the 2003 production level. Wisconsin was the leading state again, with 26.5 percent of total production.

Production of **Butter** in the United States during 2004 totaled 1.25 billion pounds, 1 percent above what was produced in 2003. California, the leading state, accounted



for 31.1 percent of this production, followed by Wisconsin with 25.5 percent.

**Frozen Dairy Products:** Ice cream production totaled 944 million gallons, 5 percent lower than in 2003. Lowfat ice cream, which checked in at 415 million gallons, was up 4.3 percent; and milk sherbet, at 54.6 million gallons, was up 0.9 percent from the previous year. Frozen yogurt production, at 67.7 million gallons, dropped 3.9 percent.

## Pennsylvania: Specified Dairy Products Manufactured, Monthly, 2002-2004

Product	Year	Plants	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total
		Number													
			(000) Pounds												
Butter .....	2004	3	6,595	5,295	6,223	6,369	6,410	5,527	4,409	2,936	2,238	4,678	4,570	5,077	60,327
	2003	3	4,402	6,747	6,698	7,647	7,095	5,453	3,539	3,602	2,005	4,292	3,915	5,669	61,928
	2002	3	7,596	7,413	8,417	8,859	8,910	6,204	5,264	4,260	4,810	5,846	6,062	6,965	80,603
Cheese, Italian, total .....	2004	10	21,812	22,409	24,995	22,881	22,322	21,595	18,367	20,007	15,116	17,626	21,005	21,361	249,496
	2003	10	22,744	19,466	21,868	22,303	22,045	21,411	20,023	17,150	16,733	17,831	18,309	21,856	241,739
	2002	10	22,566	25,507	21,329	24,517	24,709	20,285	17,792	18,242	17,134	18,651	18,744	22,224	251,700
Cheese, Italian, other total .....	2004	9	3,526	4,369	5,017	4,545	4,126	3,983	3,817	4,340	2,517	3,094	4,302	3,249	46,885
	2003	9	4,542	3,772	4,662	4,625	4,074	4,236	4,453	3,388	3,489	4,269	2,999	4,555	49,064
	2002	9	3,737	4,261	3,337	5,429	4,362	3,755	2,187	4,475	3,844	4,075	4,310	3,670	47,442
Cheese, total .....	2004	18	30,797	31,334	35,626	32,910	31,693	31,892	28,102	30,364	28,604	29,319	33,752	32,337	376,730
	2003	18	31,915	27,704	31,648	33,145	30,855	32,071	31,410	27,261	28,434	30,309	29,694	34,499	368,945
	2002	19	30,857	33,166	31,725	33,757	35,378	31,316	27,717	28,489	27,742	30,751	29,973	33,180	374,051
			(000) Gallons												
Ice cream, total .....	2004	-	3,055	3,040	3,428	3,225	3,009	5,147	4,793	4,899	3,677	3,946	3,656	2,758	44,633
	2003	-	4,371	3,109	4,409	4,888	5,038	5,116	6,114	4,923	4,403	4,548	3,559	3,938	54,416
	2002	-	4,219	3,177	3,533	3,934	3,880	3,888	5,516	5,303	4,726	4,468	3,605	3,449	49,698
Ice cream, hard .....	2004	33	2,964	2,951	3,322	3,121	2,904	4,985	4,638	4,795	3,603	3,879	3,602	2,715	43,479
	2003	30	3,577	2,535	3,584	3,980	4,077	4,134	4,923	3,973	3,589	3,734	2,912	2,957	43,975
	2002	30	3,642	2,729	3,017	3,371	3,324	3,311	4,764	4,590	4,108	3,891	3,144	3,021	42,912
Ice cream, lowfat, total <sup>1</sup> .....	2004	-	694	840	1,198	1,314	1,417	1,659	1,739	1,448	1,114	912	883	717	13,935
	2003	-	1,028	903	1,198	1,423	1,421	1,728	1,578	1,701	1,140	700	538	503	13,861
	2002	-	1,068	1,056	1,604	1,547	1,452	1,780	1,859	1,612	1,361	1,109	897	894	16,239
Ice Cream, lowfat, soft .....	2004	-	597	687	1,037	1,127	1,206	1,385	1,386	1,138	856	665	642	541	11,267
	2003	-	834	764	1,105	1,234	1,234	1,469	1,398	1,410	975	529	400	400	11,752
	2002	-	833	861	1,393	1,311	1,284	1,516	1,585	1,380	1,120	902	751	724	13,660
Milk sherbet, total .....	2004	-	83	90	142	91	99	149	159	193	120	124	120	83	1,453
	2003	-	134	81	113	144	142	129	144	132	116	101	85	67	1,388
	2002	-	198	136	171	248	231	184	193	195	183	147	88	93	2,067
Ice cream, mix produced .....	2004	23	1,589	1,551	1,850	1,814	1,822	2,850	2,694	1,808	1,286	1,162	948	739	20,113
	2003	26	1,951	1,431	2,049	2,249	2,369	2,432	2,910	2,352	2,025	2,013	1,611	2,431	25,823
	2002	26	2,115	1,648	1,888	2,073	2,030	2,109	2,769	2,607	2,260	2,114	1,694	1,580	24,887
Ice cream, lowfat, mix produced <sup>2</sup> ..	2004	15	188	217	330	359	383	443	445	360	271	210	203	171	3,580
	2003	20	416	377	550	611	612	739	697	699	483	264	196	199	5,843
	2002	19	418	435	700	659	645	761	801	696	563	453	378	362	6,871
Milk sherbet, mix produced .....	2004	14	49	149	81	54	57	82	95	108	52	62	61	34	884
	2003	16	87	53	73	94	96	85	94	89	77	64	53	50	915
	2002	15	120	108	97	167	147	119	124	127	118	99	65	59	1,350

<sup>1</sup> Includes hard, soft-serve, and freezer-made milkshake. <sup>2</sup> Includes milkshake mix.