

**EQUINE,
SOUTH DAKOTA, 1997-1998**

YEAR	JAN 1 INVENTORY 1/	NUMBER SOLD	VALUE OF SALES
	- - - - 1,000 HEAD - - - -		1,000 DOLLARS
1997	74.0	10.0	11,000
1998	75.0	11.0	12,000

1/ FOLLOWING YEAR.

**MILK AND MILKFAT PRODUCTION AND MILK UTILIZATION,
SOUTH DAKOTA, 1998-2003**

YEAR	MILK COWS ON FARMS 1/	PRODUCTION PER MILK COW DURING YEAR		MILKFAT IN MILK PRODUCED	TOTAL PRODUCTION		DISPOSITION OF MILK		ANNUAL AVERAGE PRICE
		MILK	MILKFAT		MILK	MILKFAT	USED ON FARMS WHERE PRODUCED	MILK MARKETED	
	1,000 HEAD	--- POUNDS ---		PERCENT	----- MILLION POUNDS -----				DOL/CWT.
1998	99	14,000	517	3.69	1,386	51.1	13	1,373	15.50
1999	98	14,480	537	3.71	1,419	52.6	13	1,406	14.40
2000	95	15,516	574	3.70	1,474	54.5	13	1,461	12.80
2001	89	15,393	570	3.70	1,370	50.7	12	1,358	15.10
2002	86	14,988	561	3.74	1,289	48.2	11	1,278	12.80
2003	82	16,159	604	3.74	1,325	49.6	11	1,314	13.40

1/ AVERAGE NUMBER ON FARMS DURING YEAR.

**MILK PRODUCTION,
SOUTH DAKOTA, 1998-2003**

YEAR	JAN - MAR	APR - JUN	JUL - SEP	OCT - DEC	ANNUAL PRODUCTION
	----- MILLION POUNDS -----				
1998	346	355	345	340	1,386
1999	352	368	351	348	1,419
2000	365	378	369	362	1,474
2001	356	360	332	322	1,370
2002	333	333	311	312	1,289
2003	333	339	332	321	1,325

**MANUFACTURED CHEESE PRODUCTS,
SOUTH DAKOTA, 1998-2003**

YEAR	CHEESE (EXCLUDING COTTAGE CHEESE)			
	TOTAL (ALL TYPES)	AMERICAN TYPES	CHEDDAR CHEESE	OTHER AMERICAN 1/
	----- 1,000 POUNDS -----			
1998	136,889	55,697	43,230	12,467
1999	136,433	64,070	43,244	20,826
2000	147,641	73,572	52,646	20,926
2001	146,897	81,182	60,307	20,875
2002	155,664	77,151	49,473	27,678
2003	151,635	81,362	52,739	28,623

1/ INCLUDES COLBY, MONTEREY, AND JACK.