

Dry Whey - Central U.S.

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Dry whey prices slipped at all points this week. End users are finding deals in the high \$.50s and low \$.60s more commonly than in previous weeks. Internationally, Southeast Asian customers are finding competitive pricing points from European producers. Still, domestic whey powder availability is viewed as tight as producers look to meet a growth in demand for high-protein blends, which in some cases are sold out through June and into July. Animal feed whey prices slipped on the bottom of the range on slow trading activity. Dry whey market tones are uncertain.

Prices for: Central U.S., All First Sales, F.O.B., Conventional, and Non-Edible Dry Whey  
Price Range - Animal Feed; \$/LB: .5000 - .5600

Prices for: Central U.S., All First Sales, F.O.B., Extra Grade & Grade A, Conventional, and Edible Dry Whey

Price Range - Non-Hygroscopic; \$/LB: .5500 - .6600

Mostly Range - Non-Hygroscopic; \$/LB: .6050 - .6375

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DAIRY PRODUCTS REPORT - WHEY SUMMARY

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Dry Whey (Human) Production - States and United States

Region	Monthly Production (1000 pounds)			Percent Change from	
	APR 2020	MAR 2021	APR 2021	APR 2020	MAR 2021
United States	73,996	78,445	73,273	-1.0	-6.6
Atlantic	22,462	22,557	19,715	-12.2	-12.6
Central	31,560	41,122	35,023	11.0	-14.8
Wisconsin	21,705	30,747	23,879	10.0	-22.3
West	19,974	14,766	18,535	-7.2	25.5

Dry Whey - Cumulative Production January - April

Dry Whey	(1000 pounds)		Percent Change from
	2020	2021	2020
Total1	321,796	313,364	-2.6
Human2	314,794	308,851	-1.9

1. Excludes all modified dry whey products.

2. Values calculated from Dairy Products report data.

Manufacturers' stocks end of month3

Dry Whey	End of month stocks (1000 pounds)			Percent Change from	
	APR 2020	MAR 2021	APR 2021	APR 2020	MAR 2021
Human	76,014	62,759	59,636	-21.5	-5.0
Animal	1,022	946	829	-18.9	-12.4
Total	77,036	63,705	60,465	-21.5	-5.1

3. Stocks held by manufacturers at all points and in transit.

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