

# Sask<sup>♥</sup>milk

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# INDUSTRY UPDATES

| FOR                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  | CONTACT           | AT             |
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| Legislation<br>Orders<br>Policies<br>Program Development                                                                                                                                                                                                             | Ashley Egyedy     | (306) 535-1930 |
| Quota Exchange and Private Quota Transfers<br>Leases<br>Transfer Credits<br>Security Applications<br>Projections for production<br>Name Changes<br>Designation of Signing Authority<br>Monthly production numbers for producers                                      | Bev Solie         | (306) 721-9488 |
| Sponsorship Requests<br>Donation Requests<br>Dairyanna's Costume and Events<br>School Milk Program<br>Nutrition Resource Ordering<br>Social media enquiries (Twitter, Instagram, Facebook)<br>Promotional Items                                                      | Breann Eberle     | (306) 535-8890 |
| Website enquiries<br>Newsletter advertising<br>Sponsorship requests<br>Dairy Conference                                                                                                                                                                              | Cailyn Jones      | (306) 540-3639 |
| Trade agreements, international trade updates<br>Quota Issuance and Production                                                                                                                                                                                       | Chera Coates      | (306) 721-9485 |
| On Farm- licensing, facilities, equipment, driveways, yards, animal care<br>Milk pickups, communication of milk pickup delays or issues<br>Milk Transportation<br>Milk Graders- licensing, complaints/issues<br>Bulk tank calibrations<br>Environment and Regulatory | Chris Pinno       | (306) 537-2459 |
| Producer statements<br>Banking info for direct deposit of milk pay<br>Milk pick-up issues –variances in volumes, planning to quit shipping, etc.<br>SaskMilk Portal Assistance<br>Dairy Conference                                                                   | Jenn Buehler      | (306) 721-9492 |
| Website inquiries<br>Media or news stories or if you have been contacted by any media agency or reporter                                                                                                                                                             | Julie Ell         | (306) 519-3136 |
| General Inquiries<br>Portal Support<br>Information on registrations/details on SaskMilk producer events.                                                                                                                                                             | Michelle Belanger | (306) 721-9490 |
| On Farm- licensing, facilities, equipment, driveways, yards, animal care<br>Lab testing results<br>Pro Action- Food Safety (CQM), Animal Care, Traceability, Biosecurity, Environment<br>Extension services<br>Research enquires                                     | Tina Leverton     | (306) 570-4747 |

## Save the Date: 2026 Fall Producer Meetings

|                                                                           |                                                                                            |                                                                                           |
|---------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| October 26th - Warman<br>Brian King Centre<br>202 8th Ave N<br>Warman, SK | October 27th - Swift Current<br>F.O.E. Eagles<br>1910 S Service Rd. W<br>Swift Current, SK | October 28th - White City<br>White City Community Centre<br>12 Ramm Ave<br>White City, SK |
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## Save the Date: 2026 Sask Dairy Conference & AGM Registration Coming Soon

November 9th & 10th - Saskatoon  
Saskatoon Inn & Conference Centre  
2002 Airport Dr.  
Saskatoon SK

## SaskMilk Summer Activities

SaskMilk has been busy this summer at a variety of local events! We have had a ton of fun connecting with the community and providing dairy products to event attendees and community groups. Through the summer, we have been all over Saskatchewan and recently wrapped up our activations at the Queen City and Saskatoon Ex! Please see page 10 for photos!

| SASKATCHEWAN MILK POOL RESULTS<br>JULY 2026 |                 | WEIGHTED AVERAGE COMPONENT TESTS & PRICES<br>JULY 2026 |              |                                    |
|---------------------------------------------|-----------------|--------------------------------------------------------|--------------|------------------------------------|
| Revenue                                     | \$25,347,669.03 | COMPONENTS                                             | AVERAGE TEST | PRICE PER KILOGRAM<br>CLASS 1 TO 5 |
| WMP Revenue<br>(expense)                    | \$(318,727.67)  | Butterfat                                              | 4.2423       | \$16.143345                        |
| Total Pool                                  | \$25,028,941.36 | Protein                                                | 3.2625       | \$7.496978                         |
|                                             |                 | Other Solids                                           | 5.9360       | \$0.824085                         |

The average butterfat price received per kilogram was \$23.06

# AUGUST 2026

## QUOTA EXCHANGE

The next Quota Exchange will be held on **September 15, 2026**. All offers to sell and bids to purchase quota through the Quota Exchange must be submitted by midnight, **September 6, 2026**. SaskMilk recommends that offers and bids be submitted well in advance of the deadline date to ensure adequate time for corrections, if necessary.

When making bids on the Quota Exchange, the price on offers to sell quota is the minimum price that the producer is prepared to accept for that quota. Only if the market-clearing price is equal to or greater than the producer's minimum price will that producer qualify for participation in the Exchange.

Conversely, the price on offers to purchase quota is the maximum price that the producer is prepared to pay for that quota. Only if the market-clearing price is equal to or less than the producer's maximum price will that producer qualify for participation in the Exchange.

The clearing price is set at the price where the smallest difference exists between the accumulated volume offered for sale and the accumulated volume bid to purchase. The results of the Quota Exchange are outlined in the following table.

| AUGUST 2026 QUOTA EXCHANGE RESULTS              |             |
|-------------------------------------------------|-------------|
| Market Clearing Price per kilogram of butterfat | \$46,000.00 |
| Daily Kilograms offered to Purchase             | 30.00       |
| Kilograms offered to Sell                       | 70.44       |
| Kilograms sold                                  | 2.45        |
| Number of Producers                             |             |
| - offered to purchase                           | 3           |
| - purchased quota                               | 3           |
| - offered to sell                               | 4           |
| - sold quota                                    | 2           |

The market-clearing price established for the August 2026 Quota Exchange was \$46,000.00

| QUOTA EXCHANGE CLEARING PRICE RESULTS |                |                    |                                 |                  |                                            |                      |                                    |                    |               |
|---------------------------------------|----------------|--------------------|---------------------------------|------------------|--------------------------------------------|----------------------|------------------------------------|--------------------|---------------|
| Price (\$/daily kg b.f.)              | No. of Sellers | Cumulative sellers | Daily Kgs b.f. offered for sale | Cumulative sales | Cumulative Sales less Cumulative purchases | Cumulative purchases | Daily Kgs b.f. offered to purchase | Cumulative bidders | No. of buyers |
| \$42,300.00                           | 1              | 1                  | 0.25                            | 0.25             | -29.75                                     | 30.00                | 0.00                               | 3                  | 0             |
| \$46,000.00                           | 1              | 2                  | 2.20                            | 2.45             | -27.55                                     | 30.00                | 0.00                               | 3                  | 0             |
| \$47,000.00                           | 2              | 4                  | 67.99                           | 70.44            | 40.44                                      | 30.00                | 0.00                               | 3                  | 0             |
| \$47,011.00                           | 0              | 4                  | 0.00                            | 70.44            | 40.44                                      | 30.00                | 10.00                              | 3                  | 1             |
| \$47,055.00                           | 0              | 4                  | 0.00                            | 70.44            | 50.44                                      | 20.00                | 10.00                              | 2                  | 1             |
| \$47,110.00                           | 0              | 4                  | 0.00                            | 70.44            | 60.44                                      | 10.00                | 10.00                              | 1                  | 1             |
|                                       |                |                    |                                 |                  |                                            |                      |                                    |                    |               |
|                                       |                |                    |                                 |                  |                                            |                      |                                    |                    |               |
|                                       |                |                    |                                 |                  |                                            |                      |                                    |                    |               |
|                                       |                |                    |                                 |                  |                                            |                      |                                    |                    |               |
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|                                       |                |                    |                                 |                  |                                            |                      |                                    |                    |               |

Please contact Bev Solie at 306-949-6999 for inquiries dealing with quota management sheets, the Quota Exchange, for transfer credits, or with any other quota transactions.



| LOST OPPORTUNITY REPORT |                |                                     |
|-------------------------|----------------|-------------------------------------|
| MONTH                   | # OF PRODUCERS | LOST OPPORTUNITY (KGS OF BUTTERFAT) |
| July 2025               | 1              | 209                                 |
| August 2025             | 1              | 54                                  |
| September 2025          | 1              | 655                                 |
| October 2025            | 12             | 488                                 |
| November 2025           | 2              | 217                                 |
| December 2025           | 2              | 404                                 |
| January 2026            | 3              | 614                                 |
| February 2026           | 2              | 142                                 |
| March 2026              | 1              | 161                                 |
| April 2026              | 1              | 21                                  |
| May 2026                | 1              | 5                                   |
| June 2026               | 0              | 0                                   |
| July 2026               | 0              | 0                                   |

| TRANSFER CREDIT SUMMARY REPORT |                            |                             |                        |
|--------------------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------------|------------------------|
| MONTH                          | # OF PRODUCERS TRANSFER IN | # OF PRODUCERS TRANSFER OUT | TOTAL KGS OF BUTTERFAT |
| July 2025                      | 24                         | 24                          | 21,814.00              |
| August 2025                    | 29                         | 29                          | 46,008.00              |
| September 2025                 | 24                         | 24                          | 27,690.00              |
| October 2025                   | 33                         | 33                          | 36,484.00              |
| November 2025                  | 30                         | 31                          | 31,435.00              |
| December 2025                  | 14                         | 14                          | 8,421.00               |
| January 2026                   | 21                         | 21                          | 18,275.00              |
| February 2026                  | 18                         | 18                          | 17,301.00              |
| March 2026                     | 17                         | 17                          | 13,091.00              |
| April 2026                     | 8                          | 8                           | 7,430.00               |
| April 2026                     | 8                          | 8                           | 7,430.00               |
| June 2026                      | 11                         | 11                          | 7,093.00               |
| July 2026                      | 11                         | 11                          | 13,645.00              |

| PRIVATE TRANSFERS PROCESSED |                 |
|-----------------------------|-----------------|
| MONTH                       | DAILY KILOGRAMS |
| July 2025                   | 0.00            |
| August 2025                 | 0.00            |
| September 2025              | 14.30           |
| October 2025                | 0.00            |
| November 2025               | 0.00            |
| December 2025               | 0.00            |
| January 2026                | 0.00            |
| February 2026               | 0.00            |
| March 2026                  | 0.00            |
| April 2026                  | 0.00            |
| May 2026                    | 240.00          |
| June 2026                   | 0.00            |
| July 2026                   | 0.00            |

| OVER QUOTA (OVER 5 DAYS) REPORT BY MONTH |                |               |
|------------------------------------------|----------------|---------------|
| MONTH                                    | # OF PRODUCERS | KGS BUTTERFAT |
| July 2025                                | 0              | 0             |
| August 2025                              | 1              | 44            |
| September 2025                           | 5              | 97            |
| October 2025                             | 3              | 102           |
| November 2025                            | 8              | 1,103         |
| December 2025                            | 4              | 1,700         |
| January 2026                             | 8              | 884           |
| February 2026                            | 10             | 1,166         |
| March 2026                               | 10             | 758           |
| April 2026                               | 11             | 575           |
| May 2026                                 | 6              | 443           |
| June 2026                                | 9              | 421           |
| July 2026                                | 5              | 147           |

| JULY SUMMARY REPORT OF CREDITS - 139 PRODUCERS |                |                                                 |
|------------------------------------------------|----------------|-------------------------------------------------|
| DAYS                                           | # OF PRODUCERS | POSITIVE CREDITS ACCUMULATED (KGS OF BUTTERFAT) |
| + 5                                            | 5              | 3,158.80                                        |
| 0 to + 5                                       | 61             | 38,701.84                                       |
| TOTAL                                          | 66             | 41,860.64                                       |
| DAYS                                           | # OF PRODUCERS | NEGATIVE CREDITS ACCUMULATED (KGS OF BUTTERFAT) |
| 0 to -5                                        | 32             | -16,949.60                                      |
| -5 to -10                                      | 27             | -66,016.51                                      |
| -10 to -15                                     | 14             | -34,216.22                                      |
| -15                                            | 0              | 0                                               |
| TOTAL                                          | 73             | -117182.33                                      |

| Test stations are located at the following locations: |                                                        |                                    |                                     |
|-------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| Location                                              | Address                                                | Hours                              | Contact                             |
| Saputo                                                | 122 Wakooma Street, Saskatoon, SK                      | Monday to Friday 8:00 am - 4:00 pm | N/A                                 |
|                                                       |                                                        |                                    |                                     |
| Warman Veterinary Services                            | 86 Great Plains Rd, 100A Crystal Springs Dr, Warman SK | After Hours                        | Ph: 306-347-9995                    |
|                                                       |                                                        |                                    |                                     |
| Star City Colony                                      |                                                        | After Hours                        | Ruben Tschetter<br>Ph: 306-921-9381 |
|                                                       |                                                        |                                    |                                     |

# SK Production Update

|        | (1)<br>Monthly Total<br>Production<br><br>Kgs of bf | (2)<br>Total Monthly CDC<br>Quota Allocation<br><br>Kgs bf | (3)<br>Monthly Over or<br>(Under) Production<br><br>Kgs bf<br><br>col. 1 – 2 = 3 | (4)<br>Lower Flexibility<br>Limit<br>-2.00%<br><br>Kgs bf<br><br>col. 8 * -1.5% | (5)<br>Upper Flexibility Limit<br>1.25%<br><br>Kgs bf<br><br>col. 8 *1.0% | (6)<br>Cumulative Over or<br>(Under) Production<br>with limits<br><br>Kgs bf | (7)<br>Cumulative Over or<br>(Under) Production<br>with limits<br>( %)<br><br>col. 6 / 8 | (8)<br>Rolling 12 Month Total<br>Quota<br><br>Kgs bf |
|--------|-----------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------|
| Jun-25 | 1,112,264                                           | 1,012,081                                                  | 100,183                                                                          | -263,400                                                                        | 164,625                                                                   | 1,213,647                                                                    | 9.22%                                                                                    | 13,170,000                                           |
| Jul-25 | 1,158,182                                           | 1,011,808                                                  | 146,374                                                                          | -262,944                                                                        | 164,340                                                                   | 1,360,021                                                                    | 10.34%                                                                                   | 13,147,185                                           |
| Aug-25 | 1,165,184                                           | 1,154,985                                                  | 10,199                                                                           | -266,231                                                                        | 166,394                                                                   | 1,220,969                                                                    | 9.17%                                                                                    | 13,311,549                                           |
| Sep-25 | 1,136,548                                           | 1,194,114                                                  | (57,566)                                                                         | -267,713                                                                        | 167,321                                                                   | 1,163,403                                                                    | 8.69%                                                                                    | 13,385,673                                           |
| Oct-25 | 1,185,500                                           | 1,205,883                                                  | (20,383)                                                                         | -267,293                                                                        | 167,058                                                                   | 1,143,020                                                                    | 8.55%                                                                                    | 13,364,644                                           |
| Nov-25 | 1,145,433                                           | 1,199,932                                                  | (54,499)                                                                         | -269,200                                                                        | 168,250                                                                   | 1,088,521                                                                    | 8.09%                                                                                    | 13,460,010                                           |
| Dec-25 | 1,171,770                                           | 1,143,106                                                  | 28,664                                                                           | -269,771                                                                        | 168,607                                                                   | 1,117,185                                                                    | 8.28%                                                                                    | 13,488,525                                           |
| Jan-26 | 1,164,659                                           | 1,019,560                                                  | 145,099                                                                          | -269,120                                                                        | 168,200                                                                   | 1,262,284                                                                    | 9.38%                                                                                    | 13,455,981                                           |
| Feb-26 | 1,045,416                                           | 1,044,562                                                  | 854                                                                              | -271,245                                                                        | 169,528                                                                   | 1,263,138                                                                    | 9.31%                                                                                    | 13,562,234                                           |
| Mar-26 | 1,139,140                                           | 1,254,862                                                  | (115,722)                                                                        | -273,670                                                                        | 171,044                                                                   | 1,147,416                                                                    | 8.39%                                                                                    | 13,683,512                                           |
| Apr-26 | 1,091,083                                           | 1,059,188                                                  | 31,895                                                                           | -272,937                                                                        | 170,585                                                                   | 1,179,311                                                                    | 8.64%                                                                                    | 13,646,829                                           |
| May-26 | 1,115,459                                           | 1,112,363                                                  | 3,096                                                                            | -271,234                                                                        | 169,521                                                                   | 1,182,407                                                                    | 8.72%                                                                                    | 13,561,695                                           |
| Jun-26 | 1,073,085                                           | 1,099,391                                                  | -26,306                                                                          | -272,980                                                                        | 170,613                                                                   | 1,156,101                                                                    | 8.47%                                                                                    | 13,649,005                                           |

In June, Saskatchewan had a monthly CDC allocation of 1,099,391 kilograms of butterfat. Saskatchewan production was 26,306 kgs of butterfat under and cumulatively over by 1,156,101 kgs of butterfat. On a percentage basis, Saskatchewan is 8.47% above our CDC allocation flexibility limits based on the Continuous Quota model. The -2.00% lower flexibility limit is in effect.

- (1) Monthly Production in Saskatchewan
- (2) Total Monthly Quota = Class 1 sales + Monthly MSQ + Carry Forward
- (3) Difference between the monthly production (1) and the total monthly quota (2)
- (4) The Lower Flexibility Limit is -2.00% of Rolling 12 Month Total Quota (9)
- (5) The Upper Flexibility Limit is 1.25% of Rolling 12 Month Total Quota (9)
- (6) Previous Month Cumulative Over or (Under) Production + Current Monthly Over or (Under) Production (capped at lower or upper limit if applicable)
- (7) Equal to Column (6) expressed as a percentage basis within the flexibility limits
- (8) Total Monthly CDC Quota Allocation for the previous 12 months





*In the Community*



# DFC UPDATE



## Every voice counts! Let's ensure the government hears our message.

The August 19 tariff deadline is coming up quickly. Now is the time to clearly tell decision-makers how important it is that no more dairy concessions be granted in negotiations.

Visit [OurCountryOurMilk.ca](https://OurCountryOurMilk.ca) to send your letter today, and share the site with family, friends and colleagues. Every email matters!

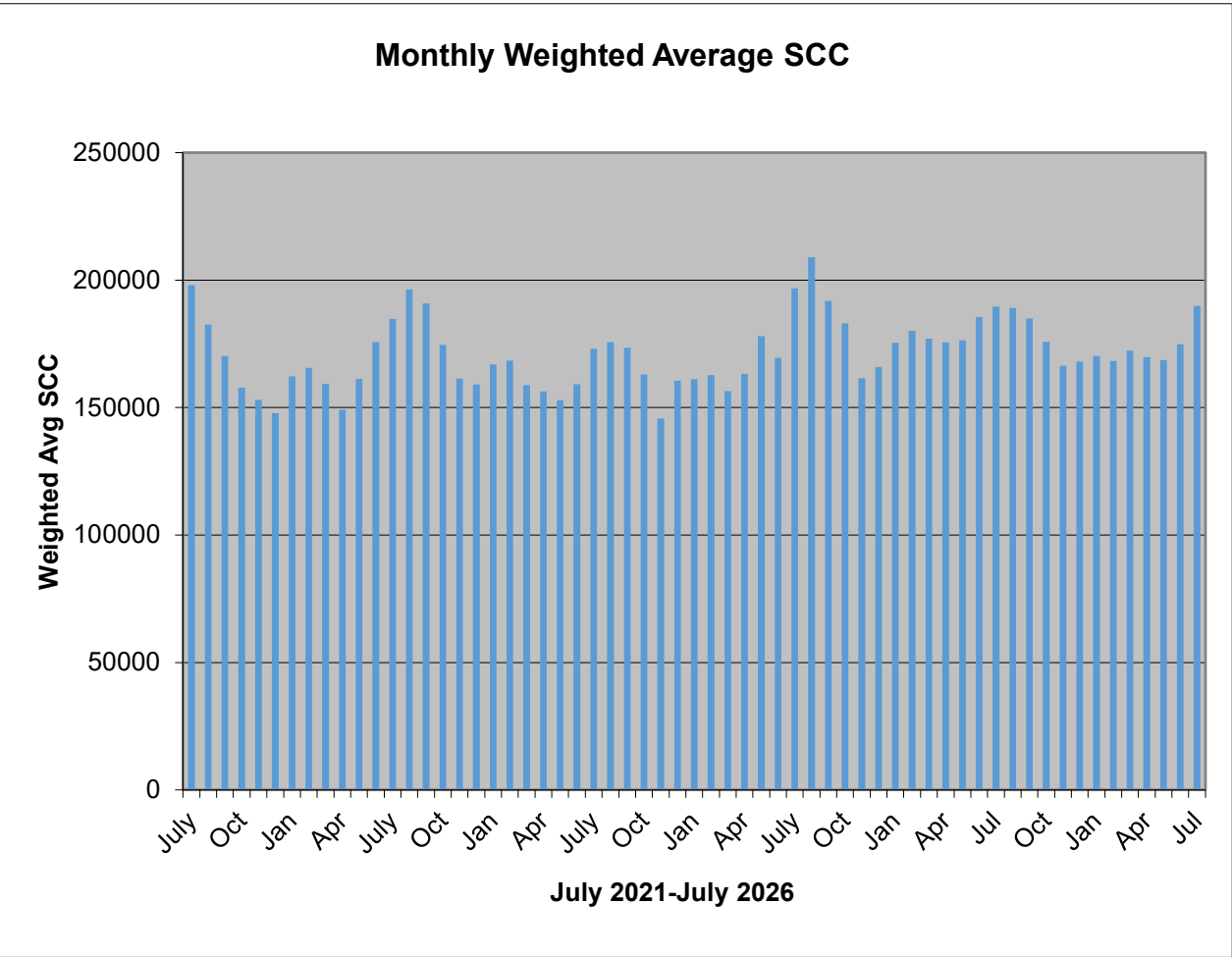
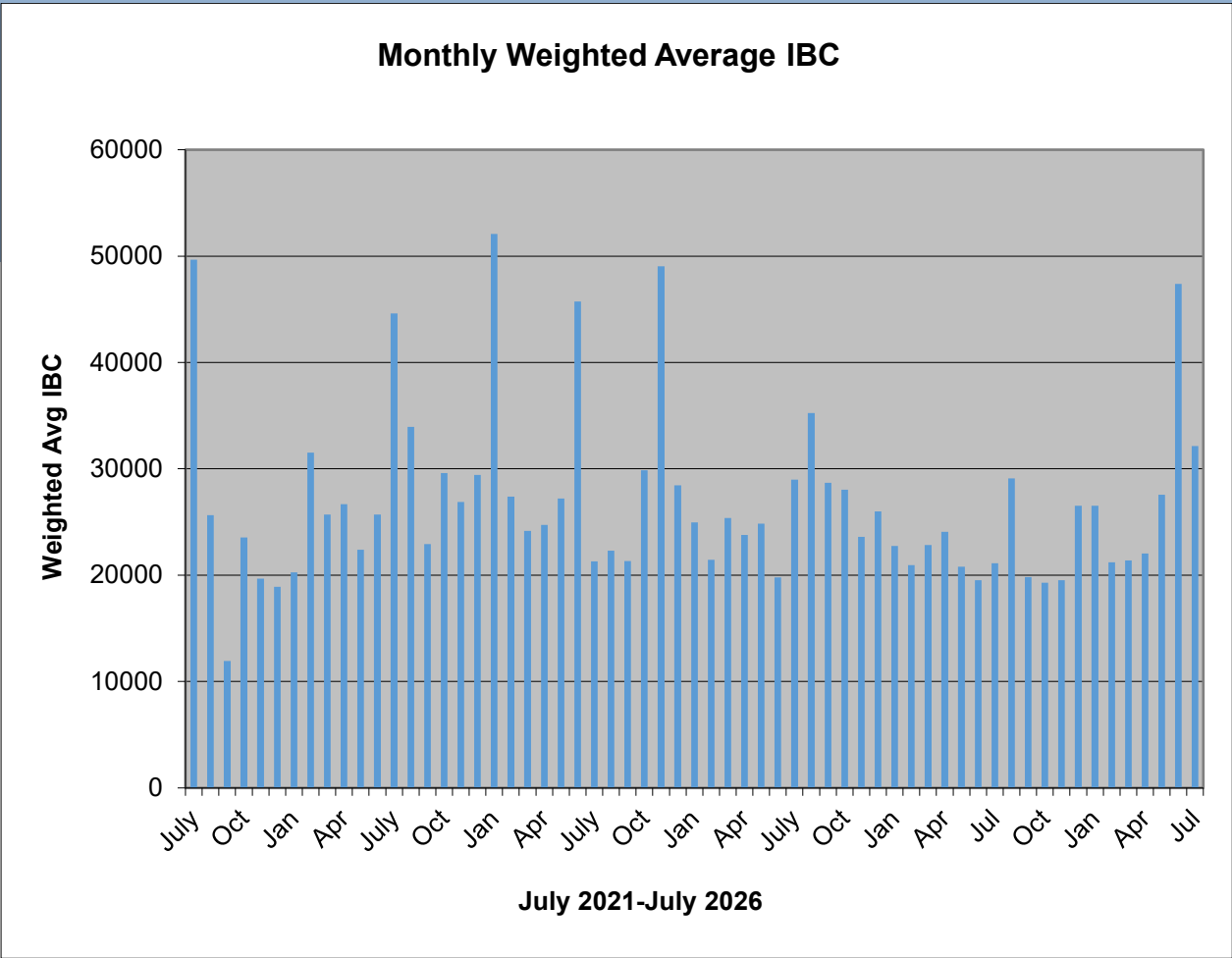
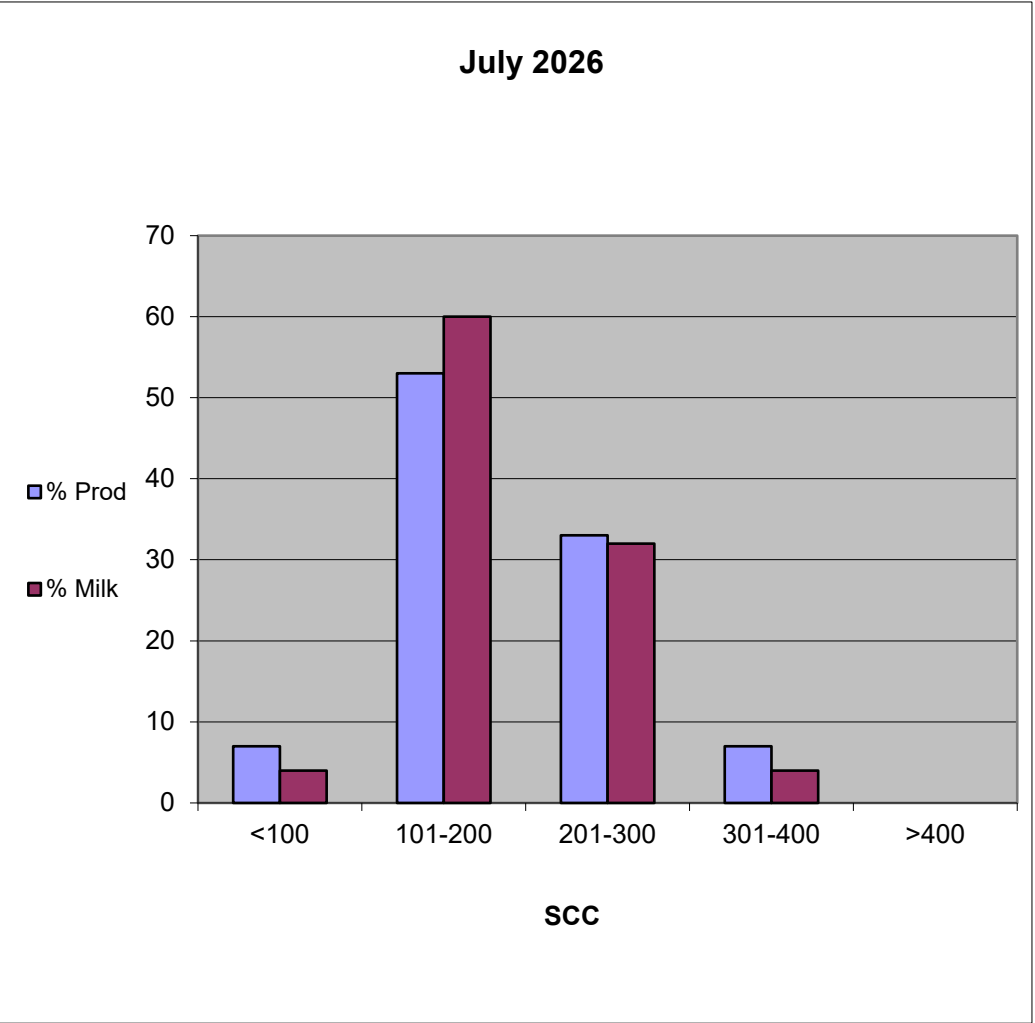
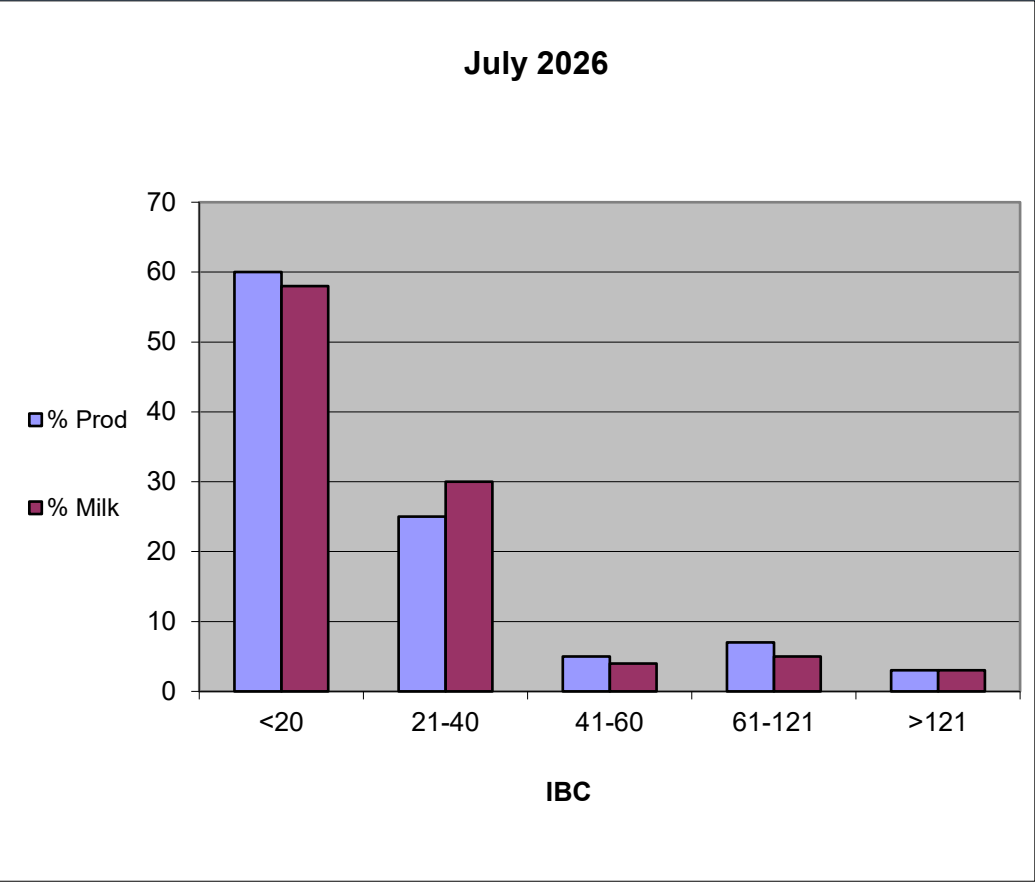
You can share the letter directly using this link ([OurCountryOurMilk.ca](https://OurCountryOurMilk.ca)) or promote it using the following social media links:

- [Facebook](#)
- [LinkedIn](#)
- [Instagram](#)
- [TikTok](#)

If you've signed and shared the letter, thank you! Tens of thousands of Canadians are standing with you, too. DFC and the provincial associations are working hard to build on this public support.

**Together, we can send a strong message: protect and defend supply management.**

# SK Quality Milk





# Quality Bonus

To get the quality bonus producers must have:  
Monthly Average:  
IBC - <= 30,000/ ml  
SCC- <= 250,000/ml  
FPt- lower than -0.525°Hortvet  
No positive inhibitors

## CLASSIFIED ADS

SaskMilk offers a free classifieds service as part of its newsletter. Anyone wishing to place an ad is welcome to contact the SaskMilk office at (306) 949-6999 or info@saskmilk.ca. All negotiations will be independent of SaskMilk. Please note that ads will be posted in two issues and will then be removed unless SaskMilk is notified otherwise.

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### Reminder!

The deadline date for Quota Transfer, Quota Exchange, and 10% Transfer Limit Exemptions is the 6th of each month  
Your Quota Transfer, and 10% Exemption Applications must be received on or before the 6th of the month in order to be effective the 1st of the following month  
Quota Exchange forms must be received in the SaskMilk office on or before the 6th of the month for that month's Exchange.

