

## 2024 DAIRY FACTS

# Mississippi



The **TOTAL** amount of milk produced in 2023 equaled **8.9 million gallons**



Mississippi is home to about **6,000 dairy cows** — producing an average of — **4.7 gallons of milk per day.**



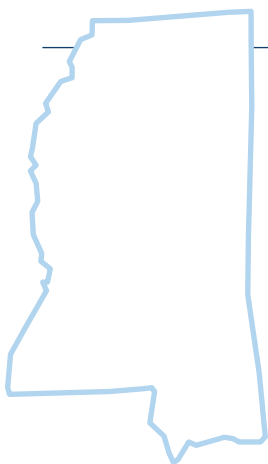
Mississippi has **48 dairy farms**

and a typical dairy farm has a herd of about **150 milking cows.**

The average value of a day's milk per cow was about

**\$9**

In 2023, a dairy cow in Mississippi cost about **\$1,540.**



The **TOP THREE** milk-producing counties in Mississippi

1. Copiah
2. Marion
3. Walthall



The most consumed dairy product in Mississippi is

**cheese**

followed closely by ice cream.

