

## Milk Price February 2023

Co-op	A (€/kg protein)	B (€/kg fat)	C (c/L) (volume adjusted)	Maximum attainable (c/L) Ireland 3.3% protein 3.6% fat Total including VAT	Bonuses (c/L) included in Maximum Attainable Price	Price (c/L) Ireland		Price (c/L) Europe  3.4% protein 4.2% fat Total including VAT
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<b>Arrabawn</b>	9.11	4.50	3.35	48.18	1.50 + 0.21	46.47	↓	50.37
<b>Aurivo</b>	8.05	5.41	3.81	48.98	0.22 + 3	43.59	↓	50.15
<b>Bandon</b>	8.48	5.65	4.00	49.97	1 + 0.93	48.05	↓	52.63
<b>Barryroe</b>	8.48	5.65	4.00	49.96	1 + 0.93	48.04	↓	52.62
<b>Boherbue</b>	8.01	5.34	4.00	45.16		45.16	↓	49.49
<b>Dairygold</b>	8,24	5.03	4.00	48.10	2.1+.78+.41	44.79	↓	48.95
<b>Drinagh</b>	8.42	5.62	3.55	50.10	1 + 0.92	48.18	↓	52.73
<b>Tirlán</b>	7.85	3.93	4.00	49.08	6.5 + 0.5 + 3	39.08	↓	42.47
<b>Kerry Group</b>	7.82	5.21	4.00	44.53	0.42 + 0.11	44.00	↓	48.23
<b>Lakelands</b>	8.83	4.50	3.50	53.81	1.46 + 5 + 2	45.35	↓	49.22
<b>Lisavaird</b>	8.42	5.62	3.70	49.94	1 + 0.92	48.02	↓	52.58
<b>North Cork</b>	8.10	4.86	4.00	45.94	0.21 + 2.1	43.63	↓	47.66
<b>Strathroy</b>	9.46	4.99	4.00	49.50	0.52	48.97	↓	52.23
<b>Tipperary</b>	7.98	5.32	4.00	48.62	0.25 + 3.16	45.21	↓	49.28

### Explanatory notes:

- All bonus and penalty payments are based on manufacturing milk.
- Arrabawn pay a 0.2c/l (ex VAT) bonus on all milk with an SCC less than 200,000.
- Arrabawn paid an input support payment in January of 1.422cpl (ex VAT)
- Aurivo have a milk storage bonus which is available to suppliers with a minimum annual supply of 160,000L that have enough refrigerated storage capacity to cover seven milking's at peak production. The storage bonus of 0.44cpl was taken from the "C" from September 2021. "C" is 3.813.
- Aurivo have a 0.21c/L (ex VAT) protein bonus available for every 0.05% protein achieved, above the co-op average protein %, in an individual month.
- Aurivo are paying a 2.85cpl (ex VAT) early calving bonus on all milk supplied in February.
- Carbery Group pay a bonus of 0.5c/L (ex VAT) from March to October and a 0.88c/L (ex VAT) bonus from November to February to suppliers who achieve a somatic cell count (SCC) of less than 200,000.
- In September 2022, Carbery began to pay out a sustainability bonus of 0.5c per litre to farmers who have committed to Carbery's FutureProof program. The is 1cpl for 2023 and is paid on all milk supplied by farmers who have signed a sustainability pledge and complete three actions.
- Dairygold apply no penalties to total bacteria counts (TBCs) of less than 75,001 in the months of January, February, November, and December. Penalties will apply to TBCs more than 75,000 in those months.
- Dairygold have a maximum bonus attainable by farmers who achieve the minimum requirements for six criteria (TBC, thermoduric, sediment, SCC, lactose and inhibitors); This cumulatively amounts to 0.4c/l (ex VAT) .
- Dairygold have a 0.75c/L Grassroots Sustainability Bonus Payment for Water Quality, Protected Urea, Soil Health, Education, Milk Recording, Herd Health and SDAS;
- Dairygold have also pay 2cpl (incl VAT) early calving bonus for February.

- Lakeland Dairies are paying 1.422c/l (ex VAT) Input Support Payment for February.
- Lakelands pays a 4.75/L (ex VAT) bonus if more than 45% of May milk production was supplied in February.
- Lakelands pays a 1.9/L (ex VAT) early calving bonus on all milk supplied in February.
- Kerry pays 0.4c/l (ex VAT) bonus on all milk with an SCC less than 200,000 and 0.1c/l (ex VAT) for SDAS.
- North Cork pay 0.2cpl (ex VAT) bonus on all milk with an SCC of less than 200,000.
- North Cork are paying 2c/l (ex VAT) bonus on all milk incl. Fixed Price Contracts for February
- Strathroy pay 0.25c/l (ex VAT) bonus on all milk with an SCC of less than 200,000. Strathroy also pay 0.25c/l (ex VAT) bonus on all milk with an TBC of less than 10,000.
- Tipperary pay a bonus of 0.25c/l (ex VAT) on all milk with an SCC less than 250,000.
- Tipperary pay a 3c/L (ex VAT) unconditional seasonality bonus for February.
- Tirlán are paying an Agri Input Price payment of 6.16c/l (ex Vat) on all milk for February including Fixed Milk Contracts.
- Tirlán are paying a Sustainability Action Payment of 0.47 cpl (ex VAT) for February.
- Tirlán pay an unconditional 2.85cpl (ex VAT) seasonality bonus for February.