

DAIRY COMMODITY PRICES

<i>Source: DairyCo</i>	Apr-12	Mar-12	Apr-11
AMPE (p/litre)	22.3	24.2	32.0
MCVE (p/litre)	31.20	31.54	32.10
SMP (£/t)	1,700	1,800	2,200
Butter (£/t)	2,200	2,400	3,250
Mild Cheddar (£/t)	2,925	2,925	2,900
Cream (£/t)	840	1,080	1,500
	May-12	Apr-12	May-11
Dairy farmer numbers (England & Wales)	10,724	10,724	10,896
	Apr-12	Mar-12	Apr-11
Deliveries to dairies (million litres)	1,203	1,198	1,191
	Mar-12	Feb-12	Mar-11
DEFRA farmgate milk price (p/litre)	28.62	28.89	26.56