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CAD \$3.1B

MARKET SIZE 2026

5.7M

COWS IN 1950

133.3

FAO INDEX AUG 2026

5.29B lb

US YOGURT OUTPUT,
2025

ABOUT THIS DOSSIER

Food & Nutrition: statistics and facts

Every Business Stats report on Food & Nutrition in one place: 10 reports, from Yogurt (3 reports) and Dairy (2 reports).

The reports put numbers on it, for example 5.29B lb (US Yogurt Output, 2025), 5.7M (Cows in 1950), 133.3 (FAO Index Aug 2026) and 10.2g (Protein per 100 g, Nonfat Greek).

Freshly updated: Yogurt Statistics 2026: US Output Hits Record 5.29B lb and Germany Dairy Cow Numbers 1950-2026: 5.7M to 3.6M. Each report links to its original source and offers its data as a free download. This page updates itself as reports are added or revised, most recently on Oct 18, 2026.

KEY FIGURES AT A GLANCE

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CAD \$3.1B	Market Size 2026	Yogurt Market in Canada: Statistics & Facts 2026
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133.3	FAO Index Aug 2026	Food Inflation 2026: World Food Prices Highest Since 2022
5.29B lb	US Yogurt Output, 2025	Yogurt Statistics 2026: US Output Hits Record 5.29B lb
10.2g	Protein per 100 g, Nonfat Greek	Greek Yogurt Statistics 2026: 10.2g Protein, 1.8x Regular
982Mt	World Milk 2024	Global Dairy Industry 2026: 982M Tonnes and Top Players



4.9M

Under-5 Deaths 2024

Child Health Stats 2026: 4.9M Under-5 Deaths, 150M Stunted

26M t

Cheese Made 2024

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Yogurt

3 reports

1.1

Yogurt Market in Canada: Statistics & Facts 2026

Updated Jun 29, 2026

CAD \$3.1B

MARKET SIZE 2026

4.2%

CAGR 2024-2029

38%

GREEK YOGURT SHARE

13.5 kg

PER CAPITA / YEAR

28%

DANONE MARKET SHARE

11.2%

PLANT-BASED CAGR

Quebec eats 16.8 kg/yr. Chobani grabbed 15% in just 8 years. Private label hit a record 18%. Plant-based growing 3× faster. Full \$3.1B breakdown inside

Full report with charts and data: businessstats.com/yogurt-market-in-canada

1.2

Yogurt Statistics 2026: US Output Hits Record 5.29B lb

Updated Oct 12, 2026

5.29B lb

US YOGURT OUTPUT, 2025

+5.4%

JANUARY TO AUGUST 2026

154

YOGURT PLANTS, 2025

14.5 lb

EATEN PER PERSON, 2024

\$1.58

PRICE PER 8 OZ, AUG 2026

2 cups

WEEKLY AMOUNT IN FDA CLAIM

US plants made a record 5.29 billion lb of yogurt in 2025, and output is up 5.4% in 2026. USDA data on demand, prices, nutrition, brands and the FDA claim.

Full report with charts and data: businessstats.com/yogurt



1.3

Greek Yogurt Statistics 2026: 10.2g Protein, 1.8x Regular

Updated Oct 6, 2026

10.2g

PROTEIN PER 100 G, NONFAT GREEK

46.3%

GREEK SHARE OF SPOONABLE, 2021

5.29B lb

US YOGURT OUTPUT 2025

14.5 lb

YOGURT PER PERSON 2024

1.12B lb

NEW YORK OUTPUT 2025

\$1.2B

CHOBANI ROME NY PLANT

Greek yogurt has 10.2 g of protein per 100 g, almost twice regular yogurt. US output hit 5.29 billion pounds in 2025. Nutrition, makers and market share.

Full report with charts and data: businessstats.com/greek-yogurt



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Dairy

2 reports

2.1

Germany Dairy Cow Numbers 1950-2026: 5.7M to 3.6M

Updated Sep 21, 2026

5.7M

COWS IN 1950

3.6M

COWS IN 2026

-16%

COWS, LAST DECADE

8,500kg

MILK PER COW 2023

47,200

DAIRY FARMS 2025

33.8Mt

MILK OUTPUT 2024

How Germany dairy cow herd shrank from 5.7 million in 1950 to about 3.6 million in 2026, even as milk output rose - the population trend and what drove it.

Full report with charts and data: businessstats.com/dairy-cow-population-germany

2.2

Global Dairy Industry 2026: 982M Tonnes and Top Players

Updated Sep 20, 2026

982Mt

WORLD MILK 2024

245.9Mt

INDIA, NO. 1

\$31.9B

LACTALIS, TOP FIRM

81%

COW MILK

~70%

EXPORTS, TOP 3

1,146Mt

FORECAST 2034

The global dairy industry in 2026 by the numbers: 982 million tonnes of milk, India as top producer, Lactalis the biggest firm, and who leads dairy exports.

Full report with charts and data: businessstats.com/global-dairy-industry



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More statistics

5 reports

3.1

Food Inflation 2026: World Food Prices Highest Since 2022

Updated Sep 30, 2026

133.3

FAO INDEX AUG 2026

+2.5%

GLOBAL PRICES YOY

33.8%

TURKEY FOOD INFLATION

2.7%

US FOOD INFLATION

1.3%

UK FOOD INFLATION

45%

LOW-INCOME COUNTRIES ABOVE 5%

Global food prices hit 133.3 points in August 2026, the highest since 2022. See food inflation by country, US grocery forecasts and FAO commodity trends.

Full report with charts and data: businessstats.com/food-inflation-statistics

3.2

Child Health Stats 2026: 4.9M Under-5 Deaths, 150M Stunted

Updated Sep 30, 2026

4.9M

UNDER-5 DEATHS 2024

37.4

U5 MORTALITY PER 1,000

150.2M

STUNTED CHILDREN

42.8M

WASTED CHILDREN

188M

OBESSE AGES 5 TO 19

85%

DTP3 COVERAGE 2025

4.9M children died before age five in 2024 and 150.2M are stunted, while child obesity now tops underweight. See mortality, nutrition and vaccine data.

Full report with charts and data: businessstats.com/child-health-nutrition-statistics



3.3

Cheese Market Statistics 2024: 26M Tonnes, \$45B Trade

Updated Sep 20, 2026

26M t

CHEESE MADE 2024

10.78Mt

EU OUTPUT, NO. 1

6.46Mt

US, TOP COUNTRY

28kg

DENMARK PER HEAD

\$45B

WORLD TRADE

Cheese market statistics 2024: world production near 26 million tonnes, the US top producer, Germany top exporter, plus who eats the most and \$45B in trade.

Full report with charts and data: businessstats.com/global-cheese-market

3.4

Ice Cream Brands Ranked 2026: Magnum #1, Top 12 Brands

Updated Sep 4, 2026

\$126B

GLOBAL MARKET 2026

~8%

MAGNUM BRAND SHARE - #1

\$910M

BEN & JERRY'S REVENUE

19.4%

UNILEVER CORPORATE SHARE

4.3%

MARKET CAGR 2026-2033

\$169B

PROJECTED MARKET 2033

Magnum leads global ice cream brands at ~8% share; Ben & Jerry's tops revenue (\$910M), Haagen-Dazs \$785M. All 12 top brands ranked by share and revenue.

Full report with charts and data: businessstats.com/top-ice-cream-brands



3.5

Food Industry in Mexico — Statistics & Facts 2026

Updated Mar 14, 2026

\$180B+

ANNUAL INDUSTRY REVENUE

1.1M

DIRECT MANUFACTURING JOBS

\$45B+

AGRI-FOOD EXPORTS 2025

#1

WORLD AVOCADO & BEER EXPORTER

25%

SHARE OF MANUFACTURING GDP

\$230B

PROJECTED REVENUE 2030

Mexico's food industry generates \$180B+ annually world's #1 avocado, beer & tequila exporter. Complete 2026 statistics on companies, exports, employment & market trends.

Full report with charts and data: businessstats.com/food-industry-in-mexico



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