

# March 2019 Top Herds - Energy Corrected Milk (ECM)

LEADER column indicates top herd for specific trait.

Report criteria: Data collection rating ≥ 90 • Official tests only • Strings included when representing different breeds from same herd.



Herd		ANNUAL RHA											Br	
		Cows	Milk	F%	P%	ECM	DIM	Milk	F%	FAT	P%	Pro		
Average for HOLSTEIN Herds, March Test		340	76.8	3.9	3.1	80.8	180	24,229	3.8	924	3.1	747	Leader	
90th percentile for all HOLSTEIN Herds, March Test		651	93.7	4.3	3.3	98.3	154	29,635	4.1	1,141	3.3	918		
1	Country Aire Farms, Greenleaf, Wisconsin (3X)	3,385	104.6	4.2	3.1	114.4	167	32,187	4.1	1335	3.1	982	*	H
2	Darrell & Bonita Richard, Goshen, Indiana	112	98.4	4.6	3.3	114.2	187	31,607	4.5	1428	3.2	1023		H
3	Ron & Nicole Wussow, Cecil, Wisconsin (3X)	43	108.9	3.9	2.9	113.3	171	30,828	3.5	1092	2.9	897		H
4	Synergy Dairy LLC, Pulaski, Wisconsin (3X)	506	97.0	4.6	3.4	113.2	167	31,662	4.4	1400	3.3	1035		H
5	Warren M Johnson, Osceola, Wisconsin (3X)	349	112.8	3.4	3.2	112.5	208	32,305	3.6	1170	3.2	1021	*	H
6	Moo-Ville Farm & Creamery, Nashville, Michigan (3X)	174	105.5	3.9	3.1	111.3	167	34,307	3.8	1319	3.0	1035	*	H
7	Brantmeier Hilrose Dairy, Sherwood, Wisconsin	102	101.7	4.1	3.2	110.7	177	32,777	3.8	1249	3.1	1011		H
8	Curry Farms No.3, Tawas City, Michigan	199	103.3	4.0	3.1	110.3	196	32,084	4.0	1296	3.1	983		H
9	Shiloh Dairy, Greenleaf, Wisconsin (3X)	2,341	98.2	4.3	3.3	110.1	182	31,727	4.0	1277	3.2	1016		H
10	Sugar Creek Dairy, Elkhorn, Wisconsin (3X)	621	98.0	4.3	3.3	109.9	177	30,931	4.1	1262	3.2	993		H
11	Wilson Family Farm, Carson City, Michigan (3X)	923	96.7	4.3	3.5	109.8	180	30,887	4.3	1338	3.4	1040		H
12	Rosy-Lane Holsteins LLC, Watertown, Wisconsin (3X)	1,106	98.8	4.2	3.2	108.8	161	30,896	4.1	1260	3.2	974		H
13	Nor-Bert Farms, Bremen, Indiana (3X)	79	88.8	4.9	3.6	108.4	186	28,904	5.0	1437	3.6	1034	*	H
14	Wilstar Holsteins, Pine River, Wisconsin	59	95.5	4.4	3.3	108.3	174	28,243	4.3	1205	3.1	889		H
15	Crandall Farms LLC, Battle Creek, Michigan (3X)	334	100.8	4.0	3.1	107.7	153	31,900	3.8	1208	3.1	998		H
16	John & Mark Egan, New London, Wisconsin (3X)	906	95.0	4.4	3.2	107.1	159	29,786	4.1	1210	3.1	924		H
17	Zoromski Family Farms LLC, Custer, Wisconsin (3X)	471	95.6	4.3	3.2	106.5	175	30,877	4.0	1250	3.2	975		H
18	Dave & Stacy Jauquet, Luxemburg, Wisconsin (3X)	683	102.7	3.8	3.0	106.3	168	32,867	3.6	1187	3.0	1002		H
19	Nathan & Tajia Retzlaff, Shawano, Wisconsin (3X)	229	101.2	3.9	3.0	106.1	165	34,102	3.8	1311	3.0	1025		H
20	Larry E. Haywood, Hastings, Michigan (3X)	858	100.3	3.8	3.2	105.3	180	33,767	3.8	1272	3.1	1050		H
21	Fischer & Clark Dairy, Hatley, Wisconsin (3X)	968	97.8	4.0	3.2	105.2	172	33,030	4.0	1323	3.1	1038		X
22	David & Susan Granskog, Stephenson, Michigan (3X)	175	100.7	3.8	3.1	105.0	188	30,999	3.7	1161	3.0	926		H
23	Larry E. Haywood, Hastings, Michigan (3X)	39	97.8	3.9	3.2	103.9	201	33,215	3.9	1288	3.2	1057	*	X
24	Jonas Zimmerman, Wakarusa, Indiana	126	90.0	4.6	3.2	103.8	167	26,651	4.6	1228	3.1	830		H
25	Benthem Bros., McBain, Michigan (3X)	2,828	98.3	3.9	3.1	103.7	172	29,567	3.9	1151	3.1	905		H
26	Lew-Max LLC, Belding, Michigan (3X)	618	96.4	4.1	3.0	103.5	155	31,636	4.0	1278	2.9	930		H
27	Emerald-Acres, De Pere, Wisconsin	542	88.4	4.7	3.2	103.1	177	27,663	4.5	1256	3.2	882		H
28	Nichols Hill Dairy, Krakow, Wisconsin (3X)	411	103.1	3.5	3.0	102.7	169	31,520	3.6	1149	3.1	962		H
29	Gross Farm Inc., Weidman, Michigan (3X)	137	99.6	3.8	2.9	102.4	174	32,210	3.8	1233	3.0	957		H
30	Floyd & Calvin Brandt, Bryant, Wisconsin (3X)	76	94.6	4.1	3.1	102.3	186	30,571	3.9	1203	3.0	924		H
31	Quantum Dairy LLC., Weyauwega, Wisconsin (3X)	2,710	96.8	3.9	3.1	102.1	173	30,151	3.8	1153	3.1	931		H
32	Harry & Gary Sanborn, Hubbardston, Michigan (3X)	633	90.0	4.5	3.1	102.0	170	29,929	4.2	1255	3.0	900		H
33	Dan & Tim Liner, Van Dyne, Wisconsin	287	97.4	3.7	3.3	101.7	166	31,351	3.7	1169	3.2	1008		H
34	Blaser Farms Inc, Gillett, Wisconsin (3X)	636	94.9	4.0	3.1	101.4	164	30,982	3.9	1202	3.2	980		H
35	Ledgerock Dairy LLC, Larsen, Wisconsin (3X)	411	96.7	3.9	3.0	101.3	158	29,336	3.9	1143	3.0	892		H
36	River Crest Dairy LLC, Greenwood, Wisconsin	252	93.0	4.1	3.2	101.2	148	28,800	3.9	1120	3.2	922		H
37	David Dezeeuw, Falmouth, Michigan	169	95.6	3.9	3.1	100.9	160	29,491	4.0	1176	3.1	904		H
38	Abel Dairy Farms, Fond Du Lac, Wisconsin (3X)	1,688	93.6	4.0	3.2	100.7	178	30,800	3.7	1149	3.0	934		H
39	Ryan Litwiller, Middleton, Michigan (3X)	269	103.0	3.4	2.9	100.5	171	31,563	3.6	1145	2.9	930		H
40	Jmax, Fremont, Michigan (3X)	1,554	95.2	3.9	3.1	100.5	174	30,516	3.9	1177	3.1	931		H
41	First Farms, Ionia, Michigan (3X)	351	97.4	3.7	3.1	100.3	185	31,563	3.8	1190	3.0	957		H
42	MSU Dairy Dept, Lansing, Michigan	224	90.9	4.1	3.4	100.2	169	25,947	4.1	1072	3.2	835		H
43	Badger, Unity, Wisconsin (3X)	2,677	93.4	3.9	3.3	99.9	181	29,930	3.9	1162	3.2	969		H
44	New-Day Dairy Robert Strack, Athens, Wisconsin	106	92.2	4.0	3.3	99.8	181	28,680	3.9	1105	3.2	932		H
45	Carson Acres LLC., Hesperia, Michigan (3X)	179	97.5	3.6	3.2	99.8	171	28,127	3.9	1098	3.2	901		H
46	Milk Source Genetics LLC, Kaukauna, Wisconsin	63	87.7	4.4	3.3	99.5	140	23,975	4.1	980	3.3	785	*	H
47	Pasch MBM, Weidman, Michigan (3X)	336	99.2	3.6	2.9	99.4	176	30,737	3.7	1146	2.9	897		H
48	Randy & Chris Holeywinski, Seymour, Wisconsin	80	96.0	3.8	3.0	99.4	142	29,985	3.7	1118	3.0	910		H
49	River Ridge Dairy Co., Inc., Coopersville, Michigan	1,873	90.8	4.2	3.1	99.3	182	29,007	4.3	1233	3.0	883		H
50	Dave & Jacki Meinert, Saint Cloud, Wisconsin (3X)	85	97.5	3.6	3.1	99.1	172	30,887	3.7	1130	3.1	965		H
51	Jonathon Zimmerman, Goshen, Indiana (3X)	105	96.9	3.7	3.0	99.0	152	32,025	3.5	1131	2.9	934		H
52	Jeff & Kevin Cole, Bancroft, Michigan (3X)	407	91.6	4.1	3.1	99.0	174	28,104	4.0	1118	3.1	858		H
53	Wayside Dairy, Greenleaf, Wisconsin (3X)	2,124	89.9	4.2	3.2	99.0	161	28,505	4.0	1138	3.1	878		H
54	Seidls Mtn View Dairy, Luxemburg, Wisconsin (3X)	1,137	93.8	3.9	3.1	99.0	151	30,799	3.8	1182	3.1	949		H

Herds that produce more milk or higher components have higher profitability. Using only milk or components is too narrow of a view and does not assess profitability accurately. For that we need a broader view, such as Energy Corrected Milk (ECM). ECM levels the playing field by adjusting to a standard. ECM is calculated based on the amount of energy in milk using it's fat and protein content. Milk volume is adjusted to 3.5%F and 3.2%P component values.

# NorthStar Cooperative

Herd	Cows	Milk	F%	P%	ECM	ANNUAL RHA							Leader	Br
						DIM	Milk	F%	FAT	P%	Pro			
55 Vil-Edge Farms, Fond Du Lac, Wisconsin	84	95.3	3.7	3.2	98.8	149	28,291	3.6	1020	3.1	876	H		
56 Schuh View Dairy LLC, Kaukauna, Wisconsin	1,363	84.3	4.8	3.1	98.8	167	26,195	4.6	1218	3.0	778	H		
57 Wegnerlann Dairy LLC, Ettrick, Wisconsin (3X)	813	91.8	4.0	3.2	98.7	175	29,863	3.9	1152	3.1	933	H		
58 Buning Dairy LLC, Falmouth, Michigan (3X)	549	97.1	3.6	3.1	98.7	182	31,543	3.6	1135	3.0	957	H		
59 Newell Farms, Trufant, Michigan (3X)	456	97.0	3.6	3.1	98.6	170	28,622	3.7	1050	3.0	867	H		
60 Jeff & Jill Pinter, Curtiss, Wisconsin	90	95.2	3.8	3.0	98.5	144	28,586	3.8	1097	3.0	857	H		
61 Ladine Farms, Bellevue, Michigan	186	98.2	3.5	3.1	98.5	167	32,802	3.5	1145	3.1	1005	H		
62 James & Brad Ritter, Byron, Michigan (3X)	207	92.1	4.0	3.1	98.4	172	28,368	3.9	1115	3.1	868	H		
63 Brightside Dairy LLC, Greenleaf, Wisconsin (3X)	744	99.2	3.4	3.1	98.3	180	31,656	3.5	1112	3.0	962	H		
64 Charles & Christopher Weber, Elmwood, Wisconsin	171	87.5	4.3	3.3	98.1	160	28,379	4.1	1158	3.2	921	H		
65 DMS Dairy LLC, Wakarusa, Indiana	271	91.1	3.9	3.4	98.1	154	28,582	3.9	1115	3.3	937	H		
66 Rick & Connie Schuessler, Antigo, Wisconsin (3X)	411	96.2	3.6	3.1	97.8	180	30,297	3.4	1023	3.0	916	H		
67 Mike Zagata, Sebewaing, Michigan (3X)	653	94.4	3.8	3.0	97.7	177	29,852	3.7	1117	3.0	899	H		
68 Scott & Dawn Seward, Pine River, Wisconsin (3X)	428	100.6	3.3	3.0	97.6	166	32,974	3.7	1229	3.1	1013	H		
69 Grass Ridge Farm LLC, Pittsville, Wisconsin (3X)	545	91.2	3.9	3.3	97.6	168	30,115	3.8	1134	3.3	981	H		
70 Tony Rosbrugh, West Branch, Michigan (3X)	601	92.4	3.9	3.1	97.5	160	31,175	3.8	1177	3.1	960	X		
71 Eric Clemens, West Branch, Michigan	175	88.0	4.3	3.1	97.4	155	27,006	3.7	997	3.1	825	H		
72 Foxland Farms LLC, Greenleaf, Wisconsin (3X)	125	96.4	3.6	3.0	97.3	153	30,221	3.5	1059	3.0	916	H		
73 Rusk-Rose Holsteins, Ladysmith, Wisconsin (3X)	363	94.4	3.7	3.1	97.2	155	30,482	3.6	1112	3.0	904	H		
74 Diedrick Family Farm, Chilton, Wisconsin (3X)	55	92.7	3.9	3.0	97.2	179	26,030	4.0	1046	3.0	770	H		
75 Heimans Holsteins LLC, Auburndale, Wisconsin (3X)	537	93.2	3.8	3.1	97.1	168	30,302	3.7	1123	3.1	933	H		
76 Lake Breeze Dairy, Malone, Wisconsin (3X)	3,202	92.4	3.8	3.2	97.0	167	30,118	3.5	1064	3.1	920	H		
77 Steve Landis, Goshen, Indiana	35	88.4	4.1	3.3	96.8	187	27,052	4.3	1156	3.2	871	H		
78 Five Star Dairy, Elk Mound, Wisconsin (3X)	1,089	89.3	4.1	3.1	96.5	191	28,985	4.1	1175	3.1	897	H		
79 Stutzman Family Farms LLC, Conrath, Wisconsin (3X)	350	96.2	3.6	2.9	96.4	161	30,338	3.6	1092	3.0	898	H		
80 Allen Martin, Goshen, Indiana (3X)	401	94.3	3.7	3.0	96.4	163	30,336	3.6	1088	3.0	917	H		
81 Pickart Dairy LLC., Malone, Wisconsin (3X)	769	90.2	4.0	3.1	96.4	171	29,001	3.8	1101	3.1	886	H		
82 Charles & Jeff Wadell, Elsie, Michigan	697	80.4	5.0	3.1	96.3	172	23,763	5.0	1191	3.2	750	*		
83 Houdek Farms, Bryant, Wisconsin	113	88.0	4.2	3.1	96.3	167	27,744	3.9	1085	3.2	876	H		
84 Norris Dairy Farm Inc., Hesperia, Michigan	610	90.1	4.0	3.1	96.2	168	28,569	3.8	1092	3.1	884	H		
85 T-N-K Dairy LLC, Stanley, Wisconsin (3X)	263	90.7	4.0	3.0	96.2	170	27,631	3.9	1067	3.0	824	H		
86 Oesch Swisslane, Alto, Michigan (3X)	2,334	88.2	4.1	3.2	96.0	189	28,784	3.9	1134	3.1	903	H		
87 Curt Kohls, Gillett, Wisconsin (3X)	304	99.5	3.3	2.9	95.8	166	28,738	3.6	1042	2.9	844	H		
88 Sam Yonkman, McBain, Michigan (3X)	1,742	90.8	3.9	3.1	95.8	180	26,948	4.0	1065	3.1	829	H		
89 Golden Corners Dairy, Oconto Falls, Wisconsin	275	88.0	4.1	3.2	95.8	172	29,095	4.0	1160	3.3	946	H		
90 Mike Lyon, Eaton Rapids, Michigan	123	91.2	3.8	3.2	95.7	232	29,597	3.7	1108	3.1	904	H		
91 Ed Walter Farm Inc, Oshkosh, Wisconsin (3X)	298	92.3	3.7	3.2	95.7	177	28,160	4.0	1128	3.1	879	H		
92 Mark Anderson, Waupaca, Wisconsin	203	87.9	4.1	3.2	95.7	190	28,989	4.0	1160	3.1	909	X		
93 Rick & Jim Surbrook, Rives Junction, Michigan	99	94.6	3.5	3.2	95.6	161	27,973	3.6	1003	3.1	873	H		
94 Leon Henneman, Ellsworth, Wisconsin	51	85.7	4.3	3.2	95.5	173	26,011	3.8	991	3.2	834	H		
95 Bill & Bob Gruppen, Zeeland, Michigan	197	96.4	3.4	3.1	95.5	174	29,906	3.7	1094	3.1	939	H		
96 Herrema Dairy, Fair Oaks, Indiana (3X)	4,796	92.7	3.7	3.1	95.4	181	28,591	3.6	1032	2.9	841	*		
97 Country Dairy, New Era, Michigan (3X)	71	88.1	4.0	3.3	95.4	165	27,522	3.7	1030	3.3	895	H		
98 Schmidt Farms, Birnamwood, Wisconsin	84	96.4	3.5	2.9	95.3	162	26,676	3.8	1025	3.1	823	H		
99 Wolschleger Dairy, Harbor Beach, Michigan	119	82.1	4.7	3.1	95.1	173	25,231	3.6	920	3.1	773	H		
100 Gilde Farms LLC, Lake City, Michigan	247	93.7	3.7	2.9	95.1	157	28,350	4.0	1122	2.8	805	H		
High Protein Breeds		Cows	Milk	F%	P%	ECM	DIM	RHA	F%	Fat	P%	Pro	Br	
1 Nor-Bert Farms, Bremen, Indiana (3X)	33	93.7	5.3	3.7	119.9	209	28,392	5.5	1,565	3.7	1,037	*	BS	
2 Nor-Bert Farms, Bremen, Indiana (3X)	18	82.9	5.0	3.7	102.9	129	22,712	5.4	1,229	3.6	824	AY		
3 Ron & Nicole Wussow, Cecil, Wisconsin (3X)	97	76.9	4.9	3.4	92.8	121	19,149	4.8	913	3.4	660	*	JE	
4 Twinkle-Hill Brown Swiss, Watertown, Wisconsin	96	75.2	4.6	3.8	90.0	163	25,173	4.4	1,102	3.6	911	BS		
5 Larry E. Haywood, Hastings, Michigan (3X)	428	67.2	5.3	3.9	87.0	166	21,478	5.1	1,096	3.8	809	*	JE	
6 Verl A Weaver, Goshen, Indiana	34	67.4	5.4	3.4	85.7	227	20,072	5.0	1,013	3.4	678	GU		
7 Gary Sulzer, Marathon, Wisconsin	44	62.4	5.5	3.9	82.4	160	19,427	5.4	1,049	3.9	758	*	JE	
8 Grass Ridge Farm LLC, Pittsville, Wisconsin (3X)	63	61.5	5.7	3.8	82.3	176	21,204	5.2	1,095	3.8	806	JE		
9 D & P Dairy, Marlette, Michigan (3X)	23	68.8	4.6	3.7	81.8	229	22,046	4.7	1,026	3.6	789	JE		
10 Petro Farms, Gobles, Michigan (3X)	40	68.5	4.6	3.6	81.0	163	21,378	4.4	940	3.6	759	JE		