## Assigning Dry and Evaporated Cow and Goat Milk

For both cow and goat, dry and evaporated milk, the size of the container is not printed on the receipt or the Food List or when Customer Service is contacted.

In addition, only one size of container can be used when purchasing these products. For dry cow milk, it is the 25.6 oz . pouch or box. For evaporated cow milk, it is the 12 oz . can. Meyenberg goat milk is the only authorized brand, and both evaporated and powdered goat milk are packaged in a 12 oz . can.

Example Receipt

Benefits Expire on XX-XX-20XX

01 CTR NONFAT DRY MILK
24 CAN EVAP FAT FREE MILK
16 CAN EVAPORATED WHOLE MILK
28 CAN EVAP WHOLE GOAT MILK
04 CAN PWD WHOLE GOAT MILK
07 CAN PWD NONFAT GOAT MILK

The WIC Benefits List does have the container size, so it will be important to give the participant their WIC Benefits List and point out the container size they must use to purchase these products with WIC.

When a participant prefers dry or evaporated milk, consider the reconstitution amounts of the box or

|  | WIC Benefits List |  |
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| Quantity Unit | Food Item Description |  |
| 01 | CTR | Non fat dry milk 25.6 oz |
| 24 | CAN | Evaporated fat free milk 12 oz. |
| 16 | CAN | Evaporated whole milk $12 \mathrm{oz}$. |
| 28 | CAN | Evap whole goat milk 12 oz. |
| 04 | CAN | Powdered whole goat milk 12 oz. |
| 07 | CAN | Powdered nonfat goat milk 12 oz. | can when issuing.

## Dry Milk

For cow milk, the only dry milk option available is a 25.6 oz. pouch or box of nonfat dry milk. The powdered goat milk option is a 12 oz . can. When mixed with water as directed on the container, each will make:

- 25.6 oz. container of dry cow milk $=2$ gallons milk
- 12 oz . can of powdered goat milk $=.75$ gallons milk

In order to assign the maximum milk benefit, most participants would be assigned a few quarts of liquid milk in addition to the dry milk.

## Job Aid

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## Evaporated milk

Evaporated goat or cow milk is only available in a 12 oz . can.
One 12 oz . can of evaporated milk mixed with 12 oz . of water reconstitutes to 24 oz . or 3 cups of milk (. 75 quart). We cannot assign in increments that are smaller than a quart, so when determining how many cans of evaporated milk to assign, consider issuing in increments of 4 cans. Every 4 cans of evaporated milk provides 3 quarts of milk.

| 4 cans evaporated milk | $=.75$ gallon milk | $(3 \mathrm{qts})$ |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 8 cans evaporated milk | $=1.5$ gallons milk | $(6 \mathrm{qts})$ |
| 12 cans evaporated milk $=$ | 2.25 gallons milk | $(9 \mathrm{qts})$ |
| 16 cans evaporated milk $=$ | 3 gallons milk | $(12 \mathrm{qts})$ |
| 20 cans evaporated milk $=$ | 3.75 gallons milk | $(15 \mathrm{qts})$ |
| 24 cans evaporated milk $=$ | 4.5 gallons milk | $(18 \mathrm{qts})$ |
| 28 cans evaporated milk $=$ | 5.25 gallons milk | $(21 \mathrm{qts})$ |
| 32 cans evaporated milk $=$ | 6 gallons milk | $(24 \mathrm{qts})$ |
| 36 cans evaporated milk $=$ | 6.75 gallons milk | $(27 \mathrm{qts})$ |
| 40 cans evaporated milk $=$ | 7.75 gallons milk | $(31 \mathrm{qts})$ |

To reach the maximum milk benefit for the participant, it may be necessary to assign quarts of liquid milk, along with the evaporated milk.

