

Job Aid

Assigning dry and evaporated cow and goat milk

The size of container for dry and evaporated cow or goat milk is **not** printed on the receipt for cow and goat dry and evaporated milk products. The size of container for these milks is also not mentioned when participants call the Customer Service number on their eWIC card.

WIC allows only one size of container when purchasing cow and goat dry or evaporated milk products.

Here are the container sizes:

- Cow milk: 25.6 oz pouch or box.
- Evaporated cow milk: 12 oz can.
- Myenberg goat milk evaporated and powdered: 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

WIC Benefits List		
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 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.

The WIC Benefits List does list the container size. Print the participant's Benefit List and point out the container size they must choose at the store to buy with their eWIC card. The container size is also shown in the Food List and the WICShopper app in the WIC Allowable Foods button.

When a participant prefers dry or evaporated milk, consider the reconstitution amounts of the box or can when issuing.

Dry milk

Powdered cow milk is only available in a 25.6 oz pouch or box of nonfat dry milk. Powdered goat milk is available in a 12 oz can. Here is the amount each will make when mixed with water according to the directions on the container:

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

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

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). Milk is assigned in quarts. Consider issuing in multiples of four cans. Every 4 cans of evaporated milk provides 3 quarts of milk.

Amounts of milk provided from cans of evaporated milk		
4 cans evaporated milk	=	.75 gallon milk (3 qts)
8 cans evaporated milk	=	1.5 gallons milk (6 qts)
12 cans evaporated milk	=	2.25 gallons milk (9 qts)
16 cans evaporated milk	=	3 gallons milk (12 qts)

Amounts of milk provided from cans of evaporated milk		
20 cans evaporated milk	=	3.75 gallons milk (15 qts)
24 cans evaporated milk	=	4.5 gallons milk (18 qts)
28 cans evaporated milk	=	5.25 gallons milk (21 qts)
32 cans evaporated milk	=	6 gallons milk (24 qts)
36 cans evaporated milk	=	6.75 gallons milk (27 qts)
40 cans evaporated milk	=	7.75 gallons milk (31 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.