

SUMMARY OF MAJOR FOOD AND NUTRITION SERVICE PROGRAMS

(Data as of February 12, 2021)

	November	October	November
NAME OF PROGRAM	2019	2020	2020
		<i>Preliminary</i>	<i>Initial</i>
SUPPLEMENTAL NUTRITION ASSISTANCE PROGRAM: 1/			
People participating (thous.)	37,465	41,980	41,447
Households participating (thous.)	19,051	21,844	21,569
Value of benefits (\$ mil.)	4,550	7,867	7,821
Average benefit (\$)	121.44	187.41	188.69
Total program cost (\$ mil.) 2/	4,568	7,890	7,843
NATIONAL SCHOOL LUNCH PROGRAM:			
Children participating (thous.)	29,974	9,417	12,938
Children reached w/Free-Reduced Lunch (thous.)	21,753	8,863	11,761
Total Lunches Served (mil.)	453.4	159.0	186.5
Percent Served Free (%)	66.78	93.11	89.37
Percent Served Reduced Priced (%)	5.79	1.00	1.53
Total NSLP Cost 3/ (\$ mil.)	1,364	709	729
SCHOOL BREAKFAST PROGRAM:			
Children participating (thous.)	15,480	6,157	8,237
Total Breakfasts Served (mil.)	234.0	104.0	120.1
Percent Served Free-Reduced Priced (%)	83.80	97.20	95.87
Total SBP Cost (\$ mil.)	438.4	225.6	258.3
CHILD AND ADULT CARE FOOD:			
Total meals served (mil.)	161.8	145.5	130.9
Child care centers (mil.)	123.5	110.6	100.8
Day care homes (mil.)	31.7	30.3	25.6
Adult care centers (mil.)	6.6	4.6	4.5
Percent served free/reduced-price (%)	82.08	84.00	84.34
Total program cost (\$ mil.) 2/ 3/	285.9	273.7	247.2
WIC (SPECIAL SUPPLEMENTAL NUTRITION):			
Women-infants-children participating (thous.)	6,193	6,374	6,296
Food cost (\$ mil.)	255.6	220.1	245.3
Average food cost per person (\$)	41.28	34.53	38.97
Total program cost (\$ mil.)	358.1	939.7	298.2
TOTAL USDA FOOD DONATIONS (ALL PROGRAMS) 4/:			

Entitlement foods (\$ mil.)	179.6	177.9	128.4
Bonus foods (\$ mil.)	1.2	8.7	3.0
TEFAP--Emergency Food Assistance (\$ mil.)	57.5	97.3	113.9

All data are subject to revision; initial November 2020 and preliminary October 2020 numbers are subject to substantial change. See Annual Summary for more detailed notes.

1/ Excludes Nutrition Assistance Grants, which provide benefits analogous to SNAP in several outlying areas (Puerto Rico, American Samoa, Northern Marianas).

2/ Administrative costs are reported on a quarterly basis (March, June, September and December).

3/ Includes cash reimbursements and commodity costs (entitlement and bonus).

4/ Commodity costs are based on the value of food distributed to participants or delivered to State warehouses.