

Estimates of Nutrient Unit Costs in Central Ohio

Nutrient	July 2004	January 2008
Net energy for lactation	\$0.087	\$0.136
Rumen-degradable protein	\$0.023	\$-0.093
Digestible rumen-undegradable protein	\$0.342	\$0.383
Noneffective NDF	\$-0.058	\$-0.037
Effective NDF	\$0.054	\$0.121

Units are megacalories for net energy for lactation and pounds for all other nutrients.
NDF = Neutral Detergent Fiber