



# THE DAIRY PRACTICES COUNCIL®

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## Membership Levels

**PLATINUM SUSTAINING MEMBERSHIP:** This level is designed for large dairy companies or major suppliers to the dairy industry. Benefits include DPC Guideline updates\*\* for *up to 30* members of your organization; 20% off the purchase of additional DPC GLs; three (3) discounted Annual Conference registrations; one (1) *free* Annual Conference registration; and a listing on the DPC website that includes a brief overview of your organization and a link to your website. *New Platinum Sustaining Members joining the Council are entitled to up to 30 complete sets of GLs* (pdf files on flash drives). Platinum Sustaining Members are encouraged to attend the Annual Conference and participate in the work of the DPC Task Forces. **Membership is \$1,100/yr.**

**GOLD SUSTAINING MEMBERSHIP:** This level is designed for medium to large dairy companies or suppliers to the dairy industry. Benefits include DPC Guideline updates\*\* for *up to 20* members of your organization; 20% off the purchase of additional DPC GLs; three (3) discounted Annual Conference registrations; and a listing on the DPC website that includes a brief overview of your organization and a link to your website. *New Gold Sustaining Members joining the Council are entitled to up to 20 complete sets of GLs* (pdf files on flash drives). Gold Sust. Members are encouraged to attend the Annual Conference & participate in the work of the DPC Task Forces. **Membership is \$650/yr.**

**SILVER SUSTAINING MEMBERSHIP:** This level is designed for small to medium dairy companies or suppliers to the dairy industry. Benefits include DPC Guideline updates\*\* for *up to 10* members of your organization; 20% off the purchase of additional DPC GLs; two (2) discounted Annual Conference registrations; and a listing on the DPC website that includes a brief overview of your organization and a link to your website. *New Silver Sustaining Members joining the Council are entitled to up to 10 complete sets of GLs* (pdf files on flash drives). Silver Sust. Members are encouraged to attend the Annual Conference and participate in the work of the DPC Task Forces. **Membership is \$375/yr.**

**BRONZE SUSTAINING MEMBERSHIP:** This level is designed for small to medium dairy companies or suppliers to the dairy industry. Benefits include DPC Guideline updates\*\* for *up to 5* members of your organization; 20% off the purchase of additional DPC GLs; one (1) discounted Annual Conference registration; and a listing on the DPC website that includes a brief overview of your organization and a link to your website. *New Bronze Sustaining Members joining the Council are entitled to up to 5 complete sets of GLs* (pdf files on flash drives). Bronze Sust. Members are encouraged to attend the Annual Conference and participate in the work of the DPC Task Forces. **Membership is \$250/yr.**

**REGULATORY & ACADEMIA MEMBERSHIPS:** This level is designed for Regulatory Agencies and Academic Institutions. Benefits include DPC Guideline updates\*\* for *up to 5* members of your staff; 50% off the purchase of additional DPC Guidelines; and a listing on the DPC website that includes contact information and a link to your website. *New members will be provided with a complete set of current DPC Guidelines* (pdf files on a flash drive) for their review. Regulatory and Academia Members are encouraged to attend the Annual Conference and participate in the work of the DPC Task Forces. **Membership is \$200/yr.**

**INDIVIDUAL MEMBERSHIP:** This level is designed for individuals connected to the dairy industry who want to keep current on new or revised DPC guidelines issued throughout the year. Individual benefits include DPC Guideline updates\*\* as they are published throughout the year; 20% off the purchase of additional GLs; and the *member fee* for Annual Conference registrations. *New Individual Members will receive a \$50 credit towards the purchase of DPC Guidelines within their first year of membership.* Individual Members are encouraged to attend the Annual Conference and participate in the work of the DPC Task Forces. **US Membership is \$100/yr. Non-US Membership is \$110/yr.**

## DPC Membership Quick Reference Chart

Membership Level	Annual Membership Fee*	# of People Receiving GL Updates**	Discounts for Additional DPC GLs	Discounted Conference Registrations (33%)	Complimentary Conference Registrations	DPC Website Listing*** with a Link to your Website <a href="http://www.dairypc.org/dpc-members/">http://www.dairypc.org/dpc-members/</a>
<a href="#">Individual</a>	\$100	1	20%	0	0	No
<a href="#">Individual (non-US)</a>	\$110	1	20%	0	0	No
<a href="#">Regulatory &amp; Academia</a>	\$200	5	50%	0	0	Yes
<a href="#">Bronze Sustaining</a>	\$250	5	20%	1	0	Yes
<a href="#">Silver Sustaining</a>	\$375	10	20%	2	0	Yes
<a href="#">Gold Sustaining</a>	\$650	20	20%	3	0	Yes
<a href="#">Platinum Sustaining</a>	\$1,100	30	20%	3	1	Yes

\* New Individual Members receive a \$50.00 voucher for additional GL purchases. New Sustaining Members receive complete sets of GLs based on their membership levels. New Regulatory and Academic Members receive one complete set of GLs. Members are encouraged to renew annually; an invoice will be sent for renewal at the beginning of each calendar year.

\*\* DPC Guidelines are periodically updated and revised and new GLs are published to stay current. These new and updated Guidelines are distributed to all members as they become available. Sustaining, Regulatory and Academia members are asked to provide names and e-mail addresses of those individuals they wish to receive updates, *up to* the number of people per their membership level and to keep DPC up-to-date on this list (note: *there is no requirement to meet the membership level for number of recipients*).

\*\*\* Listings include contact information and a link to the member's web site. Sustaining Members may provide a brief overview (1-2 paragraphs) of their company to be included with the listing.

***Sponsorship of the DPC Annual Conference is open to all Sustaining Members.***  
**Contact Steve Murphy ([dairypc@dairypc.org](mailto:dairypc@dairypc.org)) for benefits, marketing opportunities, & costs.**

**Members are encouraged to join and become active in the DPC Task Forces. To join or for more information, contact the Task Force directors or go to: <http://www.dairypc.org/about-the-dpc/task-force-information>.**

### **DPC Task-Forces**

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