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FEDERAL MILK ORDERS 124 & 131

## ANNOUNCEMENT OF MINIMUM CLASS AND COMPONENT PRICES: *FINAL* # February 2005

### Pacific Northwest

	Class I *	Class II	Class III	Class IV
Skim 1/	\$ 9.87	\$ 7.38	\$ 8.79	\$ 6.76
Butterfat 2/	\$ 1.7628	\$ 1.7824	\$ 1.7754	\$ 1.7754
Protein 2/			\$ 2.6613	
Other Solids 2/			\$ 0.0915	
Nonfat Solids 2/		\$ 0.8200		\$ 0.7514
@ 3.5% Butterfat 1/ 3/	\$ 15.69	\$ 13.36	\$ 14.70	\$ 12.74
Processor Assessment **	\$ 0.20			
Total 1/	\$ 15.89			

### Arizona-Las Vegas

	Class I *	Class II	Class III	Class IV
Skim 1/	\$ 10.32	\$ 7.38	\$ 8.79	\$ 6.76
Butterfat 2/	\$ 1.7673	\$ 1.7824	\$ 1.7754	\$ 1.7754
@ 3.5% Butterfat 1/ 3/	\$ 16.14	\$ 13.36	\$ 14.70	\$ 12.74
Processor Assessment **	\$ 0.20			
Total 1/	\$ 16.34			

Supplemental Price Data From NASS Surveys			FO 124 Only	
Surveys Included: 2/5/05 to 2/26/05	Average Price	Total Pounds of Product	PRODUCER COMPONENT PRICES 2/	
Grade AA Butter	\$ 1.5945	13,992,560	Butterfat	\$ 1.7754
Cheese 40 Lb. Blocks	\$ 1.5618	37,636,558		
Cheese 500 Lb. Barrels, 38% moisture	\$ 1.5493	42,232,820		
Cheese, Average	\$ 1.5711	79,869,378	Protein	\$ 2.6613
Nonfat Dry Milk	\$ 0.8990	74,005,686		
Dry Whey	\$ 0.2478	48,684,945	Other Solids	\$ 0.0915

# Pacific Northwest (FO 124) prices milk on the basis of multiple components.

Arizona-Las Vegas (FO 131) prices milk on the basis of butterfat and skim.

\* Subject to applicable location adjustments.

\*\* The processor assessment is an obligation under the Fluid Milk Promotion Order (7CFR § 1160.101 et seq.).

The Order requires that all persons who process and market commercially more than 3,000,000 pounds of fluid milk products in consumer-type packages in the 48 contiguous States and the District of Columbia on a monthly basis, excluding those fluid milk products delivered to the residence of a consumer, be assessed 20 cents per hundredweight on all marketings of such packaged fluid milk products during the month.

1/ Per hundredweight. 2/ Per pound. 3/ 0.965 multiplied by skim price, plus 3.5 multiplied by butterfat price.

For Information Purposes Only. Somatic Cell Adjustment Rate is 0.00079.

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