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**ANNOUNCEMENT OF MINIMUM CLASS AND COMPONENT PRICES: FINAL #
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Pacific Northwest

	Class I *	Class II	Class III	Class IV
Skim 1/	\$ 12.17	\$ 10.97	\$ 9.57	\$ 8.14
Butterfat 2/	\$ 1.4280	\$ 1.4474	\$ 1.4404	\$ 1.4404
Protein 2/			\$ 2.7066	
Other Solids 2/			\$ 0.1992	
Nonfat Solids 2/		\$ 1.2189		\$ 0.9043
@ 3.5% Butterfat 1/ 3/	\$ 16.74	\$ 15.65	\$ 14.28	\$ 12.90
Processor Assessment **	\$ 0.20			
Total 1/	\$ 16.94			

Arizona

	Class I *	Class II	Class III	Class IV
Skim 1/	\$ 12.62	\$ 10.97	\$ 9.57	\$ 8.14
Butterfat 2/	\$ 1.4325	\$ 1.4474	\$ 1.4404	\$ 1.4404
@ 3.5% Butterfat 1/ 3/	\$ 17.19	\$ 15.65	\$ 14.28	\$ 12.90
Processor Assessment **	\$ 0.20			
Total 1/	\$ 17.39			

Supplemental Price Data From NASS Surveys			FO 124 Only	
Surveys Included: 2/6/10 to 2/27/10	Average Price	Total Pounds of Product	PRODUCER COMPONENT PRICES 2/	
Grade AA Butter	\$ 1.3609	16,107,130	Butterfat	\$ 1.4404
Cheese 40 Lb. Blocks	\$ 1.4934	43,253,519		
Cheese 500 Lb. Barrels, 38% moisture Cheese, Average	\$ 1.5020 \$ 1.5110	36,394,951 79,648,470		
Nonfat Dry Milk	\$ 1.0812	74,583,225	Protein	\$ 2.7066
Dry Whey	\$ 0.3925	44,152,398		

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

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

* The FO 124 Class I price includes a Class I differential of \$1.90 per hundredweight (King County, Washington).

The FO 131 Class I price includes a Class I differential of \$2.35 per hundredweight (Maricopa County, Arizona).

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 0.00076.

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