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FEDERAL MILK ORDERS 124 & 131

ANNOUNCEMENT OF MINIMUM CLASS AND COMPONENT PRICES: *FINAL* # October 2006

Pacific Northwest

	Class I *	Class II	Class III	Class IV
Skim 1/	\$ 9.62	\$ 7.06	\$ 7.64	\$ 6.80
Butterfat 2/	\$ 1.4397	\$ 1.4219	\$ 1.4149	\$ 1.4149
Protein 2/			\$ 2.0775	
Other Solids 2/			\$ 0.2026	
Nonfat Solids 2/		\$ 0.7844		\$ 0.7551
@ 3.5% Butterfat 1/ 3/	\$ 14.32	\$ 11.79	\$ 12.32	\$ 11.51
Processor Assessment **	\$ 0.20			
Total 1/	\$ 14.52			

Arizona

	Class I *	Class II	Class III	Class IV
Skim 1/	\$ 10.07	\$ 7.06	\$ 7.64	\$ 6.80
Butterfat 2/	\$ 1.4442	\$ 1.4219	\$ 1.4149	\$ 1.4149
@ 3.5% Butterfat 1/ 3/	\$ 14.77	\$ 11.79	\$ 12.32	\$ 11.51
Processor Assessment **	\$ 0.20			
Total 1/	\$ 14.97			

Supplemental Price Data From NASS Surveys			FO 124 Only	
Surveys Included: 9/30/06 to 10/28/06	Average Price	Total Pounds of Product	PRODUCER COMPONENT PRICES 2/	
Grade AA Butter	\$ 1.2941	19,414,366	Butterfat	\$ 1.4149
Cheese 40 Lb. Blocks	\$ 1.2460	45,732,493		
Cheese 500 Lb. Barrels, 38% moisture	\$ 1.2643	53,745,209		
Cheese, Average	\$ 1.2721	99,477,702	Protein	\$ 2.0775
Nonfat Dry Milk	\$ 0.9027	59,088,714		
Dry Whey	\$ 0.3557	56,014,413	Other Solids	\$ 0.2026

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

Arizona (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 0.00064.

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