

MILK MARKET SUMMARIES FOR SEPTEMBER 2000

James R. Daugherty, market administrator for the Pacific Northwest (FO 124), Western (FO 135), and Arizona-Las Vegas (FO 131) Federal milk orders, reports the following market information for the month of September 2000.

Pacific Northwest

Producers delivered a total of 598.4 million pounds of milk to the market during September. Daily deliveries averaged 19.9 million pounds, up 0.5 percent from August. An estimated 1,041 producers delivered milk to the market during the month. Daily deliveries per producer averaged 19,160 pounds, up 0.3 percent from August.

Class I producer milk during September totaled 180.8 million pounds, 30.2% of total producer receipts. Daily usage averaged 6.0 million pounds, up 6.6 percent from August.

Western

Producers delivered a total of 290.9 million pounds of milk to the market during September. Daily deliveries averaged 9.7 million pounds, down 2.5 percent from August. An estimated 763 producers delivered milk to the market during the month. Daily deliveries per producer averaged 12,710 pounds, down 3.4 percent from August.

Class I producer milk during September totaled 85.5 million pounds, 29.4% of total producer receipts. Daily usage averaged 2.8 million pounds, up 3.3 percent from August.

Arizona-Las Vegas

Producers delivered a total of 229.4 million pounds of milk to the market during September. Daily deliveries averaged 7.6 million pounds, down 0.8 percent from August. An estimated 128 producers delivered milk to the market during the month. Daily deliveries per producer averaged 59,740 pounds, up 0.0 percent from August.

Class I producer milk during September totaled 79.6 million pounds, 34.7% of total producer receipts. Daily usage averaged 2.7 million pounds, down 2.7 percent from August.