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FEDERAL MILK ORDERS 124 & 131

ANNOUNCEMENT OF UNIFORM PRICES FOR THE PACIFIC NORTHWEST AND ARIZONA ORDERS

FO 124 and 131

February 2016

Producer Prices *	Pacific Northwest FO 124	Arizona FO 131
Producer Price Differential 1/	\$0.28	
Butterfat 2/	\$2.3778	
Protein 2/	\$1.7389	
Other Solids 2/	\$0.0492	
Nonfat Solids 3/	\$0.5951	
Skim 1/		\$6.23
Butterfat 2/		\$2.3681
Stat. Uniform Price 4/	\$14.08	\$14.30

Producer Milk Utilizations				
Class	Percent	Pounds	Percent	Pounds
Class I	22.27%	159,524,821	24.04%	104,101,193
Class II	6.29%	45,064,783	10.09%	43,682,695
Class III	41.10%	294,463,421	23.16%	100,303,821
Class IV	30.34%	217,418,852	42.71%	185,011,487
Total Producer Milk		716,471,877		433,099,196

Producer Milk Component Levels		
Butterfat	4.005%	3.500%
Protein	3.243%	
Other Solids	5.733%	
Solids-Not-Fat	8.976%	

Computation of:	PPD (124)	Uniform Price (131)
Class I	\$19,162,340.10	\$13,071,316.47
Class II	\$13,043,892.20	\$13,342,498.33
Class III	\$46,228,904.52	\$19,208,095.12
Class IV	\$33,715,359.71	\$16,189,598.95
Gross Value	\$112,150,496.53	\$61,811,508.87
Net Adjustments	(\$110,144,342.08)	(\$35,758,702.41)
Net Pool Value	\$2,006,154.45	\$26,052,806.46

Class I	% Skim	23%	24%
	% Butterfat	11%	14%

* Subject to applicable location adjustments.

1/ Per hundredweight. 2/ Per pound. 3/ Price not used for payments to producers. 4/ For FO 124, statistical uniform price represents the Class III price, plus the producer price differential. For FO 131, uniform price represents 0.965 multiplied by the skim price, plus 3.5 multiplied by the butterfat price.

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MILK MARKET SUMMARIES FOR FEBRUARY 2016

Pacific Northwest Order (FO 124)

	February 2016	January 2016	February 2015 1/	February 2016 Change From	
				Month-Ago	Year-Ago
Producer Deliveries	716,471,877	748,503,541	455,830,012	-4.28%	57.18%
Daily Deliveries	24,705,927	24,145,276	16,279,643	2.32%	51.76%
Number of Producers*	559	559	432		
Daily Deliveries Per Producer*	44,197	43,194	37,684	2.32%	17.28%
Class I Producer Milk	159,524,821	165,047,395	152,317,361	-3.35%	4.73%
Class I Utilization (%)	22.27%	22.05%	33.42%		
Class I Daily Usage	5,500,856	5,324,110	5,439,906	3.32%	1.12%
Producer Price Differential (PPD)	\$0.28	\$0.43	(\$0.04)	-\$0.15	\$0.32
Uniform Price (@ 3.5% Butterfat)	\$14.08	\$14.15	\$15.42	-\$0.07	-\$1.34
<i>Uniform Price (@ Avg. Pool Tests)</i>	<i>\$15.73</i>	<i>\$16.07</i>	<i>\$16.49</i>	<i>-\$0.34</i>	<i>-\$0.76</i>
Avg. Pool Butterfat Test	4.005%	4.094%	3.872%		
Avg. Pool Protein Test	3.243%	3.297%	3.147%		
Avg. Pool Other Solids Test	5.733%	5.733%	5.737%		

Arizona Order (FO 131)

	February 2016	January 2016	February 2015	February 2016 Change From	
				Month-Ago	Year-Ago
Producer Deliveries	433,099,196	432,409,851	383,083,139	0.16%	13.06%
Daily Deliveries	14,934,455	13,948,705	13,681,541	7.07%	9.16%
Number of Producers	95	95	94		
Daily Deliveries Per Producer	157,205	146,828	145,548	7.07%	8.01%
Class I Producer Milk	104,101,193	107,729,394	101,299,394	-3.37%	2.77%
Class I Utilization (%)	24.04%	24.91%	26.44%		
Class I Daily Usage	3,589,696	3,475,142	3,617,836	3.30%	-0.78%
Uniform Price (@ 3.5% Butterfat)	\$14.30	\$14.50	\$15.56	-\$0.20	-\$1.26
<i>Uniform Price (@ Avg. Pool Tests)</i>	<i>\$14.30</i>	<i>\$14.82</i>	<i>\$15.52</i>	<i>-\$0.52</i>	<i>-\$1.22</i>
Avg. Pool Butterfat Test	3.500%	3.636%	3.479%		

Numbers in Bold/Italics are estimated.

Numbers in Italics represent the calculation of the Uniform Price using average pool component tests. Contact Bothell office for details.

1/ Eligible milk not pooled due to price. Comparisons to previous month or year may be biased.