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FEDERAL MILK ORDERS 124, 131 & 135

**ANNOUNCEMENT OF UNIFORM PRICES FOR
THE PACIFIC NORTHWEST, WESTERN AND ARIZONA-LAS VEGAS ORDERS
FO 124, 131 and 135
March 2002**

Producer Prices	Pacific Northwest FO 124	Western FO 135	Arizona - Las Vegas FO 131
Producer Price Differential 1/	\$1.08	\$0.91	
Butterfat 2/	\$1.3638	\$1.3638	
Protein 2/	\$1.8342	\$1.8342	
Other Solids 2/	\$0.0688	\$0.0688	
Nonfat Solids 3/	\$0.7660	\$0.7660	
Skim 1/			\$7.38
Butterfat 2/			\$1.3683
Stat. Uniform Price 4/	\$11.73	\$11.56	\$11.91

Producer Milk Utilizations						
Class	Percent	Pounds	Percent	Pounds	Percent	Pounds
Class I	26.70%	177,087,787	23.69%	82,724,067	28.54%	81,525,084
Class II	5.20%	34,503,875	7.61%	26,543,703	3.95%	11,295,986
Class III	36.52%	242,177,262	64.29%	224,367,803	38.86%	111,014,100
Class IV	31.58%	209,402,883	4.41%	15,384,629	28.65%	81,837,511
Total Producer Milk		663,171,807		349,020,202		285,672,681

Producer Milk Component Levels			
Butterfat	3.716%	3.681%	3.592%
Protein	3.062%	3.115%	
Other Solids	5.712%	5.771%	
Solids-Not-Fat	8.774%	8.886%	

Computation of:	Producer Price Differential (124 & 135)	Uniform Price (131)
Class I	\$19,957,908.18	\$9,782,331.34
Class II	\$7,609,331.74	\$3,101,191.99
Class III	\$27,013,462.55	\$14,939,835.91
Class IV	\$25,766,235.00	\$6,470,797.88
Gross Value	\$80,346,937.47	\$34,294,157.12
Net Adjustments	(\$73,183,249.44)	(\$13,944,868.16)
Net Pool Value	\$7,163,688.03	\$20,349,288.96

Class I	% Skim	27%	24%	29%
	% Butterfat	13%	12%	16%

* Subject to applicable location adjustments.

1/ Per hundredweight. 2/ Per pound. 3/ Price not used for payments to producers. 4/ For FO 124 & 135, statistical uniform price represents the Class III price, plus the producer price differential. For FO 131, statistical uniform price represents 0.965 multiplied by the skim price, plus 3.5 multiplied by the butterfat price. R - Restricted. Included in Class III.

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