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FEDERAL MILK ORDERS 124 & 131

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ANNOUNCEMENT OF UNIFORM PRICES FOR THE PACIFIC NORTHWEST AND ARIZONA ORDERS

FO 124 and 131

March 2010

Producer Prices *	Pacific Northwest FO 124	Arizona FO 131
Producer Price Differential 1/	\$1.08	
Butterfat 2/	\$1.5347	
Protein 2/	\$2.1311	
Other Solids 2/	\$0.1823	
Nonfat Solids 3/	\$0.8688	
Skim 1/		\$9.27
Butterfat 2/		\$1.5263
Stat. Uniform Price 4/	\$13.86	\$14.29

Producer Milk Utilizations				
Class	Percent	Pounds	Percent	Pounds
Class I	27.28%	192,697,194	32.44%	123,509,719
Class II	6.54%	46,204,112	7.69%	29,261,112
Class III	39.50%	279,022,850	25.63%	97,591,787
Class IV	26.68%	188,519,652	34.24%	130,387,934
Total Producer Milk		706,443,808		380,750,552

Producer Milk Component Levels		
Butterfat	3.718%	3.506%
Protein	3.137%	
Other Solids	5.694%	
Solids-Not-Fat	8.831%	

Computation of:	PPD (124)	Uniform Price (131)
Class I	\$26,581,892.80	\$17,778,061.07
Class II	\$9,712,718.14	\$8,024,882.72
Class III	\$38,109,879.99	\$16,014,191.68
Class IV	\$27,629,833.55	\$12,491,369.71
Gross Value	\$102,034,324.48	\$54,308,505.18
Net Adjustments	(\$94,404,731.33)	(\$20,235,422.38)
Net Pool Value	\$7,629,593.15	\$34,073,082.80

Class I	% Skim	28%	33%
	% Butterfat	12%	17%

* 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 MARCH 2010

Pacific Northwest Order (FO 124)

	March 2010	February 2010	March 2009 1/	March 2010 Percent Change From	
				Month-Ago	Year-Ago
Producer Deliveries	706,443,808	633,137,800	615,364,582	11.58%	14.80%
Daily Deliveries	22,788,510	22,612,064	19,850,470	0.78%	14.80%
Number of Producers	629	630	651		
Daily Deliveries Per Producer	36,230	35,892	30,492	0.94%	18.82%
Class I Producer Milk	192,697,194	172,944,653	191,219,656	11.42%	0.77%
Class I Utilization (%)	27.28%	27.32%	31.07%		
Class I Daily Usage	6,216,039	6,176,595	6,168,376	0.64%	0.77%

Arizona Order (FO 131)

	March 2010	February 2010	March 2009	March 2010 Percent Change From	
				Month-Ago	Year-Ago
Producer Deliveries	380,750,552	336,145,325	386,710,929	13.27%	-1.54%
Daily Deliveries	12,282,276	12,005,190	12,474,546	2.31%	-1.54%
Number of Producers	93	93	100		
Daily Deliveries Per Producer	132,067	129,088	124,745	2.31%	5.87%
Class I Producer Milk	123,509,719	110,076,871	123,730,634	12.20%	-0.18%
Class I Utilization (%)	32.44%	32.75%	32.00%		
Class I Daily Usage	3,984,184	3,931,317	3,991,311	1.34%	-0.18%

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

Numbers in Bold/Italics are estimated.