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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

April 2003

Producer Prices	Pacific Northwest FO 124	Western FO 135	Arizona - Las Vegas FO 131
Producer Price Differential 1/	\$0.80	\$0.54	
Butterfat 2/	\$1.1503	\$1.1503	
Protein 2/	\$1.8006	\$1.8006	
Other Solids 2/	(\$0.0008)	(\$0.0008)	
Nonfat Solids 3/	\$0.6564	\$0.6564	
Skim 1/			\$6.54
Butterfat 2/			\$1.1508
Stat. Uniform Price 4/	\$10.21	\$9.95	\$10.34

Producer Milk Utilizations

Class	Pacific Northwest		Western		Arizona - Las Vegas	
	Percent	Pounds	Percent	Pounds	Percent	Pounds
Class I	28.05%	175,527,527	16.27%	91,715,897	29.15%	81,640,047
Class II	6.21%	38,867,981	5.46%	30,784,405	5.72%	16,009,792
Class III	33.95%	212,437,520	76.62%	432,042,184	34.70%	97,199,360
Class IV	31.79%	198,893,481	1.65%	9,318,290	30.43%	85,229,034
Total Producer Milk		625,726,509		563,860,776		280,078,233

Producer Milk Component Levels

Component	Pacific Northwest	Western	Arizona - Las Vegas
Butterfat	3.652%	3.604%	3.571%
Protein	3.011%	3.038%	
Other Solids	5.697%	5.703%	
Solids-Not-Fat	8.708%	8.741%	

Computation of:	Producer Price Differential (124 & 135)	Uniform Price (131)
Class I	\$17,093,696.71	\$8,473,314.12
Class II	\$6,734,955.96	\$2,939,120.69
Class III	\$20,607,291.13	\$11,310,479.40
Class IV	\$20,492,245.77	\$6,435,520.01
Gross Value	\$64,928,189.57	\$29,158,434.22
Net Adjustments	(\$59,921,856.66)	(\$11,477,861.48)
Net Pool Value	\$5,006,332.91	\$17,680,572.74

Class	% Skim	Pacific Northwest	Western	Arizona - Las Vegas
Class I	% Skim	29%	17%	30%
	% Butterfat	14%	10%	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.

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