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FEDERAL MILK ORDERS 124 & 131

ANNOUNCEMENT OF UNIFORM PRICES FOR THE PACIFIC NORTHWEST AND ARIZONA-LAS VEGAS ORDERS FO 124 and 131 October 2005

Producer Prices *	Pacific Northwest FO 124	Arizona - Las Vegas FO 131
Producer Price Differential 1/	\$0.11	
Butterfat 2/	\$1.8256	
Protein 2/	\$2.3780	
Other Solids 2/	\$0.1491	
Nonfat Solids 3/	\$0.8310	
Skim 1/		\$8.89
Butterfat 2/		\$1.8425
Stat. Uniform Price 4/	\$14.46	\$15.03

Producer Milk Utilizations				
Class	Percent	Pounds	Percent	Pounds
Class I	28.34%	177,360,097	35.45%	82,594,058
Class II	5.95%	37,250,654	10.30%	24,010,427
Class III	28.95%	181,150,816	41.70%	97,160,542
Class IV	36.76%	230,058,062	12.55%	29,239,066
Total Producer Milk		625,819,629		233,004,093

Producer Milk Component Levels		
Butterfat	3.740%	3.601%
Protein	3.109%	
Other Solids	5.687%	
Solids-Not-Fat	8.797%	

Computation of:	PPD (124)	Uniform Price (131)
Class I	\$23,256,433.65	\$11,422,598.82
Class II	\$9,800,420.10	\$5,158,314.80
Class III	\$27,898,652.98	\$16,480,633.99
Class IV	\$33,652,138.85	\$2,341,269.84
Gross Value	\$94,607,645.58	\$35,402,817.45
Net Adjustments	(\$93,919,240.46)	(\$15,411,679.31)
Net Pool Value	\$688,405.12	\$19,991,138.14

Class I	% Skim	29%		36%
	% Butterfat	14%		19%

* 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 OCTOBER 2005

Pacific Northwest Order (FO 124)

	October 2005	September 2005	October 2004 1/	October 2005 Percent Change From	
				Month-Ago	Year-Ago
Producer Deliveries	625,819,629	633,363,684	617,207,024	-1.19%	1.40%
Daily Deliveries	20,187,730	21,112,123	19,909,904	-4.38%	1.40%
Number of Producers	862	862	889		
Daily Deliveries Per Producer	23,420	24,492	22,396	-4.38%	4.57%
Class I Producer Milk	177,360,097	186,073,679	184,876,568	-4.68%	-4.07%
Class I Utilization (%)	28.34%	29.38%	29.95%		
Class I Daily Usage	5,721,293	6,202,456	5,963,760	-7.76%	-4.07%

Arizona-Las Vegas Order (FO 131)

	October 2005	September 2005	October 2004	October 2005 Percent Change From	
				Month-Ago	Year-Ago
Producer Deliveries	233,004,093	217,820,732	230,687,234	6.97%	1.00%
Daily Deliveries	7,516,261	7,260,691	7,441,524	3.52%	1.00%
Number of Producers	85	85	92		
Daily Deliveries Per Producer	88,427	85,420	80,886	3.52%	9.32%
Class I Producer Milk	82,594,058	86,320,883	80,833,157	-4.32%	2.18%
Class I Utilization (%)	35.45%	39.64%	35.03%		
Class I Daily Usage	2,664,324	2,877,363	2,607,521	-7.40%	2.18%

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

Numbers in Bold/Italics are estimated.