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FEDERAL MILK ORDERS 124 & 131

**ANNOUNCEMENT OF UNIFORM PRICES FOR  
THE PACIFIC NORTHWEST AND ARIZONA ORDERS  
FO 124 and 131  
October 2012**

<b>Producer Prices *</b>	<b>Pacific Northwest FO 124</b>	<b>Arizona FO 131</b>
Producer Price Differential 1/	(\$1.84)	
Butterfat 2/	\$2.1136	
Protein 2/	\$3.7278	
Other Solids 2/	\$0.4340	
Nonfat Solids 3/	\$1.2828	
Skim 1/		\$13.35
Butterfat 2/		\$2.0987
Stat. Uniform Price 4/	\$19.18	\$20.23

<b>Producer Milk Utilizations</b>				
<b>Class</b>	<b>Percent</b>	<b>Pounds</b>	<b>Percent</b>	<b>Pounds</b>
Class I	45.64%	192,398,161	35.90%	123,077,903
Class II	11.46%	48,329,885	10.31%	35,341,886
Class III	8.94%	37,705,908	25.67%	88,027,778
Class IV	33.96%	143,121,147	28.12%	96,433,978
Total Producer Milk		421,555,101		342,881,545

<b>Producer Milk Component Levels</b>		
Butterfat	3.870%	3.598%
Protein	3.233%	
Other Solids	5.710%	
Solids-Not-Fat	8.943%	

<b>Computation of:</b>	<b>PPD (124)</b>	<b>Uniform Price (131)</b>
Class I	\$34,011,214.49	\$22,382,681.62
Class II	\$13,880,097.51	\$12,143,974.00
Class III	\$8,940,638.84	\$23,079,288.95
Class IV	\$31,105,821.45	\$12,213,292.07
Gross Value	\$87,937,772.29	\$69,819,236.64
Net Adjustments	(\$95,694,532.18)	(\$25,667,457.80)
Net Pool Value	(\$7,756,759.89)	\$44,151,778.84

Class I	% Skim	47%	37%
	% Butterfat	22%	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 2012

## *Pacific Northwest Order (FO 124)*

	October 2012 1/	September 2012 1/	October 2011	October 2012 Change From	
				Month-Ago	Year-Ago
Producer Deliveries	421,555,101	424,598,340	700,339,150	-0.72%	-39.81%
Daily Deliveries	13,598,552	14,153,278	22,591,585	-3.92%	-39.81%
Number of Producers	<b>451</b>	451	626		
Daily Deliveries Per Producer	<b>30,152</b>	31,382	36,089	<b>-3.92%</b>	<b>-16.45%</b>
Class I Producer Milk	192,398,161	172,655,387	190,384,717	11.43%	1.06%
Class I Utilization (%)	45.64%	40.66%	27.18%		
Class I Daily Usage	6,206,392	5,755,180	6,141,442	7.84%	1.06%
Uniform Price (@ 3.5% Butterfat)	\$19.18	\$18.17	\$18.80	\$1.01	\$0.38
<i>Uniform Price (@ Avg. Pool Tests)</i>	<i>\$20.87</i>	<i>\$19.18</i>	<i>\$20.17</i>	<i>\$1.69</i>	<i>\$0.70</i>
Avg. Pool Butterfat Test	3.870%	3.759%	3.805%		
Avg. Pool Protein Test	3.233%	3.139%	3.248%		
Avg. Pool Other Solids Test	5.710%	5.721%	5.726%		

## *Arizona Order (FO 131)*

	October 2012	September 2012	October 2011	October 2012 Change From	
				Month-Ago	Year-Ago
Producer Deliveries	342,881,545	314,790,055	366,587,020	8.92%	-6.47%
Daily Deliveries	11,060,695	10,493,002	11,825,388	5.41%	-6.47%
Number of Producers	<b>95</b>	95	100		
Daily Deliveries Per Producer	<b>116,428</b>	110,453	118,254	<b>5.41%</b>	<b>-1.54%</b>
Class I Producer Milk	123,077,903	117,009,277	121,373,986	5.19%	1.40%
Class I Utilization (%)	35.90%	37.17%	33.11%		
Class I Daily Usage	3,970,255	3,900,309	3,915,290	1.79%	1.40%
Uniform Price (@ 3.5% Butterfat)	\$20.23	\$18.94	\$19.39	\$1.29	\$0.84
<i>Uniform Price (@ Avg. Pool Tests)</i>	<i>\$20.42</i>	<i>\$19.03</i>	<i>\$19.49</i>	<i>\$1.39</i>	<i>\$0.93</i>
Avg. Pool Butterfat Test	3.598%	3.549%	3.554%		

**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.