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NEW YORK-NEW JERSEY MILK MARKETING AREA

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Uniform Price Announcement

\$14.19

Weighted average

butterfat test: 3.715632%

Butterfat differential: \$.140

Computation of Uniform Price
per hundredweight of milk testing 3.5 percent butterfat
received in bulk from farms in the 201-210 milk zone*

Class and item	Milk pounds	Percent	Minimum price	Value including differentials
I-A Fluid milk in federal order marketing areas	364,988,324	39.1	\$15.71	\$ 57,475,345.99
I-B Fluid milk outside federal order marketing areas	12,034,135	1.3	15.71	1,892,039.10
II Total Class II	138,061,381	14.8	13.59	18,778,676.45
III Total Class III	383,395,789	41.0	13.34	51,186,820.11
III-A Total Class III-A	<u>35,583,424</u>	<u>3.8</u>	12.91	<u>4,602,257.14</u>
Reported pool receipts from dairy farmers	934,063,053	100.0		\$133,935,138.79
Add: Inventory reclassification— Sec. .60(d)(6)				<u>61,863.44</u>
Total pool milk classified	934,063,053			
Value of milk classified				\$133,997,002.23
Less: Cooperative payments	608,862,327		\$ 243,544.93	
Reserve			759,187.76	
Transportation credit	934,063,053		1,401,094.56	
Total subtractions				<u>(2,403,827.25)</u>
				\$131,593,174.98
Add: Freight adjustment			\$ 2,592.16	
Unreserved cash in producer settlement fund			<u>947,780.08</u>	
Total additions				<u>950,372.24</u>
Uniform price value of 934,063,053 milk pounds				<u>\$132,543,547.22</u>

* Uniform price adjusted to the 1-10 mile zone is : **\$14.91.**

(Comparative Statistics on reverse side)

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New York-New Jersey Order No. 2 Comparative Statistics

	February		1997-98 change	
	1998	1997	Actual	Percent
Producer Receipts (pounds)	934,063,053	882,337,687	51,725,366	5.9
Class I (pounds)				
Class I-A	364,988,324	339,063,790	25,924,534	7.6
Class I-B	12,034,135	12,452,026	(417,891)	(3.4)
Total Class I	377,022,459	351,515,816	25,506,643	7.3
% of total receipts	40.4	39.8	0.6	1.5
Class II (pounds)	138,061,381	139,859,789	(1,798,408)	(1.3)
% of total receipts	14.8	15.8	(1.0)	(6.3)
Class III (pounds)	383,395,789	369,289,315	14,106,474	3.8
% of total receipts	41.0	41.9	(0.9)	(2.1)
Class III-A (pounds)	35,583,424	21,672,767	13,910,657	64.2
% of total receipts	3.8	2.5	1.3	52.0
Number of Producers	10,212	10,220	(8)	(0.1)
Daily Deliveries (pounds)				
Per pool producer	3,267	3,083	184	6.0
Number of Handlers				
Operating Bulk Tank Units	36	39	(3)	(7.7)
Number of Bulk Tank Units	95	105	(10)	(9.5)
Minimum Prices (per cwt.)				
Class I price	\$15.71	\$13.76	\$1.95	14.2
Class II price	\$13.59	\$11.64	\$1.95	16.8
Class III price	\$13.34	\$12.48	\$0.86	6.9
Class III-A price	\$12.91	\$12.38	\$0.53	4.3
Uniform price	\$14.19	\$12.70	\$1.49	11.7
Transportation Credit				
Bulk milk subject to credit	934,063,053	882,337,687	51,725,366	5.9
Value of credit	\$1,401,094.56	\$1,323,506.55	\$77,588.01	5.9
Value Summary				
Uniform price	\$132,543,547.22	\$112,056,886.25	\$20,486,660.97	18.3
Butterfat differential	2,819,788.56	1,878,505.83	941,282.73	50.1
Freight adjustment	(2,592.16)	(112,323.44)	109,731.28	97.7
Gross value to farmers	\$135,360,743.62	\$113,823,068.64	\$21,537,674.98	18.9

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