

Agricultural Marketing Service Dairy Programs

FEDERAL MILK ORDER No. 1

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ANNOUNCEMENT OF CLASS AND COMPONENT PRICES

	September 2006	5
Class I price @ Suffolk County, MA (Boston) at 3.5% butterfat ^{1/}	dollars 14.10	_ _
		per hundredweight
Processor Assessment ^{1/2/}	0.20	per hundredweight
Total Class I price ^{1/}	14.30	per hundredweight
Class II price @ 3.5 % butterfat	11.74	per hundredweight
Class II butterfat price	1.4261	per pound
Class II skim price ^{1/}	6.99	per hundredweight
Class II nonfat solids price ^{1/}	0.7767	per pound
Class III price @ 3.5 % butterfat	12.29	per hundredweight
Class III skim price	7.59	per hundredweight
Class IV price @ 3.5 % butterfat	11.10	per hundredweight
Class IV skim milk price	6.36	per hundredweight
Component prices:		
Butterfat price	1.4191	per pound
Nonfat solids price	0.7066	per pound
Protein price	2.1346	per pound
Other solids price	0.1649	per pound
Product price monthly averages:	dollars	
Butter	1.2976	per pound
Nonfat dry milk	0.8537	per pound
Cheese	1.2912	per pound
Dry whey	0.3191	per pound

Estimated Utilization Percentages of Producer Milk for October 2006^{3/}

	<u>Class I</u>	Class II, III and IV
Butterfat	25	75
Skim Milk	47	53

^{1/} Previously announced in Announcement of Class I Price and Advanced Pricing Factors.

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The processor assessment is an obligation under the Fluid Milk Promotion Order (7CFR§1160.101 et seq.). The Order requires that all persons who process and market commercially more than 3,000,000 pounds of fluid milk products in consumer-type packages in the 48 contiguous states and District of Columbia on a monthly basis, excluding those fluid milk products delivered to a residence of a consumer, be assessed 20 cents per hundredweight on all marketings of such packaged fluid milk products during the month.

^{3/} Utilization percentages for assigning bulk receipts at pool distributing plants from other federal order markets, Section 1000.45(a) of the Order. **Note: Price formulas are available at www.ams.usda.gov/dairy/price_formula.htm.**

September 2006 Class I Price Information for the Northeast Order

			Prices			
			Skim	Butterfat	Class I#	
				dollars		
			per cwt.	per pound	per cwt.	
	Class I	Mover Factor:	6.64	1.2703	10.85	
Selected						
locations	Differential*	Adjustment				
Boston, MA	3.25	0.00	9.89	1.3028	14.10	
Newport News/Portsmouth, VA	3.20	(0.05)	9.84	1.3023	14.05	
New York, NY	3.15	(0.10)	9.79	1.3018	14.00	
Long Valley, NJ	3.10	(0.15)	9.74	1.3013	13.95	
Philadelphia, PA	3.05	(0.20)	9.69	1.3008	13.90	
Agawam, MA/Baltimore, MD	3.00	(0.25)	9.64	1.3003	13.85	
Frederick, MD/New Holland, PA	2.90	(0.35)	9.54	1.2993	13.75	
Mt. Holly Springs, PA	2.80	(0.45)	9.44	1.2983	13.65	
Albany/Binghamton, NY	2.70	(0.55)	9.34	1.2973	13.55	
Middlebury, VT	2.60	(0.65)	9.24	1.2963	13.45	
Syracuse, NY	2.50	(0.75)	9.14	1.2953	13.35	
St. Albans/Swanton, VT	2.40	(0.85)	9.04	1.2943	13.25	
Watertown/Rochester, NY	2.30	(0.95)	8.94	1.2933	13.15	
Buffalo, NY	2.20	(1.05)	8.84	1.2923	13.05	
Jamestown, NY	2.10	(1.15)	8.74	1.2913	12.95	

^{*} Differentials listed apply to states included in the Northeast marketing area. Outside of this area, differentials may be above or below this range. Cities listed are for reference purposes only. Differentials apply on a county basis.

[#] Price at 3.5% butterfat. Does not include the 20 cent per hundredweight processor assessment, an obligation under the Fluid Milk Promotion Order (7CFR§1160.101 et seq.).