

Agricultural Marketing Service **Dairy Programs**

FEDERAL MILK ORDER No. 1

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ANNOUNCEMENT OF CLASS AND COMPONENT PRICES1/

	April 2012	
Class I price @ Suffolk County, MA (Boston) at 3.5% butterfat ^{2/}	dollars 18.91	<u> </u>
		per hundredweight
Processor Assessment ^{2/3/}	0.20	per hundredweight
Total Class I price ^{2/}	19.11	per hundredweight
Class II price @ 3.5 % butterfat	16.20 1.5715 11.09 1.2322 15.72 10.62 14.80 9.66	per hundredweight per pound per hundredweight per pound per hundredweight per hundredweight per hundredweight per hundredweight per hundredweight
Class II butterfat price		
Class II skim price ^{2/}		
Class II nonfat solids price ^{2/}		
Class III price @ 3.5 % butterfat		
Class III skim price		
Class IV price @ 3.5 % butterfat		
Class IV skim milk price		
Component prices:		
Butterfat price	1.5645	per pound
Nonfat solids price	1.0728	per pound
Protein price	2.6568	per pound
Other solids price	0.4048	per pound
Product price monthly averages:	dollars	
Butter	1.4634	per pound
Nonfat dry milk	1.2514	per pound
Cheese	1.5361	per pound
Dry whey	0.5921	per pound

Estimated Utilization Percentages of Producer Milk for May 2012 4/

	<u>Class I</u>	Class II, III and IV
Butterfat	18	82
Skim Milk	38	62

^{1/} See Price Formulas at www.ams.usda.gov/AMSv1.0/PriceFormulas2012.

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(Class I prices by location on reverse side)

^{2/} Previously announced in Announcement of Class I Price and Advanced Pricing Factors.

³⁷ 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.

^{4/} Utilization percentages for assigning bulk receipts at pool distributing plants from other federal order markets, Section 1000.45(a) of the Order.

April 2012
Class I Price Information for the Northeast Order

			Prices		
			Skim	Butterfat	Class I#
				dollars	
			per cwt.	per pound	per cwt.
	Class I	Mover Factor:	10.70	1.5239	15.66
Selected					
locations	Differential*	Adjustment			
Boston, MA	3.25	0.00	13.95	1.5564	18.91
Newport News/Portsmouth, VA	3.20	(0.05)	13.90	1.5559	18.86
New York, NY	3.15	(0.10)	13.85	1.5554	18.81
Long Valley, NJ	3.10	(0.15)	13.80	1.5549	18.76
Philadelphia, PA	3.05	(0.20)	13.75	1.5544	18.71
Agawam, MA/Baltimore, MD	3.00	(0.25)	13.70	1.5539	18.66
Frederick, MD/New Holland, PA	2.90	(0.35)	13.60	1.5529	18.56
Mt. Holly Springs, PA	2.80	(0.45)	13.50	1.5519	18.46
Albany/Binghamton, NY	2.70	(0.55)	13.40	1.5509	18.36
Middlebury, VT	2.60	(0.65)	13.30	1.5499	18.26
Syracuse, NY	2.50	(0.75)	13.20	1.5489	18.16
St. Albans/Swanton, VT	2.40	(0.85)	13.10	1.5479	18.06
Watertown/Rochester, NY	2.30	(0.95)	13.00	1.5469	17.96
Buffalo, NY	2.20	(1.05)	12.90	1.5459	17.86
Jamestown, NY	2.10	(1.15)	12.80	1.5449	17.76

^{*} 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.).