

Agricultural Marketing Service Dairy Programs

FEDERAL MILK ORDER No. 1

Northeast Marketing Area

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ANNOUNCEMENT OF CLASS I PRICE AND ADVANCED PRICING FACTORS^{1/}

	December 2008	_	
	(dollars)		
Class I price @ Suffolk County, MA (Boston) at 3.5% butterfat	18.68	per hundredweight	
Processor Assessment ^{2/}	0.20	per hundredweight	
Total Class I price	18.88	per hundredweight	
Class I skim price @ Boston, MA	12.74	per hundredweight	
Class I butterfat price @ Boston, MA	1.8250	per pound	
Class I skim price @ New York, NY	12.64	per hundredweight	
Class I butterfat price @ New York, NY	1.8240	per pound	
Class I skim price @ Philadelphia, PA	12.54	per hundredweight	
Class I butterfat price @ Philadelphia, PA	1.8230	per pound	
Class II skim price	6.88	per hundredweight	
Class II nonfat solids price	0.7644	per pound	
Advanced pricing factors:			
Base skim milk price for Class I 9.49		per hundredweight	
Advanced butterfat pricing factor	1.7925	per pound	
Advanced Class III skim milk pricing factor	9.49	per hundredweight	
Advanced Class IV skim milk pricing factor	6.18	per hundredweight	
Two-week product price averages (weeks ending 11/8, 11/15):	November 2008	_	
	(dollars)		
Butter	1.6517	per pound	
Nonfat dry milk	0.8617	per pound	
Cheese	1.7420	per pound	
Dry whey	0.1896	per pound	

^{1/} See Price Formulas at www.ams.usda.gov/DairyMarketStatistics; then select "Prices"; and then select "Price Formulas - 2008".
^{2/} The processor assessment is an obligation under the Fluid Milk Promotion Order (7CFR§1160.101 <u>et seq</u>.). 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.

(Class I price by location on reverse side)

December 2008 Class I Price Information for the Northeast Order

			Prices		
			Skim	Butterfat	Class I#
			dollars		
			per cwt.	per pound	per cwt.
	Class I Mover Factor:		9.49	1.7925	15.43
Selected					
locations	Differential*	Adjustment			
Boston, MA	3.25	0.00	12.74	1.8250	18.68
Newport News/Portsmouth, VA	3.20	(0.05)	12.69	1.8245	18.63
New York, NY	3.15	(0.10)	12.64	1.8240	18.58
Long Valley, NJ	3.10	(0.15)	12.59	1.8235	18.53
Philadelphia, PA	3.05	(0.20)	12.54	1.8230	18.48
Agawam, MA/Baltimore, MD	3.00	(0.25)	12.49	1.8225	18.43
Frederick, MD/New Holland, PA	2.90	(0.35)	12.39	1.8215	18.33
Mt. Holly Springs, PA	2.80	(0.45)	12.29	1.8205	18.23
Albany/Binghamton, NY	2.70	(0.55)	12.19	1.8195	18.13
Middlebury, VT	2.60	(0.65)	12.09	1.8185	18.03
Syracuse, NY	2.50	(0.75)	11.99	1.8175	17.93
St. Albans/Swanton, VT	2.40	(0.85)	11.89	1.8165	17.83
Watertown/Rochester, NY	2.30	(0.95)	11.79	1.8155	17.73
Buffalo, NY	2.20	(1.05)	11.69	1.8145	17.63
Jamestown, NY	2.10	(1.15)	11.59	1.8135	17.53

* 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.).