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MARCH 2008 MONTHLY STATISTICAL REPORT

RECEIPTS AND UTILIZATION OF FLUID MILK PRODUCTS AND CREAM BY POOL PLANTS*

	March 2008	March 2007	% Change
	pounds		daily avg.
Receipts of Fluid Milk Products and Cream			
Producers	2,133,736,906	1,948,926,692	9.5
Other Sources	37,067,985	75,504,238	(50.9)
Fortification and Recon. (Skim Equivalent)	12,275,451	9,667,235	27.0
Overages	560,992	884,808	(36.6)
Beginning Inventory	152,417,418	157,139,056	(3.0)
Total Receipts	2,336,058,752	2,192,122,029	6.6
Average Daily Producer Receipts	68,830,223	62,868,603	9.5
Utilization of Fluid Milk Products and Cream from Producer Receipts and Other Sources			
Class I Milk:			
Marketing Area	845,007,786	887,334,849	(4.8)
Other Federal Markets	31,215,035	35,190,797	(11.3)
Non-Federal Markets	93,828,461	98,029,112	(4.3)
Total Class I Milk	970,051,282	1,020,554,758	(4.9)
Total Class II Milk	414,719,258	446,904,423	(7.2)
Total Class III Milk	511,037,356	466,910,400	9.5
Total Class IV Milk	433,432,911	250,373,141	73.1
Total Milk Assigned to Minimum price	6,817,945	7,379,307	(7.6)
Total Utilization	2,336,058,752	2,192,122,029	6.6
Average Daily Class I Use	31,291,977	32,921,121	(4.9)
Average Component Tests of Producer Receipts			
			% point
Butterfat	3.78%	3.76%	0.02
True Protein	3.07%	3.07%	0.00
Other Solids	5.73%	5.72%	0.01

* Product pounds based on reports of handlers.

HANDLERS WITH UNPAID CURRENT POOL OBLIGATION

Name

Location

NONE

UTILIZATION OF FLUID MILK PRODUCTS AND CREAM BY POOL PLANTS

	March 2008 pounds	Butterfat percent	March 2007 pounds	Butterfat percent
Class I Milk				
Whole Milk	255,960,381	3.28	280,645,927	3.25
Reduced Fat – 2% Plain	183,889,167	1.88	184,816,545	1.88
Reduced Fat – 2% Fortified	1,704,656	2.01	1,240,973	2.02
Lowfat – 1% Plain	138,701,483	0.98	142,572,166	0.98
Lowfat – 1% Fortified	1,729,642	1.00	2,967,227	1.11
FatFree Plain	112,757,584	0.10	115,537,293	0.10
FatFree Fortified	10,757,167	0.11	12,404,486	0.11
Flavored Milk and Drinks	52,284,428	1.11	57,122,391	1.17
Buttermilk	3,069,530	1.01	3,193,347	1.02
Eggnog	80,676	6.69	242,144	6.34
Shrinkage, Overages & Interhandler Difference	(1,728,137)	N/A	(3,202,630)	N/A
Ending Inventory	85,801,209	1.73	89,794,980	1.75
Total Class I <i>in</i> Marketing Area	845,007,786	1.89	887,334,849	1.91
Class I <i>out of</i> Marketing Area	125,043,496	1.77	133,219,909	1.83
Total Class I Utilization	970,051,282	1.87	1,020,554,758	1.90
Class II Milk**				
Packaged Cream	81,230,048	18.39	89,624,344	18.02
Nonpool Bulk	24,001,063	5.13	28,953,340	2.59
Bakery, Candy, and Soup Products	52,260,989	3.73	44,870,111	3.99
Cottage Cheese	49,172,176	0.69	52,703,298	0.67
Ricotta Cheese	17,711,768	4.93	23,126,250	4.46
Sour Cream and Aerated Cream	17,848,802	12.48	18,527,511	12.60
Yogurt and Eggnog	32,547,273	1.57	29,284,369	1.68
Ice Cream, Desserts, Condensed, and Mixes	139,701,185	7.20	145,689,536	6.29
Shrinkage, Overages & Interhandler Difference	245,954	49.26	14,125,664	4.53
Total Class II Utilization	414,719,258	7.77	446,904,423	7.32
Class III Milk**				
Nonpool Bulk and Condensed Products	2,727,204	6.87	5,510,507	2.03
American-Type Cheeses	148,777,052	3.58	148,104,770	3.41
Cream Cheese	57,689,489	11.22	53,112,840	10.50
Italian-Type Cheeses	280,221,953	3.20	240,130,773	2.85
Swiss and Other-Type Cheeses	21,527,176	3.58	20,027,250	3.29
Shrinkage, Overages & Interhandler Difference	94,482	41.67	24,260	47.87
Total Class III Utilization	511,037,356	4.26	466,910,400	3.91
Class IV Milk**				
Nonpool Bulk	43,247,396	6.95	12,371,771	7.82
Condensed Products	22,224,658	2.92	19,891,614	3.49
Butter	13,617,788	57.36	17,639,860	48.86
Dried Milk Products	247,492,242	0.59	118,046,627	0.59
Shrinkage, Overages & Interhandler Difference	17,250,170	3.43	166,807	33.86
Ending Inventory	83,208,637	5.84	74,674,910	6.93
Skim Equivalent of NFMS to Fortify Class I	6,392,020	0.06	7,581,552	0.51
Total Class IV Utilization	433,432,911	4.24	250,373,141	6.49
Minimum Price Class				
Animal Feed and Dumpage	6,817,945	2.34	7,379,307	2.34
Total Minimum Price Class Utilization	6,817,945	2.34	7,379,307	2.34
Total Utilization	2,336,058,752	3.88	2,192,122,029	3.96

** Includes sales to nonpool manufacturing plants.

N/A = Not applicable.

MARCH
RECEIPTS OF PRODUCER MILK, BY STATE

State	Receipts				Number of Producers		Daily Average Output	
	2008	2007	2008	2007	2008	2007	2008	2007
	thousand pounds	pounds	percent	percent			pounds per farm	pounds per farm
CT	31,235	31,580	1.5	1.6	135	141	7,464	7,225
ME	48,664	47,506	2.3	2.4	332	336	4,728	4,561
MD	84,500	84,740	4.0	4.4	506	514	5,387	5,318
MA	20,497	20,673	1.0	1.1	164	163	4,032	4,091
NH	24,857	24,241	1.2	1.2	132	136	6,074	5,750
NJ	14,073	13,694	0.6	0.7	103	107	4,408	4,128
NY	912,809	798,127	42.8	41.0	5,073	5,178	5,804	4,972
PA	745,635	684,456	34.9	35.1	5,946	5,970	4,045	3,698
RI	1,300	1,112	0.1	0.1	16	13	2,621	2,759
VT	220,589	212,638	10.3	10.9	1,072	1,105	6,638	6,208
VA	9,185	8,266	0.4	0.4	92	72	3,221	3,704
Other States	20,393 #	21,853 ##	0.9	1.1	221	256	2,977	2,754
Total/Avg.	2,133,737	1,948,886	100.0	100.0	13,792	13,991	4,991	4,494

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RECEIPTS OF PRODUCER MILK BY PLANT LOCATION DIFFERENTIAL AT WHICH PRICED

Location Differentials* dollars/cwt	Class I	Class II	Class III	Class IV	Total Receipts	Percent of Total Receipts
	pounds					
3.15 and above	222,832,174	49,663,850	19,730,998	8,293,573	300,520,595	14.1
3.00 – 3.10	315,398,635	91,805,089	20,942,994	82,592,202	510,738,920	23.9
2.80 – 2.95	139,461,071	84,057,920	33,522,542	178,123,446	435,164,979	20.4
2.60 – 2.70	89,206,876	38,750,452	74,944,058	3,726,914	206,628,300	9.7
2.40 – 2.55	66,945,532	64,273,584	109,867,195	47,857,167	288,943,478	13.5
2.35 and below	38,990,302	69,682,214	249,219,725	33,848,393	391,740,634	18.4
Market Total	872,834,590	398,233,109	508,227,512	354,441,695	2,133,736,906	100.0

* Differentials have been combined in ranges to assure confidentiality of data.

MARCH 2008

PRICES

	March 2008	March2007	% Change
Class Prices (reported per cwt unless noted otherwise):			
Class I @ Suffolk County, MA (Boston) at 3.5% butterfat test	\$19.95	\$17.50	14.0
Class I Skim	15.79	13.25	19.2
Class II @ 3.5% butterfat test	15.63	13.60	14.9
Class II Butterfat (per pound)	1.3674	1.3839	(1.2)
Class II Skim	11.24	9.07	23.9
Class II Nonfat Solids (per pound)	1.2489	1.0078	23.9
Class III @ 3.5% butterfat test	18.00	15.09	19.3
Class III Skim	13.72	10.64	28.9
Class IV @ 3.5% butterfat test	14.17	13.71	3.4
Class IV Skim	9.75	9.21	5.9
Statistical Uniform Price	17.89	16.08	11.3
Producer Price Differential	(0.11)	0.99	(111.1)
Component Prices (per pound):			
Butterfat	1.3604	1.3769	(1.2)
Nonfat Solids	1.0833	1.0229	5.9
Protein	4.3331	2.4329	78.1
Other Solids	0.0493	0.5257	(90.6)

NUMBER OF HANDLERS AND POOL PLANTS

	March 2008	February 2008	March 2007
Pool Handlers (Operating pool distributing and/or pool supply plants; includes cooperatives that deliver milk to pool plants)	66	68	67
Producer-Handlers	13	12	14
Partially Regulated Distributing Plants, Exempt Plants, and Handlers			
Regulated under Other Federal Orders	77	77	71
Less handlers operating plants in more than one category	(10)	(10)	(9)
Total Number of Handlers	146	147	143
Distributing Plants	58	60	59
Supply Plants	10	10	11
Total Number of Pool Plants	68	70	70

CHANGE IN LIST OF HANDLERS AND PLANTS*

Name	Plant Location	CHANGED **		Expl.
		From	To	
Casp LLC	Penn Yan, NY	PD	ED	
DFA-Wisconsin-Organic	Milwaukee, WI	NPS	CSR	
DMS-Indiana Organic	Fairlawn, OH	NPS	CSR	
Good West	Douglassville, PA	PR	PD	(a)
Jasper Products, L.L.C.	Joplin, MO	PR	NPS	(a)
McEachron, Seth DBA Battenkill Valley Creamery, LLC	Salem, NY	NEW	ED	(a)
Monument Farms, Inc.	Weybridge, VT	PD	PH	
Ridge View Farms, Inc.	Elizabethtown, PA	ED	OOB	(a)
South Mountain Creamery, L.L.C.	Middletown, MD	ED	PH	(b)

* Listing of handlers pooled under the Northeast Order is available on the website: www.fmmone.com.

** Type of Plant:

CSR - Cooperative State Reporting Unit

ED - Exempt distributing plant

NEW - New plant or handler

NPS - Not pooling milk or reporting any sales in the Order during current month

OOB - Out of business

PD - Pool distributing plant

PH - Producer handler

PR - Partially regulated plant

(a) Effective February 2008.

(b) Only for month of January 2008.