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**ADVANCED ANNOUNCEMENT OF CLASS PRICES AND RELATED DATA
FOR DECEMBER 2012**

	Market Class I Differential Rate (Per cwt.)	Class I Prices ^{1/}		
		Skim Milk (Per cwt.)	Butterfat (Per Pound)	3.5% BF (Per cwt.)
Base Zone	\$ 1.80	\$ 16.43	\$ 2.0943	\$ 23.19
Other Zones	\$ 1.75	\$ 16.38	\$ 2.0938	\$ 23.14
	1.70	16.33	2.0933	23.09
	1.65	16.28	2.0928	23.04
	1.60	16.23	2.0923	22.99
Class II Nonfat Solids Price		(Per pound)		\$ 1.4078
Class II Skim Milk Price		(Per cwt.)		\$ 12.67

Factors Used in Prices for December 2012

Advanced Class III Skim Milk Price	(Per cwt.)	\$ 14.63
Advanced Class IV Skim Milk Price	(Per cwt.)	11.97
Class I Skim Milk Price Mover	(Per cwt.)	\$ 14.63
Advanced Butterfat Price	(Per pound)	2.0763
AMS Survey Prices -- Two-Week Average		
Butter	(Per pound)	\$ 1.8860
Cheese	(Per pound)	2.0717
Dry Whey	(Per pound)	0.6450
Nonfat Dry Milk	(Per pound)	1.5112
Advanced Component Prices		
Butterfat	(Per pound)	\$ 2.0763
Protein	(Per pound)	3.8438
Other Solids	(Per pound)	0.4593
Nonfat Solids	(Per pound)	1.3300

^{1/} There is also a \$0.20 per cwt. processor assessment which is an obligation under the Fluid Milk Promotion Order (7 CFR §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 the District of Columbia on a monthly basis, excluding those fluid milk products delivered to the residence of a consumer, be assessed 20 cents per hundredweight on all marketings of such packaged fluid milk products during the month.

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