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**ANNOUNCEMENT OF CLASS PRICES AND RELATED DATA
FOR MARCH 2015**

	Market Class I Differential Rate	Class I Prices ^{1/}		
		Skim Milk (Per cwt.)	Butterfat (Per Pound)	3.5% BF (Per cwt.)
Base Zone	\$ 1.80	\$11.39	\$ 1.8188	\$17.36
Other Zones	\$ 1.75	\$11.34	\$ 1.8183	\$17.31
	1.70	11.29	1.8178	17.26
	1.65	11.24	1.8173	17.21
	1.60	11.19	1.8168	17.16
Class II Prices	Nonfat Solids		(Per pound)	\$ 0.9233
	Butterfat		(Per pound)	1.8514
	Skim Milk		(Per cwt.)	8.31
	3.50% BF		(Per cwt.)	14.50
Class III Prices	Protein		(Per pound)	\$ 2.4875
	Other Solids		(Per pound)	0.2918
	Butterfat		(Per pound)	1.8444
	Skim Milk		(Per cwt.)	9.43
	3.50% BF		(Per cwt.)	15.56
Class IV Prices	Nonfat Solids		(Per pound)	\$ 0.8454
	Butterfat		(Per pound)	1.8444
	Skim Milk		(Per cwt.)	7.61
	3.50% BF		(Per cwt.)	13.80
Somatic Cell Adjustment Rate			(Per cwt. per 1,000 SCC)	\$ 0.00079

Factors Used in Prices for March 2015

Advanced Class III Skim Milk Price		(Per cwt.)	\$9.59	
Advanced Class IV Skim Milk Price		(Per cwt.)	7.61	
Class I Skim Milk Price Mover		(Per cwt.)	\$9.59	
Advanced Butterfat Price		(Per pound)	1.8008	
		<u>2-Week Average</u>	<u>Monthly Average</u>	
AMS Survey Prices	Butter	(Per pound)	\$ 1.6585	\$ 1.6945
	Cheese	(Per pound)	1.5408	1.5750
	Dry Whey	(Per pound)	0.5415	0.4824
	Nonfat Dry Milk	(Per pound)	1.0213	1.0217
Component Prices	Butterfat	(Per pound)	\$ 1.8008	\$ 1.8444
	Protein	(Per pound)	2.4232	2.4875
	Other Solids	(Per pound)	0.3527	0.2918
	Nonfat Solids	(Per pound)	0.8450	0.8454

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**ADVANCED CLASS PRICES AND RELATED DATA
FOR APRIL 2015**

	Market Class I Differential Rate	Class I Prices ^{1/}		
		Skim Milk (Per cwt.)	Butterfat (Per Pound)	3.5% BF (Per cwt.)
Base Zone	\$ 1.80	\$11.17	\$ 1.8622	\$17.30
Other Zones	\$ 1.75	\$11.12	\$ 1.8617	\$17.25
	1.70	11.07	1.8612	17.20
	1.65	11.02	1.8607	17.15
	1.60	10.97	1.8602	17.10
Class II Nonfat Solids Price			(Per pound)	\$ 0.9589
Class II Skim Milk Price			(Per cwt.)	\$ 8.63
Factors Used in Prices for April 2015				
Advanced Class III Skim Milk Price			(Per cwt.)	\$9.37
Advanced Class IV Skim Milk Price			(Per cwt.)	7.93
Class I Skim Milk Price Mover			(Per cwt.)	\$9.37
Advanced Butterfat Price			(Per pound)	1.8442
AMS Survey Prices -- Two-Week Average				
Butter			(Per pound)	\$ 1.6944
Cheese			(Per pound)	1.5617
Dry Whey			(Per pound)	0.4935
Nonfat Dry Milk			(Per pound)	1.0577
Advanced Component Prices				
Butterfat			(Per pound)	\$ 1.8442
Protein			(Per pound)	2.4448
Other Solids			(Per pound)	0.3032
Nonfat Solids			(Per pound)	0.8810

Estimated Utilization of Producer Milk in Class I

(Pursuant to § 1030.45(a))

March 2015	Class I Skim Milk	12%	Class I Butterfat	5%
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^{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.

April 1, 2015

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