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**ANNOUNCEMENT OF CLASS PRICES AND RELATED DATA
FOR FEBRUARY 2022**

	Market Class I Differential Rate (Per cwt.)	Class I Prices ^{1/}		
		Skim Milk	Butterfat	3.5% BF
		(Per cwt.)	(Per Pound)	(Per cwt.)
Base Zone	\$ 1.80	\$14.24	\$ 2.7717	\$23.44
Other Zones	\$ 1.75	\$14.19	\$ 2.7712	\$23.39
	1.70	14.14	2.7707	23.34
	1.65	14.09	2.7702	23.29
	1.60	14.04	2.7697	23.24
Class II Prices	Nonfat Solids		(Per pound)	\$ 1.5189
	Butterfat		(Per pound)	3.0288
	Skim Milk		(Per cwt.)	13.67
	3.50% BF		(Per cwt.)	23.79
Class III Prices	Protein		(Per pound)	\$ 2.3168
	Other Solids		(Per pound)	0.5983
	Butterfat		(Per pound)	3.0218
	Skim Milk		(Per cwt.)	10.71
	3.50% BF		(Per cwt.)	20.91
Class IV Prices	Nonfat Solids		(Per pound)	\$ 1.5450
	Butterfat		(Per pound)	3.0218
	Skim Milk		(Per cwt.)	13.91
	3.50% BF		(Per cwt.)	24.00
Somatic Cell Adjustment Rate			(Per cwt. per 1,000 SCC)	\$ 0.00095

Factors Used in Prices for February 2022

Advanced Class III Skim Milk Price		(Per cwt.)	\$10.43	
Advanced Class IV Skim Milk Price		(Per cwt.)	12.97	
Class I Skim Milk Price Mover		(Per cwt.)	\$12.44	
Advanced Butterfat Price		(Per pound)	2.7537	
		<u>2-Week Average</u>	<u>Monthly Average</u>	
AMS Survey Prices	Butter	(Per pound)	\$ 2.4454	\$ 2.6668
	Cheese-Weighted Average	(Per pound)	1.8482	1.9068
	40-pound Block	(Per pound)	1.9512	1.9091
	500-pound Barrel	(Per pound)	1.7270	1.8746
	Dry Whey	(Per pound)	0.6863	0.7800
	Nonfat Dry Milk	(Per pound)	1.6240	1.7284
Component Prices	Butterfat	(Per pound)	\$ 2.7537	\$ 3.0218
	Protein	(Per pound)	2.4103	2.3168
	Other Solids	(Per pound)	0.5018	0.5983
	Nonfat Solids	(Per pound)	1.4416	1.5450

**ADVANCED CLASS PRICES AND RELATED DATA
FOR MARCH 2022**

	Market Class I Differential	Class I Prices ^{1/}		
	Rate (Per cwt.)	Skim Milk (Per cwt.)	Butterfat (Per Pound)	3.5% BF (Per cwt.)
Base Zone	\$ 1.80	\$14.69	\$ 3.0018	\$24.68
Other Zones	\$ 1.75	\$14.64	\$ 3.0013	\$24.63
	1.70	14.59	3.0008	24.58
	1.65	14.54	3.0003	24.53
	1.60	14.49	2.9998	24.48
Class II Nonfat Solids Price		(Per pound)		\$ 1.6011
Class II Skim Milk Price		(Per cwt.)		\$14.41
Factors Used in Prices for March 2022				
Advanced Class III Skim Milk Price		(Per cwt.)		\$10.59
Advanced Class IV Skim Milk Price		(Per cwt.)		13.71
Class I Skim Milk Price Mover		(Per cwt.)		\$12.89
Advanced Butterfat Price		(Per pound)		2.9838
AMS Survey Prices -- Two-Week Average				
Butter		(Per pound)		\$ 2.6354
Cheese-- <i>Weighted Average</i>		(Per pound)		1.8906
40-pound Block		(Per pound)		1.9051
500-pound Barrel		(Per pound)		1.8478
Dry Whey		(Per pound)		0.7660
Nonfat Dry Milk		(Per pound)		1.7062
Advanced Component Prices				
Butterfat		(Per pound)		\$ 2.9838
Protein		(Per pound)		2.3046
Other Solids		(Per pound)		0.5839
Nonfat Solids		(Per pound)		1.5230

Estimated Utilization of Producer Milk in Class I

(Pursuant to § 1030.45(a))

February 2022	Class I Skim Milk	15%	Class I Butterfat	7%
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^{1/} The 20-cent per hundredweight processor assessment which is an obligation under the Fluid Milk Promotion Order (7 CFR §1160.101 et seq.) imposed on any person who processes and markets commercially more than 3 million pounds of packaged fluid milk products on a monthly basis. Deliveries to consumer residences are excluded. Effective February 29, 2016, processors of certified "organic" and "100 percent organic" fluid milk products may apply for an organic assessment exemption for those products.

March 2, 2022

Victor J. Halverson, Market Administrator

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