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ADVANCED ANNOUNCEMENT OF CLASS PRICES AND RELATED DATA FOR DECEMBER 2026

	Market Class I Differential Rate	Class I Prices [1/]		
		Skim Milk	Butterfat	3.5% BF
	(Per cwt.)	(Per cwt.)	(Per Pound)	(Per cwt.)
Base Zone	**$ 3.20**	**$ 20.13**	**$ 1.3961**	**$ 24.31**
Other Zones	$ 3.10	$ 20.03	$ 1.3951	$ 24.21
	2.90	19.83	1.3931	24.01
	2.80	19.73	1.3921	23.91

Class II Nonfat Solids Price	(Per pound)	$ 1.8957
Class II Skim Milk Price	(Per cwt.)	$ 17.63

Factors Used in Prices for December 2026

Advanced Class III Skim Milk Price	(Per cwt.)	$ 13.44
Advanced Class IV Skim Milk Price	(Per cwt.)	16.93
Class I Skim Milk Price Mover	(Per cwt.)	$ 16.93
Class I ESL Adjustment [2/]	(Per cwt.)	(0.76)
Advanced Butterfat Price	(Per pound)	1.3641
AMS Survey Prices -- Two-Week Average		
Butter	(Per pound)	$ 1.3536
Cheese	(Per pound)	1.6798
Dry Whey	(Per pound)	0.7450
Nonfat Dry Milk	(Per pound)	2.0784
Advanced Component Prices		
Butterfat	(Per pound)	$ 1.3641
Protein	(Per pound)	3.1771
Other Solids	(Per pound)	0.4925
Nonfat Solids	(Per pound)	1.8207

[1/] The 20-cent per hundredweight processor assessment 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.

[2/] Class I ESL (extended shelf life) Adjustment pursuant to 7 CFR §1000.50(r).

November 18, 2026 — Victor J. Halverson, Market Administrator

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