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USDA Amends Central Milk Order

On November 25, the U.S. Department of Agriculture announced a final rule that will make permanent provisions to the Central Milk Marketing Order that were previously implemented on an interim basis. Producers in the order have approved these amendments that became effective December 1, 2003.

The Central Order borders the Upper Midwest Order to the south and includes all or part of ten states in the central part of the United States.

The final rule continues to prohibit the ability to simultaneously pool milk on the Central milk order when the same milk is already pooled on a State-operated milk order that has marketwide pooling. Other provisions of the decision will:

- establish lower but year-round supply plant performance standards;
- not consider the volume of milk shipments to distributing plants regulated by another Federal milk order as a qualifying shipment on the Central Order;
- exclude from receipts diverted milk shipments made by a pool plant to another pool plant in determining pool plant diversion limits; and
- establish a "net shipments" provision for milk deliveries to distributing plants.

For additional information about the rule, contact: Donald R. Nicholson, USDA/AMS/Dairy Programs, P.O. Box 14650, Shawnee Mission, KS 66285-4650; Telephone: (913) 495-9300; e-mail: donald.nicholson@fmmcentral.com.



Happy Holidays!

Pool Summary

- In November, 13,396 producers delivered to the market with an average daily delivery of 4,125 pounds.
- Producer milk totaled 1.04 billion pounds, up 382 million pounds from October. Because of class price relationships, however, handlers elected not to pool a significant volume of Class III diverted milk for the fifth consecutive month.
- Class I utilization totaled 370 million

pounds, up 5.2% from October on a daily basis. Class I usage accounted for 35.6% of producer milk.

- The November Producer Price Differential (PPD) is (\$0.07) per cwt.
- The Statistical Uniform Price is \$13.40 per cwt., down \$0.11 from October, but \$2.97 above November 2002.
- Market statistics for November are shown on Pages 4 and 5.

November 2003 Producer Milk by Class

	Percent	Product Pounds	Price \$/cwt.
Class I	35.6	369,843,029	16.17
Class II	11.0	114,438,666	10.99
Class III	36.2	375,928,311	13.47
Class IV	17.2	179,106,531	10.30
Total		1,039,316,537	

Members Named to National Dairy Board

The Secretary of Agriculture recently appointed seven new members and reappointed five incumbents to the National Dairy Promotion and Research Board. All will serve three-year terms ending October 31, 2006. The list below shows the 36 members of the national board effective November 1, 2003. A map showing the 13 regions is shown on Page 3.

The National Dairy Promotion and Research Board, established by the Dairy Production Stabilization Act of 1983, administers a coordinated program of promotion, research and nutrition education. The board's activities are financed by a mandatory 15¢ per cwt. assessment on milk produced in the contiguous 48 states and marketed commercially by dairy farmers. USDA's Agricultural Marketing Service monitors the activities of the board.

REGION 1 (Oregon & Washington)

Elizabeth I. Anderson *
Onalaska, Washington
1st Term Expires 10/31/06

Marlin J. Rasmussen
St. Paul, Oregon
1st Term Expires 10/31/04

REGION 2 (California)

William R. Ahlem, Jr.
Hilmar, California
2nd Term Expires 10/31/04

Robert R. Bignami
Chico, California
1st Term Expires 10/31/04

Mary E. Cameron *
Hanford, California
1st Term Expires 10/31/06

Kimberly K. Clauss *
Hilmar, California
1st Term Expires 10/31/06

Margaret A. Gambonini
Petaluma, California
1st Term Expires 10/31/04

Patricia M. Van Dam
Chino, California
1st Term Expires 10/31/04

John Zonneveld, Jr.
Laton, California
2nd Term Expires 10/31/05

REGION 3 (Arizona, Colorado, Idaho, Montana, Nevada, Utah, & Wyoming)

Steve P. Frischknecht
Manti, Utah
2nd Term Expires 10/31/04

Lester E. Hardesty
Greeley, Colorado
1st Term Expires 10/31/05

William C. Stouder *
Wendell, Idaho
1st Term Expires 10/31/06

REGION 4 (Arkansas, Kansas, New Mexico, Oklahoma, & Texas)

Charles W. Bryant **
Austin, Arkansas
2nd Term Expires 10/31/06

Lynda Foster
Fort Scott, Kansas
2nd Term Expires 10/31/04

Neil A. Hoff
Windthorst, Texas
2nd Term Expires 10/31/05

REGION 5 (Minnesota, North Dakota, & South Dakota)

Arlon E. Fritsche **
New Ulm, Minnesota
2nd Term Expires 10/31/06

Cynthia R. Langer
Faribault, Minnesota
1st Term Expires 10/31/05

REGION 6 (Wisconsin)

Patricia M. Boettcher
Bloomer, Wisconsin
2nd Term Expires 10/31/05

Rosalie M. Gieger
Reedsville, Wisconsin
1st Term Expires 10/31/04

William J. Herr
Greenwood, Wisconsin
1st Term Expires 10/31/05

Ronald G. Johnsrud *
Gay Mills, Wisconsin
1st Term Expires 10/31/06

Connie M. Seefeldt **
Coleman, Wisconsin
2nd Term Expires 10/31/06

REGION 7 (Illinois, Iowa, Missouri, & Nebraska)

James R. Bartelson *
Anita, Iowa
1st Term Expires 10/31/06

Pam Bolin
Clarksville, Iowa
1st Term Expires 10/31/05

REGION 8 (Alabama, Kentucky, Louisiana, Mississippi, & Tennessee)

Michael M. Ferguson
Coldwater, Mississippi
1st Term Expires 10/31/05

REGION 9 (Indiana, Michigan, Ohio, & West Virginia)

Donald E. Gurtner *
Fremont, Indiana
1st Term Expires 10/31/06

Alice S. Moore
Frazeyburg, Ohio
1st Term Expires 10/31/04

Deanna S. Stamp
Marlette, Michigan
1st Term Expires 10/31/05

REGION 10 (Florida, Georgia, North Carolina, South Carolina, & Virginia)

Robert K. Herman
Taylorsville, North Carolina
2nd Term Expires 10/31/04

REGION 11 (Delaware, Maryland, New Jersey, & Pennsylvania)

Deborah A. Benner
Mt. Joy, Pennsylvania
1st Term Expires 10/31/04

Lewis Gardner **
Galeton, Pennsylvania
2nd Term Expires 10/31/06

Rita P. Kennedy
Valencia, Pennsylvania
2nd Term Expires 10/31/05

REGION 12 (New York)

Audrey G. Donahoe
Frankfort, New York
2nd Term Expires 10/31/05

David E. Hardie
Lansing, New York
1st Term Expires 10/31/04

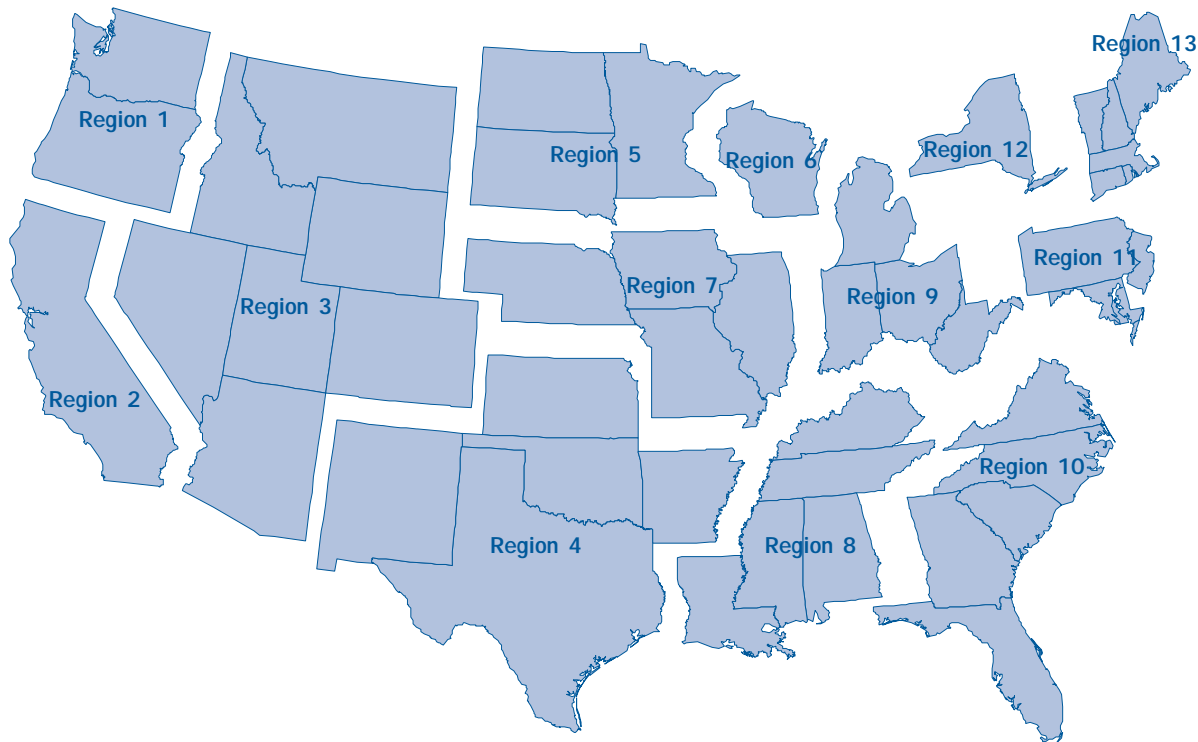
Edgar A. King **
Schuylerville, New York
2nd Term Expires 10/31/06

REGION 13 (Connecticut, Maine, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, Rhode Island, & Vermont)

Claude J. Bourbeau
Swanton, Vermont
2nd Term Expires 10/31/05

* **Recently appointed.**
** **Recently reappointed.**

Regions of the National Dairy Board



Upper Midwest Pool Statistics - November 2003

Market Class I Differential Rate	Pool Plants	Received at Pool Plants	Diverted to Pool and Nonpool Plants	Total	Location Adjustment to Producers	Class I Differential to Handlers	
<i>Cwt.</i>	<i>Number</i>	<i>Pounds</i>	<i>Pounds</i>	<i>Pounds</i>	<i>Value</i>	<i>Pounds</i>	<i>Value</i>
\$1.80	5	54,885,824	8,137,264	63,023,088	\$ 0	49,583,720	\$ 892,507
\$1.75	41	224,539,517	283,320,626	507,860,143	253,930	163,073,665	2,853,789
\$1.70	35	220,000,868	108,021,621	328,022,489	328,023	132,524,753	2,252,921
\$1.65	5	29,135,637	1,556,687	30,692,324	46,038	24,660,891	406,905
Other	0	0	109,718,493	109,718,493	219,080	0	0
Total	86	528,561,846	510,754,691	1,039,316,537	\$847,071	369,843,029	\$6,406,122

Computation of Producer Price Differential - November 2003

	Utilization Percentage	Product Pounds	Component Pounds	Rate	Value
Class I					
Differential Value					\$ 6,406,121.63
Product	35.6%	369,843,029			
Skim Milk			363,727,402	\$10.3300	37,573,040.60
Butterfat			6,115,627	1.2563	7,683,062.23
Class II					
Product	11.0%	114,438,666			
Nonfat Solids			9,591,315	0.7433	7,129,224.47
Butterfat			9,958,468	1.2947	12,893,228.56
Class III					
Product	36.2%	375,928,311			
Protein			11,679,286	2.9267	34,181,766.33
Other Solids			21,312,419	0.0368	784,297.05
Butterfat			15,976,092	1.2877	20,572,413.68
Class IV					
Product	17.2%	179,106,531			
Nonfat Solids			15,677,670	0.6663	10,446,031.54
Butterfat			8,003,236	1.2877	10,305,766.97
SCC Adjustment (Class II, III, and IV)					405,334.72
Total Producer Milk *		1,039,316,537			\$ 148,380,287.78
Add:					
Overage					31,763.03
Inventory Reclassified					51,574.74
Other Source Milk \$.60(h)					0.00
Other Source Milk \$.60(i)					0.00
Subtract:					
Transportation Credit					243,838.34
Assembly Credit					294,516.98
Credit for Reconstituted FMP					0.00
Producer Milk Protein					94,938,346.26
Producer Milk Other Solids					2,178,551.33
Producer Milk Butterfat					51,576,792.80
Producer Milk SCC Adjustment					614,577.46
Total Milk and Value		1,039,316,537			\$ (1,382,997.62)
Add:					
Location Adjustment -- Producer and Unregulated Supply Plant Milk					847,070.96
One-Half Unobligated Balance Producer Settlement Fund					297,699.30
Total Value				(0.022922)	\$ (238,227.36)
Subtract:					
Producer Settlement Fund Reserve				0.047078	489,294.22
Producer Price Differential **				(\$0.07)	\$ (727,521.58)

* An estimated 1.03 billion pounds of milk was not pooled.

** Producer Price Differential is dollars per cwt. at the Base Zone of Cook County, Illinois.



Utilization and Classification

	November 2003		October 2003	November 2002
	Product Pounds	Butterfat Pounds	Product Pounds	Product Pounds
Class I Utilization:				
Packaged Disposition				
Milk	58,764,034	1,905,737	56,540,300	56,692,985
Flavored Milk	6,572,011	211,772	6,852,002	6,020,501
Reduced Fat Milk	139,108,018	2,730,378	131,117,798	133,050,446
Lowfat Milk	47,230,848	459,877	46,481,631	46,725,914
Fat Free Milk	87,126,592	90,554	83,707,352	85,709,356
Flavored Reduced and Fat Free Milk	32,133,350	509,474	31,374,939	32,013,294
Buttermilk	2,594,787	28,827	2,717,633	2,744,713
Total Packaged Disposition	373,529,640	5,936,619	358,791,655	362,957,209
Total Ending Inventory	31,899,832	571,596	33,687,330	30,635,582
Bulk to Nonpool Plants	1,702,008	35,529	1,409,809	627,987
Shrinkage	2,492,254	248,695	2,451,775	3,655,084
Total Class I Utilization	409,623,734	6,792,439	396,340,569	397,875,862
Other Order Plants	(3,716,884)	(68,632)	(3,656,444)	(11,599,511)
Beginning Inventory	(35,724,912)	(604,533)	(28,869,839)	(34,470,501)
Reused Products	0	0	0	0
Other Source Milk	(296,457)	(4,518)	(415,218)	(290,307)
Overage	--	--	(35,295)	0
Interhandler Adjustment	(42,452)	871	(149,757)	80,858
Class I Producer Milk	369,843,029	6,115,627	363,214,016	351,596,401
Class II Utilization:				
Total Class II Utilization	126,835,949	10,578,613	126,447,906	51,632,517
Other Order Plants	(1,418,953)	(91,070)	(1,945,911)	(4,261,317)
Beginning Inventory	(2,166,210)	(249,710)	(2,762,420)	(2,002,900)
Reused Products	(8,539,445)	(6,690)	(9,836,096)	(7,987,647)
Other Source Milk	(272,675)	(272,675)	(370,546)	(143,676)
Overage	--	--	(15,361)	0
Class II Producer Milk	114,438,666	9,958,468	111,517,572	37,236,977
Class III Utilization:				
Total Class III Utilization	383,455,277	16,221,983	40,133,067	1,311,419,123
Other Order Plants	(4,592,109)	(171,043)	(5,429,931)	(39,060,312)
Beginning Inventory	(759,841)	(26,900)	(2,183,126)	(5,795,606)
Reused Products	0	0	0	0
Other Source Milk	(2,156,723)	(46,559)	(1,205,935)	(2,966,780)
Overage	(18,293)	(1,389)	(39,606)	(85,066)
Class III Producer Milk	375,928,311	15,976,092	31,274,469	1,263,511,359
Class IV Utilization:				
Total Class IV Utilization	212,862,827	9,920,659	187,554,825	49,005,348
Other Order Plants	(7,815,138)	(296,035)	(8,237,487)	(6,603,802)
Beginning Inventory	(11,190,289)	(664,319)	(15,355,827)	(8,417,216)
Reused Products	--	--	0	0
Other Source Milk	(14,726,708)	(944,794)	(12,596,819)	(7,008,254)
Overage	(24,161)	(12,275)	(16,418)	(201,603)
Class IV Producer Milk	179,106,531	8,003,236	151,348,274	26,774,473
Total Producer Milk -- All Classes	1,039,316,537	40,053,423	657,354,331	1,679,119,210

-- Restricted Information

Commodity Prices

Month/Year	Weighted Monthly Average NASS Prices *						Weighted Two-Week Average NASS Prices *					
	Cheddar Cheese			Nonfat			Cheddar Cheese			Nonfat		
	Blocks	Barrels	Average	Butter	Dry Milk	Dry Whey	Blocks	Barrels	Average	Butter	Dry Milk	Dry Whey
	<i>Dollars per Pound</i>						<i>Dollars per Pound</i>					
Nov 2002	1.1211	1.0733	1.1111	1.0107	0.9177	0.2223	1.1085	1.0610	1.0985	0.9991	0.9172	0.2234
Dec	1.1075	1.0991	1.1203	1.0926	0.8682	0.1965	1.1061	1.0993	1.1195	1.0813	0.8813	0.2038
Jan 2003	1.2225	1.1153	1.1370	1.0872	0.8207	0.1728	1.1175	1.1163	1.1358	1.1099	0.8287	0.1787
Feb	1.1508	1.0825	1.1299	1.0476	0.8111	0.1632	1.1549	1.0808	1.1304	1.0477	0.8108	0.1641
Mar	1.0725	1.0519	1.0780	1.0546	0.8051	0.1599	1.0640	1.0435	1.0697	1.0506	0.8048	0.1594
Apr	1.0924	1.0750	1.0997	1.0736	0.8030	0.1582	1.0804	1.0568	1.0842	1.0702	0.8032	0.1589
May	1.1227	1.1225	1.1394	1.0743	0.8040	0.1450	1.1264	1.1250	1.1420	1.0733	0.8043	0.1448
Jun	1.1400	1.1214	1.1464	1.0797	0.8040	0.1396	1.1330	1.1132	1.1387	1.0808	0.8040	0.1372
Jul	1.3177	1.3466	1.3497	1.1196	0.8072	0.1470	1.2435	1.2625	1.2685	1.1028	0.8062	0.1452
Aug	1.5332	1.5321	1.5496	1.1578	0.8105	0.1615	1.5237	1.5226	1.5396	1.1937	0.8118	0.1599
Sep	1.5786	1.5762	1.5940	1.1332	0.8111	0.1755	1.5745	1.5793	1.5943	1.1156	0.8094	0.1716
Oct	1.5781	1.5753	1.5936	1.1611	0.8109	0.1892	1.5765	1.5737	1.5921	1.1619	0.8117	0.1877
Nov	1.5000	1.4590	1.4941	1.1881	0.8130	0.1947	1.5430	1.4944	1.5331	1.1822	0.8153	0.1947

Month/Year	Chicago Mercantile Exchange						
	Butter	Cheddar Cheese		Nonfat Dry Milk (Low/Medium Heat)		Whey Powder	
	Grade AA	Blocks	Barrels	Central & East	West	Central	West
	<i>Dollars per Pound</i>						
Nov 2002	1.0425	1.0891	1.0705	0.9578	0.9149	0.2245	0.2151
Dec	1.1198	1.1311	1.1055	0.9075	0.8715	0.1818	0.2112
Jan 2003	1.0815	1.1507	1.0929	0.8562	0.8532	0.1594	0.1870
Feb	1.0405	1.0920	1.0430	0.8347	0.8444	0.1587	0.1648
Mar	1.0915	1.0817	1.0469	0.8375	0.8380	0.1602	0.1574
Apr	1.0906	1.1225	1.0902	0.8375	0.8377	0.1555	0.1495
May	1.0919	1.1421	1.1161	0.8375	0.8388	0.1407	0.1418
Jun	1.1142	1.1864	1.1562	0.8338	0.8395	0.1416	0.1400
Jul	1.1985	1.5123	1.4668	0.8419	0.8391	0.1558	0.1535
Aug	1.1708	1.6000	1.5736	0.8480	0.8414	0.1690	0.1762
Sep	1.1731	1.6000	1.5640	0.8500	0.8423	0.1836	0.1845
Oct	1.1846	1.5876	1.5364	0.8523	0.8413	0.1989	0.1902
Nov	1.2057	1.3932	1.2949	0.8500	0.8400	0.2026	0.1931

Market Statistics

Month/Year	Distributing Plants	Supply Plants	Coop .9(c) Handlers	Producers	Total Producer Milk	Estimated Average Daily Delivery	Class I Utilization	Butterfat Test	Protein Test	Other Solids Test	Weighted Average SCC
					Mil. lbs.	Pounds	Percent	Percent	Percent	Percent	
										(000)	
Nov 2002	27	60	12	14,660	1,679	3,882	20.9	3.84	3.10	5.69	307
Dec	27	59	12	14,949	1,825	4,090	18.8	3.80	3.07	5.68	296
Jan 2003	27	59	12	14,963	1,846	4,164	19.7	3.77	3.04	5.71	307
Feb	27	59	13	14,994	1,729	4,220	18.5	3.76	3.04	5.71	313
Mar	27	60	13	15,912	1,937	4,147	17.5	3.74	3.02	5.73	323
Apr	26	58	14	15,621	1,863	4,216	18.2	3.71	2.99	5.75	315
May	26	57	14	15,602	1,937	4,266	17.9	3.66	2.97	5.74	321
Jun	27	56	14	15,553	1,933	4,424	15.6	3.60	2.95	5.74	326
Jul	29	33	15	9,689	660	4,310	49.7	3.53	2.91	5.70	332
Aug	31	56	15	9,425	644	4,025	50.6	3.53	2.91	5.69	341
Sep	30	55	15	8,874	644	3,972	54.0	3.63	3.01	5.69	318
Oct	30	54	15	9,210	657	4,015	55.2	3.76	3.09	5.68	279
Nov	29	57	15	13,396	1,039	4,125	35.6	3.85	3.12	5.70	271

* NASS = National Agricultural Statistics Service, USDA.

Class Prices

Month/Year	Class I Price Mover			Class I Price at Cook County, IL			Class II Price			
	Butterfat	Skim Milk	3.50%	Butterfat	Skim Milk	3.50%	Butterfat	Nonfat Solids	Skim Milk	3.50%
	<i>lb.</i>	<i>cwt.</i>	<i>cwt.</i>	<i>lb.</i>	<i>cwt.</i>	<i>cwt.</i>	<i>lb.</i>	<i>lb.</i>	<i>cwt.</i>	<i>cwt.</i>
Nov 2002	1.0423	7.20	10.60	1.0603	9.00	12.40	1.0993	0.8533	7.68	11.26
Dec	1.0782	6.99	10.52	1.0962	8.79	12.32	1.1992	0.8544	7.69	11.62
Jan 2003	1.1784	6.67	10.56	1.1964	8.47	12.36	1.1926	0.8189	7.37	11.29
Feb	1.2133	6.20	10.23	1.2313	8.00	12.03	1.1443	0.7667	6.90	10.66
Mar	1.1374	6.04	9.81	1.1554	7.84	11.61	1.1529	0.7489	6.74	10.54
Apr	1.1227	5.92	9.64	1.1407	7.72	11.44	1.1573	0.7356	6.62	10.44
May	1.1462	5.91	9.71	1.1642	7.71	11.51	1.1582	0.7344	6.61	10.43
Jun	1.1500	5.92	9.74	1.1680	7.72	11.54	1.1646	0.7356	6.62	10.46
Jul	1.1590	5.92	9.77	1.1770	7.72	11.57	1.2125	0.7356	6.62	10.63
Aug	1.1854	7.07	10.97	1.2034	8.87	12.77	1.2584	0.7378	6.64	10.81
Sep	1.2944	9.51	13.71	1.3124	11.31	15.51	1.2288	0.7433	6.69	10.76
Oct	1.2007	10.43	14.27	1.2187	12.23	16.07	1.2623	0.7400	6.66	10.84
Nov	1.2563	10.33	14.37	1.2743	12.13	16.17	1.2947	0.7433	6.69	10.99
Dec	1.2806	9.70	13.84	1.2986	11.50	15.64		0.7467	6.72	

Month/Year	Class III Price					Class IV Price			
	Butterfat	Protein	Other Solids	Skim Milk	3.50%	Butterfat	Nonfat Solids	Skim Milk	3.50%
	<i>lb.</i>	<i>lb.</i>	<i>lb.</i>	<i>cwt.</i>	<i>cwt.</i>	<i>lb.</i>	<i>lb.</i>	<i>cwt.</i>	<i>cwt.</i>
Nov 2002	1.0923	1.8469	0.0850	6.23	9.84	1.0923	0.7777	7.00	10.58
Dec	1.1922	1.7506	0.0584	5.77	9.74	1.1922	0.7282	6.55	10.49
Jan 2003	1.1856	1.8164	0.0339	5.83	9.78	1.1856	0.6807	6.13	10.07
Feb	1.1373	1.8538	0.0240	5.89	9.66	1.1373	0.6711	6.04	9.81
Mar	1.1459	1.6648	0.0206	5.28	9.11	1.1459	0.6651	5.99	9.79
Apr	1.1503	1.8006	(0.0008) *	5.58	9.41	1.1503	0.6564	5.91	9.73
May	1.1512	1.9275	(0.0144) *	5.89	9.71	1.1512	0.6574	5.92	9.74
Jun	1.1576	1.9434	(0.0200) *	5.91	9.75	1.1576	0.6574	5.92	9.76
Jul	1.2055	2.5480	(0.0124) *	7.83	11.78	1.2055	0.6605	5.94	9.95
Aug	1.2514	3.1438	0.0026	9.76	13.80	1.2514	0.6638	5.97	10.14
Sep	1.2218	3.3180	0.0170	10.39	14.30	1.2218	0.6644	5.98	10.05
Oct	1.2553	3.2815	0.0311	10.36	14.39	1.2553	0.6642	5.98	10.16
Nov	1.2877	2.9267	0.0368	9.29	13.47	1.2877	0.6663	6.00	10.30

Producer Prices

Month/Year	Producer Price Differential	Statistical Uniform Price (at 3.50%)	Butterfat Price	Protein Price	Other Solids Price	SCC Adjustment Rate	Producer Mailbox Price (at test)
	<i>\$ per cwt.</i>	<i>\$ per cwt.</i>	<i>\$ per lb.</i>	<i>\$ per lb.</i>	<i>\$ per lb.</i>	<i>\$ per cwt.</i>	<i>\$ per cwt.</i>
Sep 2002	0.54	10.46	1.0099	2.0646	0.0367	0.00057	11.42
Oct	0.31	11.03	1.0726	2.1839	0.0755	0.00060	12.27
Nov	0.59	10.43	1.0923	1.8469	0.0850	0.00056	11.74
Dec	0.59	10.33	1.1922	1.7506	0.0584	0.00056	11.65
Jan 2003	0.58	10.36	1.1856	1.8164	0.0339	0.00057	11.53
Feb	0.47	10.13	1.1373	1.8538	0.0240	0.00056	11.07
Mar	0.54	9.65	1.1459	1.6648	0.0206	0.00054	10.64
Apr	0.46	9.87	1.1503	1.8006	(0.0008) *	0.00055	10.85
May	0.40	10.11	1.1512	1.9275	(0.0144) *	0.00057	10.92
Jun	0.38	10.13	1.1576	1.9434	(0.0200) *	0.00057	10.89
Jul	(0.41)	11.37	1.2055	2.5480	(0.0124) *	0.00067	12.40
Aug	(1.58)	12.22	1.2514	3.1438	0.0026	0.00077	13.94
Sep	(1.07)	13.23	1.2218	3.3180	0.0170	0.00080	14.86
Oct	(0.88)	13.51	1.2553	3.2815	0.0311	0.00080	
Nov	(0.07)	13.40	1.2877	2.9267	0.0368	0.00075	

* The average wholesale price of dry whey was less than the make allowance contained in the other solids price formula.

Summary of Federal Order Data - November 2003

Uniform or Statistical Uniform
Price at 3.5% Butterfat

Federal Order Number / Name	Producer Deliveries	Class I Producer Receipts	Class I Utilization	Class I Price	Producer Price Differential	Uniform or Statistical Uniform Price at 3.5% Butterfat		
						FOB Market	FOB Cook Cty. Illinois	Change From Previous Year
		<i>— Thousand Pounds —</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>— Dollars per Cwt. —</i>		<i>— Dollars per Cwt. —</i>		
1 Northeast	1,860,012	878,809	47.3	\$ 17.62	\$ 1.48	\$ 14.95	\$ 13.50	\$2.64
5 Appalachian	507,412	349,615	68.9	17.47	n/a	15.76	14.46	2.70
6 Florida	219,667	190,342	86.7	18.37	n/a	17.47	15.27	3.15
7 Southeast	593,837	377,489	63.6	17.47	n/a	15.72	14.42	2.88
30 Upper Midwest	1,039,317	369,843	35.6	16.17	(0.07)	13.40	13.40	2.97
32 Central	1,159,348	359,163	31.0	16.37	0.20	13.67	13.47	2.93
33 Mideast	1,437,527	539,191	37.5	16.37	0.46	13.93	13.73	2.76
124 Pacific Northwest	428,863	176,655	41.2	16.27	(0.52)	12.95	12.85	2.11
126 Southwest	736,684	328,134	44.5	17.37	1.06	14.53	13.33	2.56
131 Arizona-Las Vegas	243,450	78,625	32.3	16.72	n/a	13.74	13.19	2.60
135 Western	209,730	88,125	42.0	16.27	(0.06)	13.41	13.31	2.76
All Market Average or Total *	8,435,847	3,735,992	44.3					

n/a = Not applicable. * May not add due to rounding.

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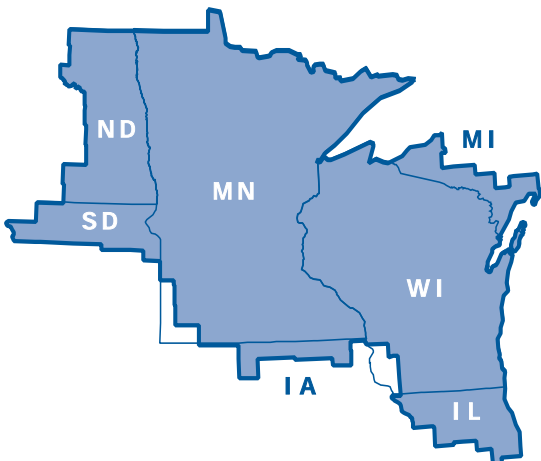
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