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Pacific Northwest and Arizona Marketing Areas

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MARKET SUMMARIES FOR APRIL

Pacific Northwest (FO 124)

Producers delivered a total of 611.3 million pounds of milk to the market during April. Daily deliveries averaged 20.4 million pounds, up 1.8 percent from March. An estimated 251 producers delivered milk to the market during the month. Daily deliveries per producer averaged 81,189 pounds, up 1.8 percent from March.

Class I producer milk during April totaled 128.9 million pounds, 21.1 percent of total producer receipts. Daily usage averaged 4.3 million pounds, up 7.1 percent from March.

Arizona (FO 131)

Producers delivered a total of 386.7 million pounds of milk to the market during April. Daily deliveries averaged 12.9 million pounds, down 3.5 percent from March. An estimated 62 producers delivered milk to the market during the month. Daily deliveries per producer averaged 207,900 pounds, down 3.5 percent from March.

Class I producer milk during April totaled 133.2 million pounds, 34.5 percent of total producer receipts. Daily usage averaged 4.4 million pounds, up 22.1 percent from March.

UNIFORM PRICE

\$27 \$24 \$21 \$18 \$15 \$12 \$124

April 2024

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Pool Quick Stats

Producer Prices &	FO	124	FO	131
Component Levels	Mar	Apr	Mar	Apr
Uniform Price (at 3.5%)	\$18.41	\$18.26	\$19.63	\$19.44
Uniform Price (at test)	\$22.01	\$21.48	\$21.37	\$21.10
PPD	\$2.07	\$2.76		
Butterfat	\$3.2385	\$3.3309	2	/2
Protein	\$1.1265	\$0.8345	n/a	
Other Solids	\$0.2881	\$0.2367		
Uniform Skim	,	′a	\$8.64	\$8.11
Uniform Butterfat	117	ď	\$3.2261	\$3.3183
Butterfat	4.440%	4.351%	4.055%	4.013%
Protein	3.457%	3.426%	,	/a
Other Solids	5.776%	5.780%	II.	<i>r</i> a

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FINAL CLASS PRICES

The April 2024 Final Class Prices were calculated using AMS commodity price surveys from April 6, 13, 20, and 27, 2024. Current and archived Final Class Price announcements are available at www.fmmaseattle.com/classcomponent.html.

FINAL	Class I (FO124)	Class I (FO131)	Class II	Class III	Class IV	Butterfat	Protein	Other Solids	Nonfat Solids
Mar 2024	\$20.70	\$21.15	\$21.12	\$16.34	\$20.09	\$3.2385	\$1.1265	\$0.2881	\$1.0083
Apr 2024	\$21.08	\$21.53	\$21.23	\$15.50	\$20.11	\$3.3309	\$0.8345	\$0.2367	\$0.9730
Change	\$0.38	\$0.38	\$0.11	(\$0.84)	\$0.02	\$0.0924	(\$0.2920)	(\$0.0514)	(\$0.0353)

ADVANCED CLASS I PRICE

The June 2024 Advanced Price was calculated using AMS commodity price surveys from May 11 and 18, 2024. Current and archived Advanced Price announcements are available at www.fmmaseattle.com/advance.html.

ADVANCED	Base Butterfat	Class III Skim	Class IV Skim	Base Skim	Base Class I	Class I (FO124)	Class I (FO131)	Class II Skim	Class II Non- fat Solids
May 2024	\$3.2954	\$3.88	\$8.99	\$7.18	\$18.46	\$20.36	\$20.81	\$9.69	\$1.0767
Jun 2024	\$3.4512	\$6.29	\$8.80	\$8.29	\$20.08	\$21.98	\$22.43	\$9.50	\$1.0556
Change	\$0.1558	\$2.41	(\$0.19)	\$1.11	\$1.62	\$1.62	\$1.62	(\$0.19)	(\$0.0211)

Commodity Price Summaries

AMS COMMODITY PRICES FOR FINAL CLASS PRICES CALCULATION

AMS COMMODITY PRICES FOR ADVANCED CLASS PRICES CALCULATION

	Mar	Apr	Change		May	Jun	Change
Cheese	\$1.6082	\$1.5478	(\$0.0604)	Cheese	\$1.5159	\$1.8305	\$0.3146
Butter	\$2.8457	\$2.9220	\$0.0763	Butter	\$2.8927	\$3.0214	\$0.1287
Nonfat Dry Milk	\$1.1863	\$1.1506	(\$0.0357)	Nonfat Dry Milk	\$1.1768	\$1.1557	(\$0.0211)
Whey	\$0.4788	\$0.4289	(\$0.0499)	Whey	\$0.4446	\$0.4091	(\$0.0355)

CURRENT COMMODITY PRICES

The AMS survey of cheddar cheese prices showed an increase in prices received for 40-pound blocks and an increase for 500-pound barrels. The survey of 40-pound blocks showed an increase of 33.04 cents between the April 13 and the May 18 surveys, to \$1.8160 per pound. The survey of 500-pound barrels (adjusted to 38% moisture) showed an increase of 36.44 cents to \$1.8787 per pound.

The AMS butter price showed a net increase of 10.86 cents between the weeks ending April 13 and May 18 from \$2.9090 per pound to \$3.0176 per pound. The AMS nonfat dry milk showed a net decrease of 1.09 cents since mid-April to \$1.1619 per pound. The average price for AMS whey showed a net decrease of 3.7 cents since mid-April to \$0.4029 per pound.

Monthly Selected Statistics

	PAC	CIFIC NO	ORTHWE	EST	ARIZONA			
PRICE & POOL DATA	Apr 2024	Mar 2024	Apr 2023	Mar 2023	Apr 2024	Mar 2024	Apr 2023	Mar 2023
Producer Prices								
Producer Price Differential (\$/cwt)	\$2.76	\$2.07	(\$0.14)	\$0.40	+	+	+	+
Butterfat (\$/pound)	3.3309	3.2385	2.7009	2.7300	+	+	+	+
Protein (\$/pound)	0.8345	1.1265	2.5603	2.4085	+	+	+	+
Other Solids (\$/pound)	0.2367	0.2881	0.2479	0.2338	+	+	+	+
Uniform Skim Price (\$/cwt)	+	+	+	+	8.11	\$8.64	\$9.87	\$10.02
Uniform Butterfat Price (\$/pound)	+	+	+	+	3.3183	3.2261	2.7083	2.7343
Statistical Uniform Price (\$/cwt)*	\$18.26	\$18.41	\$18.38	\$18.50	\$19.44	\$19.63	\$19.00	\$19.24
Producer Data								
Number of Producers	251	251	293	366	62	62	65	65
Avg. Daily Production (pounds)	81,189	79,775	65,724	65,163	207,900	215,381	233,551	235,077
Producer Milk Ratios								
Class I	21.08%	20.03%	20.86%	19.17%	34.46%	27.23%	23.58%	26.23%
Class II	5.30%	4.94%	5.83%	4.92%	16.28%	15.70%	12.06%	12.90%
Class III	49.78%	49.54%	28.90%	44.46%	31.45%	26.76%	25.12%	26.18%
Class IV	23.84%	25.49%	44.41%	31.45%	17.81%	30.31%	39.24%	34.69%
Market Shrinkage								
Pounds	11,162,569	15,794,884	12,993,829	10,054,696	10,105,654	4,183,708	4,092,249	5,098,807
% of Producer Milk + Not Applicable. Preliminary data indicate	1.83% ed in <i>bold</i> .	2.54%	2.25%	1.36%	2.61%	1.01%	0.90%	1.08%

Monthly Supplemental Statistics

	PA(CIFIC NO	DRTHWI	EST		ARIZONA			
SUPPLEMENTAL DATA	Mar 2024	Feb 2024	Mar 2023	Feb 2023	Mar 2024	Feb 2024	Mar 2023	Feb 2023	
Number of Handlers									
Pool Handlers	21	22	20	20	8	8	9	9	
Distributing Plants	13	14	12	12	6	6	7	7	
Supply Plants 1/	4	4	5	5	1	1	1	1	
Cooperatives	4	4	3	3	1	1	1	1	
Producer-Handlers	4	4	4	4	0	0	0	0	
Other Plants w/ Class I Use	29	29	27	26	31	32	30	31	
Class I Route Disposition In Area									
By Pool Plants	119,568,974	114,916,250	126,216,819	112,503,401	68,210,343	66,521,420	83,523,170	73,489,114	
By Producer-Handlers	5,610,219	5,440,833	5,421,632	4,718,160	0	0	0	0	
By Other Plants	10,222,590	10,065,563	10,626,480	9,091,900	20,603,655	19,857,843	10,204,521	9,121,203	
Total	135,401,783	130,422,646	142,264,931	126,313,461	88,813,998	86,379,263	93,727,691	82,610,317	
Producer-Handler Data									
% Class I Use	47.13%	48.65%	49.00%	47.97%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	
% of Total In-Area Route Dispositions	4.14%	4.17%	3.81%	3.74%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	
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Preliminary data indicated in \emph{bold} . 1/ Includes Cooperative Pool Manufacturing Plants.

Monthly Statistical Summary

	PA	CIFIC NO	ORTHWE	ST	ARIZONA			
RECEIPTS & UTILIZATION	Apr	Mar	Apr	Mar	Apr	Mar	Apr	Mar
	2024	2024	2023	2023	2024	2024	2023	2023
Receipts of Milk								
Total Producer Milk	611,349,494	620,731,809	577,709,577	739,340,193	386,693,118	413,961,472	455,424,275	473,680,136
Receipts From Other Sources	49,754,153	47,180,880	18,871,182	34,829,381	54,426,539	11,289,250	35,520,246	50,936,390
Opening Inventory	45,666,983	46,272,067	43,275,035	45,207,510	32,499,410	22,480,454	29,644,623	29,695,738
Total To Be Accounted For	706,770,630	714,184,756	639,855,794	819,377,084	473,619,067	447,731,176	520,589,144	554,312,264
Utilization of Receipts								
Whole milk	46,765,387	47,271,344	42,683,959	47,476,788	30,330,476	28,052,114	27,504,078	30,796,795
Flavored milk & drinks	9,337,729	8,792,609	9,113,926	10,183,196	9,388,809	4,637,468	6,442,405	7,204,025
2% milk	39,958,336	40,747,374	38,767,125	43,543,022	28,347,519	24,416,680	26,252,223	30,180,731
1% milk	16,181,035	15,824,110	14,483,450	16,184,115	7,606,084	7,363,875	7,409,974	8,352,651
Skim milk	5,212,324	5,312,290	6,396,029	7,171,730	6,752,621	3,179,485	4,937,609	6,410,810
Buttermilk	1,570,931	1,621,247	1,580,898	1,657,968	550,149	560,721	497,150	578,158
Class I dispostions in area	119,025,742	119,568,974	113,025,387	126,216,819	82,975,658	68,210,343	73,043,439	83,523,170
Class I dispositions out of area	9,359,529	12,001,459	8,526,232	9,985,846	38,142,878	26,588,477	33,619,478	39,013,506
Other Class I usage	27,783,892	27,116,850	25,661,620	31,346,952	25,025,278	33,663,239	15,846,698	16,476,828
Utilization by Class								
Total Class I Use	156,169,163	158,687,283	147,213,239	167,549,617	146,143,814	128,462,059	122,509,615	139,013,504
Total Class II Use	50,609,334	54,227,383	43,095,529	51,231,225	63,299,143	66,520,460	56,617,650	62,488,940
Total Class III Use	309,188,208	310,704,508	166,960,640	334,576,981	121,645,034	111,225,985	114,576,109	124,351,867
Total Class IV Use	190,803,925	190,565,582	282,586,386	266,019,261	142,531,076	141,522,672	226,885,770	228,457,953
Total Accounted For	706,770,630	714,184,756	639,855,794	819,377,084	473,619,067	447,731,176	520,589,144	554,312,264

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CLASSIFICATION OF	Apr	Mar	Apr	Mar	Apr	Mar	Apr	Mar	
RECEIPTS	2024	2024	2023	2023	2024	2024	2023	2023	
Producer milk									
Class I	128,884,367	124,304,911	120,521,968	141,721,401	133,238,191	112,740,545	107,368,142	124,247,141	
Class II	32,409,927	30,668,097	33,667,113	36,381,996	62,942,459	64,994,958	54,934,997	61,104,195	
Class III	304,300,949	307,521,962	166,960,640	328,741,517	121,619,120	110,777,376	114,416,661	123,992,959	
Class IV	145,754,251	158,236,839	256,559,856	232,495,279	68,893,348	125,448,593	178,704,475	164,335,841	
Other receipts									
Class I	27,284,796	34,382,372	26,691,271	25,828,216	12,905,623	15,721,514	15,141,473	14,766,363	
Class II	18,199,407	23,559,286	9,428,416	14,849,229	1/	1,525,502	1/	1/	
Class III	4,887,259	3,182,546	0	5,835,464	25,914	1/	1/	358,908	
Class IV	45,049,674	32,328,743	26,026,530	33,523,982	73,994,412	16,522,688	50,023,396	65,506,857	
Avg. daily producer receipts	20,378,316	20,023,607	19,256,986	23,849,684	12,889,771	13,353,596	15,180,809	15,280,004	
Change From Previous Year	5.82%	-16.04%	-8.61%	11.03%	-15.09%	-12.61%	2.31%	16.41%	
Avg. daily Class I use	5,205,639	5,118,945	4,907,108	5,404,826	4,871,460	4,143,937	4,083,654	4,484,307	
Change From Previous Year	6.08%	-5.29%	-5.69%	3.38%	19.29%	-7.59%	-4.38%	9.83%	

^{1/} Restricted - Included with Class IV.

Federal Order Statistics for April 2024

Federal Order Name	Producer	Class I	Class I	Class I	Uniform
(Number)	Deliveries	Receipts	Utilization	Price	Price
	- million	pounds -		- per cwt (a	t location) -
Northeast (FO 1)	2,255.9	659.2	29.2%	\$22.43	\$20.09
Appalachian (FO 5)	450.9	312.3	69.3%	\$22.58	\$21.80
Florida (FO 6)	218.5	179.2	82.0%	\$24.58	\$23.94
Southeast (FO 7)	303.7	215.3	70.9%	\$22.98	\$22.27
Upper Midwest (FO 30)	2,700.9	160.8	6.0%	\$20.98	\$15.95
Central (FO 32)	1,246.4	361.8	29.0%	\$21.18	\$17.70
Mideast (FO 33)	1,336.1	531.5	39.8%	\$21.18	\$18.27
California (FO 51)	2,031.9	395.6	19.5%	\$21.28	\$17.34
Pacific Northwest (FO 124)	611.3	128.9	21.1%	\$21.08	\$18.26
Southwest (FO 126)	1,125.4	338.8	30.1%	\$22.18	\$18.22
Arizona (FO 131)	386.7	133.2	34.4%	\$21.53	\$19.44

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