



Pacific Northwest and Arizona Marketing Areas

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Data for February 2026

MARKET SUMMARIES FOR FEBRUARY

Pacific Northwest (FO 124)

Producers delivered a total of 218.9 million pounds of milk to the market during February. Daily deliveries averaged 7.8 million pounds, down 53.7 percent from January. An estimated 133 producers delivered milk to the market during the month. Daily deliveries per producer averaged 58,786 pounds, down 22.6 percent from January.

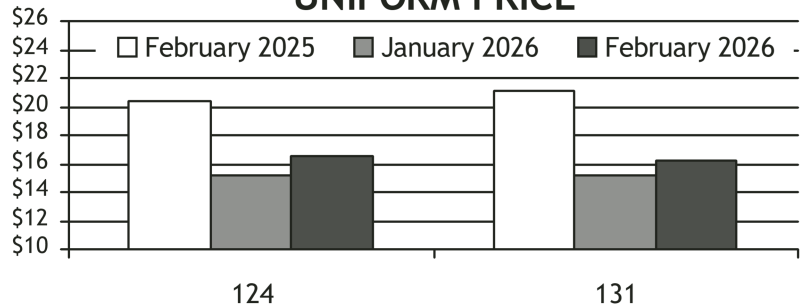
Class I producer milk during February totaled 75.0 million pounds, 34.3 percent of total producer receipts. Daily usage averaged 2.7 million pounds, down 38.1 percent from January. ▼

Arizona (FO 131)

Producers delivered a total of 350.5 million pounds of milk to the market during February. Daily deliveries averaged 12.5 million pounds, up 0.3 percent from January. An estimated 59 producers delivered milk to the market during the month. Daily deliveries per producer averaged 212,191 pounds, down 1.4 percent from January.

Class I producer milk during February totaled 98.4 million pounds, 28.1 percent of total producer receipts. Daily usage averaged 3.5 million pounds, up 1.3 percent from January. ▼

UNIFORM PRICE



Pool Quick Stats

| Producer Prices & Component Levels | FO 124 | | FO 131 | |
|------------------------------------|----------|----------|----------|----------|
| | Jan | Feb | Jan | Feb |
| Uniform Price (at 3.5%) | \$15.17 | \$16.47 | \$15.23 | \$16.26 |
| Uniform Price (at test) | \$17.49 | \$18.88 | \$16.12 | \$17.37 |
| PPD | \$0.58 | \$1.53 | | |
| Butterfat | \$1.4525 | \$1.7794 | | |
| Protein | \$2.1768 | \$1.9373 | | n/a |
| Other Solids | \$0.4448 | \$0.4391 | | |
| Uniform Skim | | | \$10.41 | \$10.57 |
| Uniform Butterfat | | n/a | \$1.4813 | \$1.7303 |
| Butterfat | 4.587% | 4.524% | 4.149% | 4.185% |
| Protein | 3.531% | 3.495% | | |
| Other Solids | 5.767% | 5.769% | | n/a |

HIGHLIGHTS THIS ISSUE

- ✓ Annual Statistics
- ✓ Dairy Forward Pricing Program Information

Federal Order Price Summaries

FINAL CLASS PRICES

The February 2026 Final Class Prices were calculated using AMS commodity price surveys from February 8, 15, 22, and March 1, 2026. 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 |
|----------|-----------------|-----------------|----------|-----------|----------|-----------|------------|--------------|---------------|
| Jan 2026 | \$19.05 | \$18.95 | \$13.92 | \$14.59 | \$13.55 | \$1.4525 | \$2.1768 | \$0.4448 | \$0.9433 |
| Feb 2026 | \$17.40 | \$17.30 | \$15.34 | \$14.94 | \$16.29 | \$1.7794 | \$1.9373 | \$0.4391 | \$1.1220 |
| Change | (\$1.65) | (\$1.65) | \$1.42 | \$0.35 | \$2.74 | \$0.3269 | (\$0.2395) | (\$0.0057) | \$0.1787 |

ADVANCED CLASS I PRICE

The April 2026 Advanced Price was calculated using AMS commodity price surveys from March 8 and 15, 2026. 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) | ESL Adj. | Class II Skim | Class II Non-fat Solids |
|----------|----------------|----------------|---------------|-----------|--------------|-----------------|-----------------|----------|---------------|-------------------------|
| Mar 2026 | \$1.6887 | \$9.10 | \$9.91 | \$9.91 | \$15.47 | \$18.17 | \$18.07 | \$0.80 | \$10.61 | \$1.1409 |
| Apr 2026 | \$2.0221 | \$9.14 | \$12.00 | \$12.00 | \$18.66 | \$21.36 | \$21.26 | \$(0.25) | \$12.70 | \$1.3656 |
| Change | \$0.3334 | \$0.04 | \$2.09 | \$2.09 | \$3.19 | \$3.19 | \$3.19 | \$(1.05) | \$2.09 | \$0.2247 |

Commodity Price Summaries

AMS COMMODITY PRICES FOR FINAL CLASS PRICES CALCULATION

| | Jan | Feb | Change |
|-----------------|----------|----------|------------|
| Cheese 1/ | \$1.4003 | \$1.4338 | \$0.0335 |
| Butter | \$1.4266 | \$1.6966 | \$0.2700 |
| Nonfat Dry Milk | \$1.1921 | \$1.3726 | \$0.1805 |
| Whey | \$0.6986 | \$0.6931 | (\$0.0055) |

1/ only blocks effective June 2025

AMS COMMODITY PRICES FOR ADVANCED CLASS PRICES CALCULATION

| | Mar | Apr | Change |
|-----------------|----------|----------|------------|
| Cheese 1/ | \$1.4083 | \$1.5297 | \$0.1214 |
| Butter | \$1.6217 | \$1.8970 | \$0.2753 |
| Nonfat Dry Milk | \$1.3156 | \$1.5431 | \$0.2275 |
| Whey | \$0.6973 | \$0.6840 | (\$0.0133) |

1/ only blocks effective June 2025

CURRENT COMMODITY PRICES

The AMS survey of cheddar cheese prices showed an increase in prices received for 40-pound blocks of 14.06 cents between the February 14 and the March 14 surveys, to \$1.5592 per pound. The AMS butter price showed an increase of 29.63 cents between the weeks ending February 14 and March 14 from \$1.6410 per pound to \$1.9373 per pound. The AMS nonfat dry milk showed an increase of 16.63 cents since mid-February to \$1.5451 per pound. The average price for AMS whey showed a net decrease of 2.23 cents since mid-February to \$0.6755 per pound. 🐄

Monthly Selected Statistics

| PRICE & POOL DATA | PACIFIC NORTHWEST | | | | ARIZONA | | | |
|--------------------------------------|-------------------|------------|------------|-----------|----------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| | Feb 2026 | Jan 2026 | Feb 2025 | Jan 2025 | Feb 2026 | Jan 2026 | Feb 2025 | Jan 2025 |
| Producer Prices | | | | | | | | |
| Producer Price Differential (\$/cwt) | \$1.53 | \$0.58 | \$0.14 | \$0.29 | + | + | + | + |
| Butterfat (\$/pound) | 1.7794 | 1.4525 | 2.8186 | 2.9460 | + | + | + | + |
| Protein (\$/pound) | 1.9373 | 2.1768 | 2.5337 | 2.3267 | + | + | + | + |
| Other Solids (\$/pound) | 0.4391 | 0.4448 | 0.4799 | 0.5384 | + | + | + | + |
| Uniform Skim Price (\$/cwt) | + | + | + | + | \$10.57 | \$10.41 | \$11.63 | \$11.50 |
| Uniform Butterfat Price (\$/pound) | + | + | + | + | 1.7303 | 1.4813 | 2.8442 | 2.9487 |
| Statistical Uniform Price (\$/cwt)* | \$16.47 | \$15.17 | \$20.32 | \$20.63 | \$16.26 | \$15.23 | \$21.18 | \$21.42 |
| Producer Data | | | | | | | | |
| Number of Producers | 133 | 222 | 299 | 236 | 59 | 58 | 63 | 63 |
| Avg. Daily Production (pounds) | 58,786 | 75,993 | 73,821 | 81,516 | 212,191 | 215,152 | 228,138 | 199,443 |
| Producer Milk Ratios | | | | | | | | |
| Class I | 34.25% | 25.66% | 18.84% | 21.79% | 28.07% | 27.79% | 28.42% | 31.03% |
| Class II | 8.45% | 6.27% | 4.98% | 5.32% | 22.50% | 37.99% | 17.07% | 16.86% |
| Class III | 54.15% | 24.45% | 45.28% | 51.69% | 21.78% | 7.11% | 21.84% | 25.32% |
| Class IV | 3.15% | 43.62% | 30.90% | 21.20% | 27.65% | 27.11% | 32.67% | 26.79% |
| Market Shrinkage | | | | | | | | |
| Pounds | 5,905,352 | 11,873,693 | 10,187,591 | 9,114,659 | 2,855,032 | 1,852,834 | 4,564,776 | 5,392,902 |
| % of Producer Milk | 2.70% | 2.27% | 1.65% | 1.53% | 0.81% | 0.48% | 1.13% | 1.38% |

+ Not Applicable. Preliminary data indicated in **bold**.

Monthly Supplemental Statistics

| SUPPLEMENTAL DATA | PACIFIC NORTHWEST | | | | ARIZONA | | | |
|--|-------------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------------|------------|------------|------------|
| | Jan 2026 | Dec 2025 | Jan 2025 | Dec 2024 | Jan 2026 | Dec 2025 | Jan 2025 | Dec 2024 |
| Number of Handlers | | | | | | | | |
| Pool Handlers | 19 | 19 | 19 | 19 | 8 | 8 | 8 | 8 |
| <i>Distributing Plants</i> | 13 | 13 | 12 | 12 | 6 | 6 | 6 | 6 |
| <i>Supply Plants 1/</i> | 3 | 3 | 4 | 4 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| <i>Cooperatives</i> | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Producer-Handlers | 3 | 3 | 4 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Other Plants w/ Class I Use | 26 | 28 | 30 | 30 | 36 | 36 | 32 | 34 |
| Class I Route Disposition In Area | | | | | | | | |
| By Pool Plants | 121,943,259 | 120,093,489 | 124,897,741 | 121,904,132 | 70,561,564 | 73,133,723 | 72,283,776 | 72,069,829 |
| By Producer-Handlers | 4,251,118 | 4,408,308 | 4,881,943 | 4,974,036 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| By Other Plants | 10,842,028 | 11,701,079 | 12,388,410 | 12,099,739 | 18,407,318 | 22,794,534 | 17,292,689 | 18,851,074 |
| Total | 137,036,405 | 136,202,876 | 142,168,094 | 138,977,907 | 88,968,882 | 95,928,257 | 89,576,465 | 90,920,903 |
| Producer-Handler Data | | | | | | | | |
| % Class I Use | 39.38% | 41.60% | 38.34% | 38.98% | 0.00% | 0.00% | 0.00% | 0.00% |
| % of Total In-Area Route Dispositions | 3.10% | 3.24% | 3.43% | 3.58% | 0.00% | 0.00% | 0.00% | 0.00% |

Preliminary data indicated in **bold**. 1/ Includes Cooperative Pool Manufacturing Plants.

Monthly Statistical Summary

| RECEIPTS & UTILIZATION | PACIFIC NORTHWEST | | | | ARIZONA | | | |
|----------------------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| | Feb | Jan | Feb | Jan | Feb | Jan | Feb | Jan |
| | 2026 | 2026 | 2025 | 2025 | 2026 | 2026 | 2025 | 2025 |
| Receipts of Milk | | | | | | | | |
| Total Producer Milk | 218,917,304 | 522,985,711 | 618,028,874 | 596,368,421 | 350,540,257 | 386,844,150 | 402,435,692 | 389,512,977 |
| Receipts From Other Sources | 143,177,139 | 57,751,822 | 43,888,107 | 45,739,009 | 45,020,907 | 29,800,769 | 9,145,627 | 10,228,273 |
| Opening Inventory | 36,924,620 | 41,557,804 | 46,396,787 | 44,454,259 | 24,280,320 | 22,439,533 | 24,405,391 | 22,728,448 |
| Total To Be Accounted For | 399,019,063 | 622,295,337 | 708,313,768 | 686,561,689 | 419,841,484 | 439,084,452 | 435,986,710 | 422,469,698 |
| Utilization of Receipts | | | | | | | | |
| Whole milk | 44,347,602 | 52,402,408 | 45,231,120 | 50,605,358 | 27,092,528 | 30,188,546 | 26,070,786 | 29,397,616 |
| Flavored milk & drinks | 8,477,953 | 10,202,561 | 8,235,873 | 10,098,982 | 5,742,614 | 5,851,445 | 5,900,260 | 6,489,655 |
| 2% milk | 33,204,786 | 38,996,726 | 36,375,693 | 41,557,753 | 21,890,759 | 24,386,643 | 21,766,189 | 24,999,244 |
| 1% milk | 11,877,829 | 13,878,970 | 13,496,734 | 15,883,695 | 6,114,574 | 6,834,695 | 6,592,357 | 7,740,393 |
| Skim milk | 4,205,303 | 4,997,400 | 4,538,029 | 5,256,224 | 2,448,952 | 2,731,629 | 2,683,586 | 3,066,781 |
| Buttermilk | 1,339,741 | 1,465,194 | 1,409,674 | 1,495,729 | 551,089 | 568,606 | 522,970 | 590,087 |
| Class I dispositions in area | 103,453,214 | 121,943,259 | 109,287,123 | 124,897,741 | 63,840,516 | 70,561,564 | 63,536,148 | 72,283,776 |
| Class I dispositions out of area | 9,394,350 | 9,678,095 | 7,530,313 | 8,067,097 | 27,592,315 | 32,238,071 | 26,493,647 | 29,714,959 |
| Other Class I usage | 28,610,576 | 27,532,089 | 29,430,492 | 27,540,277 | 19,340,864 | 17,717,280 | 39,628,312 | 33,464,562 |
| Utilization by Class | | | | | | | | |
| Total Class I Use | 141,458,140 | 159,153,443 | 146,247,928 | 160,505,115 | 110,773,695 | 120,516,915 | 129,658,107 | 135,463,297 |
| Total Class II Use | 43,223,570 | 47,181,015 | 44,108,215 | 44,400,117 | 80,163,633 | 148,176,706 | 69,615,963 | 67,404,809 |
| Total Class III Use | 121,887,334 | 128,651,093 | 282,254,931 | 313,575,536 | 77,223,515 | 27,549,086 | 87,914,549 | 99,493,947 |
| Total Class IV Use | 92,450,019 | 287,309,786 | 235,702,694 | 168,080,921 | 151,680,641 | 142,841,745 | 148,798,091 | 120,107,645 |
| Total Accounted For | 399,019,063 | 622,295,337 | 708,313,768 | 686,561,689 | 419,841,484 | 439,084,452 | 435,986,710 | 422,469,698 |

| CLASSIFICATION OF RECEIPTS | PACIFIC NORTHWEST | | | | ARIZONA | | | |
|-------------------------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|
| | Feb | Jan | Feb | Jan | Feb | Jan | Feb | Jan |
| | 2026 | 2026 | 2025 | 2025 | 2026 | 2026 | 2025 | 2025 |
| Producer milk | | | | | | | | |
| Class I | 74,987,258 | 134,208,236 | 116,433,162 | 129,937,755 | 98,393,958 | 107,514,872 | 114,366,438 | 120,861,648 |
| Class II | 18,504,765 | 32,810,685 | 30,796,126 | 31,732,284 | 78,885,669 | 146,952,432 | 68,688,095 | 65,677,562 |
| Class III | 118,533,048 | 127,893,444 | 279,823,028 | 308,235,322 | 76,334,666 | 27,503,986 | 87,878,152 | 98,609,264 |
| Class IV | 6,892,233 | 228,073,346 | 190,976,558 | 126,463,060 | 96,925,964 | 104,872,860 | 131,503,007 | 104,364,503 |
| Other receipts | | | | | | | | |
| Class I | 66,470,882 | 24,945,207 | 29,814,766 | 30,567,360 | 12,379,737 | 13,002,043 | 15,291,669 | 14,601,649 |
| Class II | 24,718,805 | 14,370,330 | 13,312,089 | 12,667,833 | 1/ | 1,224,274 | 1/ | 1/ |
| Class III | 3,354,286 | 1/ | 2,431,903 | 5,340,214 | 1/ | 1/ | 1/ | 884,683 |
| Class IV | 85,557,786 | 59,994,089 | 44,726,136 | 41,617,861 | 56,921,490 | 38,013,985 | 18,259,349 | 17,470,389 |
| Avg. daily producer receipts | 7,818,475 | 16,870,507 | 22,072,460 | 19,237,691 | 12,519,295 | 12,478,844 | 14,372,703 | 12,564,935 |
| Change From Previous Year 2/ | -64.58% | -12.30% | 11.08% | -2.03% | -12.90% | -0.69% | 5.43% | -13.76% |
| Avg. daily Class I use | 5,052,076 | 5,133,982 | 5,223,140 | 5,177,584 | 3,956,203 | 3,887,642 | 4,630,647 | 4,369,784 |
| Change From Previous Year 2/ | -3.28% | -0.84% | -2.58% | -5.91% | -14.56% | -11.03% | 5.84% | -6.33% |

1/ Restricted - Included with Class IV.

2/ Corrected January 2026 percentages.

Annual Selected Statistics

| PRICE & POOL DATA | PACIFIC NORTHWEST | | | | ARIZONA | | | |
|--------------------------------------|-------------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|
| | 2025 | 2024 | 2023 | 2022 | 2025 | 2024 | 2023 | 2022 |
| Producer Prices | | | | | | | | |
| Producer Price Differential (\$/cwt) | \$0.18 | \$1.06 | \$1.31 | \$1.36 | + | + | + | + |
| Butterfat (\$/pound) | 2.4416 | 3.2885 | 2.9615 | 3.2637 | + | + | + | + |
| Protein (\$/pound) | 2.4495 | 1.8961 | 1.9051 | 2.7238 | + | + | + | + |
| Other Solids (\$/pound) | 0.3677 | 0.3010 | 0.1676 | 0.4188 | + | + | + | + |
| Uniform Skim Price (\$/cwt) | + | + | + | + | \$10.58 | \$9.66 | \$9.24 | \$13.35 |
| Uniform Butterfat Price (\$/pound) | + | + | + | + | 2.4781 | 3.3002 | 2.9667 | 3.2542 |
| Statistical Uniform Price (\$/cwt) | \$18.19 | \$19.95 | \$18.33 | \$23.31 | \$18.89 | \$20.87 | \$19.30 | \$24.27 |
| Producer Data | | | | | | | | |
| Number of Producers | 239 | 259 | 306 | 327 | 62 | 62 | 65 | 66 |
| Avg. Daily Production (pounds) | 77,486 | 76,278 | 68,489 | 63,532 | 186,655 | 184,475 | 217,044 | 203,802 |
| Producer Milk Ratios | | | | | | | | |
| Class I | 21.62% | 21.01% | 20.63% | 21.40% | 31.59% | 32.69% | 26.71% | 27.12% |
| Class II | 6.25% | 4.90% | 5.40% | 5.41% | 23.85% | 17.33% | 14.37% | 13.93% |
| Class III | 38.74% | 47.41% | 46.63% | 46.84% | 18.39% | 27.71% | 28.65% | 29.29% |
| Class IV | 33.39% | 26.68% | 27.34% | 26.35% | 26.17% | 22.27% | 30.27% | 29.66% |
| Market Shrinkage | | | | | | | | |
| Pounds | 156,424,275 | 141,392,329 | 137,640,164 | 102,264,590 | 57,782,307 | 58,835,834 | 47,407,648 | 43,228,878 |
| % of Producer Milk | 2.31% | 1.96% | 1.80% | 1.35% | 1.37% | 1.41% | 0.92% | 0.88% |

+ Not Applicable. Preliminary data indicated in **bold**.

Annual Supplemental Statistics

| SUPPLEMENTAL DATA | PACIFIC NORTHWEST | | | | ARIZONA | | | |
|--|-------------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|
| | 2025 | 2024 | 2023 | 2022 | 2025 | 2024 | 2023 | 2022 |
| Number of Handlers | | | | | | | | |
| Pool Handlers | 20 | 20 | 20 | 19 | 8 | 8 | 9 | 9 |
| <i>Distributing Plants</i> | 13 | 12 | 12 | 11 | 6 | 6 | 7 | 7 |
| <i>Supply Plants 1/</i> | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| <i>Cooperatives</i> | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Producer-Handlers | 3 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Other Plants w/ Class I Use | 29 | 30 | 29 | 29 | 33 | 32 | 30 | 29 |
| Class I Route Disposition In Area | | | | | | | | |
| By Pool Plants | 1,382,112,710 | 1,418,564,547 | 1,436,236,275 | 1,472,075,050 | 805,862,715 | 875,934,769 | 904,061,761 | 873,006,080 |
| By Producer-Handlers | 51,473,912 | 60,103,452 | 63,046,811 | 55,281,921 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| By Other Plants | 140,957,229 | 137,992,277 | 124,290,963 | 145,738,382 | 221,558,290 | 193,117,573 | 135,733,951 | 143,134,817 |
| Total | 1,574,543,851 | 1,616,660,276 | 1,623,574,049 | 1,673,095,353 | 1,027,421,005 | 1,069,052,342 | 1,039,795,712 | 1,016,140,897 |
| Producer-Handler Data | | | | | | | | |
| % Class I Use | 42.87% | 41.96% | 46.43% | 42.85% | 0.00% | 0.00% | 0.00% | 0.00% |
| % of Total In-Area Route Dispositions | 3.27% | 3.72% | 3.88% | 3.30% | 0.00% | 0.00% | 0.00% | 0.00% |

1/ Includes Cooperative Pool Manufacturing Plants.

Annual Statistical Summary

| RECEIPTS & UTILIZATION | PACIFIC NORTHWEST | | | | ARIZONA | | | |
|----------------------------------|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|
| | 2025 | 2024 | 2023 | 2022 | 2025 | 2024 | 2023 | 2022 |
| Receipts of Milk | | | | | | | | |
| Total Producer Milk | 6,759,499,417 | 7,230,698,879 | 7,649,543,548 | 7,582,859,867 | 4,223,996,551 | 4,186,100,891 | 5,149,368,294 | 4,909,581,108 |
| Receipts From Other Sources | 701,410,368 | 534,780,905 | 512,533,041 | 311,740,011 | 186,879,548 | 207,018,985 | 207,094,345 | 81,036,355 |
| Opening Inventory | 516,394,316 | 556,040,803 | 503,400,026 | 482,186,606 | 260,364,757 | 292,036,642 | 324,012,825 | 297,248,930 |
| Total To Be Accounted For | 7,977,304,101 | 8,321,520,587 | 8,665,476,615 | 8,376,786,484 | 4,671,240,856 | 4,685,156,518 | 5,680,475,464 | 5,287,866,393 |
| Utilization of Receipts | | | | | | | | |
| Whole milk | 581,851,288 | 567,593,355 | 547,158,534 | 523,587,708 | 341,110,275 | 348,398,423 | 345,887,836 | 327,830,124 |
| Flavored milk & drinks | 108,776,668 | 110,080,917 | 110,679,975 | 122,775,810 | 65,019,843 | 79,969,794 | 79,871,652 | 74,904,528 |
| 2% milk | 453,804,692 | 480,924,412 | 502,610,353 | 529,220,330 | 281,083,176 | 307,748,876 | 322,912,107 | 316,623,619 |
| 1% milk | 161,343,929 | 179,118,206 | 180,447,871 | 188,395,504 | 80,243,685 | 84,636,415 | 88,993,723 | 97,002,572 |
| Skim milk | 57,977,997 | 62,235,135 | 75,812,612 | 88,953,313 | 31,779,220 | 48,511,201 | 59,695,704 | 50,016,670 |
| Buttermilk | 18,358,136 | 18,612,522 | 19,526,930 | 19,142,385 | 6,626,516 | 6,670,060 | 6,700,739 | 6,628,567 |
| Class I dispositions in area | 1,382,112,710 | 1,418,564,547 | 1,436,236,275 | 1,472,075,050 | 805,862,715 | 875,934,769 | 904,061,761 | 873,006,080 |
| Class I dispositions out of area | 122,443,118 | 131,904,286 | 141,765,318 | 102,930,614 | 351,424,724 | 372,982,010 | 413,160,338 | 387,594,118 |
| Other Class I usage | 308,390,239 | 355,265,914 | 341,136,222 | 321,875,160 | 337,402,613 | 285,445,001 | 229,656,412 | 249,636,614 |
| Utilization by Class | | | | | | | | |
| Total Class I Use | 1,812,946,067 | 1,905,734,747 | 1,919,137,815 | 1,896,880,824 | 1,494,690,052 | 1,534,361,780 | 1,546,878,511 | 1,510,236,812 |
| Total Class II Use | 637,320,360 | 587,855,467 | 634,309,290 | 523,825,617 | 1,025,579,009 | 738,979,806 | 756,108,620 | 700,622,008 |
| Total Class III Use 2/ | 2,691,969,613 | 3,462,180,009 | 3,622,610,402 | 3,601,602,777 | 801,034,563 | 1,174,983,020 | 1,482,107,285 | 1,448,636,419 |
| Total Class IV Use 2/ | 2,835,068,061 | 2,365,750,364 | 2,489,419,108 | 2,354,477,266 | 1,349,937,232 | 1,236,831,912 | 1,895,381,048 | 1,628,371,154 |
| Total Accounted For | 7,977,304,101 | 8,321,520,587 | 8,665,476,615 | 8,376,786,484 | 4,671,240,856 | 4,685,156,518 | 5,680,475,464 | 5,287,866,393 |

| CLASSIFICATION OF RECEIPTS | PACIFIC NORTHWEST | | | | ARIZONA | | | |
|------------------------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|
| | 2025 | 2024 | 2023 | 2022 | 2025 | 2024 | 2023 | 2022 |
| Producer milk | | | | | | | | |
| Class I | 1,461,297,612 | 1,519,331,366 | 1,577,969,214 | 1,622,465,659 | 1,334,392,042 | 1,368,332,065 | 1,375,598,195 | 1,331,701,877 |
| Class II | 422,323,160 | 354,232,164 | 412,920,783 | 410,138,795 | 1,007,490,464 | 725,554,917 | 740,130,115 | 683,998,469 |
| Class III | 2,618,649,748 | 3,428,338,462 | 3,567,139,644 | 3,552,083,805 | 776,850,778 | 1,159,954,479 | 1,475,465,994 | 1,438,140,686 |
| Class IV | 2,257,228,897 | 1,928,796,887 | 2,091,513,907 | 1,998,171,608 | 1,105,263,267 | 932,259,430 | 1,558,173,990 | 1,455,740,076 |
| Other receipts | | | | | | | | |
| Class I | 351,648,455 | 386,403,381 | 341,168,601 | 274,415,165 | 160,298,010 | 166,029,715 | 171,280,316 | 178,534,935 |
| Class II | 214,997,200 | 233,623,303 | 221,388,507 | 113,686,822 | 1/ | 1/ | 1/ | 1/ |
| Class III | 71,342,934 | 33,675,495 | 55,470,758 | 49,456,884 | 1/ | 1/ | 1/ | 1/ |
| Class IV | 579,816,095 | 437,119,529 | 397,905,201 | 356,367,746 | 286,946,295 | 333,025,912 | 359,826,854 | 199,750,350 |
| Avg. daily producer receipt | 18,519,176 | 19,756,008 | 20,957,654 | 20,774,959 | 11,572,593 | 11,437,434 | 14,107,858 | 13,450,907 |
| Change From Previous Year | -6.26% | -5.73% | 0.88% | 2.65% | 1.18% | -18.93% | 4.88% | 10.05% |
| Avg. daily Class I use | 4,966,976 | 5,206,926 | 5,257,912 | 5,196,934 | 4,095,041 | 4,192,245 | 4,238,023 | 4,137,635 |
| Change From Previous Year | -4.61% | -0.97% | 1.17% | 1.61% | -2.32% | -1.08% | 2.43% | -2.82% |

1/ Restricted - Included with Class IV.

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Dairy Forward Pricing Program Information

On February 27, 2026, USDA Agricultural Marketing Service (AMS) published a final rule for the [Reauthorization of Dairy Forward Pricing Program \(DFPP\)](#) in the Federal Register. This rule follows the Continuing Appropriations, Agriculture, Legislative Branch, Military Construction and Veterans Affairs, and Extensions Act, 2026, which was signed into law on November 12, 2025, and extends the authorization of the DFPP contained in the Food, Conservation and Energy Act of 2008 (the 2008 Farm Bill). Handlers regulated under Federal Milk Marketing Orders may now enter into new forward price contracts with producers or cooperatives associations of producers through September 30, 2026, for milk marketed on or after March 2, 2026. The contracts may extend through September 30, 2029, and all other provisions of the program remain the same. More information regarding this program can be found [here](#).

DFPP serves as a voluntary risk management tool, which allows handlers to sell a stated quantity of milk, for a stated period in the future via a stated price, price formula, minimum price, maximum price or combination of both. The contracts apply exclusively to milk used to manufacture Class II, III, and IV products such as yogurt, cheese and butter while Class I fluid milk remains subject to federal order minimum prices. This tool has potential benefits to both parties as they are able to “lock in” prices and reduce risk associated with milk price volatility.

Please keep in mind:

- All new contracts must be signed by both parties prior to the effective month.
- The signed contract and disclosure statement must be received by the Market Administrator prior to the 15th of the applicable month. For example, to contract for April 2026 milk, the forward contract and disclosure statement must be signed prior to April 1, 2026, and received by the Market Administrator by April 15, 2026.
- The disclosure statement must be signed on the same date as the contract.
- Producer milk that has been forward contracted under the terms of the program is not subject to minimum payment to a producer or cooperative association under a Federal Order.
- For contracts signed between September 30, 2025, and March 2, 2026, if the Market Administrator has already received a copy of the contract and disclosure statement or receives them by March 15, 2026, and the contract includes March milk deliveries, the contract applies only to milk marketed on or after March 2, 2026. This holds true even if contract deliveries began in a prior month. However, contracts cannot be included in the program if the disclosure statement has a date other than the date on which the contract was signed. In this case, if a handler and producer would like to have a valid contract applicable under the program, another contract must be negotiated.
- For contracts signed between September 30, 2025, and March 1, 2026, there will be no allowance for payments less than the Federal order minimum for milk marketed between October 1, 2025 and March 1, 2026.
- Forward Contracts established under this program may not extend past September 30, 2029. 🐮

Federal Order Statistics for February 2026

| Federal Order Name (Number) | Producer Deliveries | Class I Receipts | Class I Utilization | Class I Price | Uniform Price |
|-----------------------------------|---------------------------|---------------------|------------------------|----------------------------------|------------------|
| | <i>- million pounds -</i> | | | <i>- per cwt (at location) -</i> | |
| Northeast (FO 1) | 2,135.5 | 612.6 | 28.7% | \$19.80 | \$17.31 |
| Appalachian (FO 5) | 393.9 | 290.4 | 73.7% | \$20.30 | \$19.69 |
| Florida (FO 6) | 215.1 | 169.9 | 79.0% | \$21.50 | \$20.65 |
| Southeast (FO 7) | 253.3 | 192.9 | 76.1% | \$20.50 | \$20.14 |
| Upper Midwest (FO 30) | 1,548.5 | 154.5 | 10.0% | \$17.90 | \$15.52 |
| Central (FO 32) | 1,090.1 | 334.4 | 30.7% | \$17.90 | \$16.33 |
| Mideast (FO 33) | 1,759.1 | 548.0 | 31.2% | \$18.50 | \$16.44 |
| California (FO 51) | 1,566.9 | 362.4 | 23.1% | \$17.50 | \$16.04 |
| Pacific Northwest (FO 124) | 218.9 | 75.0 | 34.3% | \$17.40 | \$16.47 |
| Southwest (FO 126) | 1,073.8 | 315.1 | 29.4% | \$18.40 | \$16.55 |
| Arizona (FO 131) | 350.5 | 98.4 | 28.1% | \$17.30 | \$16.26 |

For links to Market Administrator's webpages, see www.fmmaseattle.com/links.html.

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