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FEDERAL MILK ORDERS 124, 131 & 135

## ANNOUNCEMENT OF MINIMUM CLASS AND COMPONENT PRICES: *FINAL* # January 2003

	Pacific		Pacific Northwest & Western		
	Northwest	Western	Class II	Class III	Class IV
Skim 1/	\$ 8.57	\$ 8.57	\$ 7.37	\$ 5.83	\$ 6.13
Butterfat 2/	\$ 1.1974	\$ 1.1974	\$ 1.1926	\$ 1.1856	\$ 1.1856
Protein 2/				\$ 1.8164	
Other Solids 2/				\$ 0.0339	
Nonfat Solids 2/			\$ 0.8189		\$ 0.6807
@ 3.5% Butterfat 1/ 3/	\$ 12.46	\$ 12.46	\$ 11.29	\$ 9.78	\$ 10.07
Processor Assessment **	\$ 0.20	\$ 0.20			
Total 1/	\$ 12.66	\$ 12.66			

Arizona-Las Vegas				
	Class I *	Class II	Class III	Class IV
Skim 1/	\$ 9.02	\$ 7.37	\$ 5.83	\$ 6.13
Butterfat 2/	\$ 1.2019	\$ 1.1926	\$ 1.1856	\$ 1.1856
@ 3.5% Butterfat 1/ 3/	\$ 12.91	\$ 11.29	\$ 9.78	\$ 10.07
Processor Assessment **	\$ 0.20			
Total 1/	\$ 13.11			

Supplemental Price Data From NASS Surveys			FO 124 & FO 135 Only	
Surveys Included: 1/4/03 to 1/25/03	Average Price	Total Pounds of Product	PRODUCER COMPONENT PRICES 2/	
Grade AA Butter	\$ 1.0872	21,955,871	Butterfat	\$ 1.1856
Cheese 40 Lb. Blocks	\$ 1.1225	28,983,557		
Cheese 500 Lb. Barrels, 38% moisture	\$ 1.1153	51,049,374		
Cheese, Average	\$ 1.1370	80,032,931	Protein	\$ 1.8164
Nonfat Dry Milk	\$ 0.8207	103,177,671		
Dry Whey	\$ 0.1728	51,770,102	Other Solids	\$ 0.0339

Pacific Northwest (FO 124) & Western Order (FO 135) price milk on the basis of multiple components.

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1/ Per hundredweight. 2/ Per pound. 3/ 0.965 multiplied by skim price, plus 3.5 multiplied by butterfat price.

For Information Purposes Only. Somatic Cell Adjustment Rate is 0.00057.

# These prices were

**computed using the formulas in the U.S. District Court's preliminary injunction order dated January 31, 2001.**

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FEDERAL MILK ORDERS 124, 131 & 135

## ANNOUNCEMENT OF MINIMUM CLASS AND COMPONENT PRICES: *FINAL* # February 2003

	Pacific		Pacific Northwest & Western		
	Northwest	Western	Class II	Class III	Class IV
Skim 1/	\$ 8.10	\$ 8.10	\$ 6.90	\$ 5.89	\$ 6.04
Butterfat 2/	\$ 1.2323	\$ 1.2323	\$ 1.1443	\$ 1.1373	\$ 1.1373
Protein 2/				\$ 1.8538	
Other Solids /2				\$ 0.0240	
Nonfat Solids 2/			\$ 0.7667		\$ 0.6711
@ 3.5% Butterfat 1/ 3/	\$ 12.13	\$ 12.13	\$ 10.66	\$ 9.66	\$ 9.81
Processor Assessment **	\$ 0.20	\$ 0.20			
Total 1/	\$ 12.33	\$ 12.33			

	Arizona-Las Vegas			
	Class I *	Class II	Class III	Class IV
Skim 1/	\$ 8.55	\$ 6.90	\$ 5.89	\$ 6.04
Butterfat 2/	\$ 1.2368	\$ 1.1443	\$ 1.1373	\$ 1.1373
@ 3.5% Butterfat 1/ 3/	\$ 12.58	\$ 10.66	\$ 9.66	\$ 9.81
Processor Assessment **	\$ 0.20			
Total 1/	\$ 12.78			

Supplemental Price Data From NASS Surveys			FO 124 & FO 135 Only	
Surveys Included: 2/1/03 to 2/22/03	Average Price	Total Pounds of Product	PRODUCER COMPONENT PRICES 2/	
Grade AA Butter	\$ 1.0476	20,488,193	Butterfat	\$ 1.1373
Cheese 40 Lb. Blocks	\$ 1.1508	34,751,405		
Cheese 500 Lb. Barrels, 38% moisture	\$ 1.0825	41,666,392		
Cheese, Average	\$ 1.1299	76,417,797	Protein	\$ 1.8538
Nonfat Dry Milk	\$ 0.8111	112,451,430		
Dry Whey	\$ 0.1632	54,012,898	Other Solids	\$ 0.0240

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FEDERAL MILK ORDERS 124, 131 & 135

## ANNOUNCEMENT OF MINIMUM CLASS AND COMPONENT PRICES: *FINAL* # March 2003

	Pacific		Pacific Northwest & Western		
	Northwest	Western	Class II	Class III	Class IV
Skim 1/	\$ 7.94	\$ 7.94	\$ 6.74	\$ 5.28	\$ 5.99
Butterfat 2/	\$ 1.1564	\$ 1.1564	\$ 1.1529	\$ 1.1459	\$ 1.1459
Protein 2/				\$ 1.6648	
Other Solids /2				\$ 0.0206	
Nonfat Solids 2/			\$ 0.7489		\$ 0.6651
@ 3.5% Butterfat 1/ 3/	\$ 11.71	\$ 11.71	\$ 10.54	\$ 9.11	\$ 9.79
Processor Assessment **	\$ 0.20	\$ 0.20			
Total 1/	\$ 11.91	\$ 11.91			

Arizona-Las Vegas				
	Class I *	Class II	Class III	Class IV
Skim 1/	\$ 8.39	\$ 6.74	\$ 5.28	\$ 5.99
Butterfat 2/	\$ 1.1609	\$ 1.1529	\$ 1.1459	\$ 1.1459
@ 3.5% Butterfat 1/ 3/	\$ 12.16	\$ 10.54	\$ 9.11	\$ 9.79
Processor Assessment **	\$ 0.20			
Total 1/	\$ 12.36			

Supplemental Price Data From NASS Surveys			FO 124 & FO 135 Only	
Surveys Included: 3/1/03 to 3/29/03	Average Price	Total Pounds of Product	PRODUCER COMPONENT PRICES 2/	
Grade AA Butter	\$ 1.0546	22,058,203	Butterfat	\$ 1.1459
Cheese 40 Lb. Blocks	\$ 1.0725	39,084,974		
Cheese 500 Lb. Barrels, 38% moisture	\$ 1.0519	55,507,446		
Cheese, Average	\$ 1.0780	94,592,420	Protein	\$ 1.6648
Nonfat Dry Milk	\$ 0.8051	147,308,212		
Dry Whey	\$ 0.1599	67,077,067	Other Solids	\$ 0.0206

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FEDERAL MILK ORDERS 124, 131 & 135

## ANNOUNCEMENT OF MINIMUM CLASS AND COMPONENT PRICES: *FINAL* #

April 2003

	Pacific		Pacific Northwest & Western		
	Northwest	Western	Class II	Class III	Class IV
Skim 1/	\$ 7.82	\$ 7.82	\$ 6.62	\$ 5.58	\$ 5.91
Butterfat 2/	\$ 1.1417	\$ 1.1417	\$ 1.1573	\$ 1.1503	\$ 1.1503
Protein 2/				\$ 1.8006	
Other Solids 2/ 4/				\$ (0.0008)	
Nonfat Solids 2/			\$ 0.7356		\$ 0.6564
@ 3.5% Butterfat 1/ 3/	\$ 11.54	\$ 11.54	\$ 10.44	\$ 9.41	\$ 9.73
Processor Assessment **	\$ 0.20	\$ 0.20			
Total 1/	\$ 11.74	\$ 11.74			

Arizona-Las Vegas				
	Class I *	Class II	Class III	Class IV
Skim 1/	\$ 8.27	\$ 6.62	\$ 5.58	\$ 5.91
Butterfat 2/	\$ 1.1462	\$ 1.1573	\$ 1.1503	\$ 1.1503
@ 3.5% Butterfat 1/ 3/	\$ 11.99	\$ 10.44	\$ 9.41	\$ 9.73
Processor Assessment **	\$ 0.20			
Total 1/	\$ 12.19			

Supplemental Price Data From NASS Surveys			FO 124 & FO 135 Only	
Surveys Included: 4/5/03 to 4/26/03	Average Price	Total Pounds of Product	PRODUCER COMPONENT PRICES 2/	
Grade AA Butter	\$ 1.0736	15,137,906	Butterfat	\$ 1.1503
Cheese 40 Lb. Blocks	\$ 1.0924	30,741,252		
Cheese 500 Lb. Barrels, 38% moisture	\$ 1.0750	41,690,400		
Cheese, Average	\$ 1.0997	72,431,652	Protein	\$ 1.8006
Nonfat Dry Milk	\$ 0.8030	130,169,500		
Dry Whey	\$ 0.1582	46,744,479	Other Solids 4/	\$ (0.0008)

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4/ The average wholesale price of dry whey for April 2003 was less than the make allowance contained in the other solids price formula.

Released: May 2, 2003

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FEDERAL MILK ORDERS 124, 131 & 135

## ANNOUNCEMENT OF MINIMUM CLASS AND COMPONENT PRICES: *FINAL* # May 2003

	Pacific		Pacific Northwest & Western		
	Northwest	Western	Class II	Class III	Class IV
Skim 1/	\$ 7.81	\$ 7.81	\$ 6.61	\$ 5.89	\$ 5.92
Butterfat 2/	\$ 1.1652	\$ 1.1652	\$ 1.1582	\$ 1.1512	\$ 1.1512
Protein 2/				\$ 1.9275	
Other Solids 2/ 4/				\$ (0.0144)	
Nonfat Solids 2/			\$ 0.7344		\$ 0.6574
@ 3.5% Butterfat 1/ 3/	\$ 11.61	\$ 11.61	\$ 10.43	\$ 9.71	\$ 9.74
Processor Assessment **	\$ 0.20	\$ 0.20			
Total 1/	\$ 11.81	\$ 11.81			

Arizona-Las Vegas				
	Class I *	Class II	Class III	Class IV
Skim 1/	\$ 8.26	\$ 6.61	\$ 5.89	\$ 5.92
Butterfat 2/	\$ 1.1697	\$ 1.1582	\$ 1.1512	\$ 1.1512
@ 3.5% Butterfat 1/ 3/	\$ 12.06	\$ 10.43	\$ 9.71	\$ 9.74
Processor Assessment **	\$ 0.20			
Total 1/	\$ 12.26			

Supplemental Price Data From NASS Surveys			FO 124 & FO 135 Only	
Surveys Included: 5/3/03 to 5/24/03	Average Price	Total Pounds of Product	PRODUCER COMPONENT PRICES 2/	
Grade AA Butter	\$ 1.0743	15,795,129	Butterfat	\$ 1.1512
Cheese 40 Lb. Blocks	\$ 1.1227	33,507,591		
Cheese 500 Lb. Barrels, 38% moisture	\$ 1.1225	42,508,030		
Cheese, Average	\$ 1.1394	76,015,621	Protein	\$ 1.9275
Nonfat Dry Milk	\$ 0.8040	126,941,934		
Dry Whey	\$ 0.1450	48,287,765	Other Solids 4/	\$ (0.0144)

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4/ The average wholesale price of

dry whey for May 2003 was less than the make allowance contained in the other solids price formula.

Released: May 30, 2003

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FEDERAL MILK ORDERS 124, 131 & 135

## ANNOUNCEMENT OF MINIMUM CLASS AND COMPONENT PRICES: *FINAL* # June 2003

	Pacific		Pacific Northwest & Western		
	Northwest	Western	Class II	Class III	Class IV
	Class I *				
Skim 1/	\$ 7.82	\$ 7.82	\$ 6.62	\$ 5.91	\$ 5.92
Butterfat 2/	\$ 1.1690	\$ 1.1690	\$ 1.1646	\$ 1.1576	\$ 1.1576
Protein 2/				\$ 1.9434	
Other Solids 2/ 4/				\$ (0.0200)	
Nonfat Solids 2/			\$ 0.7356		\$ 0.6574
@ 3.5% Butterfat 1/ 3/	\$ 11.64	\$ 11.64	\$ 10.46	\$ 9.75	\$ 9.76
Processor Assessment **	\$ 0.20	\$ 0.20			
Total 1/	\$ 11.84	\$ 11.84			

Arizona-Las Vegas				
	Class I *	Class II	Class III	Class IV
Skim 1/	\$ 8.27	\$ 6.62	\$ 5.91	\$ 5.92
Butterfat 2/	\$ 1.1735	\$ 1.1646	\$ 1.1576	\$ 1.1576
@ 3.5% Butterfat 1/ 3/	\$ 12.09	\$ 10.46	\$ 9.75	\$ 9.76
Processor Assessment **	\$ 0.20			
Total 1/	\$ 12.29			

Supplemental Price Data From NASS Surveys			FO 124 & FO 135 Only	
Surveys Included: 5/31/03 to 6/28/03	Average Price	Total Pounds of Product	PRODUCER COMPONENT PRICES 2/	
Grade AA Butter	\$ 1.0797	23,183,161	Butterfat	\$ 1.1576
Cheese 40 Lb. Blocks	\$ 1.1400	44,026,125		
Cheese 500 Lb. Barrels, 38% moisture	\$ 1.1214	55,394,652		
Cheese, Average	\$ 1.1464	99,420,777	Protein	\$ 1.9434
Nonfat Dry Milk	\$ 0.8040	148,482,783		
Dry Whey	\$ 0.1396	69,995,248	Other Solids 4/	\$ (0.0200)

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4/ The average wholesale price of dry whey for June 2003 was less than the make allowance contained in the other solids price formula.

Released: July 3, 2003

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FEDERAL MILK ORDERS 124, 131 & 135

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	Pacific		Pacific Northwest & Western		
	Northwest	Western	Class II	Class III	Class IV
	Class I *				
Skim 1/	\$ 7.82	\$ 7.82	\$ 6.62	\$ 7.83	\$ 5.94
Butterfat 2/	\$ 1.1780	\$ 1.1780	\$ 1.2125	\$ 1.2055	\$ 1.2055
Protein 2/				\$ 2.5480	
Other Solids 2/ 4/				\$ (0.0124)	
Nonfat Solids 2/			\$ 0.7356		\$ 0.6605
@ 3.5% Butterfat 1/ 3/	\$ 11.67	\$ 11.67	\$ 10.63	\$ 11.78	\$ 9.95
Processor Assessment **	\$ 0.20	\$ 0.20			
Total 1/	\$ 11.87	\$ 11.87			

Arizona-Las Vegas				
	Class I *	Class II	Class III	Class IV
Skim 1/	\$ 8.27	\$ 6.62	\$ 7.83	\$ 5.94
Butterfat 2/	\$ 1.1825	\$ 1.2125	\$ 1.2055	\$ 1.2055
@ 3.5% Butterfat 1/ 3/	\$ 12.12	\$ 10.63	\$ 11.78	\$ 9.95
Processor Assessment **	\$ 0.20			
Total 1/	\$ 12.32			

Supplemental Price Data From NASS Surveys			FO 124 & FO 135 Only	
Surveys Included: 7/5/03 to 7/26/03	Average Price	Total Pounds of Product	PRODUCER COMPONENT PRICES 2/	
Grade AA Butter	\$ 1.1196	21,636,538	Butterfat	\$ 1.2055
Cheese 40 Lb. Blocks	\$ 1.3177	34,900,534		
Cheese 500 Lb. Barrels, 38% moisture	\$ 1.3466	41,389,644		
Cheese, Average	\$ 1.3497	76,290,178	Protein	\$ 2.5480
Nonfat Dry Milk	\$ 0.8072	129,081,431		
Dry Whey	\$ 0.1470	52,547,183	Other Solids 4/	\$ (0.0124)

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	Pacific		Pacific Northwest & Western		
	Northwest	Western	Class II	Class III	Class IV
	Class I *				
Skim 1/	\$ 8.97	\$ 8.97	\$ 6.64	\$ 9.76	\$ 5.97
Butterfat 2/	\$ 1.2044	\$ 1.2044	\$ 1.2584	\$ 1.2514	\$ 1.2514
Protein 2/				\$ 3.1438	
Other Solids 2/				\$ 0.0026	
Nonfat Solids 2/			\$ 0.7378		\$ 0.6638
@ 3.5% Butterfat 1/ 3/	\$ 12.87	\$ 12.87	\$ 10.81	\$ 13.80	\$ 10.14
Processor Assessment **	\$ 0.20	\$ 0.20			
Total 1/	\$ 13.07	\$ 13.07			

### Arizona-Las Vegas

	Class I *	Class II	Class III	Class IV
Skim 1/	\$ 9.42	\$ 6.64	\$ 9.76	\$ 5.97
Butterfat 2/	\$ 1.2089	\$ 1.2584	\$ 1.2514	\$ 1.2514
@ 3.5% Butterfat 1/ 3/	\$ 13.32	\$ 10.81	\$ 13.80	\$ 10.14
Processor Assessment **	\$ 0.20			
Total 1/	\$ 13.52			

Supplemental Price Data From NASS Surveys			FO 124 & FO 135 Only	
Surveys Included: 8/2/03 to 8/30/03	Average Price	Total Pounds of Product	PRODUCER COMPONENT PRICES 2/	
Grade AA Butter	\$ 1.1578	23,267,657	Butterfat	\$ 1.2514
Cheese 40 Lb. Blocks	\$ 1.5332	38,227,115		
Cheese 500 Lb. Barrels, 38% moisture	\$ 1.5321	50,042,092		
Cheese, Average	\$ 1.5496	88,269,207	Protein	\$ 3.1438
Nonfat Dry Milk	\$ 0.8105	125,492,733		
Dry Whey	\$ 0.1615	66,490,099	Other Solids	\$ 0.0026

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FEDERAL MILK ORDERS 124, 131 & 135

## ANNOUNCEMENT OF MINIMUM CLASS AND COMPONENT PRICES: *FINAL* # September 2003

	Pacific		Pacific Northwest & Western		
	Northwest	Western	Class II	Class III	Class IV
	Class I *				
Skim 1/	\$ 11.41	\$ 11.41	\$ 6.69	\$ 10.39	\$ 5.98
Butterfat 2/	\$ 1.3134	\$ 1.3134	\$ 1.2288	\$ 1.2218	\$ 1.2218
Protein 2/				\$ 3.3180	
Other Solids 2/				\$ 0.0170	
Nonfat Solids 2/			\$ 0.7433		\$ 0.6644
@ 3.5% Butterfat 1/ 3/	\$ 15.61	\$ 15.61	\$ 10.76	\$ 14.30	\$ 10.05
Processor Assessment **	\$ 0.20	\$ 0.20			
Total 1/	\$ 15.81	\$ 15.81			

Arizona-Las Vegas				
	Class I *	Class II	Class III	Class IV
Skim 1/	\$ 11.86	\$ 6.69	\$ 10.39	\$ 5.98
Butterfat 2/	\$ 1.3179	\$ 1.2288	\$ 1.2218	\$ 1.2218
@ 3.5% Butterfat 1/ 3/	\$ 16.06	\$ 10.76	\$ 14.30	\$ 10.05
Processor Assessment **	\$ 0.20			
Total 1/	\$ 16.26			

Supplemental Price Data From NASS Surveys			FO 124 & FO 135 Only	
Surveys Included: 9/6/03 to 9/27/03	Average Price	Total Pounds of Product	PRODUCER COMPONENT PRICES 2/	
Grade AA Butter	\$ 1.1332	15,926,269	Butterfat	\$ 1.2218
Cheese 40 Lb. Blocks	\$ 1.5786	32,215,681		
Cheese 500 Lb. Barrels, 38% moisture	\$ 1.5762	40,666,633		
Cheese, Average	\$ 1.5940	72,882,314	Protein	\$ 3.3180
Nonfat Dry Milk	\$ 0.8111	82,854,764		
Dry Whey	\$ 0.1755	47,518,465	Other Solids	\$ 0.0170

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Arizona-Las Vegas (FO 131) prices milk on the basis of butterfat and skim.

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FEDERAL MILK ORDERS 124, 131 & 135

## ANNOUNCEMENT OF MINIMUM CLASS AND COMPONENT PRICES: *FINAL* # October 2003

	Pacific		Pacific Northwest & Western		
	Northwest	Western	Class II	Class III	Class IV
	Class I *				
Skim 1/	\$ 12.33	\$ 12.33	\$ 6.66	\$ 10.36	\$ 5.98
Butterfat 2/	\$ 1.2197	\$ 1.2197	\$ 1.2623	\$ 1.2553	\$ 1.2553
Protein 2/				\$ 3.2815	
Other Solids 2/				\$ 0.0311	
Nonfat Solids 2/			\$ 0.7400		\$ 0.6642
@ 3.5% Butterfat 1/ 3/	\$ 16.17	\$ 16.17	\$ 10.84	\$ 14.39	\$ 10.16
Processor Assessment **	\$ 0.20	\$ 0.20			
Total 1/	\$ 16.37	\$ 16.37			

Arizona-Las Vegas				
	Class I *	Class II	Class III	Class IV
Skim 1/	\$ 12.78	\$ 6.66	\$ 10.36	\$ 5.98
Butterfat 2/	\$ 1.2242	\$ 1.2623	\$ 1.2553	\$ 1.2553
@ 3.5% Butterfat 1/ 3/	\$ 16.62	\$ 10.84	\$ 14.39	\$ 10.16
Processor Assessment **	\$ 0.20			
Total 1/	\$ 16.82			

Supplemental Price Data From NASS Surveys			FO 124 & FO 135 Only	
Surveys Included: 10/4/03 to 10/25/03	Average Price	Total Pounds of Product	PRODUCER COMPONENT PRICES 2/	
Grade AA Butter	\$ 1.1611	15,911,946	Butterfat	\$ 1.2553
Cheese 40 Lb. Blocks	\$ 1.5781	31,363,924		
Cheese 500 Lb. Barrels, 38% moisture	\$ 1.5753	41,317,545		
Cheese, Average	\$ 1.5936	72,681,469	Protein	\$ 3.2815
Nonfat Dry Milk	\$ 0.8109	78,745,997		
Dry Whey	\$ 0.1892	46,653,930	Other Solids	\$ 0.0311

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FEDERAL MILK ORDERS 124, 131 & 135

## ANNOUNCEMENT OF MINIMUM CLASS AND COMPONENT PRICES: *FINAL* # November 2003

	Pacific		Pacific Northwest & Western		
	Northwest	Western	Class II	Class III	Class IV
	Class I *				
Skim 1/	\$ 12.23	\$ 12.23	\$ 6.69	\$ 9.29	\$ 6.00
Butterfat 2/	\$ 1.2753	\$ 1.2753	\$ 1.2947	\$ 1.2877	\$ 1.2877
Protein 2/				\$ 2.9267	
Other Solids 2/				\$ 0.0368	
Nonfat Solids 2/			\$ 0.7433		\$ 0.6663
@ 3.5% Butterfat 1/ 3/	\$ 16.27	\$ 16.27	\$ 10.99	\$ 13.47	\$ 10.30
Processor Assessment **	\$ 0.20	\$ 0.20			
Total 1/	\$ 16.47	\$ 16.47			

Arizona-Las Vegas				
	Class I *	Class II	Class III	Class IV
Skim 1/	\$ 12.68	\$ 6.69	\$ 9.29	\$ 6.00
Butterfat 2/	\$ 1.2798	\$ 1.2947	\$ 1.2877	\$ 1.2877
@ 3.5% Butterfat 1/ 3/	\$ 16.72	\$ 10.99	\$ 13.47	\$ 10.30
Processor Assessment **	\$ 0.20			
Total 1/	\$ 16.92			

Supplemental Price Data From NASS Surveys			FO 124 & FO 135 Only	
Surveys Included: 11/1/03 to 11/29/03	Average Price	Total Pounds of Product	PRODUCER COMPONENT PRICES 2/	
Grade AA Butter	\$ 1.1881	14,121,864	Butterfat	\$ 1.2877
Cheese 40 Lb. Blocks	\$ 1.5000	43,122,429		
Cheese 500 Lb. Barrels, 38% moisture	\$ 1.4590	50,527,330		
Cheese, Average	\$ 1.4941	93,649,759	Protein	\$ 2.9267
Nonfat Dry Milk	\$ 0.8130	93,846,595		
Dry Whey	\$ 0.1947	55,104,683	Other Solids	\$ 0.0368

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FEDERAL MILK ORDERS 124, 131 & 135

## ANNOUNCEMENT OF MINIMUM CLASS AND COMPONENT PRICES: *FINAL* # December 2003

	Pacific		Pacific Northwest & Western		
	Northwest	Western	Class II	Class III	Class IV
	Class I *				
Skim 1/	\$ 11.60	\$ 11.60	\$ 6.72	\$ 7.34	\$ 5.94
Butterfat 2/	\$ 1.2996	\$ 1.2996	\$ 1.3758	\$ 1.3688	\$ 1.3688
Protein 2/				\$ 2.2997	
Other Solids 2/				\$ 0.0362	
Nonfat Solids 2/			\$ 0.7467		\$ 0.6603
@ 3.5% Butterfat 1/ 3/	\$ 15.74	\$ 15.74	\$ 11.30	\$ 11.87	\$ 10.52
Processor Assessment **	\$ 0.20	\$ 0.20			
Total 1/	\$ 15.94	\$ 15.94			

Arizona-Las Vegas				
	Class I *	Class II	Class III	Class IV
Skim 1/	\$ 12.05	\$ 6.72	\$ 7.34	\$ 5.94
Butterfat 2/	\$ 1.3041	\$ 1.3758	\$ 1.3688	\$ 1.3688
@ 3.5% Butterfat 1/ 3/	\$ 16.19	\$ 11.30	\$ 11.87	\$ 10.52
Processor Assessment **	\$ 0.20			
Total 1/	\$ 16.39			

Supplemental Price Data From NASS Surveys			FO 124 & FO 135 Only	
Surveys Included: 12/6/03 to 12/27/03	Average Price	Total Pounds of Product	PRODUCER COMPONENT PRICES 2/	
Grade AA Butter	\$ 1.2557	10,821,591	Butterfat	\$ 1.3688
Cheese 40 Lb. Blocks	\$ 1.3551	37,106,602		
Cheese 500 Lb. Barrels, 38% moisture	\$ 1.2669	37,100,171		
Cheese, Average	\$ 1.3260	74,206,773	Protein	\$ 2.2997
Nonfat Dry Milk	\$ 0.8070	81,653,335		
Dry Whey	\$ 0.1941	42,873,275	Other Solids	\$ 0.0362

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