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ANNOUNCEMENT OF CLASS AND COMPONENT PRICES[1/]
October 2026

Class I Price (King County, WA)[2/ 3/]		**$21.58**
Processor Assessment[4/]	(per cwt.)	*$0.20*
Total	(per cwt.)	$21.78
Class I Skim Milk Price[2/]	(per cwt.)	$16.82
Class I Butterfat Price[2/]	(per cwt.)	$1.5294
Class I ESL Adjustment[5/]	(per cwt.)	($0.46)
Class II Price[3/]		**$19.15**
Class II Skim Milk Price[2/]	(per cwt.)	$14.82
Class II Butterfat Price	(per lb.)	$1.3850
Class II Nonfat Solids Price[2/]	(per lb.)	$1.5935
Class III Price[3/]		**$15.16**
Class III Skim Milk Price	(per cwt.)	$10.71
Class III Butterfat Price	(per lb.)	$1.3780
Class III Protein Price	(per lb.)	$2.3991
Class III Other Solids Price	(per lb.)	$0.4659
Class IV Price[3/]		**$20.54**
Class IV Skim Milk Price	(per cwt.)	$16.29
Class IV Butterfat Price	(per lb.)	$1.3780
Class IV Nonfat Solids Price	(per lb.)	$1.7511

MONTHLY COMPONENT PRICES

Butterfat Price	(per lb.)	$1.3780
Protein Price	(per lb.)	$2.3991
Other Solids Price	(per lb.)	$0.4659
Nonfat Solids Price	(per lb.)	$1.7511

MONTHLY PRODUCT PRICE AVERAGES

Butter Price	(per lb.)	$1.3651
Cheese Price	(per lb.)	$1.4444
Dry Whey Price	(per lb.)	$0.7191
Nonfat Dry Milk Price	(per lb.)	$2.0081

1/ See Price Formulas at https://www.ams.usda.gov/resources/price-formulas.

2/ Previoulsly announced in *Announcement of Class I Price and Advanced Pricing Factors.* Class I prices are announced at the King County, WA location differential of $2.70 per hundredweight.

3/ The Class prices announced are per hundredweight at 3.5% butterfat.

4/ The 20-cent per hundredweight processor assessment is an obligation under the Fluid Milk Promotion Order (7CFR§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.

5/ Class I Extended Shelf Life (ESL) Adjustment for All ESL products is equal to the average of the advanced Class III and IV skim pricing factors plus a 24-month rolling average adjustor less the higher of the advaned Class III and IV skim pricing factors. More information can be found in the §1000.50(r) section of the Federal Order language.

(Class I prices by location on next page.)

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Peter Fredericks, Market Administrator

Class I Price Information for the Pacific Northwest Marketing Area
October 2026

	Class I Differential Rate [1/]	Class I Prices		
		Skim Milk	Butterfat	Class I [2/]
	(per cwt.)	(per cwt.)	(per lb.)	(per cwt.)
As Announced:	$2.70	$16.82	$1.5294	$21.58
Other Zones:	$2.50	$16.62	$1.5274	$21.38
	$2.40	$16.52	$1.5264	$21.28
	$2.30	$16.42	$1.5254	$21.18
	$2.20	$16.32	$1.5244	$21.08
	$2.00	$16.12	$1.5224	$20.88
	$1.90	$16.02	$1.5214	$20.78
	$1.80	$15.92	$1.5204	$20.68
	$1.70	$15.82	$1.5194	$20.58

1/ Zones listed are for reference purposes only. Differentials apply on a county basis.

2/ Price at 3.5% butterfat. Does not include the 20 cent per hundredweight processor assessment, an obligation under the Fluid Milk Promotion Order (7CFR§1160.101 et seq.).

Class I Differential Zones for the Western States

