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FEDERAL MILK ORDERS 124 & 131

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Federal Order Minimum Cost for Selected Products & Containers*
September 20, 2023

Value reflects Federal order minimum cost of raw skim and butterfat in milk products at the base zone of each order and the \$0.20 per hundredweight Processor Assessment (Fluid Milk Promotion Order, 7 CFR, 1160.101 et seq). Not included are any other assessments or costs associated with bottling milk, such as standardization, pasteurization, processing, packaging, labor, delivery, etc.

	Month	PNW (FO 124)		AZ (FO 131)	
		Skim	Butterfat	Skim	Butterfat
Class I Skim and Butterfat Prices	July 2023	\$9.98	\$2.7967	\$10.43	\$2.8012
	August 2023	\$9.32	\$2.7776	\$9.77	\$2.7821
	September 2023	\$10.74	\$3.0380	\$11.19	\$3.0425
	October 2023	\$11.22	\$3.0687	\$11.67	\$3.0732

Product	Butterfat Percent	Month	PNW (FO 124)		AZ (FO 131)	
			Gallons	Half Pints	Gallons	Half Pints
White Milk	3.25%	July 2023	\$1.6121	\$0.1008	\$1.6508	\$0.1032
		August 2023	\$1.5518	\$0.0970	\$1.5905	\$0.0994
		September 2023	\$1.7427	\$0.1089	\$1.7814	\$0.1113
		October 2023	\$1.7913	\$0.1120	\$1.8300	\$0.1144
	2.00%	July 2023	\$1.3252	\$0.0828	\$1.3640	\$0.0853
		August 2023	\$1.2662	\$0.0791	\$1.3050	\$0.0816
		September 2023	\$1.4310	\$0.0894	\$1.4698	\$0.0919
		October 2023	\$1.4769	\$0.0923	\$1.5157	\$0.0947
	1.00%	July 2023	\$1.0927	\$0.0683	\$1.1315	\$0.0707
		August 2023	\$1.0348	\$0.0647	\$1.0736	\$0.0671
		September 2023	\$1.1784	\$0.0737	\$1.2172	\$0.0761
		October 2023	\$1.2220	\$0.0764	\$1.2608	\$0.0788
	0.06%	July 2023	\$0.8752	\$0.0547	\$0.9141	\$0.0571
		August 2023	\$0.8182	\$0.0511	\$0.8571	\$0.0536
		September 2023	\$0.9420	\$0.0589	\$0.9809	\$0.0613
		October 2023	\$0.9836	\$0.0615	\$1.0224	\$0.0639
Chocolate Milk	3.25%	July 2023	\$1.4996	\$0.0937	\$1.5356	\$0.0960
		August 2023	\$1.4435	\$0.0902	\$1.4795	\$0.0925
		September 2023	\$1.6212	\$0.1013	\$1.6572	\$0.1036
		October 2023	\$1.6663	\$0.1041	\$1.7023	\$0.1064
	1.00%	July 2023	\$1.0142	\$0.0634	\$1.0502	\$0.0656
		August 2023	\$0.9604	\$0.0600	\$0.9964	\$0.0623
		September 2023	\$1.0936	\$0.0684	\$1.1296	\$0.0706
		October 2023	\$1.1341	\$0.0709	\$1.1701	\$0.0731
	0.06%	July 2023	\$0.8113	\$0.0507	\$0.8473	\$0.0530
		August 2023	\$0.7585	\$0.0474	\$0.7945	\$0.0497
		September 2023	\$0.8733	\$0.0546	\$0.9093	\$0.0568
		October 2023	\$0.9118	\$0.0570	\$0.9478	\$0.0592

	Product	Gallons	Half Pints
Conversion Factors	White Milk, 3.25%	8.60	0.53750
	White Milk, 2.00%	8.62	0.53875
	White Milk, 1.00%	8.62	0.53875
	White Milk, 0.06%	8.63	0.539375
	Chocolate Milk**	8.00	0.50000

* Price formula: $\frac{((\text{Percent Skim} \times \text{Skim Price})/100 + (\text{Percent Butterfat} \times \text{Butterfat Price}))/100}{100} \times \text{Conversion Factor}$
 For example, the formula for a gallon of whole milk would be: $\frac{((96.75 \times \text{Skim Price})/100 + (3.25 \times \text{Butterfat Price}))/100}{100} \times 8.6$

** Conversion factors for chocolate milk vary between products.