## **United States Department of Agriculture Agricultural Marketing Service Dairy Programs** Milk Market Administrator Federal Orders 124 & 131

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## Federal Order Minimum Cost for Selected Products/Containers

Value reflects Federal order minimum cost of raw skim and butterfat in milk products at the base zone of each order and effect of Processor Assessment (See Note 1). Not included in these costs are the expenses of standardization, pasteurization, processing, packaging, labor, delivery, etc.

|                  |                | FO 124         |                  | FO 131         |                  |
|------------------|----------------|----------------|------------------|----------------|------------------|
| White Milk       |                | <u>Gallons</u> | Half Pints       | <u>Gallons</u> | Half Pints       |
| 3.25%            | March 2013     | \$1.6786       | \$0.1049         | \$1.7173       | \$0.1073         |
|                  | April 2013     | \$1.6653       | \$0.1041         | \$1.7040       | \$0.1065         |
|                  | May 2013       | \$1.6717       | \$0.1045         | \$1.7104       | \$0.1069         |
|                  | June 2013      | \$1.7729       | \$0.1108         | \$1.8116       | \$0.1132         |
|                  | March 2013     | \$1.5175       | \$0.0948         | \$1.5563       | \$0.0973         |
| 2.00%            | April 2013     | \$1.4970       | \$0.0936         | \$1.5358       | \$0.0960         |
|                  | May 2013       | \$1.4950       | \$0.0934         | \$1.5338       | \$0.0959         |
|                  | June 2013      | \$1.5971       | \$0.0998         | \$1.6359       | \$0.1022         |
|                  | March 2013     | \$1.3854       | \$0.0866         | \$1.4242       | \$0.0890         |
| 1.00%            | April 2013     | \$1.3592       | \$0.0850         | \$1.3980       | \$0.0874         |
|                  | May 2013       | \$1.3505       | \$0.0844         | \$1.3893       | \$0.0868         |
|                  | June 2013      | \$1.4533       | \$0.0908         | \$1.4920       | \$0.0933         |
| 0.06%            | March 2013     | \$1.2627       | \$0.0789         | \$1.3016       | \$0.0813         |
|                  | April 2013     | \$1.2311       | \$0.0769         | \$1.2700       | \$0.0794         |
|                  | May 2013       | \$1.2160       | \$0.0760         | \$1.2549       | \$0.0784         |
|                  | June 2013      | \$1.3195       | \$0.0825         | \$1.3584       | \$0.0849         |
| Chocolate Milk * |                |                |                  |                |                  |
| 3.25%            | March 2013     | \$1.5615       | \$0.0976         | \$1.5975       | \$0.0998         |
|                  | April 2013     | \$1.5491       | \$0.0968         | \$1.5851       | \$0.0991         |
|                  | May 2013       | \$1.5551       | \$0.0972         | \$1.5911       | \$0.0994         |
|                  | June 2013      | \$1.6492       | \$0.1031         | \$1.6852       | \$0.1053         |
|                  | March 2013     | \$1.2858       | \$0.0804         | \$1.3218       | \$0.0826         |
| 1.00%            | April 2013     | \$1.2615       | \$0.0788         | \$1.2975       | \$0.0811         |
|                  | May 2013       | \$1.2533       | \$0.0783         | \$1.2893       | \$0.0806         |
|                  | June 2013      | \$1.3487       | \$0.0843         | \$1.3847       | \$0.0865         |
| 0.06%            | March 2013     | \$1.1706       | \$0.0732         | \$1.2066       | \$0.0754         |
|                  | April 2013     | \$1.1413       | \$0.0713         | \$1.1773       | \$0.0736         |
|                  | May 2013       | \$1.1272       | \$0.0705         | \$1.1632       | \$0.0727         |
|                  | June 2013      | \$1.2232       | \$0.0765         | \$1.2592       | \$0.0787         |
|                  | Class I Prices | <u>Skim</u>    | <u>Butterfat</u> | <u>Skim</u>    | <u>Butterfat</u> |
|                  | March 2013     | \$14.54        | \$1.6774         | \$14.99        | \$1.6819         |
|                  | April 2013     | \$14.17        | \$1.7399         | \$14.62        | \$1.7444         |
|                  | May 2013       | \$13.99        | \$1.8165         | \$14.44        | \$1.8210         |
|                  | June 2013      | \$15.19        | \$1.8210         | \$15.64        | \$1.8255         |
|                  |                |                |                  |                |                  |

**Conversion Factors** 

White 3.25% Gal. White 3.25% 1/2 Pint White 2.00% Gal. White 2.00% 1/2 Pint White 1.00% Gal. White 1.00% Gal. White 1.00% 1/2 Pint White 0.06% Gal. White 0.06% Gal. 8.60 0.53750 8.62 0.53875 8.62 0.53875 8.63 0.539375

Chocolate Gal.

Chocolate 1/2 Pint 0.50000

Note 1: All prices include the \$0.20 per cwt. Processor Assessment (Fluid Milk Promotion Order, 7 CFR, 1160.101 et seq). These prices do not include any other assessments or costs associated with bottling milk.

Note 2: Prices were determined by following formula:

([(Percent Skim X Skim Price)/100+(Percent Butterfat X Butterfat Price)] / 100) X Conversion Factor For example, the formula for a gallon of whole milk would be: ([(96.75 X Skim Price)/100+(3.25 X Butterfat Price)] / 100) X 8.6

Note 3: Asterisk (\*): Conversion factors for chocolate milk vary between products.