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ANNOUNCEMENT OF CLASS PRICES FOR FEBRUARY 2023

	PRICE @ 3.5% BF <i>(per cwt.)</i>	SKIM MILK PRICE <i>(per cwt.)</i>	BUTTERFAT PRICE <i>(per lb.)</i>
CLASS I PRICE ^{1/}	\$24.18	\$14.78	\$2.8330
Transportation Credit	0.07	0.07	0.0007
<u>Processor Assessment ^{2/}</u>	<u>0.20</u>	<u>0.20</u>	<u>0.0020</u>
Total	\$24.45	\$15.05	\$2.8357
CLASS II PRICE	\$20.83	\$11.70 ^{1/}	\$2.7248
CLASS III PRICE	\$17.78	\$8.57	\$2.7178
CLASS IV PRICE	\$18.86	\$9.69	\$2.7178

FACTORS USED IN PRICES FOR FEBRUARY 2023

Product Price Averages:	FEBRUARY 2023 Monthly Averages	2 Week Averages Ending January 14, 2023 ^{1/}
Cheese <i>(per lb.)</i>	\$1.8224	\$1.9953
Butter <i>(per lb.)</i>	\$2.4158	\$2.4828
Nonfat Dry Milk <i>(per lb.)</i>	\$1.2553	\$1.4025
Dry Whey <i>(per lb.)</i>	\$0.4031	\$0.4444

Advanced Pricing Factors ^{1/}:

Advanced Class III Skim Milk Pricing Factor <i>(per cwt.)</i>	\$10.28
Advanced Class IV Skim Milk Pricing Factor <i>(per cwt.)</i>	\$11.00
Advanced Butterfat Pricing Factor <i>(per lb.)</i>	\$2.7990

^{1/} As announced on or before the 23rd of the previous month. Class I skim milk price is announced at the average of the advanced Class III and IV skim milk pricing factors plus \$0.74 and the base zone (Mecklenburg County, NC) differential of \$3.40 and is subject to location adjustments.

^{2/} 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.

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 Market Administrator

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Summary of Federal Order Prices for the FEBRUARY 2023 Delivery Period
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Class	Product (cwt.)	Skim (cwt.)	Fat (lb.)	SNF (lb.)	OS (lb.)	Protein (lb.)
Class I	\$24.18	\$14.78	\$2.8330			
Class II	\$20.83	\$11.70	\$2.7248	\$1.3000		
Class III	\$17.78	\$8.57	\$2.7178		\$0.2101	\$2.3650
Class IV	\$18.86	\$9.69	\$2.7178	\$1.0766		

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CLASS I PRICES AT LOCATION

CITY	STATE	Class I Adj.	Product (cwt.)	Skim (cwt.)	Fat (lb.)
Holland	IN	-1.10	\$23.08	\$13.68	\$2.8220
London	KY	-0.50	\$23.68	\$14.28	\$2.8280
Somerset	KY	-0.50	\$23.68	\$14.28	\$2.8280
Winchester	KY	-0.80	\$23.38	\$13.98	\$2.8250
Asheville	NC	0.00	\$24.18	\$14.78	\$2.8330
High Point	NC	0.00	\$24.18	\$14.78	\$2.8330
Julian	NC	0.00	\$24.18	\$14.78	\$2.8330
Winston-Salem	NC	0.00	\$24.18	\$14.78	\$2.8330
Spartanburg	SC	0.20	\$24.38	\$14.98	\$2.8350
Athens	TN	0.00	\$24.18	\$14.78	\$2.8330
Powell	TN	-0.20	\$23.98	\$14.58	\$2.8310
Lynchburg	VA	-0.20	\$23.98	\$14.58	\$2.8310
Mt. Crawford	VA	-0.50	\$23.68	\$14.28	\$2.8280
Newport News	VA	-0.20	\$23.98	\$14.58	\$2.8310
Strasburg	VA	-0.60	\$23.58	\$14.18	\$2.8270
Verona	VA	-0.50	\$23.68	\$14.28	\$2.8280
Wirtz	VA	-0.20	\$23.98	\$14.58	\$2.8310
Charleston	WV	-1.20	\$22.98	\$13.58	\$2.8210