



ANNOUNCEMENT OF CLASS PRICES AND RELATED DATA  
FOR DECEMBER 2016

	Market Class I Differential Rate	Class I Prices <sup>1/</sup>		
		Skim Milk (Per cwt.)	Butterfat (Per Pound)	3.5% BF (Per cwt.)
<b>Base Zone</b>	<b>\$ 1.80</b>	<b>\$11.64</b>	<b>\$ 2.1284</b>	<b>\$18.68</b>
Other Zones	\$ 1.75	\$11.59	\$ 2.1279	\$18.63
	1.70	11.54	2.1274	18.58
	1.65	11.49	2.1269	18.53
	1.60	11.44	2.1264	18.48
<b>Class II Prices</b>	Nonfat Solids		(Per pound)	\$ 0.8133
	Butterfat		(Per pound)	2.3424
	Skim Milk		(Per cwt.)	7.32
	3.50% BF		(Per cwt.)	15.26
<b>Class III Prices</b>	Protein		(Per pound)	\$ 2.6922
	Other Solids		(Per pound)	0.2063
	Butterfat		(Per pound)	2.3354
	Skim Milk		(Per cwt.)	9.56
	3.50% BF		(Per cwt.)	17.40
<b>Class IV Prices</b>	Nonfat Solids		(Per pound)	\$ 0.7822
	Butterfat		(Per pound)	2.3354
	Skim Milk		(Per cwt.)	7.04
	3.50% BF		(Per cwt.)	14.97
<b>Somatic Cell Adjustment Rate</b>			(Per cwt. per 1,000 SCC)	\$ 0.00090

Factors Used in Prices for December 2016

Advanced Class III Skim Milk Price	(Per cwt.)	\$ 9.84
Advanced Class IV Skim Milk Price	(Per cwt.)	6.62
Class I Skim Milk Price Mover	(Per cwt.)	\$ 9.84
Advanced Butterfat Price	(Per pound)	2.1104

			<u>2-Week Average</u>	<u>Monthly Average</u>
AMS Survey Prices	Butter	(Per pound)	\$ 1.9142	\$ 2.1000
	Cheese	(Per pound)	1.7706	1.7990
	Dry Whey	(Per pound)	0.3706	0.3994
	Nonfat Dry Milk	(Per pound)	0.9105	0.9579
Component Prices	Butterfat	(Per pound)	\$ 2.1104	\$ 2.3354
	Protein	(Per pound)	2.8376	2.6922
	Other Solids	(Per pound)	0.1766	0.2063
	Nonfat Solids	(Per pound)	0.7353	0.7822

**ADVANCED CLASS PRICES AND RELATED DATA  
FOR JANUARY 2017**

	Market Class I Differential Rate	<b>Class I Prices</b> <sup>1/</sup>		
		Skim Milk (Per cwt.)	Butterfat (Per Pound)	3.5% BF (Per cwt.)
<b>Base Zone</b>	<b>\$ 1.80</b>	<b>\$11.41</b>	<b>\$ 2.3554</b>	<b>\$19.25</b>
Other Zones	\$ 1.75	\$11.36	\$ 2.3549	\$19.20
	1.70	11.31	2.3544	19.15
	1.65	11.26	2.3539	19.10
	1.60	11.21	2.3534	19.05
<b>Class II Nonfat Solids Price</b>			(Per pound)	\$ 0.8633
<b>Class II Skim Milk Price</b>			(Per cwt.)	\$ 7.77
<b>Factors Used in Prices for January 2017</b>				
Advanced Class III Skim Milk Price			(Per cwt.)	\$ 9.61
Advanced Class IV Skim Milk Price			(Per cwt.)	7.07
Class I Skim Milk Price Mover			(Per cwt.)	\$ 9.61
Advanced Butterfat Price			(Per pound)	2.3374
AMS Survey Prices -- Two-Week Average				
Butter			(Per pound)	\$ 2.1016
Cheese			(Per pound)	1.8052
Dry Whey			(Per pound)	0.3981
Nonfat Dry Milk			(Per pound)	0.9615
Advanced Component Prices				
Butterfat			(Per pound)	\$ 2.3374
Protein			(Per pound)	2.7101
Other Solids			(Per pound)	0.2050
Nonfat Solids			(Per pound)	0.7858

**Estimated Utilization of Producer Milk in Class I**  
(Pursuant to § 1030.45(a))

<b>December 2016</b>	<b>Class I Skim Milk</b>	<b>14%</b>	<b>Class I Butterfat</b>	<b>6%</b>
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<sup>1/</sup> The 20-cent per hundredweight processor assessment which is an obligation under the Fluid Milk Promotion Order (7 CFR §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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