



Agricultural Marketing Service  
Dairy Programs

# FEDERAL MILK ORDER No. 1

## Northeast Marketing Area

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### ANNOUNCEMENT OF CLASS I PRICE AND ADVANCED PRICING FACTORS

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	<u>March 2005</u>	
	(dollars)	
Class I price @ <b>Suffolk County, MA (Boston)</b> at 3.5% butterfat	18.68	per hundredweight
Processor Assessment <sup>1/</sup>	0.20	per hundredweight
Total Class I price	18.88	per hundredweight
Class I skim price @ <b>Boston, MA</b>	12.84	per hundredweight
Class I butterfat price @ <b>Boston, MA</b>	1.7983	per pound
Class I skim price @ <b>New York, NY</b>	12.74	per hundredweight
Class I butterfat price @ <b>New York, NY</b>	1.7973	per pound
Class I skim price @ <b>Philadelphia, PA</b>	12.64	per hundredweight
Class I butterfat price @ <b>Philadelphia, PA</b>	1.7963	per pound
Class II skim price	7.44	per hundredweight
Class II nonfat solids price	0.8267	per pound
Advanced pricing factors:		
Base skim milk price for Class I	9.59	per hundredweight
Advanced butterfat pricing factor	1.7658	per pound
Advanced Class III skim milk pricing factor	9.59	per hundredweight
Advanced Class IV skim milk pricing factor	6.74	per hundredweight

Two-week product price averages (weeks ending 2/5, 2/12):	<u>February 2005</u>	
	(dollars)	
Butter	1.5865	per pound
Nonfat dry milk	0.8964	per pound
Cheese	1.6482	per pound
Dry whey	0.2479	per pound

<sup>1/</sup> The processor assessment is an obligation under the Fluid Milk Promotion Order (7CFR§1160.101 et seq.). The Order requires that all persons who process and market commercially more than 3,000,000 pounds of fluid milk products in consumer-type packages in the 48 contiguous states and District of Columbia on a monthly basis, excluding those fluid milk products delivered to a residence of a consumer, be assessed 20 cents per hundredweight on all marketings of such packaged fluid milk products during the month.

**Note: Price formulas are available at [www.ams.usda.gov/dairy/price\\_formula.htm](http://www.ams.usda.gov/dairy/price_formula.htm).**

(Class I price by location on reverse side)

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**Class I Price Information for the Northeast Order**

Selected locations	Differential*	Adjustment	Prices		
			Skim	Butterfat	Class I#
			per cwt.	per pound	per cwt.
Class I Mover Factor:			9.59	1.7658	15.43
Boston, MA	3.25	0.00	12.84	1.7983	18.68
Newport News/Portsmouth, VA	3.20	(0.05)	12.79	1.7978	18.63
New York, NY	3.15	(0.10)	12.74	1.7973	18.58
Long Valley, NJ	3.10	(0.15)	12.69	1.7968	18.53
Philadelphia, PA	3.05	(0.20)	12.64	1.7963	18.48
Agawam, MA/Baltimore, MD	3.00	(0.25)	12.59	1.7958	18.43
Frederick, MD/New Holland, PA	2.90	(0.35)	12.49	1.7948	18.33
Mt. Holly Springs, PA	2.80	(0.45)	12.39	1.7938	18.23
Albany/Binghamton, NY	2.70	(0.55)	12.29	1.7928	18.13
Middlebury, VT	2.60	(0.65)	12.19	1.7918	18.03
Syracuse, NY	2.50	(0.75)	12.09	1.7908	17.93
St. Albans/Swanton, VT	2.40	(0.85)	11.99	1.7898	17.83
Watertown/Rochester, NY	2.30	(0.95)	11.89	1.7888	17.73
Buffalo, NY	2.20	(1.05)	11.79	1.7878	17.63
Jamestown, NY	2.10	(1.15)	11.69	1.7868	17.53

\* Differentials listed apply to states included in the Northeast marketing area. Outside of this area, differentials may be above or below this range. Cities listed are for reference purposes only. Differentials apply on a county basis.

# 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.).