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ANNOUNCEMENT OF CLASS AND COMPONENT PRICES

	<u>January 2006</u>	
	<u>dollars</u>	
Class I price @ <i>Suffolk County, MA (Boston)</i> at 3.5% butterfat ^{1/}	16.63	per hundredweight
Processor Assessment ^{1/ 2/}	0.20	per hundredweight
Total Class I price ^{1/}	16.83	per hundredweight
Class II price @ 3.5 % butterfat	13.25	per hundredweight
Class II butterfat price	1.4754	per pound
Class II skim price ^{1/}	8.38	per hundredweight
Class II nonfat solids price ^{1/}	0.9311	per pound
Class III price @ 3.5 % butterfat	13.39	per hundredweight
Class III skim price	8.55	per hundredweight
Class IV price @ 3.5 % butterfat	12.20	per hundredweight
Class IV skim milk price	7.32	per hundredweight
Component prices:		
Butterfat price	1.4684	per pound
Nonfat solids price	0.8132	per pound
Protein price	2.3994	per pound
Other solids price	0.1881	per pound

Product price monthly averages:	<u>dollars</u>	
Butter	1.3387	per pound
Nonfat dry milk	0.9614	per pound
Cheese	1.3895	per pound
Dry whey	0.3416	per pound

Estimated Utilization Percentages of Producer Milk for February 2006^{3/}

	<u>Class I</u>	<u>Class II, III and IV</u>
Butterfat	23	77
Skim Milk	46	54

^{1/} Previously announced in *Announcement of Class I Price and Advanced Pricing Factors*.

^{2/} 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.

^{3/} Utilization percentages for assigning bulk receipts at pool distributing plants from other federal order markets, Section 1000.45(a) of the Order.

Note: Price formulas are available at www.ams.usda.gov/dairy/price_formula.htm.

(Class I prices 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:			8.42	1.5016	13.38
Boston, MA	3.25	0.00	11.67	1.5341	16.63
Newport News/Portsmouth, VA	3.20	(0.05)	11.62	1.5336	16.58
New York, NY	3.15	(0.10)	11.57	1.5331	16.53
Long Valley, NJ	3.10	(0.15)	11.52	1.5326	16.48
Philadelphia, PA	3.05	(0.20)	11.47	1.5321	16.43
Agawam, MA/Baltimore, MD	3.00	(0.25)	11.42	1.5316	16.38
Frederick, MD/New Holland, PA	2.90	(0.35)	11.32	1.5306	16.28
Mt. Holly Springs, PA	2.80	(0.45)	11.22	1.5296	16.18
Albany/Binghamton, NY	2.70	(0.55)	11.12	1.5286	16.08
Middlebury, VT	2.60	(0.65)	11.02	1.5276	15.98
Syracuse, NY	2.50	(0.75)	10.92	1.5266	15.88
St. Albans/Swanton, VT	2.40	(0.85)	10.82	1.5256	15.78
Watertown/Rochester, NY	2.30	(0.95)	10.72	1.5246	15.68
Buffalo, NY	2.20	(1.05)	10.62	1.5236	15.58
Jamestown, NY	2.10	(1.15)	10.52	1.5226	15.48

* 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.).