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# FEDERAL MILK ORDER No. 1 Northeast Marketing Area

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## MARCH 2006 POOL PRICE ANNOUNCEMENT

Producer Milk	Percent	Pounds	Minimum Class Price
Class I	45.3	935,322,653	\$15.74
Class II	18.5	381,590,325	11.69
Class III	21.4	441,630,742	11.11
Class IV	14.8	305,351,042	10.68
Total Producer Milk	100.0	2,063,894,762	

<b>Producer Price Differential</b>	<b>\$2.32 /cwt. @ Suffolk County, MA (Boston)</b>
<b>Statistical Uniform Price</b>	<b>\$13.43 /cwt. @ Suffolk County, MA (Boston)</b>

Protein Price	\$1.8836 /lb.
Butterfat Price	1.2596 /lb.
Other Solids Price	0.1874 /lb.
Nonfat Solids Price	0.7224 /lb.

### COMPUTATION OF PRODUCER PRICE DIFFERENTIAL

	Product Pounds	Price per cwt./lb.	Component Value	Total Value
Class I— Skim	916,910,105	\$11.20	102,693,931.76	
Butterfat	18,412,548	1.4093	25,948,803.90	
Less: Location Adjustment to Handlers			(2,923,239.90)	\$125,719,495.73
Class II— Butterfat	29,504,103	1.2666	37,369,896.90	
Nonfat Solids	32,171,064	0.8356	26,882,141.10	64,252,038.00
Class III— Butterfat	18,579,473	1.2596	23,402,704.20	
Protein	13,490,892	1.8836	25,411,444.18	
Other Solids	25,170,307	0.1874	4,716,915.55	53,531,063.93
Class IV— Butterfat	11,259,511	1.2596	14,182,480.07	
Nonfat Solids	26,873,563	0.7224	19,413,461.92	33,595,941.99
<b>Total Classified Value</b>				<b>\$277,098,539.65</b>
Add: Overage—All Classes				28,093.57
Inventory Reclassification—All Classes				63,737.08
Other Source Receipts	754,258			24,324.01
Less: Producer Component Valuations				(239,218,531.65)
<b>Subtotal</b>				<b>\$37,996,162.66</b>
Add: Location Adjustment to Producers				9,731,445.28
One-half Unobligated Balance—Producer Settlement Fund				1,032,485.57
<b>Total Pool Milk &amp; Aggregate Value</b>	2,064,649,020			48,760,093.51
Less: Producer Settlement Fund—Reserve				(860,236.22)
<b>Producer Price Differential</b>		<b>\$2.32</b>		47,899,857.29
<b>Statistical Uniform Price</b>		<b>\$13.43</b>		

(Selected pool and price statistics on reverse side)

## Payment Schedule

Payment Dates for the Month of:

MARCH 2006

Payments <b>TO</b> the Producer Settlement Fund due on:	4/14/2006
Payments <b>FROM</b> the Producer Settlement Fund made on:	4/17/2006
Final payments <b>TO</b> a Cooperative Association must be made on:	4/17/2006
Final payments to Producers must be <b>RECEIVED</b> by:	4/18/2006

## Producer Price Differential and Statistical Uniform Price, by Location

Selected Locations	Differential*	Adjustment	Producer Price Differential	Statistical # Uniform Price
	dollars per hundredweight			
Boston, MA	3.25	0.00	2.32	13.43
Newport News/Portsmouth, VA	3.20	(0.05)	2.27	13.38
New York, NY	3.15	(0.10)	2.22	13.33
Long Valley, NJ	3.10	(0.15)	2.17	13.28
Philadelphia, PA	3.05	(0.20)	2.12	13.23
Agawam, MA/Baltimore, MD	3.00	(0.25)	2.07	13.18
Frederick, MD/New Holland, PA	2.90	(0.35)	1.97	13.08
Mt. Holly Springs, PA	2.80	(0.45)	1.87	12.98
Albany/Binghamton, NY	2.70	(0.55)	1.77	12.88
Middlebury, VT	2.60	(0.65)	1.67	12.78
Syracuse, NY	2.50	(0.75)	1.57	12.68
St. Albans/Swanton, VT	2.40	(0.85)	1.47	12.58
Watertown/Rochester, NY	2.30	(0.95)	1.37	12.48
Buffalo, NY	2.20	(1.05)	1.27	12.38
Jamestown, NY	2.10	(1.15)	1.17	12.28

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

# Prices apply on a county basis. Prices at 3.5 percent butterfat, 2.99 percent protein, and 5.69 percent other solids.

## Selected Pool Statistics

Average test of producer receipts:	Butterfat	3.77 %
	True Protein	3.06 %
	Other Solids	5.73 %

Estimated Marketwide Utilization for APRIL 2006:

	Skim	Butterfat
Class I	43%	21%
Classes II, III, & IV	57%	79%