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### FEBRUARY 2017 MONTHLY STATISTICAL REPORT

#### RECEIPTS AND UTILIZATION OF FLUID MILK PRODUCTS AND CREAM BY POOL PLANTS\*

	February 2017	February 2016	% Change
	pounds		daily avg.
<b>Receipts of Fluid Milk Products and Cream</b>			
Producers	2,148,738,125	2,137,727,505	4.1
Other Sources	47,597,766	57,405,042	(14.1)
Fortification and Recon. (Skim Equivalent)	12,712,705	14,034,196	(6.2)
Overages	228,712	202,873	16.8
Beginning Inventory	163,834,449	169,915,757	(0.1)
<b>Total Receipts</b>	<b>2,373,111,757</b>	<b>2,379,285,373</b>	<b>3.3</b>
Average Daily Producer Receipts	76,740,647	73,714,742	4.1
<b>Utilization of Fluid Milk Products and Cream from Producer Receipts and Other Sources</b>			
Class I Milk:			
Marketing Area	667,383,102	707,177,847	(2.3)
Other Federal Markets	34,205,420	36,923,265	(4.1)
Non-Federal Markets	68,042,360	66,635,286	5.8
<b>Total Class I Milk</b>	<b>769,630,882</b>	<b>810,736,398</b>	<b>(1.7)</b>
Total Class II Milk	535,270,958	551,668,971	0.5
Total Class III Milk	538,700,176	528,359,837	5.6
Total Class IV Milk	512,876,026	483,307,799	9.9
Total Milk Assigned to Minimum price	16,633,715	5,212,368	230.5
<b>Total Utilization</b>	<b>2,373,111,757</b>	<b>2,379,285,373</b>	<b>3.3</b>
Average Daily Class I Use	27,486,817	27,956,428	(1.7)
<b>Average Component Tests of Producer Receipts</b>			
			% point
Butterfat	3.92%	3.90%	0.02
True Protein	3.13%	3.13%	0.00
Other Solids	5.76%	5.75%	0.01

\* Product pounds based on reports of handlers.

#### HANDLERS WITH UNPAID CURRENT POOL OBLIGATION

<u>Name</u>	<u>Location</u>
Midland Farms, Inc.	Menands, NY
Ronnybrook Farm Dairy, Inc.	Ancramdale, NY
Trickling Springs Creamery LLC	Chambersburg, PA

## UTILIZATION OF FLUID MILK PRODUCTS AND CREAM BY POOL PLANTS

	February 2017 pounds	Butterfat percent	February 2016 pounds	Butterfat percent
<b>Class I Milk*</b>				
Whole Milk	208,276,628	3.28	214,150,431	3.28
Organic Whole Milk	13,663,496	3.29	12,840,678	3.29
Reduced Fat Milk (2%)~	129,985,263	1.94	140,666,504	1.96
Organic Reduced Fat Milk	20,251,682	1.26	20,314,703	1.22
Lowfat Milk (1%)~	100,707,662	0.96	113,347,765	0.97
FatFree Milk (skim)~	60,361,149	0.09	73,088,896	0.10
Flavored Whole Milk	2,532,267	3.36	2,612,055	3.39
Flavored Lower Fat Milk#	34,393,148	0.56	38,441,241	0.53
Buttermilk	1,820,255	1.17	1,963,141	1.13
Eggnog	5,851	6.97	##	##
Shrinkage, Overages & Interhandler Difference	7,257,083	6.09	9,116,761	6.28
Ending Inventory	88,128,618	1.82	80,635,672	1.80
Total Class I <i>in</i> Marketing Area	667,383,102	2.01	707,177,847	1.97
Class I <i>out of</i> Marketing Area	102,247,780	1.93	103,558,551	1.85
Total Class I Utilization	769,630,882	2.00	810,736,398	1.96
<b>Class II Milk**</b>				
Packaged Cream	71,275,126	18.35	75,571,419	17.77
Nonpool Bulk	62,480,282	9.17	56,059,129	9.70
Bakery, Candy, and Soup Products	55,420,802	4.18	60,804,014	4.08
Cottage Cheese	22,632,917	0.91	25,823,351	0.84
Ricotta Cheese	15,999,206	5.56	11,639,547	6.48
Sour Cream and Aerated Cream	10,828,530	16.95	12,078,495	14.47
Yogurt	189,173,680	0.58	191,785,517	0.54
Ice Cream, Desserts, Condensed, and Mixes	107,019,278	7.07	116,729,977	6.97
Shrinkage, Overages & Interhandler Difference	441,137	N/A	1,177,522	1.12
Total Class II Utilization	535,270,958	6.11	551,668,971	6.03
<b>Class III Milk**</b>				
Nonpool Bulk and Condensed Products	11,289,489	1.21	4,780,532	7.26
American-Type Cheeses	194,233,820	3.68	203,215,129	3.44
Cream Cheese	56,734,370	12.37	66,229,657	15.01
Italian-Type Cheeses	220,818,645	2.88	211,453,828	2.83
Swiss and Other-Type Cheeses	55,623,852	5.30	42,630,100	3.13
Shrinkage, Overages & Interhandler Difference	0	0.00	50,591	40.13
Total Class III Utilization	538,700,176	4.38	528,359,837	4.66
<b>Class IV Milk**</b>				
Nonpool Bulk	11,082,590	11.30	9,552,338	12.20
Condensed Products	13,736,787	1.96	16,499,101	2.60
Butter	30,117,726	52.57	26,299,317	53.55
Dried Milk Products	355,449,424	0.35	325,090,638	0.40
Shrinkage, Overages & Interhandler Difference	19,045,621	3.10	17,417,602	3.91
Ending Inventory	81,122,409	5.72	85,108,206	6.15
Skim Equivalent of NFMS to Fortify Class I	2,321,469	0.05	3,340,597	0.04
Total Class IV Utilization	512,876,026	4.65	483,307,799	4.74
Minimum Price Class				
Animal Feed and Dumpage	16,633,715	0.73	5,212,368	2.18
Total Minimum Price Class Utilization	16,633,715	0.73	5,212,368	2.18
<b>Total Utilization</b>	2,373,111,757	4.03	2,379,285,373	4.07

\* Does not include in-area route sales from producer-handlers, exempt plants, or plants fully or partially regulated by other federal orders. Derived from reports submitted by pooled handlers.

N/A = Not applicable.

\*\* Includes sales to nonpool manufacturing plants.

# Includes reduced fat, lowfat, and fatfree milk products.

~ Includes fortified.

## Included in buttermilk.

**FEBRUARY**  
**RECEIPTS OF PRODUCER MILK, BY STATE**

State	Receipts				Number of Producers		Daily Average Output	
	2017	2016	2017	2016	2017	2016	2017	2016
	thousand pounds		percent				pounds per farm	
CT	31,352	31,948	1.5	1.5	94	99	11,912	11,128
ME	47,446	48,392	2.2	2.2	238	241	7,120	6,924
MD	67,760	69,810	3.1	3.3	360	365	6,722	6,595
MA	15,521	16,442	0.7	0.8	99	109	5,599	5,201
NH	21,217	21,709	1.0	1.0	100	105	7,577	7,129
NY	1,033,502	1,004,174	48.1	47.0	4,131	4,267	8,935	8,115
PA	691,545	696,300	32.2	32.6	5,015	5,109	4,925	4,700
VT	209,498	214,242	9.7	10.0	740	770	10,111	9,594
VA	1,133	1,395	0.1	0.1	17	19	2,381	2,531
Other States	29,764 #	33,316 ##	1.4	1.5	538	505	1,976	2,275
Total/Avg.	2,148,738	2,137,728	100.0	100.0	11,332	11,589	6,772	6,361

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**RECEIPTS OF PRODUCER MILK BY PLANT LOCATION DIFFERENTIAL AT WHICH PRICED**

Location Differentials* dollars/cwt	Class I	Class II	Class III pounds	Class IV	Total Receipts	Percent of Total Receipts
3.15 and above	98,401,766	35,962,818	30,062,844	2,894,602	167,322,030	7.8
3.00 – 3.10	253,812,913	83,841,121	13,855,810	106,922,615	458,432,459	21.3
2.80 – 2.95	124,784,838	104,933,227	40,632,587	160,840,403	431,191,055	20.1
2.60 – 2.70	88,795,839	29,958,094	83,199,938	2,592,870	204,546,741	9.5
2.40 – 2.55	70,442,203	174,961,631	79,484,649	56,867,531	381,756,014	17.8
2.35 and below	40,641,671	84,347,713	290,356,223	90,144,219	505,489,826	23.5
Market Total	676,879,230	514,004,604	537,592,051	420,262,240	2,148,738,125	100.0

\* Differentials have been combined in ranges to assure confidentiality of data.

**SIX MONTHS OF MAILBOX PRICES FOR THE NORTHEAST ORDER AND SUB REGIONS\***

	July 2016	August 2016	September 2016	October 2016	November 2016	December 2016
Northeast Order	15.96	16.55	17.04	16.68	17.09	18.57
<i>Sub Regions:</i>						
<i>New England</i>	17.04	17.68	18.13	17.73	18.16	19.70
<i>New York</i>	15.76	16.35	16.82	16.44	16.77	18.28
<i>Pennsylvania</i>	15.77	16.36	16.88	16.56	17.04	18.48

\* The mailbox price is a calculated number reporting the net price received by dairy farmers at their farm gate or mailbox. Along with applicable federal order prices received by producers, it includes premiums paid and subtracts reported deductions charged to producers.

## FEBRUARY 2017

## PRICES

	February 2017	February 2016	% Change
<b>Class Prices</b> (reported per cwt unless noted otherwise):			
Class I @ Suffolk County, MA (Boston) at 3.5% butterfat test	\$19.98	\$16.89	18.3
Class I Skim	11.45	9.16	25.0
Class II @ 3.5% butterfat test	16.52	14.30	15.5
Class II Butterfat (per pound)	2.4344	2.3848	2.1
Class II Skim	8.29	6.17	34.4
Class II Nonfat Solids (per pound)	0.9211	0.6856	34.3
Class III @ 3.5% butterfat test	16.88	13.80	22.3
Class III Skim	8.69	5.68	53.0
Class IV @ 3.5% butterfat test	15.59	13.49	15.6
Class IV Skim	7.35	5.36	37.1
<b>Statistical Uniform Price</b>	17.77	15.29	16.2
<b>Producer Price Differential</b>	0.89	1.49	(40.3)
<b>Component Prices</b> (per pound):			
Butterfat	2.4274	2.3778	2.1
Nonfat Solids	0.8166	0.5951	37.2
Protein	2.2348	1.7389	28.5
Other Solids	0.2990	0.0492	507.7

## NUMBER OF HANDLERS AND POOL PLANTS

	February 2017	January 2017	February 2016
Pool Handlers (Operating pool distributing and/or pool supply plants; includes cooperatives that deliver milk to pool plants)	63	64	64
Producer-Handlers	14	15	15
Partially Regulated Distributing Plants, Exempt Plants, and Handlers Regulated under Other Federal Orders	80	78	73
Less handlers operating plants in more than one category	(8)	(8)	(10)
Total Number of Handlers	149	149	142
Pool Distributing Plants	45	47	46
Pool Supply Unit Plants	2	2	2
Pool Supply System Plants	9	9	8
Pool Supply Plants	1	1	2
Total Number of Pool Plants	57	59	58

## CHANGE IN LIST OF HANDLERS AND PLANTS\*

Name	Plant Location	CHANGED **		Expl.
		From	To	
Mountain Fresh Dairy	Binghamton, NY	PD	ED	
Saputo Dairy Foods USA, LLC	Newington, CT	PD	PR	
Saputo Dairy Foods USA, LLC	Sulphur Springs, TX	OF	NPS	
Wright's Dairy Farm, Inc.	North Smithfield, RI	PH	ED	

\* Listing of handlers pooled under the Northeast Order is available on the website: [www.fmmone.com](http://www.fmmone.com).

\*\* Type of Plant:

ED - Exempt Distributing Plant

PD - Pool Distributing Plant

PH - Producer Handler

PR - Partially Regulated Plant

NPS - Not pooling milk or reporting sales in the Order during current month

OF - Other federal order plant with route disposition in the Northeast Marketing Area.