

MONTHLY STATISTICAL REPORT

March 2000

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

	<u>March 2000</u>	<u>March 1999*</u>	<u>% Change</u>
	pounds		daily avg.
Receipts of Fluid Milk Products and Cream			
Producers	2,181,973,341	2,096,246,017	3.9
Other Sources	70,435,974	245,881,749	(249.1)
Fortification and Recon. (Skim Equivalent)	19,205,407	12,662,483	34.1
Overages	30,506	38,897	(27.5)
Beginning Inventory	126,031,375	132,136,669	(4.8)
Total Receipts	2,397,676,603	2,486,965,815	(3.7)
Utilization of Fluid Milk Products and Cream From Producer Receipts and Other Sources			
Class I Milk:			
Marketing Area	890,754,130	890,566,451	0.0
Other Federal Markets	6,719,173	7,384,077	(9.9)
Non-Federal Markets	77,946,394	92,865,119	(19.1)
Total Class I Milk	975,419,697	990,815,647	(1.6)
Total Class II Milk	411,631,543	422,018,526	(2.5)
Total Class III Milk	655,914,045	662,218,580	(1.0)
Total Class IV Milk	349,189,678	408,037,621	(16.9)
Total Milk Assigned to Minimum Price	5,521,640	3,875,441	29.8
Total Utilization	2,397,676,603	2,486,965,815	(3.7)
Average Component Tests of Producer Receipts			
			<u>% point</u>
Butterfat test of producer receipts	3.77 %	3.75 %	0.02
True protein test of producer receipts	3.00 %	N/A	N/A
Other solids test of producer receipts	5.71 %	N/A	N/A

N/A Not available.

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HANDLERS WITH UNPAID CURRENT POOL OBLIGATION

<u>Name</u>	<u>Location</u>
Boice Bros. Dairy, Inc.	Kingston, NY
Elmhurst Dairy, Inc.	Jamaica, NY
Halo Farm, Inc.	Trenton, NJ
Hermany Farms, Inc.	Bronx, NY
Steuben Foods, Inc.	Elma, NY
Turner's Dairy, Inc.	Salem Depot, NH
Whittier Creamery Co., Inc.	Shrewsbury, MA
Worcester Creameries Corp.	Roxbury, NY

UTILIZATION OF FLUID MILK PRODUCTS AND CREAM BY POOL PLANTS

	<u>March 2000</u> <u>pounds</u>	<u>Butterfat</u> <u>percent</u>	<u>March 1999*</u> <u>pounds</u>	<u>Butterfat</u> <u>percent</u>
Class I Milk				
Whole Milk	334,572,722	3.25	347,719,051	3.24
2% – No Solids Added	164,248,115	1.98	173,266,616	1.96
2% – Fortified	5,691,498	1.92	3,185,969	2.02
1% – No Solids Added	134,530,924	0.99	140,094,968	0.98
1% – Fortified	4,548,789	0.99	3,630,343	0.99
Skim Milk – No Solids Added	125,323,442	0.08	132,786,531	0.10
Skim Milk – Fortified	6,087,849	0.22	6,763,354	0.27
Flavored Milk and Drinks	51,225,632	1.52	47,501,740	1.54
Buttermilk and Eggnog	3,172,472	1.14	3,190,240	1.16
Shrinkage & Interhandler Difference	-91,210	(540.45)	952,595	19.45
Ending Inventory	<u>61,443,897</u>	1.79	<u>31,475,044</u>	2.24
Total Class I In Marketing Area	890,754,130	2.04	890,566,451	2.01
Class I Out of Marketing Area	<u>84,665,567</u>	1.98	<u>100,249,196</u>	1.87
Total Class I Utilization	975,419,697	2.03	990,815,647	2.00
Class II Milk**				
Packaged Cream	50,874,219	17.21	91,594,957	12.06
Nonpool Bulk	20,255,151	5.61	56,659,979	10.81
Bakery, Candy, and Soup Products	50,249,846	3.88	32,057,445	3.58
Cottage Cheese	77,553,325	2.71	47,943,814	0.99
Ricotta Cheese	27,333,223	3.35	28,428,827	3.45
Sour Cream and Aerated Cream	23,909,358	12.02	18,429,417	12.40
Yogurt and Eggnog	33,181,027	1.55	22,326,365	1.43
Ice Cream, Desserts, and Mixes	129,699,264	7.57	115,254,362	8.64
Condensed Products	0		9,323,360	3.82
Shrinkage & Interhandler Difference	<u>-1,423,870</u>	18.47	<u>0</u>	
Total Class II Utilization	411,631,543	6.75	422,018,526	7.75
Class III Milk**				
Nonpool Bulk	15,646,690	2.37	73,664,737	4.25
American-Type Cheeses	177,883,911	3.75	168,829,434	3.79
Italian-Type Cheese	314,753,961	3.59	313,981,147	3.28
Swiss and Other-Type Cheeses	94,967,762	7.80	61,958,226	9.84
Condensed Products	36,003,567	2.58	29,610,597	4.73
Shrinkage & Interhandler Difference	<u>16,658,154</u>	4.03	<u>14,174,439</u>	4.16
Total Class III Utilization	655,914,045	4.17	662,218,580	4.22
Class IV Milk**				
Nonpool Bulk	703,935	34.15	#	#
Butter	24,157,136	42.52	31,634,811	36.97
Dried Milk Products	257,425,300	1.53	264,823,306	0.82
Shrinkage & Interhandler Difference	-801,689	(33.72)		
Ending Inventory	61,007,509	6.44	108,227,612	5.10
Skim Equivalent of NFMS to Fortify Class I	<u>6,697,487</u>	0.00	<u>3,351,892</u>	0.01
Total Class II Utilization	349,189,678	5.34	408,037,621	4.75
Minimum Price Class				
Animal Feed and Dumpage	<u>5,521,640</u>	2.74	<u>3,875,441</u>	2.76
Total Minimum Price Class Utilization	5,521,640	2.74	3,875,441	2.76
Total Utilization	2,397,676,603	3.91	2,486,965,815	4.02

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Figure affected by changes in order rules and regulations.

** Includes sales to nonpool manufacturing plants.

RECEIPTS OF PRODUCER MILK, BY STATE, March 2000

State	Receipts				Number of Producers		Daily Average Output	
	2000	1999*	2000	1999*	2000	1999*	2000	1999*
	thousand pounds		percent				per farm	
CT	42,721	44,585	2.0	2.1	222	239	6,208	6,018
DE	11,357	11,158	0.5	0.5	71	70	5,160	5,142
ME	44,184	45,123	2.0	2.2	410	417	3,476	3,491
MD	109,275	97,191	5.0	4.6	689	689	5,116	4,550
MA	31,912	32,954	1.5	1.6	264	279	3,899	3,810
NH	26,858	27,218	1.2	1.3	169	176	5,126	4,989
NJ	21,502	22,777	1.0	1.1	175	182	3,963	4,037
NY	925,926	874,030	42.4	41.7	7,094	6,596	4,210	4,274
PA	710,199	663,658	32.5	31.7	6,617	6,899	3,462	3,103
RI	2,293	2,377	0.1	0.1	27	28	2,740	2,738
VA	21,125	50,093	1.0	2.4	138	356	4,938	4,539
VT	230,825	220,707	10.6	10.5	1,578	1,573	4,719	4,526
WV	3,796	4,374	0.2	0.2	31	28	3,950	5,039
Total/Avg.	2,181,973	2,096,245	100.0	100.0	17,485	17,532	4,026	3,857

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CHANGE IN LIST OF HANDLERS AND PLANTS*

For March 2000

ID No.	Name	Plant Location	CHANGED **		
			From	To	Expl.
NONE					

* Listing of handlers pooled under the Northeast Order in March 2000 is available on the website: www.fmmone.com.

**March 2000
PRICES***

	March	April
Class Prices per cwt/lb:		
Class I price @ <i>Suffolk County, MA (Boston)</i> at 3.5% butterfat/cwt	\$14.09	\$14.18
Class I skim price per cwt	10.96	10.95
Class II price @ 3.5% butterfat/cwt	11.71	
Class II butterfat price per pound	1.0261	
Class II skim price per cwt	8.41	8.40
Class II nonfat solids price per pound	0.9344	0.9333
Class III price @ 3.5% butterfat/cwt	9.54	
Class III skim price per cwt	6.19	
Class IV price @ 3.5% butterfat/cwt	11.00	
Class IV skim price per cwt	7.70	
Statistical Uniform Price	12.39	
Producer Price Differential	2.85	
Component Prices:		
Butterfat price per pound	1.0191	
Nonfat solids price per pound	0.8553	
Protein price per pound	1.9166	
Other solids price per pound	0.0424	

* Previously announced.

NUMBER OF HANDLERS AND POOL PLANTS

	March 2000	February** 2000	March 1999
Pool Handlers	68	68	90
Producer-Handlers	21	21	41
Partially Regulated, Exempt Distributing, and Other Federal Market Handlers	51	49	47
Total Number of Handlers	140	138	178
Distributing Plants	59	59	62
Supply Plants	15	15	31
Total Number of Pool Plants	74	74	93

** Revised

ESTIMATED UTILIZATION PERCENTAGES OF PRODUCER MILK FOR APRIL 2000*

	Class I	Class II, III, and IV
Butterfat	22	78
Skim Milk	42	58

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