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ANNOUNCEMENT OF CLASS PRICES FOR SEPTEMBER 2014

	PRICE @ 3.5% BF <i>(per cwt.)</i>	SKIM MILK PRICE <i>(per cwt.)</i>	BUTTERFAT PRICE <i>(per lb.)</i>
CLASS I PRICE ^{1/}	\$27.03	\$17.96	\$2.7713
Transportation Credit	0.15	0.15	0.0015
Processor Assessment ^{2/}	<u>0.20</u>	<u>0.20</u>	<u>0.002</u>
Total	\$27.38	\$18.31	\$2.7748
CLASS II PRICE	\$26.11	\$15.26 ^{1/}	\$3.2537
CLASS III PRICE	\$24.60	\$13.72	\$3.2467
CLASS IV PRICE	\$22.58	\$11.62	\$3.2467

FACTORS USED IN PRICES FOR SEPTEMBER 2014

Product Price Averages:	SEPTEMBER 2014 Monthly Averages	2 Week Averages Ending August 16, 2014 ^{1/}
Cheese <i>(per lb.)</i>	\$2.3472	\$2.0666
Butter <i>(per lb.)</i>	\$2.8525	\$2.4319
Nonfat Dry Milk <i>(per lb.)</i>	\$1.4718	\$1.8020
Dry Whey <i>(per lb.)</i>	\$0.6725	\$0.6926

Advanced Pricing Factors ^{1/}:

Advanced Class III Skim Milk Pricing Factor <i>(per cwt.)</i>	\$12.71
Advanced Class IV Skim Milk Pricing Factor <i>(per cwt.)</i>	\$14.56
Advanced Butterfat Pricing Factor <i>(per lb.)</i>	\$2.7373

^{1/} As announced on or before the 23rd of the previous month. Class I skim milk price is announced at the higher of the advanced Class III or IV skim milk pricing factors plus the base zone (Mecklenburg County, NC) differential of \$3.40 and is subject to location adjustments.

^{2/} The processor assessment is an obligation under the Fluid Milk Promotion Order (7 CFR § 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 the District of Columbia on a monthly basis, excluding those fluid milk products delivered to the residence of a consumer, be assessed 20 cents per hundredweight on all marketings of such packaged fluid milk products during the month.

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