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## **ANNOUNCEMENT OF CLASS PRICES FOR AUGUST 2011**

	PRICE @ 3.5% BF	SKIM MILK PRICE (per cwt.)	BUTTERFAT PRICE (per lb.)
CLASS I PRICE <sup>1/</sup>	\$24.83	\$17.45	\$2.2836
Transportation Credit	0.15	0.15	0.0015
Processor Assessment 2/	0.20	0.20	0.002
Total	\$25.18	\$17.80	\$2.2871
CLASS II PRICE	\$21.55	\$13.97 <sup>1/</sup>	\$2.3055
CLASS III PRICE	\$21.67	\$14.12	\$2.2985
CLASS IV PRICE	\$20.14	\$12.53	\$2.2985

FACTORS USED IN PRICES FOR AUGUST 2011			
NASS Product Price Averages:	AUGUST 2011 Monthly Averages	2 Week Averages Ending July 16, 2011 <sup>1/</sup>	
Cheese (per lb.)	\$2.1402	\$2.1308	
Butter (per lb.)	\$2.0695	\$2.0291	
Nonfat Dry Milk (per lb.)	\$1.5739	\$1.6571	
Dry Whey (per lb.)	\$0.5691	\$0.5470	
Advanced Pricing Factors <sup>1/</sup> :			
Advanced Class III Skim Milk Pricing Factor (per cwt.)	\$14.05		
Advanced Class IV Skim Milk Pricing Factor (per cwt.)	\$13.27		
Advanced Butterfat Pricing Factor (per lb.)	\$2.2496		

1/ As announced on or before the 23<sup>rd</sup> 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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