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## **ANNOUNCEMENT OF CLASS PRICES FOR SEPTEMBER 2024**

	PRICE @ 3.5% BF (per cwt.)	SKIM MILK PRICE (per cwt.)	BUTTERFAT PRICE (per lb.)
CLASS I PRICE <sup>1/</sup>	\$25.00	\$12.89	\$3.5878
Transportation Credit <sup>2/</sup>	0.20	0.20	0.0020
Delivery Credit <sup>3/</sup>	0.60	0.60	0.0060
Processor Assessment 4/	0.20	0.20	<u>0.0020</u>
Total	\$26.00	\$13.89	\$3.5978
CLASS II PRICE	\$22.40	\$10.09 <sup>1/</sup>	\$3.6184
CLASS III PRICE	\$23.34	\$11.09	\$3.6114
CLASS IV PRICE	\$22.29	\$10.00	\$3.6114

FACTORS USED IN PRICES FOR SEPTEMBER 2024			
Product Price Averages:	SEPTEMBER 2024 Monthly Averages	2 Week Averages Ending August 17, 2024 <sup>1</sup>	
Cheese (per lb.)	\$2.2882	\$1.9985	
Butter (per lb.)	\$3.1537	\$3.1061	
Nonfat Dry Milk (per lb.)	\$1.2899	\$1.2212	
Dry Whey (per lb.)	\$0.5321	\$0.4848	
Advanced Pricing Factors <sup>1/</sup> :			
Advanced Class III Skim Milk Pricing Factor (per cwt.)	\$8.10		
Advanced Class IV Skim Milk Pricing Factor (per cwt.)	\$9.39		
Advanced Butterfat Pricing Factor (per lb.)	\$3.5538		

1/ As announced on or before the 23rd of the previous month, Class I skim milk price is announced at the average of the advanced Class III and IV skim milk pricing factors plus \$0.74 and the base zone (Mecklenburg County, NC) differential of \$3.40 and is subject to location adjustments.

2/ The Transportation Credit Balancing Fund is a marketwide assessment pursuant to \$1005.81 of the order. The per hundredweight assessment is applied to the total pounds of Class I producer milk.

3/ The Distributing Plant Delivery Credit Fund is a marketwide assessment pursuant to §1005.84 of the order. The per hundredweight assessment is applied to the total pounds of Class I producer milk.

<sup>4/</sup> The 20-cent per hundredweight processor assessment is an obligation under the Fluid Milk Promotion Order (7CFR§1160.101 et seq.) imposed on any person who processes and markets commercially more than 3 million pounds of packaged fluid milk products on a monthly basis. Deliveries to consumer residences are excluded. Effective February 29, 2016, processors of certified "organic" and "100 percent organic" fluid milk products may apply for an organic assessment exemption for those products.