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ANNOUNCEMENT OF CLASS II, III, IV AND COMPONENT PRICES ^{1/2/}

	<u>October 2008</u>
CLASS II PRICE^{3/}	\$ 16.60
Nonfat Solids Price, per lb.	\$ 1.1622
Butterfat Price, per lb. ^{4/}	\$ 1.8577
CLASS III PRICE^{3/}	\$ 17.06
Skim Milk Price.....	\$ 10.97
Protein Price, per lb.	\$ 3.5490
Other Solids Price, per lb.	\$ -0.0047
Butterfat Price, per lb.	\$ 1.8507
CLASS IV PRICE^{3/}	\$ 13.62
Skim Milk Price.....	\$ 7.40
Nonfat Solids Price, per lb.	\$ 0.8226
Butterfat Price, per lb.	\$ 1.8507
SOMATIC CELL ADJ. RATE, per 1,000 SCC	\$ 0.00095

DAIRY PRODUCT AVERAGE PRICE QUOTATIONS

	<u>OCT 2008</u>	<u>SEP 2008</u>	<u>OCT 2007</u>
NASS WEIGHTED AVERAGE PRICES – FULL MONTH			
CHEDDAR CHEESE, per lb.	\$ 1.9065	\$ 1.7773	\$ 1.9227
BUTTER, per lb.	1.6997	1.6365	1.2945
NONFAT DRY MILK, per lb.	0.9987	1.2131	2.0615
DRY WHEY, per lb.	0.1945	0.2183	0.4175

CLASS I PRICE ADJUSTMENTS FROM BASE DIFFERENTIAL – DALLAS COUNTY

Albuquerque	-\$0.65	Floresville	+\$0.45	Sulphur Springs, Winnsboro	\$0.00
Amarillo	-\$0.60	Houston, Conroe	+\$0.60	Tyler	\$0.00
Austin	+\$0.30	Lubbock	-\$0.60	Waco	+\$0.15
El Paso	-\$0.75	San Antonio	+\$0.45		

- ^{1/} United States Department of Agriculture, Agricultural Marketing Service. For further information contact Howard McDowell, 202/720-7461. Prices are dollars per 100 pounds (cwt.) unless otherwise indicated.
- ^{2/} The manufacturing allowances and butterfat yield factor used to compute the Class II, Class III, Class IV, and component prices in this announcement, as well as future computations of Class II, Class III, Class IV, and component prices factors, and Federal order minimum prices will use the revised manufacturing allowances and butterfat yield factor contained in the Interim Final Rule published in the Federal Register July 31, 2008 (73 FR 44617).
- ^{3/} The Class price announced is per hundredweight at 3.5% butterfat.
- ^{4/} The Class II butterfat price for the Southwest Marketing Area is the butterfat price plus \$0.007 (\$0.70 divided by 100).

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