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

	<u>December 2010</u>
CLASS II PRICE^{3/}	\$ 15.77
Nonfat Solids Price, per lb.	\$ 1.0900
Butterfat Price, per lb. ^{4/}	\$ 1.8022
CLASS III PRICE^{3/}	\$ 13.83
Skim Milk Price	\$ 7.82
Protein Price, per lb.	\$ 2.1706
Other Solids Price, per lb.	\$ 0.1852
Butterfat Price, per lb.	\$ 1.7952
CLASS IV PRICE^{3/}	\$ 15.03
Skim Milk Price	\$ 9.06
Nonfat Solids Price, per lb.	\$ 1.0068
Butterfat Price, per lb.	\$ 1.7952
SOMATIC CELL ADJ. RATE, per 1,000 SCC	\$ 0.00073

DAIRY PRODUCT AVERAGE PRICE QUOTATIONS

	<u>DEC 2010</u>	<u>NOV 2010</u>	<u>DEC 2009</u>
NASS WEIGHTED AVERAGE PRICES – FULL MONTH			
CHEDDAR CHEESE, per lb.	\$ 1.4606	\$ 1.6152	\$ 1.5969
BUTTER, per lb.	1.6539	2.0230	1.4459
NONFAT DRY MILK, per lb.	1.1848	1.1953	1.2858
DRY WHEY, per lb.	0.3789	0.3736	0.3668

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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