



# MIDEAST MARKETING AREA

## FEDERAL MILK ORDER NO. 33

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### STATISTICAL UNIFORM PRICE ANNOUNCEMENT

New Price

Producer Milk	Percent	Pounds	Minimum Class Price
Class I	33.34	585,561,586	\$19.27
Class II	22.27	391,131,845	17.34
Class III	39.41	692,028,625	16.16
Class IV	4.98	87,459,898	18.94
<b>Total Producer Milk</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>1,756,181,954</b>	

Computation of Uniform Price (per cwt @ Cuyahoga County, OH)	Prices and Adjustments
<b>Producer Price Differential</b> <span style="float: right;"><b>\$1.58</b></span>	Butterfat Price <span style="float: right;">\$2.0220 /lb</span>
<b>Class III Price</b> (@ 3.5% Butterfat) <span style="float: right;"><b>\$16.16</b></span>	Protein Price <span style="float: right;">2.0905 /lb</span>
<b>Statistical Uniform Price</b> (@ 3.5% Butterfat) <span style="float: right;"><b>\$17.74</b></span>	Other Solids Price <span style="float: right;">0.4178 /lb</span>
<b>Statistical Uniform Price</b> (@ Average Pool Component Tests) <span style="float: right;"><b>\$19.97</b></span>	Nonfat Solids Price <span style="float: right;">1.3215 /lb</span>
	SCC Adj Rate (1,000 cells) <span style="float: right;">0.00078</span>
	Class 1 ESL Adj <span style="float: right;">0.80/cwt</span>

#### COMPUTATION OF PRODUCER PRICE DIFFERENTIAL

	Product Pounds	Price per cwt / lb	Component Value	Total Value
Class I Skim Milk	571,938,738	\$13.71	\$78,412,800.98	
Butterfat	13,622,848	1.7267	23,522,571.64	
Less: Location Adjustment to Handlers			(1,326,234.19)	\$100,609,138.43
Class II Butterfat	25,839,386	2.0290	52,428,114.25	
Nonfat Solids	35,114,921	1.1409	40,062,613.35	92,490,727.60
Class III Butterfat	26,461,344	2.0220	53,504,837.54	
Protein	23,680,793	2.0905	49,504,697.81	
Other Solids	40,173,929	0.4178	16,784,667.58	119,794,202.93
Class IV Butterfat	11,120,011	2.0220	22,484,662.23	
Nonfat Solids	7,349,213	1.3215	9,711,984.96	32,196,647.19
<b>Total Classified Value</b>				<b>\$345,090,716.15</b>
Add: Value for 60(f) through 60(j)				1,277,366.01
Other Source Receipts	3,682			
Somatic Cell Adjustment - Classes II, III and IV				1,730,859.54
<b>Total Pool Value</b>				<b>\$348,098,941.70</b>
Less: Value of Producer Butterfat	77,043,589	2.0220	(155,782,136.93)	
Value of Producer Protein	59,652,899	2.0905	(124,704,385.37)	
Value of Producer Other Solids	101,489,954	0.4178	(42,402,502.80)	
Value of Producer Somatic Cell	163		(2,567,972.38)	(325,456,997.48)
<b>Total PPD Value before Adjustments</b>				<b>\$22,641,944.22</b>
Add: Location Adjustment to Producers				4,977,863.98
One-half Unobligated Balance - Producer Settlement Fund				843,000.00
Less: Producer Settlement Fund - Reserve				(715,075.24)
<b>Total Pool Milk (w/URSP) &amp; PPD Value</b>	1,756,185,636			<b>\$27,747,732.96</b>
<b>Producer Price Differential</b>		<b>\$1.58</b>		
<b>Statistical Uniform Price</b>		<b>\$17.74</b>		

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#### Payment Schedule

<b>Payment Dates for the Month of:</b>	<b>MARCH 2026</b>
Payments TO the Producer Settlement Fund DUE by:	April 15, 2026
Payments FROM the Producer Settlement Fund DUE by:	April 15, 2026
Final payments TO a Cooperative Association must be RECEIVED by:	April 16, 2026
Final payments TO Producers must be RECEIVED by:	April 17, 2026

#### Producer Price Differential and Statistical Uniform Price, by Zone Differential

	Zone Differential <sup>1/</sup>	Adjustment	Producer Price Differential	Statistical <sup>2/</sup> Uniform Price
dollars per hundredweight				
<b>As Announced:</b>	3.80	0.00	1.58	17.74
<b>Other Zones:</b>	3.00	(0.80)	0.78	16.94
	3.30	(0.50)	1.08	17.24
	3.60	(0.20)	1.38	17.54
	3.70	(0.10)	1.48	17.64
	4.00	0.20	1.78	17.94
	4.10	0.30	1.88	18.04
	4.30	0.50	2.08	18.24

<sup>1/</sup> Differentials listed apply to zones included in the Mideast Marketing Area. Outside of this area, differentials may be above or below this range. Differentials apply on a county basis.

<sup>2/</sup> Prices at 3.5 percent butterfat, 3.18 percent protein, and 5.79 percent other solids.

#### Producer Milk Received by Component Pounds

	<u>Skim</u>	<u>Butterfat</u>	<u>Protein</u> Pounds	<u>Other Solids</u>	<u>Nonfat Solids</u>
Class I	571,938,738	13,622,848	20,223,513	34,600,484	54,823,997
Class II	365,292,459	25,839,386	13,013,718	22,101,203	35,114,921
Class III	665,567,281	26,461,344	23,680,793	40,173,929	63,854,722
Class IV	<u>76,339,887</u>	<u>11,120,011</u>	<u>2,734,875</u>	<u>4,614,338</u>	<u>7,349,213</u>
<b>Total Producer Milk</b>	<b>1,679,138,365</b>	<b>77,043,589</b>	<b>59,652,899</b>	<b>101,489,954</b>	<b>161,142,853</b>

#### Selected Pool Statistics

Est Class I Percentages		Average test of producer receipts:	
Skim	33.00 %	Butterfat	4.39 %
Butterfat	17.00 %	Protein	3.40 %
		Other Solids	5.78 %
		SCC	163

#### Administrative Assessment and Marketing Service Deduction

§ 1000.85 - Assessment for order administration	\$0.030 per hundredweight
§ 1000.86 - Deduction for marketing services	\$0.050 per hundredweight