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**ANNOUNCEMENT OF CLASS PRICES**

(per hundredweight of milk at 3.5 % butterfat test)

	2008 <u>SEPTEMBER</u>	2008 <u>OCTOBER</u>
Class I *	\$ 20.04	\$ 18.28
Processor Assessment **	0.20	0.20
Total	<u>\$ 20.24</u>	<u>\$ 18.48</u>
Class II	17.77	
Class III	16.23	
Class IV	15.67	

\*\* 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 more than 3,000,000 pounds of fluid milk products in consumer-type packages in the contiguous 48 States of the continental United States and the District of Columbia be assessed 20 cents per hundredweight on all marketings of such packaged fluid milk products during the month.

**ANNOUNCEMENT AND COMPUTATION OF COMPONENT PRICES - SEPTEMBER 2008**

	<u>Butterfat</u>	<u>Nonfat Solids</u>	<u>Protein</u>	<u>Other Solids</u>
<b>Component Prices</b>	1.8567	1.0550	3.0922	0.0840

**Component Classified Prices:**

		Section 21.40	Price
Class I	Butterfat		\$ 1.8000 *
	Skim (per cwt.)		14.24 *
Class II	Butterfat	1.8567	1.8637
	Nonfat Solids		1.2956
	Skim (per cwt.)		11.66
Class III	Butterfat	1.8567	1.8567
	Protein		3.0922
	Other Solids		0.0840
	multiplier	3.10	5.90
	Skim (per cwt.)	<u>9.5858</u>	10.08
Class IV	Butterfat	1.8567	1.8567
	Nonfat Solids	1.0550	1.0550
	multiplier	9.00	
	Skim (per cwt.)	<u>9.4950</u>	9.50

\* Monroe County, New York

**NASS SURVEY PRICES PER POUND - SEPTEMBER 2008**

Cheddar Cheese (weighted average 40# block and 500# barrel-39% moisture)	\$ 1.7646
Grade AA Butter	1.6365
Nonfat Dry Milk	1.2131
Dry Whey	0.2183

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