Release Dates for 2009 Federal Milk Order Price Data

Listed below are the release dates for the Federal milk order program for price data applicable to January through December 2009. The advanced prices and pricing factors will be released at 10:00 a.m. EST/EDST no later than the 23rd of the preceding month if that date is on a Friday; otherwise, the release date will be the nearest Friday before the 23rd. Likewise, the class and component prices will be released at 10:00 a.m. EST/EDST no later than the 5th of the following month if that date is on a Friday; otherwise the release date will be the nearest Friday before the 5th. As noted below, the release time and release dates may differ from this schedule due to the timing of some holidays. Due to the Independence Day Federal holiday on July 3, the release date and time for the June Class and Component Prices is Thursday, July 2 at 2:00 p.m. EDST. Due to the Federal holiday on January 1, 2010, the release date and time for the December Class and Component Prices is Thursday, December 31, 2009, at 2:00 p.m. EST.

	Advanced Prices and Pricing		Class and Component	
Month to Which	Factors		Prices	
Prices Apply	Release Date	Time Period of	Release Date	Time Period of NASS
	Release Date	NASS Prices <u>1</u> /	Release Date	Prices <u>1</u> /
January	Dec. 19, 2008	12/6, 13	Jan. 30, 2009	1/3, 10, 17, 24
February	Jan. 23, 2009	1/10, 17	Feb. 27	1/31, 2/7, 14, 21
March	Feb. 20	2/7, 14	Apr. 3	2/28, 3/7, 14, 21, 28
April	Mar. 20	3/7, 14	May 1	4/4, 11, 18, 25
May	Apr. 17	4/4, 11	Jun. 5	5/2, 9, 16, 23, 30
June	May 22	5/9, 16	Jul. 2	6/6, 13, 20, 27
July	Jun. 19	6/6, 13	Jul. 31	7/4, 11, 18, 25
August	Jul. 17	7/4, 11	Sep. 4	8/1, 8, 15, 22, 29
September	Aug. 21	8/8, 15	Oct. 2	9/5, 12, 19, 26
October	Sept. 18	9/5, 12	Oct. 30	10/3, 10, 17, 24
November	Oct. 23	10/10, 17	Dec. 4	10/31, 11/7, 14, 21, 28
December	Nov. 20	11/7, 14	Dec. 31	12/5, 12, 19, 26

 $\underline{1}$ / Weekly sales periods, ending on the indicated date, that are included in the applicable average. Information for the week usually is released by NASS on Friday of the following week.

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