

Mailbox Milk Prices 1/ for Selected Federal Milk Orders and California, by Month, 2000

FEDERAL MILK ORDER 2/	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	AVG. 3/
Northeast 4/	12.08	11.96	12.13	11.85	12.24	12.56	12.72	12.71	12.91	12.85	12.91	13.22	12.49
Midwest	12.14	12.03	11.93	12.03	12.24	12.25	12.36	12.25	12.51	12.35	12.35	12.79	12.27
Appalachian	13.10	12.87	12.93	12.98	13.26	13.59	13.99	14.10	14.17	14.08	14.55	14.61	13.66
Southeast	12.55	12.34	12.27	12.25	12.52	12.80	13.23	13.21	13.26	13.14	13.56	13.95	12.90
Florida	14.88	14.91	14.77	14.95	15.25	15.66	16.10	16.25	16.55	16.40	16.79	16.61	15.72
Southeastern Average 5/	13.16	12.99	12.96	12.99	13.27	13.59	14.02	14.10	14.15	14.06	14.48	14.68	13.67
Upper Midwest	11.41	11.04	11.04	11.12	11.10	11.35	11.97	11.76	12.43	12.00	11.56	12.27	11.55
Central	11.50	11.20	11.13	11.06	11.02	11.16	11.75	11.56	12.18	11.85	11.40	12.21	11.51
Southwest	12.06	11.77	11.66	11.49	11.73	11.59	12.01	12.03	12.20	12.06	12.09	12.39	11.92
Western	10.65	10.64	10.27	10.11	10.11	10.23	10.72	10.69	11.34	10.96	10.60	11.01	10.57
Pacific Northwest	11.26	11.20	11.30	11.37	11.68	11.83	11.92	11.85	12.17	12.01	12.16	12.61	11.76
Mountain Average 5/	11.03	10.99	10.91	10.87	10.99	11.12	11.46	11.47	11.90	11.66	11.54	12.07	11.31
All-Market Average 5/	11.91	11.70	11.71	11.66	11.84	12.02	12.38	12.31	12.68	12.47	12.40	12.92	12.15
California 6/	10.88	10.72	10.80	11.03	11.20	11.62	11.85	11.93	12.30	11.47	12.13	12.34	11.51

1/ Net pay price received by dairy farmers marketing milk to handlers regulated under the Federal orders. Includes all payments received for milk sold and all costs associated with marketing the milk. Price is a weighted average for the market and is reported in dollars per cwt. at the market average butterfat test.

2/ Federal milk orders for which the data can be released.

3/ Figures are annual averages -- the weighted average of the monthly figures; except California, which is the simple average.

4/ Includes the value of the Northeast Dairy Compact over-order payments received by qualified producers.

5/ Weighted average of the information for the orders listed in the region or for all selected orders combined.

6/ Calculated by California Department of Food and Agriculture, and published in "California Dairy Information Bulletin".