



CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF  
FOOD & AGRICULTURE  
Karen Ross, Secretary

**Minimum Prices for Class 2, 3, 4a, and 4b Market Milk - F.O.B. Processing Plant  
With Commodity Prices Used to Calculate These Minimum Prices  
Pursuant to the Stabilization and Marketing Plans for Market Milk (Plans)  
Released August 1, 2013**

<b>CLASS 2:</b> For August and September 2013	<b>LB. FAT</b>	<b>LB. SNF</b>	<b>EQUIVALENT PER CWT.</b>
Northern California	\$1.5527	\$1.5484	\$18.91
Southern California	\$1.5527	\$1.5751	\$19.14
<b>CLASS 3:</b> For August and September 2013	<b>LB. FAT</b>	<b>LB. SNF</b>	<b>EQUIVALENT PER CWT.</b>
Statewide	\$1.5527	\$1.5427	\$18.86
<b>CLASS 4a:</b> July 2013	<b>LB. FAT</b>	<b>LB. SNF</b>	<b>EQUIVALENT PER CWT.</b>
Statewide	\$1.5301	\$1.5239	\$18.61
<b>CLASS 4b:</b> July 2013	<b>LB. FAT</b>	<b>LB. SNF</b>	<b>EQUIVALENT PER CWT.</b>
Statewide	\$1.5301	\$1.1828	\$15.65

<b>COMMODITY MARKET PRICES:</b>	<b>\$ PER LB.</b>
Chicago Mercantile Exchange Grade AA Butter - Daily Simple Average (June 26th - July 25th)	\$1.4768
Chicago Mercantile Exchange Block Cheddar Cheese - Daily Simple Average (June 26th - July 25th)	\$1.6879
California Extra Grade & Grade A Nonfat Dry Milk - Monthly Weighted Average (June 26th - July 25th)	\$1.6879
Dairy Market News Western Dry Whey (Mostly) - Monthly Simple Average (June 26th - July 25th)	\$0.5919

September 2013 Class 1 prices will be announced no later than 4:00 p.m. on August 9, 2013.  
October and November 2013 Class 2 and 3 prices will be announced no later than 4:00 p.m. on October 1, 2013.  
August 2013 Class 4a and 4b prices will be announced no later than 4:00 p.m. on September 3, 2013.

***The Class prices for the months July 2013 - December 2013 include the temporary price increases resulting from the May 20, 2013 public hearing. In order to calculate the class prices for these months, the additional temporary increases are added to the corresponding per pound price of the Fat and SNF after all other calculations of the current formulas have been performed. Please contact Hyrum Eastman at 916-900-5014 with questions regarding these calculations.***

Equivalent hundredweight prices shown are based upon milk that is 3.5% fat and 8.7% solids-not-fat (SNF).  
If market milk components are purchased f.o.b. producer's dairy location, haul deductions may be made as provided in the Plans. The calculated monthly California weighted average price for Extra Grade & Grade A Nonfat Dry Milk reflects the audit verification process and this price can differ from the reported weekly prices.  
Class prices are available on the Department's website at: [www.cdfa.ca.gov/dairy/prices\\_main.html](http://www.cdfa.ca.gov/dairy/prices_main.html)  
For recorded price information, call 800-503-3490 or 916-442-MILK.

Sincerely,

Candace Gates, Chief  
Dairy Marketing Branch

