

*The Agri-Food Act, 2004*  
[section 12]

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*THE MILK MARKETING PLAN REGULATIONS – MILK PRICING*

**Order No. 39/20.** The SASKATCHEWAN MILK MARKETING BOARD, pursuant to the provisions of *The Milk Marketing Plan Regulations* and *The Agri-Food Act, 2004*, hereby determines and orders as follows:

**1** In this Order, licensed processor utilization of milk, partially skimmed, skim milk, creams, concentrated milk or a mix for milk products is listed in the following classes:

- (a) “**class 1(a)**” means all milk and milk beverages;
- (b) “**class 1(b)**” means all types of cream with a minimum butterfat content of 5% for retail and food service;
- (c) “**class 1(c)**” means new 1(a) and 1(b) products approved by provincial authorities for an introductory period;
- (d) “**class 1(d)**” means 1(a) and 1(b) products marketed outside the ten signatory provinces of the National Milk Marketing Plan, but within Canadian boundaries (e.g. Yukon, NWT, Nunavut cruise ships);
- (e) “**class 2(a)**” means all types of yogurt including yogurt beverages, Kefir, and Lassi, excluding frozen yogurt;
- (f) “**class 2(b)**” means milkshakes, sports/nutrition drinks, fresh dairy desserts, sour cream, all types of ice cream, ice cream mix, other frozen dairy products, all types of fudge, pudding, and Indian sweets;
- (g) “**class 3(a)**” means cheese derived from fluid milk, cheese curds, skim milk cheese, ricotta, and all other cheeses not referred to elsewhere;
- (h) “**class 3(b)**” means all cheddar, cheddar-type cheeses sold fresh, stirred curd, cream cheese, and cream cheese bases or cheese mixes, and any coagulated milk product not referred to in Class 3(a) or 3(c);
- (i) “**class 3(c)**” means Asiago, Brick, Colby, Farmer’s, Feta, Gouda, Havarti, Jack, Monterey Jack, all types of Mozzarella, Muenster, Paneer, Parmesan, Swiss, part skim pizza cheese, and pizza cheese;
- (j) “**class 3(d)**” means standardized mozzarella cheeses to be used strictly on fresh pizzas by establishments registered with the Commission under terms and conditions approved by the Canadian Milk Supply Management Committee (CMSMC);
- (k) “**class 4(a)**” means butter and butteroil, concentrated milk as an ingredient in the food industry, concentrated milk protein, all types of powders, milk and milk components used to make infant formula, rennet casein (dry or curd) used in processed cheese;
- (l) “**class 4(b)**” means concentrated milk for retail and all other products not elsewhere stated, and losses;
- (m) “**class 4(c)**” means new industrial products approved by provincial authorities for an introductory period;
- (n) “**class 4(d)**” means inventories and returns;
- (o) “**class 4(m)**” means milk components for animal feed;
- (p) “**class 5(a)**” means cheese used as ingredient in further processing in Canada;
- (q) “**class 5(b)**” means all other dairy products used as ingredients in further processing in Canada;

- (r) “**class 5(c)**” means dairy products used as ingredients in the Canadian confectionary sector;
- (s) “**class 5(d)**” means planned exports and other exports approved by the CMSMC, the total of which shall not exceed Canada’s WTO commitments; and

**2** The prices to be paid per hectolitre of milk, per kilogram of butterfat, protein or other solids, by licensed processors to the Board, are those prices set forth in the Board’s issued milk prices that the Board may establish from time to time in accordance with:

- (a) Western Milk Pool Coordinating Committee prices established for classes 1(a), 1(b), 1(d), plus a milk price add-on of \$1.92 per hectolitre of milk for each of those classes;
- (b) Western Milk Pool Innovation Program prices established for class 1(c), plus a milk price add-on of \$1.92 per hectolitre;
- (c) Western Milk Pool Coordinating Committee prices established for classes 2(a), 2(b), 3(a), 3(b), 3(c), 3(d), 4(a), 4(b), and 4(d);
- (d) Western Milk Pool Innovation Program prices established for class 4(c);
- (e) Commission prices established for classes 4(m), 5(a), 5(b), 5(c), 5(d); and

**3** The Board’s milk prices shall be issued in the form of a milk price directive which includes the class prices established in accordance with this Order.

**4** The Board may provide a Quality Milk Bonus payment to those producers who achieve Validation under the Canadian Quality Milk (CQM) program as administered by the Dairy Farmers of Canada.

**5** The funds used to provide the Quality Milk Bonus shall be collected through the milk price add-on referred to in clause 2(a) and 2(b) and payments shall be based on each qualifying producer’s monthly per hectolitre shipments.


**6** The Board shall issue the milk price directive mentioned in section 3 within two business days of receiving a price change notification.

**7** This Order takes effect June 1, 2020.

**8** Order No. 38/19 is hereby wholly revoked.

**9** This Order will remain in effect for a period no longer than ten years from the date this Order is approved by the Agri-Food Council.

Order No. 39/20 is made pursuant to section 5 and clauses 7(1)(bb) and (dd) of *The Milk Marketing Plan Regulations* and is effective June 1, 2020. By order of the Saskatchewan Milk Marketing Board.

  
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Matthew Flaman, Chairperson  
Saskatchewan Milk Marketing Board

Pursuant to section 5 and clauses 7(1)(bb) and (dd) of *The Milk Marketing Plan Regulations* and section 12 of *The Agri-Food Act, 2004*, the above Order No. 39/20 of the Saskatchewan Milk Marketing Board is approved this 30th day of June, 2020.

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Joan Heath, Chairperson  
Agri-Food Council, Saskatchewan