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Nonfat Dry Milk - Western U.S.

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In the West, prices for low/medium heat nonfat dry milk (NDM) moved higher across all facets of the range, but the mostly price series is unchanged. Domestic demand is moderate. Loads are available to accommodate current spot market demand. Export demand is light. Stakeholders indicate international buyers are predominantly purchasing loads to meet their immediate needs. Heat in the region has moved milk output into seasonally lower volumes, and handlers indicate milk components are decreasing. High heat prices moved lower on the bottom end and higher on the top end of the range. Demand is moderate. High heat NDM production is steady; however, some manufacturers are limiting current drying schedules to low/medium NDM. Loads of high heat NDM have recently been reported as tighter, and some contacts suggest delivery lead times are getting longer.

Prices for: Western U.S., All First Sales, F.O.B., Extra Grade & Grade A, Conventional, and Edible Nonfat Dry Milk

Price Range - Low & Medium Heat; \$/LB: 1.0500 - 1.1800

Mostly Range - Low & Medium Heat; \$/LB: 1.0800 - 1.1500

Prices for: Western U.S., All First Sales, F.O.B., Extra Grade & Grade A, Conventional, and Edible Nonfat Dry Milk

Price Range - High Heat; \$/LB: 1.2100 - 1.3700

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