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20 Day - Waighted ** Average of

Washington February 25, 2020 - The U. S. Department of Agriculture's Commodity Credit Corporation today announced posted prices for wool and mohair. The effective repayment rate is the lower of either the 30-day average or weekly rate.

WEEKLY NATIONAL MARKET PRICE FOR WOOL AND MOHAIR

2020 Graded Wool Posted prices (per pound, clean basis)

Microns	Repayment	Weekly	30-Day Weighted	30-Day = Weighted ** Average of				
	Rate	Rate *	Average	Feb. 18	Feb. 11	Feb. 4	Jan. 28	Jan. 21
Less than 18.6	\$4.76	\$4.76	\$4.77	\$4.77	\$4.68	\$4.76	\$4.82	\$4.98
18.6 to 19.5	\$4.49	\$4.49	\$4.52	\$4.51	\$4.44	\$4.51	\$4.54	\$4.74
19.6 to 20.5	\$4.40	\$4.40	\$4.43	\$4.41	\$4.36	\$4.43	\$4.47	\$4.66
20.6 to 22.0	\$4.64	\$4.64	\$4.69	\$4.62	\$4.64	\$4.71	\$4.74	\$4.85
22.1 to 23.5	\$4.85	\$4.85	\$4.97	\$4.91	\$4.93	\$5.01	\$5.01	\$5.04
23.6 to 25.9	\$4.35	\$4.35	\$4.45	\$4.39	\$4.41	\$4.48	\$4.48	\$4.51
26.0 to 28.9	\$1.91	\$1.96	\$1.91	\$1.92	\$1.85	\$1.88	\$1.93	\$2.06
29.0 and over	\$1.37	\$1.37	\$1.39	\$1.38	\$1.36	\$1.38	\$1.42	\$1.45

2020 Ungraded Wool Posted Prices (per pound, greasy basis)

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	Rate	Rate *	Average	Feb. 18	Feb. 11	Feb. 4	Jan. 28	Jan. 21	
Region 2	\$0.38	0.38	\$0.38	\$0.38	\$0.38	\$0.38	\$0.38	\$0.38	

2020 Mohair Posted Price (per pound)

Repayment	Weekly	30-Day Weighted	ighted 30-Day = Weighted ** Average of						
Rate	Rate *	Average	Feb. 18	Feb. 11	Feb. 4	Jan. 28	Jan. 21		
\$6.42	\$6.42	\$6.42	\$6.42	\$6.42	\$6.42	\$6.42	\$6.42		

These prices become effective at 12:01 a.m., Eastern Time, on Wednesday, February 26, 2020 and are used to determine alternative loan repayment rates for marketing assistance loans and to determine loan deficiency payments.

^{*} Weekly rate is based on the current price

^{**} weights = 7/30 for each of the 4 most recent weeks plus 2/30 for the earliest week