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## WEEKLY WOOL NATIONAL MARKET PRICE

Washington June 2, 2015 - The U. S. Department of Agriculture's Commodity Credit Corporation today announced posted prices for wool. The effective repayment rate is the lower of either the 30-day average or weekly rate.

### 2015 Wool

#### Graded Wool Posted Prices (per pound, clean basis)

	Repayment Rate	Weekly Rate *	30-Day Weighted Average	30-Day = Weighted ** Average of				
				May 26	May 19	May 12	May 5	Apr 28
Less than 18.6	<b>\$4.16</b>	\$4.30	\$4.16	\$4.18	\$4.29	\$4.25	\$4.02	\$3.84
18.6 to 19.5	<b>\$4.00</b>	\$4.16	\$4.00	\$4.02	\$4.11	\$4.10	\$3.86	\$3.68
19.6 to 20.5	<b>\$3.84</b>	\$4.03	\$3.84	\$3.86	\$3.93	\$3.92	\$3.72	\$3.56
20.6 to 22.0	<b>\$3.71</b>	\$3.94	\$3.71	\$3.73	\$3.81	\$3.79	\$3.59	\$3.44
22.1 to 23.5	<b>\$3.54</b>	\$3.67	\$3.54	\$3.56	\$3.64	\$3.63	\$3.40	\$3.31
23.6 to 25.9	<b>\$3.03</b>	\$3.03	\$3.06	\$3.06	\$3.15	\$3.09	\$2.99	\$2.89
26.0 to 28.9	<b>\$2.16</b>	\$2.21	\$2.16	\$2.19	\$2.23	\$2.17	\$2.10	\$2.03
29.0 and over	<b>\$1.95</b>	\$1.95	\$1.95	\$1.96	\$2.00	\$1.96	\$1.90	\$1.86

#### 2015 Ungraded Wool Posted Prices (per pound, greasy basis)

	Repayment Rate	Weekly Rate *	30-Day Weighted Average	30-Day = Weighted ** Average of				
				May 26	May 19	May 12	May 5	Apr 28
Region 2	<b>\$0.59</b>	\$0.60	\$0.59	\$0.60	\$0.60	\$0.60	\$0.56	\$0.56

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These prices become effective at 12:01 a.m., Eastern Time, on Wednesday, June 3, 2015 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