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## WEEKLY NATIONAL MARKET PRICE FOR WOOL AND MOHAIR

Washington, February 1, 2011 - The U.S. Department of Agriculture's Commodity Credit Corporation today announced the national posted prices for wool and mohair. The effective repayment rate is the lower of either the 30-day average or weekly rate.

### 2011 Wool

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

Micron	Repayment	Weekly	30-Day Weighted	30-Day = Weighted ** Average of				
	Rate	Rate *	Average	Jan. 25	Jan. 18	Jan. 11	Jan. 4	Dec. 28
Less than 18.6	<b>\$6.30</b>	\$7.00	\$6.30	\$6.94	\$6.62	\$5.88	\$5.88	\$5.88
18.6 to 19.5	<b>\$5.10</b>	\$5.59	\$5.10	\$5.59	\$5.51	\$4.71	\$4.71	\$4.71
19.6 to 20.5	<b>\$3.96</b>	\$4.18	\$3.96	\$4.20	\$4.16	\$3.76	\$3.76	\$3.76
20.6 to 22.0	<b>\$3.74</b>	\$3.96	\$3.74	\$3.93	\$3.95	\$3.57	\$3.57	\$3.57
22.1 to 23.5	<b>\$3.48</b>	\$3.68	\$3.48	\$3.67	\$3.67	\$3.31	\$3.31	\$3.31
23.6 to 25.9	<b>\$2.86</b>	\$3.12	\$2.86	\$3.09	\$2.91	\$2.74	\$2.74	\$2.74
26.0 to 28.9	<b>\$1.69</b>	\$1.91	\$1.69	\$1.88	\$1.73	\$1.59	\$1.59	\$1.59
29.0 and over	<b>\$1.37</b>	\$1.51	\$1.37	\$1.49	\$1.38	\$1.31	\$1.31	\$1.31

#### 2011 Ungraded Wool Posted Prices (per pound, greasy basis)

Repayment	Weekly	30-Day Weighted	30-Day = Weighted** Average of				
Rate	Rate *	Average	Jan. 25	Jan. 18	Jan. 11	Jan. 4	Dec. 28
<b>\$0.11</b>	\$0.11	\$0.11	\$0.11	\$0.11	\$0.11	\$0.11	\$0.11

#### 2011 Mohair Posted Price (per pound)

Repayment	Weekly	30-Day Weighted	30-Day = Weighted** Average of				
Rate	Rate *	Average	Jan. 25	Jan. 18	Jan. 11	Jan. 4	Dec. 28
<b>\$5.13</b>	\$5.13	\$5.13	\$5.13	\$5.13	\$5.13	\$5.13	\$5.13

These prices become effective at 12:01 a.m., Eastern Time, on Wednesday, February 2, 2011, 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