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WEEKLY NATIONAL MARKET PRICE FOR WOOL AND MOHAIR

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Washington February 4, 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.

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

Microns	Repayment Rate	Weekly Rate *	30-Day Weighted Average	30-Day = Weighted ** Average of				
				Jan. 28	Jan. 21	Jan. 14	Jan. 7	Dec. 31
Less than 18.6	\$4.76	\$4.76	\$4.81	\$4.82	\$4.98	\$4.73	\$4.73	\$4.73
18.6 to 19.5	\$4.51	\$4.51	\$4.58	\$4.54	\$4.74	\$4.52	\$4.52	\$4.52
19.6 to 20.5	\$4.43	\$4.43	\$4.51	\$4.47	\$4.66	\$4.47	\$4.47	\$4.47
20.6 to 22.0	\$4.71	\$4.71	\$4.77	\$4.74	\$4.85	\$4.75	\$4.75	\$4.75
22.1 to 23.5	\$5.01	\$5.01	\$5.01	\$5.01	\$5.04	\$4.99	\$4.99	\$4.99
23.6 to 25.9	\$4.48	\$4.48	\$4.48	\$4.48	\$4.51	\$4.47	\$4.47	\$4.47
26.0 to 28.9	\$1.88	\$1.88	\$2.03	\$1.93	\$2.06	\$2.06	\$2.06	\$2.06
29.0 and over	\$1.32	\$1.38	\$1.32	\$1.42	\$1.45	\$1.21	\$1.21	\$1.21

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

	Repayment Rate	Weekly Rate *	30-Day Weighted Average	30-Day = Weighted ** Average of				
				Jan. 28	Jan. 21	Jan. 14	Jan. 7	Dec. 31
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 Rate	Weekly Rate *	30-Day Weighted Average	30-Day = Weighted ** Average of				
				Jan. 28	Jan. 21	Jan. 14	Jan. 7	Dec. 31
	\$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 5, 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