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#### WEEKLY NATIONAL MARKET PRICE FOR WOOL AND MOHAIR

Washington June 6, 2017 - The U. S. Department of Agriculture's Commodity Credit Corporation today announced the posted prices for wool and mohair. The effective repayment rate is the lower of either the 30-day average or weekly

# 2017 Graded Wool Posted Prices (per pound, clean basis)

Microns Repayment Weekly		0-Day Weighted		30-Day = Weighted ** Average of				
	Rate	Rate *	Average	May. 30	May. 23	May. 16	May. 9	May. 2
Less than 18	<b>\$5.58</b>	\$5.58	\$5.93	\$5.83	\$5.96	\$5.92	\$6.02	\$5.90
18.6 to 19.5	\$4.93	\$4.93	\$5.26	\$5.16	\$5.29	\$5.24	\$5.36	\$5.24
19.6 to 20.5	\$4.22	\$4.22	\$4.41	\$4.36	\$4.42	\$4.39	\$4.50	\$4.35
20.6 to 22.0	\$3.93	\$3.93	\$4.00	\$3.99	\$4.00	\$3.97	\$4.06	\$3.95
22.1 to 23.5	\$3.76	\$3.76	\$3.76	\$3.80	\$3.84	\$3.78	\$3.63	\$3.65
23.6 to 25.9	\$3.28	\$3.28	\$3.29	\$3.33	\$3.31	\$3.25	\$3.28	\$3.30
26.0 to 28.9	\$1.94	\$1.94	\$1.94	\$1.95	\$1.96	\$1.92	\$1.92	\$1.93
29.0 and ov	€ <b>\$1.22</b>	\$1.22	\$1.30	\$1.27	\$1.30	\$1.30	\$1.31	\$1.31

# 2017 Ungraded Wool Posted Prices (per pound, greasy basis)

	Repayment Weekly		0-Day Weighted		30-Day = Weighted ** Average of				
	Rate	Rate *	Average	May. 30	May. 23	May. 16	May. 9	May. 2	
Region 2	\$0.55	\$0.55	\$0.55	\$0.55	\$0.55	\$0.55	\$0.55	\$0.55	

# 2017 Mohair Posted Price (per pound)

Repayment	Weekly	0-Day Weighter	d	30-Day = 1	Weighted *`	* Average of	
Rate	Rate *	Average	May. 30	May. 23	May. 16	May. 9	May. 2
\$5.94	\$5.96	\$5.94	\$5.97	\$5.97	\$5.93	\$5.93	\$5.77

These prices become effective at 12:01 a.m., Eastern Time, on Wednesday, June 7, 2017 and are used to determine alternative loan repayment rates for marketing assistance loans and to determine loan deficiency payments.

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<sup>\*</sup> Weekly rate is based on the current price

<sup>\*\*</sup> weights = 7/30 for each of the 4 most recent weeks plus 2/30 for the earliest week