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## WEEKLY WOOL NATIONAL MARKET PRICE

Washington June 16, 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 19	May 12	
				June 9	June 2	May 26		
Less than 18.6	<b>\$4.32</b>	\$4.49	\$4.32	\$4.53	\$4.30	\$4.18	\$4.29	\$4.25
18.6 to 19.5	<b>\$4.17</b>	\$4.32	\$4.17	\$4.40	\$4.16	\$4.02	\$4.11	\$4.10
19.6 to 20.5	<b>\$4.02</b>	\$4.21	\$4.02	\$4.30	\$4.03	\$3.86	\$3.93	\$3.92
20.6 to 22.0	<b>\$3.92</b>	\$4.12	\$3.92	\$4.22	\$3.94	\$3.73	\$3.81	\$3.79
22.1 to 23.5	<b>\$3.65</b>	\$3.75	\$3.65	\$3.73	\$3.67	\$3.56	\$3.64	\$3.63
23.6 to 25.9	<b>\$3.06</b>	\$3.06	\$3.07	\$3.05	\$3.03	\$3.06	\$3.15	\$3.09
26.0 to 28.9	<b>\$2.24</b>	\$2.39	\$2.24	\$2.37	\$2.21	\$2.19	\$2.23	\$2.17
29.0 and over	<b>\$1.97</b>	\$2.01	\$1.97	\$1.97	\$1.95	\$1.96	\$2.00	\$1.96

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

	Repayment Rate	Weekly Rate *	30-Day Weighted Average	30-Day = Weighted ** Average of		May 19	May 12	
				June 9	June 2	May 26		
Region 2	<b>\$0.60</b>	\$0.60	\$0.60	\$0.60	\$0.60	\$0.60	\$0.60	\$0.60

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These prices become effective at 12:01 a.m., Eastern Time, on Wednesday, June 17, 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