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## WEEKLY NATIONAL MARKET PRICE FOR WOOL AND MOHAIR

Washington September 5, 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 rate.

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

Microns	Repayment	Weekly	30-Day Weighted	30-Day = Weighted ** Average of				
	Rate	Rate *	Average	August. 29	August. 22	August. 15	August. 8	August. 1
Less than 18.6	<b>\$6.19</b>	\$6.26	\$6.19	\$6.25	\$6.35	\$6.35	\$5.89	\$5.89
18.6 to 19.5	<b>\$5.34</b>	\$5.34	\$5.42	\$5.37	\$5.60	\$5.60	\$5.19	\$5.19
19.6 to 20.5	<b>\$4.76</b>	\$4.76	\$4.82	\$4.79	\$5.01	\$5.01	\$4.54	\$4.54
20.6 to 22.0	<b>\$4.50</b>	\$4.50	\$4.57	\$4.62	\$4.75	\$4.75	\$4.25	\$4.25
22.1 to 23.5	<b>\$4.16</b>	\$4.16	\$4.21	\$4.20	\$4.34	\$4.34	\$4.03	\$4.03
23.6 to 25.9	<b>\$3.60</b>	\$3.60	\$3.62	\$3.66	\$3.70	\$3.70	\$3.46	\$3.46
26.0 to 28.9	<b>\$2.25</b>	\$2.25	\$2.28	\$2.31	\$2.37	\$2.37	\$2.10	\$2.10
29.0 and over	<b>\$1.49</b>	\$1.49	\$1.50	\$1.56	\$1.60	\$1.60	\$1.31	\$1.31

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

	Repayment	Weekly	30-Day Weighted	30-Day = Weighted ** Average of				
	Rate	Rate *	Average	August. 29	August. 22	August. 15	August. 8	August. 1
Region 2	<b>\$0.55</b>	\$0.55	\$0.55	\$0.55	\$0.55	\$0.55	\$0.55	\$0.55

### 2017 Mohair Posted Price (per pound)

	Repayment	Weekly	30-Day Weighted	30-Day = Weighted ** Average of				
	Rate	Rate *	Average	August. 29	August. 22	August. 15	August. 8	August. 1
	<b>\$5.62</b>	\$5.62	\$5.80	\$5.62	\$5.62	\$5.96	\$5.96	\$5.96

These prices become effective at 12:01 a.m., Eastern Time, on September 6, 2017, 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