

For: State and County Offices

PSD Web Site Enhancement No. 5

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1 Overview

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Background

PSD initiated the PSD web site in June 1998 to efficiently provide commodity loan program information to the public. This web site is continuously updated with the latest information.

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Purpose

This notice informs State and County Offices that PSD has:

- posted 1-CMA on the PSD web site
- added a new report that provides up-to-date loan maturity information on the "Online Reports" page.

2 Accessing 1-CMA on the Internet

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**Web Site
Address**

1-CMA, the official handbook that provides policy and procedure for approved CMA's and the automated CMA process, is now available on the PSD web site at <http://www.fsa.usda.gov/dafp/psd/proginfo.htm>.

From the "Program Information" page, click on the words, "1-CMA Handbook".

Reminder: CMA and other FSA program notices are also available from a link on the PSD web site.

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<p>Disposal Date</p> <p>June 1, 2000</p>	<p>Distribution</p> <p>State Offices; State Offices relay to County Offices and FAX to CMA's and LSA's</p>
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2 Accessing 1-CMA on the Internet (Continued)

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Handbook Format

1-CMA is available in portable document format (PDF). To read or print a PDF publication, Adobe Acrobat Reader software must be installed on the PC. Adobe Systems, Inc. offers this software to the public free of charge. A link on the PSD web site is available to access Adobe Acrobat Reader.

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Handbook Version

The most current amendment to 1-CMA is Amendment 3. The online version of 1-CMA will be updated as it is amended over time.

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Future Postings

Over time, PSD intends to post other Price Support handbooks on the web site.

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Contact

Direct suggestions or comments about the PSD web site to
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3 Online Reports UpDate

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New Loan Maturity Report

A new loan maturity report that provides up-to-date information is now available at the "Unofficial" reports section of the "Online Reports" page. This report is available at the National and State levels.
