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WEEKLY NATIONAL MARKET PRICE FOR WOOL AND MOHAIR

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Washington April 23, 2019 - 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.

2019 Graded Wool Posted Prices (per pound, clean basis)

Microns	Repayment Rate	Weekly Rate *	30-Day Weighted Average	30-Day = Weighted ** Average of				
				Apr. 16	Apr. 9	Apr. 2	Mar. 26	Mar. 19
Less than 18.6	\$6.25	\$6.25	\$6.25	\$6.21	\$6.23	\$6.22	\$6.32	\$6.25
18.6 to 19.5	\$6.00	\$6.02	\$6.00	\$5.97	\$5.97	\$5.98	\$6.07	\$6.02
19.6 to 20.5	\$5.93	\$5.94	\$5.93	\$5.91	\$5.89	\$5.92	\$5.98	\$5.94
20.6 to 22.0	\$5.89	\$5.91	\$5.89	\$5.89	\$5.88	\$5.87	\$5.94	\$5.88
22.1 to 23.5	\$5.92	\$5.96	\$5.92	\$5.94	\$5.91	\$5.89	\$5.93	\$5.92
23.6 to 25.9	\$4.52	\$4.70	\$4.52	\$4.58	\$4.53	\$4.51	\$4.49	\$4.43
26.0 to 28.9	\$2.70	\$2.83	\$2.70	\$2.78	\$2.73	\$2.66	\$2.67	\$2.63
29.0 and over	\$1.91	\$1.95	\$1.91	\$1.96	\$1.92	\$1.89	\$1.88	\$1.86

2019 Ungraded Wool Posted Prices (per pound, greasy basis)

Region	Repayment Rate	Weekly Rate *	30-Day Weighted Average	30-Day = Weighted ** Average of				
				Apr. 16	Apr. 9	Apr. 2	Mar. 26	Mar. 19
Region 2	\$0.55	\$0.55	\$0.55	\$0.55	\$0.55	\$0.55	\$0.55	\$0.55

2019 Mohair Posted Price (per pound)

Repayment Rate	Weekly Rate *	30-Day Weighted Average	30-Day = Weighted ** Average of				
			Apr. 16	Apr. 9	Apr. 2	Mar. 26	Mar. 19
\$8.75	\$9.21	\$8.75	\$8.74	\$8.74	\$8.74	\$8.74	\$8.87

These prices become effective at 12:01 a.m., Eastern Time, on Wednesday, April 24, 2019 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