



PRICES RECEIVED BY FARMERS
FOR UPLAND COTTON Agricultural Cooperative Operation Profile
2009



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For our monthly survey of Prices Received by Farmers, this firm will be asked to report total quantities of commodities purchased from U.S. farmers and the total dollar value of those purchases.

Please make corrections to name, address and Zip Code, if necessary.

1. Do you expect this operation to **MARKET** any upland cotton from U.S. farmers during the next twelve months?

⁶⁰⁰ ¹ **YES** ³ **NO** (Thank the respondent, and conclude the interview.)

2. Will you **exclude** cash purchases or marketings of upland cotton **from non-farmers**?

⁶⁰⁵ ¹ **YES** ³ **NO** ⁵ **DOES NOT APPLY**

3. Will you **exclude** cash purchases or marketings of upland cotton **from other countries**?

⁶⁰⁶ ¹ **YES** ³ **NO** ⁵ **DOES NOT APPLY**

4. Will this operation market upland cotton from farmers in **other states**?

^{xxx} ¹ **YES** – Specify States _____
 ³ **NO**

NOTE: Inform the respondent that the prices should reflect an **f.o.b. warehouse price**. Reported price should account for all grades of cotton purchased or delivered to your firm directly from producers as first time sales, without regard to eventual ownership or user. Include only cotton for which you paid or will pay the check-off as cotton purchased from producers. Ask the respondent to provide a **settlement sheet** (*check stub, sales ticket, assembling sheet*) showing a typical transaction and a **monthly summary** (*monthly report*). It will help determine the firm's ability to report based on our guidelines.

5. Will you report the monthly average price for cotton delivered during the month after--

- a. **subtracting** compression and load out ^{xxxx} ¹ YES ⁵ N/A ³ NO – Will you estimate? ^{xxxx} ¹ YES ³ NO
- b. **subtracting** interest expenses ^{xxxx} ¹ YES ⁵ N/A ³ NO – Will you estimate? ^{xxxx} ¹ YES ³ NO
- c. **subtracting** any government payments ^{xxxx} ¹ YES ⁵ N/A ³ NO – Will you estimate? ^{xxxx} ¹ YES ³ NO
- d. **subtracting** Marketing Loan Gains from ^{xxxx} ¹ YES ⁵ N/A ³ NO – Will you estimate? ^{xxxx} ¹ YES ³ NO
redeeming loans at less than the loan
value (adjusted World Price)
- e. **subtracting** handling, processing, ^{xxxx} ¹ YES ⁵ N/A ³ NO – Will you estimate? ^{xxxx} ¹ YES ³ NO
transportation and other marketing
charges after delivery to the warehouse
until the cotton is sold
- f. **subtracting** storage expenses ^{xxxx} ¹ YES ⁵ N/A ³ NO – Will you estimate? ^{xxxx} ¹ YES ³ NO
- g. **subtracting** allowance from weight lost in ^{xxxx} ¹ YES ⁵ N/A ³ NO – Will you estimate? ^{xxxx} ¹ YES ³ NO
storage
- h. **subtracting** income from commodities ^{xxxx} ¹ YES ⁵ N/A ³ NO – Will you estimate? ^{xxxx} ¹ YES ³ NO
other than cotton
- i. **subtracting** income from manufacture of ^{xxxx} ¹ YES ⁵ N/A ³ NO – Will you estimate? ^{xxxx} ¹ YES ³ NO
materials
- j. **subtracting** income or dividends from ^{xxxx} ¹ YES ⁵ N/A ³ NO – Will you estimate? ^{xxxx} ¹ YES ³ NO
capital investments
- k. **subtracting** storage income from private ^{xxxx} ¹ YES ⁵ N/A ³ NO – Will you estimate? ^{xxxx} ¹ YES ³ NO
firms or government

6. Which of the following can you include in the monthly average price--

a. including transportation cost to warehouse	xxxx <input type="checkbox"/> ¹ YES <input type="checkbox"/> ⁵ N/A <input type="checkbox"/> ³ NO – Will you estimate?	xxxx <input type="checkbox"/> ¹ YES <input type="checkbox"/> ³ NO
b. including warehouse receiving charges .	<input type="checkbox"/> ¹ YES <input type="checkbox"/> ⁵ N/A <input type="checkbox"/> ³ NO – Will you estimate?	xxxx <input type="checkbox"/> ¹ YES <input type="checkbox"/> ³ NO
c. including producer check-off fees for Cotton Research and Promotion Assessment Program (CRPAP)	xxxx <input type="checkbox"/> ¹ YES <input type="checkbox"/> ⁵ N/A <input type="checkbox"/> ³ NO – Will you estimate?	xxxx <input type="checkbox"/> ¹ YES <input type="checkbox"/> ³ NO
d. including interest income	xxxx <input type="checkbox"/> ¹ YES <input type="checkbox"/> ⁵ N/A <input type="checkbox"/> ³ NO – Will you estimate?	xxxx <input type="checkbox"/> ¹ YES <input type="checkbox"/> ³ NO
e. including income from hedging	xxxx <input type="checkbox"/> ¹ YES <input type="checkbox"/> ⁵ N/A <input type="checkbox"/> ³ NO – Will you estimate?	xxxx <input type="checkbox"/> ¹ YES <input type="checkbox"/> ³ NO
f. including allowance for weight gained in storage	xxxx <input type="checkbox"/> ¹ YES <input type="checkbox"/> ⁵ N/A <input type="checkbox"/> ³ NO – Will you estimate?	xxxx <input type="checkbox"/> ¹ YES <input type="checkbox"/> ³ NO
g. including anticipated end-of-year distributions from cotton marketings	xxxx <input type="checkbox"/> ¹ YES <input type="checkbox"/> ⁵ N/A <input type="checkbox"/> ³ NO – Will you estimate?	xxxx <input type="checkbox"/> ¹ YES <input type="checkbox"/> ³ NO
h. including capital retains from cotton marketings	xxxx <input type="checkbox"/> ¹ YES <input type="checkbox"/> ⁵ N/A <input type="checkbox"/> ³ NO – Will you estimate?	xxxx <input type="checkbox"/> ¹ YES <input type="checkbox"/> ³ NO
i. including expenses reimbursed by government (storage and interest)	xxxx <input type="checkbox"/> ¹ YES <input type="checkbox"/> ⁵ N/A <input type="checkbox"/> ³ NO – Will you estimate?	xxxx <input type="checkbox"/> ¹ YES <input type="checkbox"/> ³ NO
j. including storage income from private firms or government	xxxx <input type="checkbox"/> ¹ YES <input type="checkbox"/> ⁵ N/A <input type="checkbox"/> ³ NO – Will you estimate?	xxxx <input type="checkbox"/> ¹ YES <input type="checkbox"/> ³ NO

7. Will you report the **total number of bales** of upland cotton marketed (based on actual pooled cotton sales) and cash purchases for the **previous month**?

⁶⁰¹ ¹ YES ³ NO

a. Will you report, the **total number of bales** of upland cotton marketed (based on actual pooled cotton sales) and cash purchases for the first **15 days of the current month**?

⁶⁰² ¹ YES ³ NO

8. Will you report the **average f.o.b. warehouse price** of upland cotton marketed (based on actual pooled cotton sales) and cash purchases for the **previous month**?

⁶⁰³ ¹ YES ³ NO

a. Will you report, the **average f.o.b. warehouse price** of upland cotton marketed (based on actual pooled cotton sales) and cash purchases for the first **15 days of the current month**?

⁶⁰⁴ ¹ YES ³ NO

9. Will you report contract purchases from farmers so that the quantities and corresponding values are both reported in the same month?

^{xxx} ¹ YES ² NO

10. Do you plan to have cash purchases of cotton during the 2008-2009 crop year?

^{xxx} ¹ YES – Please complete the Private Merchant Profile Survey ³ NO

11. Who will be the **primary contact** at your operation for completing our monthly survey?

Name: _____ Position: _____

Telephone: () Fax: () Email: _____

12. Who will be the **alternate contact** at your operation for completing our monthly survey?

Name: _____ Position: _____

Telephone: () Fax: () Email: _____

13. By which method would you prefer to report?

1 Electronic/Web 2 Fax 3 Telephone

Thanks so much for your assistance today and for your continued help in completing the Prices Received by Farmers report.

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