PRICES RECEIVED BY FARMERS FOR RICE COOPERATIVES

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INSTRUCTIONS: (Patronage Pools)

- Report the equivalent rough rice quantity of milled rice shipped in item 1. Exclude cash purchases that are milled as cash purchases. These purchases are to be reported in item 3.
- •Report rough rice shipped without milling in item 2.
- Exclude return and expenses from processes which materially affect the form of the product such as parboiling or income from sales of items other than rice.

In the case of prices reported in Items 1 and 2— Begin with the value of milled or rough rice shipped or sold, then adjust by the following to reflect the price of dry rough rice at first point of sale.

Items to be DEDUCTED from reported price--

- Handling, processing (milling), transportation, and marketing charges from co-op acquisition until product (milled or rough) is sold
- Interest expenses
- Losses from hedging
- Storage costs
- Government payments (i.e. loan deficiency payments [LDP] and marketing loan gains [MLG])
- Income or dividends from capital investment

Items NOT TO BE DEDUCTED from reported price--

- Interest Income
- Gains from hedging
- Storage income
- Capital retains from rice marketings
- Producer check-off fees (if any)
- Transportation costs prior to Cooperative acquisition

1.	Report equivalent rough rice for milled rice
	shipped during the period

	For Entire M	onth of 3	January	
Length of Grain	Rough Rice Equ Quantity Ship		Average Value 1/ Dollars & Cents per Cwt.	
Long	151	Cwt.	156 \$	
Medium	161	Cwt.	166 \$	
Short	171	Cwt.	176 \$	
All	181	Cwt.	186	

2. Report rough rice shipped without milling-

Long	251	Cwt.	256 \$	·
Medium	261	Cwt.	266 \$	
Short	271	Cwt.	276 \$	
All	281	Cwt.	286	

Cost factors considered for the computation should be generally comparable to those used for determining pool settlement excluding government payments retained when loans are redeemed at less than original loan value.

INSTRUCTIONS: (Non Patronage Purchases)

- •Report cash purchases from growers at first point of sale as dry rough rice before deducting drying and storage charges, or transportation costs prior to Cooperative acquisition. **Exclude** any LDP or MLG benefit and any payment of storage or transportation earned after point of sale.
- Exclude purchase if not first buyer of record from grower, i.e. purchases from other mills, co-ops or CCC stocks.

				For Entire Month of 3	lanuary		
		Length of Grain		Quantity Shipped	Average Value 2/ Dollars & Cents per Cwt		
f ((s	Report cash purchases of dry rough rice from	Long	351	Cwt.	356 \$		
	farmers-	Medium	361	Cwt.	366 \$		
	(Include green rice converted to dry weight equivalent.) (Rice purchased through redemption of CCC loans	Short	371	Cwt.	376 \$		
	should be valued at the loan redemption rate (World Market Price or loan plus interest whichever is lower) plus any additional payment (premium) to growers.)	All	381	Cwt.	386		

2/ Report total price paid to producers for rough rice at first point of sale as dry rough rice before deducting drying and storage charges, or transportation costs to the first point of sale.

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