

PRICES RECEIVED BY FARMERS FOR UPLAND COTTON Agricultural Cooperative Operation Profile 2015

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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.

The information you provide will be used for statistical purposes only. In accordance with the Confidential Information Protection provisions of Title V, Subtitle A, Public Law 107-347 and other applicable Federal laws, your responses will be kept confidential and will not be disclosed in identifiable form to anyone other than employees or agents. By law, every employee and agent has taken an oath and is subject to a jail term, a fine, or both if he or she willfully discloses ANY identifiable information about you or your operation. Response is **voluntary**.

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

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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**?

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

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

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

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

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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	211	<input type="checkbox"/> ¹ YES	<input type="checkbox"/> ⁵ N/A	<input type="checkbox"/> ³ NO – Will you estimate?	212	<input type="checkbox"/> ¹ YES <input type="checkbox"/> ³ NO
b. subtracting interest expenses	213	<input type="checkbox"/> ¹ YES	<input type="checkbox"/> ⁵ N/A	<input type="checkbox"/> ³ NO – Will you estimate?	214	<input type="checkbox"/> ¹ YES <input type="checkbox"/> ³ NO
c. subtracting any government payme	215	<input type="checkbox"/> ¹ YES	<input type="checkbox"/> ⁵ N/A	<input type="checkbox"/> ³ NO – Will you estimate?	216	<input type="checkbox"/> ¹ YES <input type="checkbox"/> ³ NO
d. subtracting Marketing Loan Gains from redeeming loans at less than the loan value (adjusted World Price)	217	<input type="checkbox"/> ¹ YES	<input type="checkbox"/> ⁵ N/A	<input type="checkbox"/> ³ NO – Will you estimate?	218	<input type="checkbox"/> ¹ YES <input type="checkbox"/> ³ NO
e. subtracting handling, processing, transportation and other marketing charges after delivery to the warehouse until the cotton is sold	219	<input type="checkbox"/> ¹ YES	<input type="checkbox"/> ⁵ N/A	<input type="checkbox"/> ³ NO – Will you estimate?	220	<input type="checkbox"/> ¹ YES <input type="checkbox"/> ³ NO
f. subtracting storage expenses	221	<input type="checkbox"/> ¹ YES	<input type="checkbox"/> ⁵ N/A	<input type="checkbox"/> ³ NO – Will you estimate?	222	<input type="checkbox"/> ¹ YES <input type="checkbox"/> ³ NO
g. subtracting allowance from weight lost in storage	223	<input type="checkbox"/> ¹ YES	<input type="checkbox"/> ⁵ N/A	<input type="checkbox"/> ³ NO – Will you estimate?	224	<input type="checkbox"/> ¹ YES <input type="checkbox"/> ³ NO
h. subtracting income from commodities other than cotton	225	<input type="checkbox"/> ¹ YES	<input type="checkbox"/> ⁵ N/A	<input type="checkbox"/> ³ NO – Will you estimate?	226	<input type="checkbox"/> ¹ YES <input type="checkbox"/> ³ NO
i. subtracting income from manufacture of materials	227	<input type="checkbox"/> ¹ YES	<input type="checkbox"/> ⁵ N/A	<input type="checkbox"/> ³ NO – Will you estimate?	228	<input type="checkbox"/> ¹ YES <input type="checkbox"/> ³ NO
j. subtracting income or dividends from capital investments	229	<input type="checkbox"/> ¹ YES	<input type="checkbox"/> ⁵ N/A	<input type="checkbox"/> ³ NO – Will you estimate?	230	<input type="checkbox"/> ¹ YES <input type="checkbox"/> ³ NO
k. subtracting storage income from private firms or government	231	<input type="checkbox"/> ¹ YES	<input type="checkbox"/> ⁵ N/A	<input type="checkbox"/> ³ NO – Will you estimate?	232	<input type="checkbox"/> ¹ YES <input type="checkbox"/> ³ NO

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

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| <p>a. including transportation cost to warehouse</p> | <p>241 <input type="checkbox"/> ¹ YES <input type="checkbox"/> ⁵ N/A <input type="checkbox"/> ³ NO – Will you estimate?</p> | <p>242 <input type="checkbox"/> ¹ YES
<input type="checkbox"/> ³ NO</p> |
| <p>b. including warehouse receiving char</p> | <p>243 <input type="checkbox"/> ¹ YES <input type="checkbox"/> ⁵ N/A <input type="checkbox"/> ³ NO – Will you estimate?</p> | <p>244 <input type="checkbox"/> ¹ YES
<input type="checkbox"/> ³ NO</p> |
| <p>c. including producer check-off fees for Cotton Research and Promotion Assessment Program (CRPAP)</p> | <p>245 <input type="checkbox"/> ¹ YES <input type="checkbox"/> ⁵ N/A <input type="checkbox"/> ³ NO – Will you estimate?</p> | <p>246 <input type="checkbox"/> ¹ YES
<input type="checkbox"/> ³ NO</p> |
| <p>d. including interest income</p> | <p>247 <input type="checkbox"/> ¹ YES <input type="checkbox"/> ⁵ N/A <input type="checkbox"/> ³ NO – Will you estimate?</p> | <p>248 <input type="checkbox"/> ¹ YES
<input type="checkbox"/> ³ NO</p> |
| <p>e. including income from hedging</p> | <p>249 <input type="checkbox"/> ¹ YES <input type="checkbox"/> ⁵ N/A <input type="checkbox"/> ³ NO – Will you estimate?</p> | <p>250 <input type="checkbox"/> ¹ YES
<input type="checkbox"/> ³ NO</p> |
| <p>f. including allowance for weight gained in storage</p> | <p>251 <input type="checkbox"/> ¹ YES <input type="checkbox"/> ⁵ N/A <input type="checkbox"/> ³ NO – Will you estimate?</p> | <p>252 <input type="checkbox"/> ¹ YES
<input type="checkbox"/> ³ NO</p> |
| <p>g. including anticipated end-of-year distributions from cotton marketings</p> | <p>253 <input type="checkbox"/> ¹ YES <input type="checkbox"/> ⁵ N/A <input type="checkbox"/> ³ NO – Will you estimate?</p> | <p>254 <input type="checkbox"/> ¹ YES
<input type="checkbox"/> ³ NO</p> |
| <p>h. including capital retains from cotton marketings</p> | <p>255 <input type="checkbox"/> ¹ YES <input type="checkbox"/> ⁵ N/A <input type="checkbox"/> ³ NO – Will you estimate?</p> | <p>256 <input type="checkbox"/> ¹ YES
<input type="checkbox"/> ³ NO</p> |
| <p>i. including expenses reimbursed by government (storage and interest)</p> | <p>257 <input type="checkbox"/> ¹ YES <input type="checkbox"/> ⁵ N/A <input type="checkbox"/> ³ NO – Will you estimate?</p> | <p>258 <input type="checkbox"/> ¹ YES
<input type="checkbox"/> ³ NO</p> |
| <p>j. including storage income from private firms or government</p> | <p>259 <input type="checkbox"/> ¹ YES <input type="checkbox"/> ⁵ N/A <input type="checkbox"/> ³ NO – Will you estimate?</p> | <p>260 <input type="checkbox"/> ¹ YES
<input type="checkbox"/> ³ NO</p> |

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**?

271 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**?

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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?

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¹ YES ² NO

10. Do you plan to have cash purchases of cotton during the 2015-2016 crop year?

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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

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

Respondent Name: _____	9911 Phone: ()	9910 MM DD YY Date: _____
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THANK YOU FOR YOUR COOPERATION

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Response	9901	Respondent	9902	Mode	9903	Enum.	Eval.	R. Unit	9985	Office Use for POID
1-Comp		1-Op/Mgr		1-Mail		9998	9900	9921	9985	9989
2-R		2-Sp		2-Tel						
3-Inac		3-Acct/Bkpr		3-Face-to-Face						
4-Office Hold		4-Partner		4-CATI						
5-R – Est		9-Oth		5-Web						
6-Inac – Est				6-e-mail						
7-Off Hold – Est				7-Fax						
				8-CAPI						
				19-Other						
										Optional Use
										9907 9908 9906 9916

S/E Name _____