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U.S. EXPORT SALES FOR WEEKENDING 3/3/2016

Cotton: Net upland sales totaling 185,100 RB for 2015/2016 were up 7 percent from the previous week, but down 10 percent from the prior 4-week average. Increases were reported for Vietnam (72,500 RB, including 2,200 RB switched from China and decreases of 300 RB), Brazil (23,200 RB), Turkey (19,700 RB), Japan (15,900 RB), Peru (10,000 RB), and China (9,800 RB). For 2016/2017, net sales of 19,100 RB were reported primarily for Mexico (10,500 RB), Japan (3,400 RB), Peru (2,700 RB), and Turkey (2,000 RB). Exports of 252,100 RB--a marketing-year high--were up 28 percent from the previous week and 42 percent from the prior 4-week average. The primary destinations were Turkey (76,400 RB), Vietnam (39,800 RB), Mexico (19,900 RB), South Korea (16,900 RB), China (14,300 RB), and Indonesia (13,800 RB). Net sales of Pima totaling 14,900 RB for 2015/2016 were down 5 percent from the previous week, but up 20 percent from the prior 4-week average. Increases were reported for China (9,600 RB), India (3,600 RB), Pakistan (1,300 RB), and Turkey (300 RB). Exports of 10,400 RB were down 58 percent from the previous week and 45 percent from the prior 4-week average. The primary destinations were India (2,800 RB), Pakistan (2,400 RB), China (2,300 RB), and Turkey (1,400 RB).

Exports for Own Account: The current outstanding balance of 41,000 RB is for China (35,400 RB) and Vietnam (5,600 RB).

U.S. EXPORT SALES WEEK ENDING 03/03/2016 FAX 202-690-3273 OUTSTANDING SALES	ALL UPLAND 1404				PIMA 1301			
	CURRENT MY		NEXT MY		CURRENT MY		NEXT MY	
	THIS WEEK	YEAR AGO	THIS WEEK	YEAR AGO	THIS WEEK	YEAR AGO	THIS WEEK	YEAR AGO
KNOWN	2,956.9	4,527.2	942.0	827.2	75.5	101.2	0.0	0.0
UNKNOWN	1.8	5.4	0.0	3.7	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
TOTAL	2,958.6	4,532.5	942.0	830.9	75.5	101.2	0.0	0.0
OPTIONAL ORIGIN	0.0	16.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
ACCUMULATED	3,847.4	4,896.7	XX	XX	279.1	140.9	XX	XX
EXPORTS								
EXPORTS FOR OWN ACCT	41.0	48.9	XX	XX	0.1	0.0	XX	XX
NET CHANGE IN SALES	185.1	36.8	19.1	92.8	14.9	14.7	0.0	0.0

COUNTRY	CURRENT MARKETING YEAR				NEXT MY SALES (NET)	CURRENT MARKETING YEAR				NEXT MY SALES (NET)
	NEW SALES	DEST. CHGS.	CANCEL	EXPORTS		NEW SALES	DEST. CHGS.	CANCEL	EXPORTS	
PORTUGL				0.3						
TURKEY	19.7			76.4	2.0	0.3			1.4	
JAPAN	16.9	-1.0		2.9	3.4	0.2				
TAIWAN	3.6			9.1						
CHINA	12.0	-2.2		14.3		9.6			2.3	
INDIA	1.9			8.1		3.6			2.8	
BANGLADH	1.0		0.1	8.4						
HG KONG	2.2									
INDNSIA	8.8	0.5	0.1	13.8	0.4				1.0	
KOR REP	0.3			16.9						
MALAYSA		0.1	0.1	4.1						
PAKISTN	2.8			9.6		1.3			2.4	
THAILND	2.0	0.4		9.8					0.2	
VIETNAM	70.6	2.2	0.3	39.8					0.2	
EGYPT	3.3									
BRAZIL	23.2			4.5						
C RICA				1.3						

COLOMB	1.1			3.7						
ECUADOR				0.4						
GUATMAL	0.2			1.0						
HONDURA				0.7						
MEXICO	6.1			19.9	10.5					
NICARAG				0.3						
PERU	10.0			2.2	2.7				0.2	
SALVADR				3.5						
VENEZ				1.3						
TOTAL	185.8	0.0	0.6	252.1	19.1	14.9	0.0	0.0	10.4	0.0