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U.S. EXPORT SALES FOR WEEKENDING 3/9/2017

**Cotton:** Net upland sales of 316,500 RB for 2016/2017 were up 27 percent from the previous week, but down 4 percent from the prior 4-week average. Increases were reported for Vietnam (69,500 RB, including 1,300 RB switched from Taiwan, 600 RB switched from Japan, and decreases of 2,600 RB), Turkey (62,300 RB, including decreases of 1,100 RB), India (49,000 RB), China (36,400 RB, including 100 RB switched from Japan), Indonesia (26,000 RB, including 600 RB switched from Japan and decreases of 100 RB), and Bangladesh (17,200 RB). For 2017/2018, net sales of 141,700 RB were reported primarily for China (66,600 RB), Pakistan (41,800 RB), Bangladesh (15,300 RB), and Thailand (7,300 RB). Exports of 337,900 RB were down 36 percent from the previous week and 12 percent from the prior 4-week average. The primary destinations were China (77,900 RB), Vietnam (74,400 RB), Pakistan (29,300 RB), Indonesia (28,700 RB), and Bangladesh (25,800 RB). Net sales of Pima totaling 24,300 RB for 2016/2017 were up 72 percent from the previous week and 99 percent from the prior 4-week average. Increases were primarily for India (12,400 RB), China (10,900 RB), South Korea (400 RB), and Thailand (300 RB, switched from Japan). For 2017/2018, net sales of 2,500 RB were reported for India. Exports of 8,300 RB were down 45 percent from the previous week and 41 percent from the prior 4-week average. The primary destinations were China (2,800 RB), India (2,500 RB), Pakistan (900 RB), Peru (900 RB), and Germany (400 RB).

*Exports for Own Account:* New exports for own account were reported to Indonesia (5,600 MT) and Thailand (1,300 MT). Decreases were reported to Vietnam (5,300 MT) and Indonesia (1,000 MT). The current outstanding balance of 115,200 RB is for Indonesia (68,300 RB), China (26,800 RB), Taiwan (9,700 RB), Vietnam (2,600 RB), South Korea (2,600 RB), Bangladesh (1,800 RB), (Thailand 1,600 RB), India (1,300 RB), and Pakistan (500 RB).

U.S. EXPORT SALES WEEK ENDING 3/09/2017 FAX 202-690-3273	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	YEAR AGO	
OUTSTANDING SALES										
KNOWN	4,484.1	3,006.0	1,419.5	994.5	159.7	82.0	5.1	0.2		
UNKNOWN	0.0	1.8	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
TOTAL	4,484.1	3,007.7	1,419.5	994.5	159.7	82.0	5.1	0.2		
OPTIONAL ORIGIN	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
ACCUMULATED EXPORTS	7,100.4	4,023.2	XX	XX	368.4	289.4	XX	XX		
EXPORTS FOR OWN ACCT	115.1	41.0	XX	XX	0.0	0.1	XX	XX		
NET CHANGE IN SALES	316.5	224.9	141.7	52.4	24.3	16.9	2.5	0.2		
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	
BELGIUM	0.4		0.1							
GERMANY									0.4	
PORTUGL				1.8						
TURKEY	63.4		1.1	24.6					0.4	
JAPAN	4.0	-1.4	0.9	3.4		0.4	-0.3	0.1	0.3	
TAIWAN	5.1	-1.3	2.2	1.1		0.1				
CHINA	36.3	0.1		77.9	66.6	10.9			2.8	
INDIA	49.0			5.5		12.4			2.5	2.5
BANGLADH	17.2			25.8	15.3					
HG KONG				2.0						
INDNSIA	25.5	0.6	0.1	28.7		0.1				
KOR REP	7.0			12.5		0.4				
MALAYSA				5.1					0.1	
PAKISTN	4.7			29.3	41.8				0.9	
PHIL	3.5			0.4						
S LANKA				0.4						
THAILND	6.7	0.2		13.7	7.3		0.3			
VIETNAM	70.2	1.9	2.6	74.4						
EGYPT				3.2						
MOROCCO				0.2						
BRAZIL	1.7			1.8						
C RICA	6.0			0.5	3.4					
COLOMB				2.5					0.1	
ECUADOR	0.5			0.2						
GUATMAL	6.1			1.1						
HONDURA				0.9						
MEXICO	9.4			17.6	7.3					
PERU	7.0			2.4					0.9	
SALVADR				0.9						
TOTAL	323.5	0.0	7.0	337.9	141.7	24.3	0.0	0.1	8.3	2.5