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U.S. EXPORT SALES FOR WEEKENDING 10/19/2017

Cotton: Net sales of 289,100 running bales for 2017/2018--a marketing-year high--were up 14 percent from the previous week and 52 percent from the prior 4-week average. Increases were reported for Turkey (51,500 RB), Vietnam (51,200 RB), Indonesia (49,600 RB), China (43,400 RB, including 6,200 RB switched from Vietnam and decreases of 3,000 RB), and Pakistan (29,900 RB). For 2018/2019, net sales of 46,800 RB were reported for Pakistan (26,400 RB), China (17,600 RB), and Mexico (2,800 RB). Exports of 94,700 RB were up 10 percent from the previous week, but down 16 percent from the prior 4-week average. Exports were reported primarily to Vietnam (27,000 RB), Mexico (23,500 RB), Taiwan (7,300 RB), China (5,900 RB), and Bangladesh (5,800 RB). Net sales of Pima totaling 16,200 RB for 2017/2018 were down 8 percent from the previous week and 18 percent from the prior 4-week average. Increases were reported for China (10,500 RB), India (2,500 RB), Japan (1,100 RB), and Vietnam (900 RB). Exports of 5,000 RB were down 13 percent from the previous week and 5 percent from the prior 4-week average. The primary destinations were China (1,700 RB), India (1,400 RB), Thailand (800 RB), and Egypt (700 RB).

Optional Origin Sales: The current optional origin outstanding balance of 16,500 RB is for Indonesia.

Exports for Own Account: New exports for own account totaling 2,700 RB were reported to Taiwan. Exports to Indonesia (2,700 RB), Taiwan (2,700 RB), and China (400 RB) were applied to new or outstanding sales. The current outstanding balance of 65,800 RB is for Indonesia (45,400 RB), Taiwan (13,100 RB), India (3,800 RB), Vietnam (1,400 RB), South Korea (1,100 RB), Bangladesh (500 RB), and Pakistan (500 RB).

U.S. EXPORT SALES WEEK ENDING 10/19/2017 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	6,404.5	3,891.2	818.9	428.0		319.9	258.3	19.7	0.0	
UNKNOWN	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	
TOTAL	6,404.5	3,891.2	818.9	428.0		319.9	258.3	19.7	0.0	
OPTIONAL ORIGIN	16.5	0.0	0.0	0.0		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	
ACCUMULATED EXPORTS	1,686.6	1,962.6	XX	XX		50.8	109.3	XX	XX	
EXPORTS FOR OWN ACCT	65.8	39.7	XX	XX		0.0	0.0	XX	XX	
NET CHANGE IN SALES	289.1	129.3	46.8	0.0		16.2	7.3	0.0	0.0	
COUNTRY	CURRENT MARKETING YEAR				NEXT MY	CURRENT MARKETING YEAR				NEXT MY
	NEW SALES	DEST. CHGS.	CANCEL	EXPORTS	SALES (NET)	NEW SALES	DEST. CHGS.	CANCEL	EXPORTS	SALES (NET)
U KING									0.1	
TURKEY	51.5			5.8		0.7				
JAPAN	1.9		0.8	1.0		1.1				
TAIWAN	11.0			7.3						
CHINA	40.2	6.2	3.0	5.9	17.6	10.5			1.7	
INDIA	0.4					2.6			1.4	
BANGLADH	2.2			5.8					0.3	
INDNSIA	50.0	-0.4		1.0						
KOR REP	14.1	2.2		3.5		0.4				
MALAYSA	11.9			4.7						
PAKISTN	29.9			0.3	26.4					
PHIL	2.6									
THAILND	0.5	0.4	0.2	3.3					0.8	
VIETNAM	59.6	-8.4		27.0		0.9				
EGYPT	4.4								0.7	
COLOMB	0.3			3.0					0.1	
ECUADOR	0.2			0.1						
HONDURA				0.4						
MEXICO	4.7			23.5	2.8					
NICARAG				0.2						
PERU	3.0			0.3						
SALVADR	4.6			1.8						
TOTAL	293.1	0.0	4.0	94.7	46.8	16.2	0.0	0.0	5.0	0.0

