

## 2007 DIRECT AND COUNTER-CYCLICAL PAYMENT INFORMATION

## **DIRECT PAYMENT INFORMATION**

Covered	Unit of	Payment Rates			
Commodity	Measure	Advance	Final		
Wheat	bushel	\$0.114400	\$0.5200		
Barley	bushel	\$0.052800	\$0.2400		
Oats	bushel	\$0.005280	\$0.0240		
Upland Cotton	pound	\$0.014674	\$0.0667		
Peanuts	pound	\$0.003960	\$0.0180		
Corn	bushel	\$0.061600	\$0.2800		
Grain Sorghum	bushel	\$0.077000	\$0.3500		
Soybeans	bushel	\$0.096800	\$0.4400		
Rice	pound	\$0.005170	\$0.0235		
Other Oilseeds	pound	\$0.001760	\$0.0080		

Enrollment for participation in the 2007 Direct and Counter-Cyclical Program ended August 3, 2007. Late-filed enrollment ends September 30, 2007.

The 2002 Farm Bill establishes the 2007 direct payment rates and mandates that 2007 DCP direct payments not be issued prior to October 1, 2007. However, eligible producers have the following options for receiving advance payments:

- Producers are given the opportunity to elect an advance payment payable at 22 percent of the final direct payment rate beginning December 1, 2006.
- Producers may elect the month in which they wish to receive the advance payment.

## **COUNTER-CYCLICAL PAYMENT INFORMATION**

If the Secretary determines counter-cyclical payments are required, the 2002 Farm Bill allows producers to receive 2007 DCP counter-cyclical payments in two installments:

- The 1<sup>st</sup> partial payment is payable after the first 6 months of the marketing year for the covered commodity at up to 40 percent of the projected rate for the covered commodity.
- The final payment is payable after the end of the 12-month marketing year for the covered commodity minus the amounts received through the 1st partial payment.

		Payment Rates			
Covered Commodity	Unit of Measure	1 <sup>st</sup> Partial	Final		
Wheat	bushel				
Barley	bushel				
Oats	bushel				
Upland Cotton	pound				
Peanuts	pound				
Corn	bushel				
Grain Sorghum	bushel				
Soybeans	bushel				
Rice	pound				

Timeline for Issuance of Payments (if applicable)									
1 <sup>st</sup> Partial			Final						
December 2007	February 2008	March 2008	July 2008	September 2008	October 2008	January 2009			
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