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US PRICE MECHANISM - 2006/2007 SEASON			- cents per lb -	
			Week to date	(Official Values)
A) Friday/Thursday average of 5 N.Europe Middling 1-3/32" va	alues		61.34	(60.35)
B) Friday/Thursday average of 3 N.Europe SLM 'coarse count' values			N/A	(0.00)
C) Friday/Thursday average of cheapest US M.1-3/32" CIFs			65.88	(64.95)
ADJUSTED WORLD PRICE CALCULATION				
Deduct from A				
Shipping Differential 52 wk avg		11.35		
Loan Quality Differential (at average location) between:				
Middling 1-3/32"	56.65			
SLM 1-1/16"	52.00	4.65		
Location Differential between:-				
SLM 1-1/16" Loan	51.96			
(spot market avg)				
SLM 1-1/16" Loan	52.00			
(at average location)		-0.04		(4= 00)
D) Total Adjustment Factor			15.96	(15.93)
E) ADJUSTED WORLD PRICE (AWP) (A - D)			45.38	(44.42)
F) Coarse Adjustment Factor (must be above zero) (current values A-B-6.55)			N/A	N/A
G) Marketing Loan Gain (52.00 base loan minus AWP)			6.62	(7.58)
US PRICE MECHANISM (2) COMPETITIVE ADJUSTMENT PROVISIONS				
Step 1: (inoperative if the AWP is above 115 percent of the Basic Loan, or 59.80 cents)				
Maximum permissible reduction of AWP (C-A)	aoio Loari, (	51 00.00 0011	.0)	4.54
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AMERICAN PIMA COMPETITIVENESS PAYMENT				
Basic Loan Trigger				
P1) Cheapest competing foreign quote C/F Far East (week to	date avera	ige)		0
P2) P1 adjusted for quality and transportation		<i>o</i> ,		0
P3) P2 value must be less than 134% of basic loan (82.45)				0
Payment Calculation				
P4) Friday/Thursday US Pima C/F Far Eastern Average				126.75
P5) Average cheapest competing foreign quote C/F Far East (adjusted for quality)				NQ
P6) Theoretical value (P4-P5)				N/A
P7) No. of completed weeks. P4 must exceed P5 for four consecutive weeks.				0
P8) Official current rate payable through Thursday August 10	)			N/A