

United States Department of Agriculture

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Risk Management Agency

INFORMATIONAL MEMORANDUM: R&D-05-011

6501 Beacon Drive Kansas City, MO 64133-4676 TO: All Reinsured Companies

All Risk Management Agency Field Offices

All Other Interested Parties

FROM: Tim B. Witt /s/ Rodger Matthews for

Deputy Administrator

SUBJECT: Addendum to 2005 Crop Year (CY) Actuarial Document (Special

Provisions) – (**Crop Revenue Coverage (CRC)**) Cotton Base Price and Low & High Price Factors; (**Income Protection (IP & Indexed IP)**) Corn, Cotton, and Soybeans Projected Prices; and (**Revenue Assurance (RA)**) Corn, Cotton, and Soybeans Projected Harvest Prices and Price

**Volatility Factors Announcement** 

## **CROP REVENUE COVERAGE**

The following 2005 CY base price and low & high price factors have been approved for CRC cotton in counties with a February 28 or March 15 cancellation date.

		Price Factors	
<b>Crop</b>	<b>Base Price</b>	Low	<u>High</u>
Cotton	\$0.50/pound	0.052	0.052

## **INCOME PROTECTION**

The following 2005 CY projected prices have been approved for IP cotton and soybeans and for Indexed IP corn and soybeans in counties with a February 28 sales closing date.

<u>Crop</u>	<b>Projected Price</b>	
Corn	\$2.29/bushel	
Cotton	\$0.50/pound	
Soybeans	\$5.32/bushel	



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## **REVENUE ASSURANCE**

The following 2005 CY projected harvest prices and price volatility factors have been approved for RA corn and soybeans in counties with a cancellation date <u>prior to</u> March 15 and for RA cotton in all covered states.

	<u>Projected Harvest</u>	<u>Volatility</u>
<u>Crop</u>	<u>Price</u>	<b>Factor</b>
Corn	\$2.29/bushel	0.19
Cotton	\$0.50/pound	0.21
Soybeans	\$5.28/bushel	0.19

## **DISPOSAL DATE**

This Informational Memorandum is for the purpose of transmitting information and the expiration date is December 31, 2005.