



**Summary Report For Growers:
The 2016 ACOA Fleece Collection Initiative**

Key Financial Data	2016	2015
Total Sale Value of Collected Fleece	74841	63048
Amount Remitted to Consignors	67001	53561
Amount Retained by ACOA	7380	9457
Collection Demographics	2016	2015
Total number of contributing farms	168	79
total number of collection farms	6	5
final number of grading sites	2	3
total weight of fleece baled for sale	14226	10346
total weight of fleece collected (unknown, est)	16775	12500
Number of Final Buyers	7	5
Largest Buyers percentage of total sales	31%	25%
Aggregate Fleece Information	2016	2015
White/BG	59%	46%
Fawn	29%	31%
Brown/BB	10%	11%
True Black	1%	3%
Grey	1%	9%
Breakdown by Grade/Weight	2016	2015
Grade 1a		3%
Grade 1b		6%
Grade 1	16%	
Grade 2 20.1-22 microns	22%	19%
Grade 3 22.1-24 micron	24%	26%
Grade 4 24.1-26 micron	20%	20%
Grade 5 26.1-30 micron	18%	26%
Price Range per pound by Grade, depending on color and length	2016	2015
Grade 1a	\$19	\$30
Grade 1b	\$19	\$19
Grade 2	\$6-8	\$6-8
Grade 3	\$5-7	\$5-6
Grade 4	\$3.50-4.45	\$3-6
Grade 5	\$1.75-2.36	\$1.75-2.36