U. S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE  
AGRICULTURAL MARKETING SERVICE  
COTTON PROGRAM  
REQUEST FOR CLASSIFICATION

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1. USDA CLASSING LOCATION (City and State)

2. THE UNDERSIGNED REQUESTS ("X" ONLY ONE BLOCK IN THIS SECTION)
   - ORIGINAL CLASSIFICATION
   - COMPARISON
   - REVIEW
     - □ FORM A
     - □ FORM D
     - □ FOREIGN GROWTH
   - Classification data will be issued on Cotton Program computer listings.
   - NOTE: See reverse for explanation of services and instructions for submitting samples

3. SERVICE DESIRED ("X" ONE)
   - □ HVI Classification with Official Color Grade, Leaf Grade, and Extraneous Matter
   - □ HVI Classification

4. DESCRIPTION OF COTTON ("X" ONE)
   - a. Growth    □ Upland □ Pima □ Other (Specify)
   - b. Type Ginning □ Saw □ Roller
   - c. Production Area □ United States
     - □ Outside United States __________________________
   - d. Has any cotton been reginned, repacked, or processed in addition to normal ginning? □ Yes □ No
   - e. Does any cotton contain linters, gin waste, or mill waste? □ Yes □ No

5. SAMPLES ARE ("X" ONE)
   - □ Freshly drawn and submitted from a warehouse licensed by the Cotton Program, AMS
   - □ OTHER (Specify) __________________________

6. DISPOSITION OF SAMPLES
   - □ Government Loose
   - □ Hold samples for possible review
   - □ Owner will pick up
   - □ Return to owner via (Carrier) __________________________
   - □ Owner’s Account No. __________________________

7. CLASSIFICATION DATA TO BE SENT TO APPLICANT ("X" ONE)
   - □ Mail
   - □ Fax: __________________________
   - □ Telephone Number: __________________________
   - □ Hold for Pickup

8. SAMPLES SUBMITTED
   - □ TYPE
   - □ FIRM NAME
   - SIGNATURE OF AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE
   - ADDRESS (Street and No., City, State, ZIP Code)
   - PHONE NUMBER:
   - LOCATION OF COTTON (Warehouse, City, State)

FORM FD-210 (08-00) (Previous editions are obsolete)
EXPLANATION OF TYPES OF CLASSING SERVICES AND INSTRUCTIONS FOR SUBMITTING SAMPLES

COTTON STANDARDS ACT

1. **FORM A MEMORANDUM** – Issued on classification or comparison of samples freshly drawn and submitted direct to the Classing Office serving the territory in which the cotton is located by a warehouse licensed by the Cotton Program, AMS.

2. **FORM D MEMORANDUM** – Issued as an informative classification or comparison on samples submitted by the owner of the cotton or his/her agent to the Classing Office serving the territory in which the samples are located.

**NOTE:** Samples representing cotton produced outside the United States are NOT eligible for Form A or D classing. (See "Agricultural Marketing Act of 1946" below)

AGRICULTURAL MARKETING ACT OF 1946

Memorandum on Foreign Growth Cotton Samples - Issued on classification or comparison of samples from cotton produced outside the United States. Samples should be submitted to the Classing Office serving the territory in which the samples are located. If the samples are located outside the United States, they should be submitted to the Classing Office designated by the Director of the Cotton Division, AMS.