

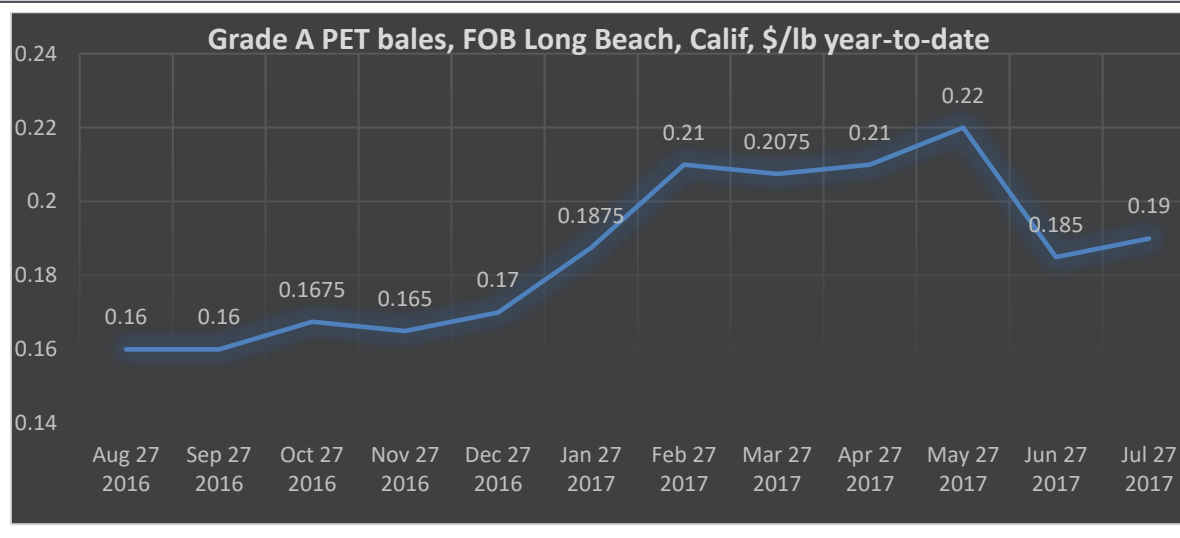
**Closing Forward Curves**

Delivery Month	Bottle-grade PET DLVD CHICAGO	PET US IMPORT DDP 78 ml/g or higher	rPET PELLETT Clear FDA FOB US South	PET BALES GRADE A FOB LONG BEACH	PET BALES CURBSIDE Picked-up Midwest
17-Jul	0.55500	0.53500	0.58500	0.19000	0.14750
17-Aug	0.55500	0.53000	0.59000	0.19000	0.14500
17-Sep	0.54750	0.52000	0.58500	0.19500	0.14250
17-Oct	0.54500	0.52500	0.58000	0.19250	0.14000
17-Nov	0.54250	0.52000	0.57500	0.19000	0.13750
17-Dec	0.54000	0.51000	0.57000	0.18500	0.13500
18-Jan	0.53500	0.50000	0.56500	0.18250	0.13250
18-Feb	0.53000	0.49000	0.56000	0.18000	0.13000
18-Mar	0.52500	0.48500	0.55500	0.18000	0.13500
18-Apr	0.52000	0.49000	0.56000	0.18000	0.14000
18-May	0.52500	0.50000	0.56500	0.18250	0.14500
18-Jun	0.53000	0.51000	0.57000	0.18500	0.15000

Prices are in \$/lb. FOB = Free on Board (picked-up). US Prime PET: US produced bottle-grade, delivered railcar Chicago.

Prime PET US Import: Packaging grade, delivered duty-paid (DDP) US ports. PET FDA repro: Clear pellet with FDA designation, FOB US South. PET Bales Long Beach: Grade A, FOB Long Beach, Calif. PET Bales: Clean bottles & containers collected curbside, FOB Midwest. For a full methodology:

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**Today's Markets**

**PET BALES:** Cellmark bought 10 truckloads (420,000 lbs) of green and clear curbside PET bales at 15.61 cpp in the Solid Waste Authority of Palm Beach County, FL's Aug plastic scrap bid offering, the SWA announced Thursday. Terms are FOB SWA Palm Beach County facility, Aug pickup. SWA's PET bale sale for Jul was at 16.02 cpp to OHRA Inc. The SWA also on Thursday sold two truckloads of HDPE natural curbside bales at 32 cpp to Only Recycling and three truckloads of HDPE mixed colors curbside bales at 18.3 cpp to Signode Industrial Group LLC/DBA Angleboard. Meanwhile in CA, Grade A PET bales were discussed at 19 cpp FOB Long Beach. Grade B PET bales in CA were 5-7 cpp lower than Grade A. Export demand for PET scrap, including bales, has fallen this year due to tighter inspections for cargoes bound for China, the top destination for US PET scrap exports.

**PRIME PET:** Jul and Aug bottle grade PET produced in the US were at parity at 55.5 cpp railcar delivered Chicago. Truckload business was 1-3 cpp higher depending on location.

**rPET PELLETT:** Clear FDA rPET pellet was offered at 59 cpp FOB US South. Non-FDA green rPET pellet was discussed at 35-40 cpp delivered Southeast and Midwest.

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