

Special Provisions of Insurance

2014 and Succeeding Crop Years

Year: 2014	Commodity: Potatoes (0084)	State: Texas (48)
Date: 8/29/2013	Plan: APH (90)	County: Medina (325)

Program Dates for Insurable Types and Practices

Sales Closing Date 11/30/2013	Earliest Planting Date	Final Planting Date 2/15/2014	Acreage Reporting Date 5/15/2014	Premium Billing Date 8/15/2014
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TP	Type	Practice
T/P 1	Reds 078	Irrigated 002
T/P 2	Whites 079 *4	Irrigated 002
T/P 3	Russets 077	Irrigated 002
T/P 4	Reds 078	Organic(Certified) Irr. 702 *5
T/P 5	Whites 079 *4	Organic(Certified) Irr. 702 *5
T/P 6	Russets 077	Organic(Certified) Irr. 702 *5
T/P 7	Reds 078	Organic(Transitional) Irr. 712 *5
T/P 8	Whites 079 *4	Organic(Transitional) Irr. 712 *5
T/P 9	Russets 077	Organic(Transitional) Irr. 712 *5

Statement

General

Contact your agent regarding possible premium discounts, options, and/or additional coverage that may be available.

In lieu of the second sentence of Section 24(a) of the Basic Provisions, for the purpose of premium amounts owed to us or administrative fees owed to FCIC, interest will start to accrue on the first day of the month following the issuance of the notice by us, provided that a minimum of 30 days have passed from the premium billing date specified in the Special Provisions.

In lieu of Section 17(f)(5)(ii) of the Common Crop Insurance Basic Provisions, haying or grazing a cover crop will not impact eligibility for a prevented planting payment provided such action did not contribute to the acreage being prevented from planting.

Type

- *4 Recommended and adapted yellow skinned varieties such as Yukon Gold, will be considered insurable as the white type and will be designated as the white type for the purposes of this policy.

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Practice

- *5 Acreage and production history from certified organic or transitional acreage will be contained in separate APH databases. Each APH database will include production and acreage from any applicable buffer zone. Any yearly average APH yields, for the most recent four crop years only, from the transitional acreage database will be used in place of Transitional Yields (T-yields) to establish the certified organic APH database. A variable T-yield will be used to complete the database, if required.

Insurance Availability

For acreage that requires a written agreement for insurability per Section 9(a)(1)(iv) of the Basic Provisions (new breaking written agreement), the written agreement request must be submitted by the applicable sales closing date in lieu of section 18(e)(2)(i)(B) and in accordance with section 18(e)(2)(iii).

Insurance shall attach to a crop following a cover crop when the cover crop meets the definition provided in the Basic Provisions, was planted within the last 12 months, and is managed and terminated according to NRCS guidelines. If growing conditions warrant a deviation from the guidelines, producers should contact either Extension or the local NRCS for management guidance. For information on cover crop management and termination guidelines, refer to the Cover Crop Termination Guidelines published at <http://www.nrcs.usda.gov/wps/portal/nrcs/main/national/landuse/crops/>.

Insurance will not attach to any acreage on which potatoes were planted the preceding crop year unless authorized by written agreement; however, potatoes will be insurable any two of the first three years on land that has not been previously planted to potatoes. Contact your crop insurance agent for specific information.

Quality

With regard to Grade Inspections and the respective U.S. Grade Standard (i.e. Processing, Chipping, Seed and all other Potatoes), the only size modifications recognized are those instituted by State or Federal Marketing Orders.