

Special Provisions of Insurance 2021 and Succeeding Crop Years

Year: 2021

Commodity: Soybeans (0081)

State: Iowa (19)

Date: 6/29/2020

Plan: Margin Protection (16)

County: Hamilton (079)

Margin Protection with Harvest Price Option (17)

Practice

- *3 Non-Conventional: Planted in a two step operation in which the seed is first broadcast by any method onto the surface of a seedbed which has been properly prepared for the planting method and production practice and is subsequently incorporated into the soil at the proper depth in a timely manner.
- *4 Planted with a single implement which is designed to place the seed (at the proper depth) into the soil. Acreage on which seed is first broadcast onto the surface of the soil using any implement or aircraft, and on which the seed subsequently is incorporated into the soil, is not insurable under this practice.

Date

In addition to the provisions of section 34(a)(3) of the Basic Provisions, the earliest sales closing date for policyholders who have a base policy is the sales closing date of the base policy and not Margin Protection. All other terms of section 34(a)(3) remain in effect.

Insurance Availability

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 Cover Crop Termination Guidelines. The Guidelines include information on cover crops and crop insurance, Good Farming Practices for cover crops, and termination information and exceptions, which can be found at <https://www.rma.usda.gov/en/Topics/Cover-Crops>.

In lieu of section 2(h) of the Margin Protection plan provisions, insureds with MP may not elect SCO on the Base policy. If SCO is elected, the SCO election will be void.