

**Special Provisions of Insurance**  
2021 and Succeeding Crop Years

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| Year: 2021      | Commodity: Alfalfa Seed (0107) | State: California (06) |
| Date: 6/29/2020 | Plan: APH (90)                 | County: Fresno (019)   |

**Program Dates for Insurable Types and Practices**

| Sales Closing<br>Date<br>10/31/2020 | Earliest<br>Planting Date | Final<br>Planting Date                      | End of Late Planting<br>Period Date | Acreage<br>Reporting Date<br>12/15/2020 | Premium<br>Billing Date<br>8/15/2021 |
|-------------------------------------|---------------------------|---|-------------------------------------|---|--------------------------------------|
| TP                                  | Type                      | Practice                                    |                                     |   |                                      |
| T/P 02                              | Avrb Ratings 1-4 114 *7   | Fall Pltd Seed-To-Seed (Irr) 202 *6 *11     |                                     |   |                                      |
| T/P 03                              | Avrb Ratings 1-4 114 *7   | Established Stand (Irr) 102 *6 *11          |                                     |   |                                      |
| T/P 05                              | Avrb Ratings 5-9 159 *7   | Fall Pltd Seed-To-Seed (Irr) 202 *6 *11     |                                     |   |                                      |
| T/P 06                              | Avrb Ratings 5-9 159 *7   | Established Stand (Irr) 102 *6 *11          |                                     |   |                                      |
| T/P 08                              | Avrb Ratings 1-4 114 *7   | Fall Pltd Seed-To-Seed (Irr)(OC) 961 *6 *11 |                                     |   |                                      |
| T/P 09                              | Avrb Ratings 1-4 114 *7   | Established Stand (Irr)(OC) 959 *6 *11      |                                     |   |                                      |
| T/P 11                              | Avrb Ratings 5-9 159 *7   | Fall Pltd Seed-To-Seed (Irr)(OC) 961 *6 *11 |                                     |   |                                      |
| T/P 12                              | Avrb Ratings 5-9 159 *7   | Established Stand (Irr)(OC) 959 *6 *11      |                                     |   |                                      |
| T/P 14                              | Avrb Ratings 1-4 114 *7   | Fall Pltd Seed-To-Seed (Irr)(OT) 962 *6 *11 |                                     |   |                                      |
| T/P 15                              | Avrb Ratings 1-4 114 *7   | Established Stand (Irr)(OT) 960 *6 *11      |                                     |   |                                      |
| T/P 17                              | Avrb Ratings 5-9 159 *7   | Fall Pltd Seed-To-Seed (Irr)(OT) 962 *6 *11 |                                     |   |                                      |
| T/P 18                              | Avrb Ratings 5-9 159 *7   | Established Stand (Irr)(OT) 960 *6 *11      |                                     |   |                                      |

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| TP                                  | Type                      | Practice                                  |                                     |  |                                      |
| T/P 01                              | Avrb Ratings 1-4 114 *7   | Spring Pltd Seed-To-Seed (Irr) 302 *6     |                                     |  |                                      |
| T/P 04                              | Avrb Ratings 5-9 159 *7   | Spring Pltd Seed-To-Seed (Irr) 302 *6     |                                     |  |                                      |
| T/P 07                              | Avrb Ratings 1-4 114 *7   | Spring Pltd Seed-To-Seed (Irr)(OC) 963 *6 |                                     |  |                                      |

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| T/P 10 | Avrb Ratings 5-9 159 *7 | Spring Pltd Seed-To-Seed (Irr)(OC) 963 *6 |
| T/P 13 | Avrb Ratings 1-4 114 *7 | Spring Pltd Seed-To-Seed (Irr)(OT) 964 *6 |
| T/P 16 | Avrb Ratings 5-9 159 *7 | Spring Pltd Seed-To-Seed (Irr)(OT) 964 *6 |

#### Statement

##### General

AVRB represents the Alfalfa Variety Review Board or its successor entities responsible for determining fall dormancy ratings of Alfalfa cultivars. DRA is defined as the Dormancy Rating Group A (ratings 1-4) and when applicable, DRD is defined as Dormancy Rating Group D (ratings 5-9).

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

##### Practice

**ADEQUATE STAND/MINIMUM PLANTS REQUIRED:** For Established Stands of Alfalfa Seed greater than or equal to 1.00 living plants per square foot (43,560 plants per acre); for Fall or Spring Planted Seed-to-Seed Stands greater than or equal to 1.5 living plants per square foot (65,340 plants per acre). Insurance attaches to acreage with adequate stands of live plants the later of the date specified in the crop provisions, or the date we accept your application.

In accordance with Section 7 (c) (5) of the Crop Provisions, the final clipback to encourage uniform seed production is considered a good farming practice if the Approved Insurance Provider (AIP) determines the insured timely and properly clipped the crop. The clipping can be a forage harvest, chopping, chemical clipping, or grazing by sheep. The "clipback" by-product can be used for other purposes and does not affect the insurability of the alfalfa seed crop. Additional cuttings prior to the final clipback considered necessary as a good farming practice, as determined by the AIP, will also not affect the insurability of the alfalfa seed crop.

##### Date

In accordance with section 6 of the Crop Provisions, you must submit to us a copy of the accepted certification application for your certified seed acreage by: (1) March 15 for established and fall planted seed-to-seed; or (2) May 1 for Spring Planted Seed-to-seed.

- \*6 In accordance with section 6 of the Crop Provisions, you must submit to us, on or before March 15 a copy of your forage seed contract for your contracted forage seed acreage.

##### Price

- \*7 The Base (contracted) Price will not include added value attributable to hauling expenses beyond the local marketing area or post production operations such as processing (cleaning/drying), sorting, packaging, etc.

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If a contract price is available as shown in the actuarial documents, you may elect to have your price election determined in accordance with the Contract Price Addendum (CPA). If the crop provisions or special provisions provide a method to determine a contract price your price election will be determined in accordance with the crop provisions or special provisions and the CPA does not apply.

#### 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>.

AGE LIMITATION: In accordance with Section 7 of the Forage Seed crop provisions, insurability of alfalfa seed acreage will not continue beyond the earlier of the originator's stipulated maximum age of stand for the applicable variety or the fifth crop year after the crop year of initial seeding.

- \*11 In accordance with section 8(a) of the Crop Provisions, insurance will attach on Fall Planted Seed to Seed and Established Stand acreage with an adequate stand on the later of the date we accept your application or the calendar date of November 1 except for the crop year you initially apply for insurance coverage or for the year following a break in continuity of coverage, coverage begins the later of the 10th day after your properly completed application is received in our local office prior to November 1 or November 1 unless our inspection determines the acreage does not have an adequate stand.

In accordance with Section 8 of the Basic Provisions and in addition to Section 7 (a) (2) (ii) of the Crop Provisions, seed grown as Non-certified Variety Not Stated (VNS) that is under a forage seed contract is not insurable.