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# RISK MANAGEMENT UPDATES FEBRUARY 2020

### 2020 Updates/Reminders:

- 2018 Farm Bill requiring R&D on Whole Farm Revenue Policies (WFRP) to improve effectiveness Hemp now available! Involves taxes, inventories, projections to get quote.
- Increases CAT policy fee from \$300 to \$655
- WHIP+ sign-up (no deadline as of today)2018 and 2019
  - 1st qualification Disaster county
  - 2019 moisture dryland that had two or more inches of standing water for two or more consecutive days.
  - With sign up potential payment if deemed
- Beginning Farmer/Rancher (BFR)
  - <5 years total farming history. Spouse or other SBI included in this "test"</li>
  - 10% higher subsidy on premium
  - No \$30/crop "Admin fee"
  - 80% Yield adjustment vs 60% (standard)
- Veteran Farmer/Rancher (VFR)
  - <5 years total farming history. Spouse does not have to qualify</li>
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### 2020 Prevented Planting Changes

- •PP 5% additional coverage requested considered approved unless written notice of denial is received within 30 days of request.
- PP payment will be reduced if a cover crop is hayed, grazed, cut for silage, haylage, or baleage prior to Nov. 1
- Cutting a cover crop for silage, haylage or baleage after Nov. 1 is now allowed.
  - Renting of cover crop acreage is not allowed without reduction of PP payment.
  - No reduction if insured maintains control of the acreage until after Nov. 1 of current crop year
- •Top up payments additional PP payment came out this fall required to purchase Federal crop insurance for the next two crop years.
- •No PP coverage on a field when changes hands if a claim is still open.
- No 2020 PP coverage on field if 2019 crop was not harvested.
- •Enterprise unit qualification elect BU or OU by Acreage reporting time.
  - On planted acres only, PP could change your qualifications.



## 2020 Sugar Beet Changes

- The definition of "processor contract" changed to "production agreement," and must be submitted at acreage reporting date
- ➤ The maximum early harvest adjustment will now use the higher of the producer's approved actual production history yield or the actual yield of the sugar beets harvested after full maturity from the unit
- Added procedures allowing third parties to test raw sugar content in addition to the processor
- Added salvage value procedures for damaged production.



### Calculations of tons to pounds

The 2020 CIH has amended these calculation now utilizes without rounding beforehand, all original weights and percentages in the determination of pounds of raw sugar equivalents. Only the final value is rounded to whole pounds

35.249 net paid tons x 2000 x 0.170499 = 12,020 pounds of raw sugar equivalents



### 2020 Sugar Beet Early Harvest

Conditions qualifying for early harvest production adjustments (e.g. 1 % per each day prior to full maturity date) revised to include only situations where:

- Early harvest is required in the Production agreement, or
- The processor requests delivery of beets before full maturity
- New policy still retains minimum acreage requirement contained in the SP for PTC adjustments to be authorized

When early harvest is performed but the processor did not request or require EH in the Processor agreement and:

- The processor accepts delivery, then NO production adjustment is made, or
- The processor does not accept delivery, then the PTC will be the guarantee for acreage harvested and delivered early

#### Keep in mind, this EH adjustment will not be used if:

- If the processor did not request EH or require in their production agreement, or
- It is determined that the crop acreage was damaged by an insurable peril and leaving the crop in the field would have resulted in a further reduction in production



### Example: Early Harvest Factor No Cap

Unit	Acres	Approved APH Yield
1	100	11,886
2	220	11,886

Example: Early harvested yield is less than the insured's approved APH yield or the actual yield of the production harvested after full maturity from the unit.

7,003 < 11,886 approved APH yield 7,003 < 11,895 actual yield No Cap = 7,003

Acres	Total Tons	to lbs	Total lbs	Avg Sugar %	Pounds of Raw Sugar	Yield per Acre
EH 20	574	* 2000	= 1,148,000	* 12.2%	= 140,056	7,003
H 80	2,600	* 2000	= 5,200,000	* 18.3%	= 951,600	11,895



# Example: Early Harvest Factor With Cap

Unit	Acres	Approved APH Yield
1	100	11,886
2	220	11,886

Example: Early Harvest yielded greater than the insured's approved APH yield and the actual yield of the production harvested after full maturity from the unit.

13,420 > 11,886 Approved APH Yield 13,420 > 11,895 Actual Yield

# Early Harvest yield is capped by actual yield at 11,895

Acres	Total Tons	to lbs	Total lbs	Avg Sugar %	Pounds of Raw Sugar	Yield per Acre
EH 20	1,100	* 2000	= 2,200,000	* 12.2%	= 268,400	13,420
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Unit	Acres	Approved APH Yield
1	100	12,067
2	220	12,067

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### Unit Structure for 2020

- OU Optional Unit providing section by section and allows for spot loss coverage
- O Unit 1 − 80 acres 160 bu gty X \$4.00 = \$640 X 80 = \$51,200
- O Unit 2 − 80 acres 160 bu gty X \$4.00 = \$640 X 80 = \$51,200
- Unit 1 has 220 harvested yield @ \$4.00 harvest price = \$70,400
- Unit 2 has 145 harvested yield @ \$4.00 harvest price = \$46,400
- Unit 2 has indemnity of \$4,800
- EU all units added together for the crop in the county to have 1 guarantee
- 160 acres with a revenue guarantee of \$102,400
- 160 acres harvested revenue of \$116,800



## Multi-County Enterprise Unit (MCEU)

- Allows a producer to establish an enterprise unit by combining enterprise units from 1 county and all basic or optional units in an adjoining county. 2019 availability includes (when in actuarial documents): Small Grains, Coarse Grains, Cotton, Canola
- One county must individually qualify for EU (primary) and the other county must <u>NOT</u> qualify for EU (secondary)
- Counties must be contiguous. RMA makes final determination.
- Electing MCEU does not automatically make the county eligible, it must still meet criteria for forming a MCEU at Acreage reporting.



### SUPPLEMENTAL CROP INSURANCE OPTIONS



Product Info	NAU BPM:	NAU: BPM+	RCIS: APO/ARPO	RCIS: RPP	CRS: REV BOOST	GAIC: GAP
Level	70% - 85%	80% - 85%	70% - 85% 1% increments	max elections 70% 36% 75% 27% 80% 19% 85% 12%	•80% MPCI up to 90% Rev Boost •85% up to 90 or 95% Boost •75-85 •70-80 •Pick your price option	Yield or revenue + options of 80% - 90% 80% - 95% 85% - 95%
Unit Type	EU / OU Options OU override w/EU	Follows MPCI only	EU / OU Options	EU / OU Options	EU Option only	EU Option only
Exclusions	Need 4 yrs. of history     No PP, High risk, CAT		NO High risk or organic     FAC on soybean when no FAC practice in the county	NO High risk or organic     FAC on soybean when no FAC practice in the county	NO high risk land or Written agreements	
Requirement	NO payment unless their underlying policy	re is a yield loss on	APO requires bushel loss for payout     ARPO requires underlying loss on Revenue policy for payout	Payable loss when Rev. to count & MPCI indemnity pymts is less than Combined RPP & fed crop ins. Revenue guarantee for RPP unit • Does not require a revenue loss on MPCI	NO Fall Price option (RPHPE)     APH is determined using TA and YA if applicable	Spring price only     GAP can trigger claim even when MPCI does not
Crops	CORN for grain SUGAR BEETS & SOYBEANS	CORN for grain & SOYBEANS	CORN for grain SUGAR BEETS & SOYBEANS	CORN for grain SUGAR BEETS & SOYBEANS	CORN for grain & SOYBEANS	CORN for grain & SOYBEANS
Information				No cap on downward price movement	Claims calculated on a line per line basis Downside on harvest price 50 max corn downward movement 1.00 max soybean downward movement	Upward price doesn't decrease yield trigger     No cap on downward price movement
Average Cost (Rwd Co)	85% Corn \$3.00 Sbean \$3.50	85% Corn \$6.50 Sbean \$7.50	ARPO 85% Corn \$10.00 Sbean \$7.50 APO 85% Corn \$3.60 Sbean \$4.40	85% Corn \$18.00 Sbean \$11.00	85-90% Corn \$5.70 Sbean \$3.01 80-90% Corn \$11.17 Sbean \$6.32 85-95% Corn \$17.83 Sbean \$10.09	85-95% Corn \$18.28 Sbean \$14.84 80-90% Corn \$16.60 Sbean \$13.54 80-95% Corn \$26.70 Sbean \$20.52

Must purchase underlying YP, RP or RPHPE MPCI buy-up policy.

AgQuest Insurance is an equal opportunity provider.



### 2020 Supplemental Products

- Increased price products (Yield protection)
  - Base Price Modifier (BPM by NAU) \$.70 to \$.75 corn and \$1.50 soybeans
  - APO RCIS

Increase Price on MPCI Bushel Guaranty:

170 bu gty x \$4 Feb pricing = \$680

BPM Liability:

$$.70 \times 170 = $119$$

Loss example:

160 bu harvested = 10 bu short x . 70 = \$7



### 2020 Supplemental Products

#### Increased Coverage Level products +5% or +10%

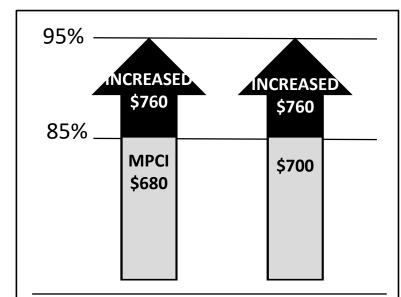
- RAMP Farmers Mutual
- ICE Pro Ag
- GAP Great American
- ARMTECH Band
- Revenue Boost– Crop Risk Services
- ARCH Diversified
- RCIS RPP

200 bu. APH

95%

190 bu. x \$4 = \$760

#### **INCREASING Revenue to 95% with a Price Decline**



APH: 200 bu/acre	MPCI Coverage: 85%
Spring Price: \$4/bu	Increased Coverage: 85-95%
Fall Price: \$3.50/bu	Increased Cov. per acre: \$80

**INCREASED GUAR: \$760** (200 BU. X 95% X \$4.00)

**HARVEST REVENUE: \$700** (200 BU. X \$3.50)

MPCI PAYMENTS: \$0 (\$700 > \$680 MPCI Guarantee)

INCREASED PYMT: \$690 (200 BU. X 95%X\$4.00)

Partial payments: harvest revenue fell below the Increased Guarantee but above the MPCI Guarantee



# Redwood County

<u>Boost</u>								
Coverage	Level	95%	91%					
	Coverage/a	\$	82.00	\$	49.00			
Corn	EU	\$	20.00	\$	10.35			
Protectio	n Factor Coverage/a	\$	95% 55.50	\$	92% 39.00			

<u>Band</u>								
Protection	n Factor		100%		65%			
	Coverage/a	\$	82.00	\$	53.30			
Corn	EU HPE	\$	13.15	\$	8.54			
	EU	\$	21.29	\$	13.84			
	OU	\$	27.50	\$	17.87			
	OU HPE	\$	19.44	\$	12.64			
Protection	n Factor		100%		65%			
	Coverage/a	\$	55.50	\$	36.06			
Soybeans	EU HPE	\$	17.87	\$	11.61			
	EU	\$	20.99	\$	13.64			
	OU	\$	27.01	\$	17.55			
	OU HPE	\$	23.42	\$	15.22			

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	Protection	n Factor		100%	65%
		Coverage/a	\$	82.00	\$ 53.30
	Corn				
		EU	\$	25.08	\$ 16.30
,	Protection	n Factor		100%	65%
		Coverage/a	\$	55.50	\$ 36.07
	Soybeans				
		EU	\$	19.65	\$ 12.77

RPP							
	% of price		12%		8%		
	Coverage/a	\$	83.66	\$	55.78		
Corn	EU	\$	18.10	\$	10.66		
	EU HPO	\$	27.14	\$	16.00		
	OU HPO	\$	32.30	\$	19.04		
	OU	\$	21.54	\$	12.69		
	% of price		12%		8%		
	Coverage/a	\$	56.61	\$	37.74		
Soybeans	EU	\$	13.86	\$	8.36		
	EU HPO	\$	19.41	\$	11.71		
	OU HPO	\$	23.09	\$	13.93		
	OU	\$	16.50	\$	9.95		

Rate/100	RR	RR FP					
RAMP	\$	33.60	\$	36.00			
Coverage	\$	50.00	1				
ου	\$	16.80	\$	18.00			

Rate/100	Rate/100 RR RR FP			
	\$	33.60	\$	36.00
Coverage	\$	40.00		
OU	\$	13.44	\$	14.40

# Renville County

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	Coverage/a	\$	82.00	\$	49.00			
Corn	EU	\$	19.95	\$	10.35			
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<u>Band</u>							
Protection		100%		65%			
	Coverage/a	\$	82.00	\$	53.30		
Corn	EU HPE	\$	14.81	\$	9.63		
	EU	\$	22.71	\$	14.76		
	OU	\$	30.01	\$	19.51		
	OU HPE	\$	22.25	\$	14.46		
Protection	n Factor		100%		65%		
	Coverage/a	\$	55.50	\$	36.06		
Soybeans	EU HPE	\$	16.32	\$	10.61		
	EU	\$	19.55	\$	12.70		
	OU	\$	24.99	\$	16.24		
	OU HPE	\$	21.36	\$	13.88		

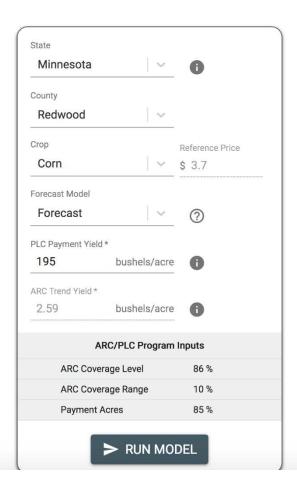
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Corn	EU	\$	20.57	\$	12.27			
	EU HPO	\$	30.86	\$	18.40			
	OU HPO	\$	36.72	\$	21.90			
	OU	\$	24.48	\$	14.60			
	% of price		12%		8%			
	Coverage/a	\$	56.61	\$	37.74			
Soybeans	EU	\$	20.74	\$	12.37			
	EU HPO	\$	29.03	\$	17.32			
	OU HPO	\$	34.55	\$	20.61			
	OU	\$	24.68	\$	14.72			

Rate/100	RR	RR FP				
RAMP	\$	33.60	\$	36.00		
Coverage	\$	50.00				
ου	\$	16.80	\$	18.00		

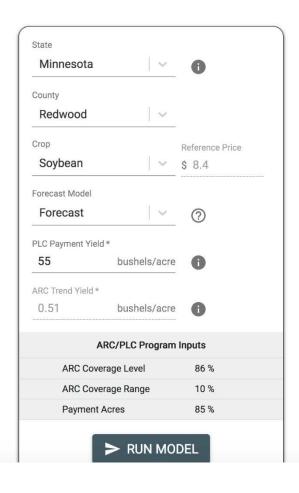
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Coverage	\$	40.00				
OU	\$	13.44	\$	14.40		

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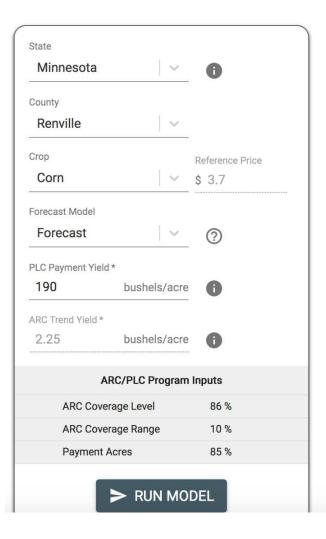


# ARC vs PLC Soybean





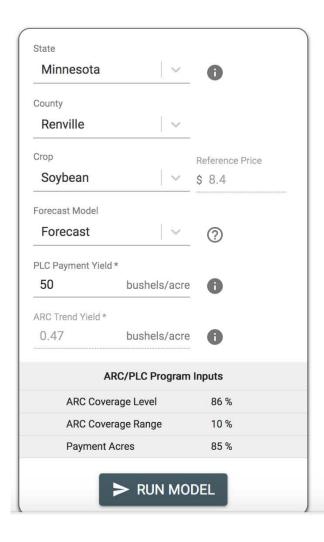
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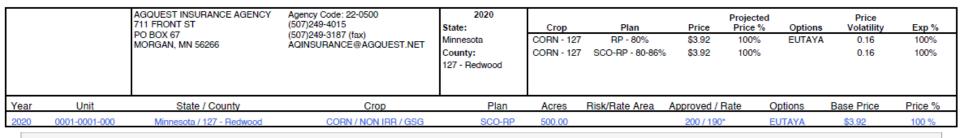


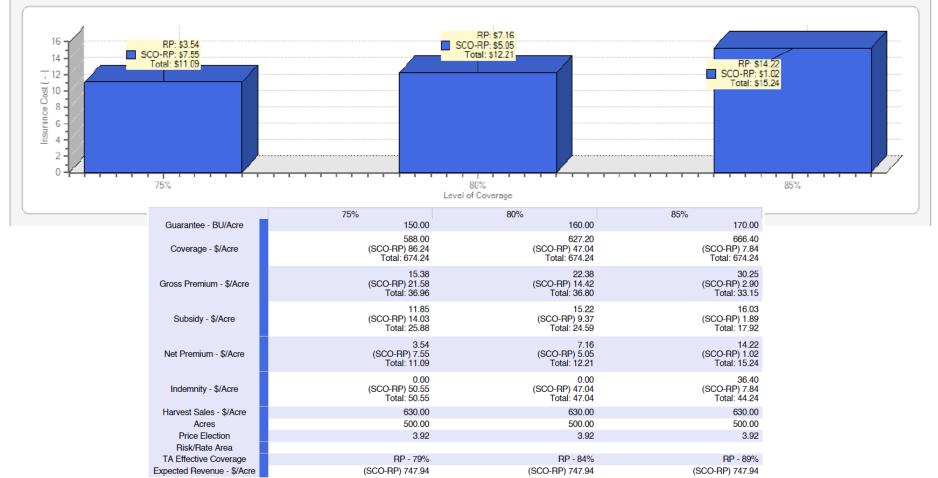
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#### Policy Number:









### Redwood Payout

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Year	Expected Price	Expected Yield	Final Price	Final Yield	Trigger Yield	85% 86%-85%	80% 86%-80%	75% 86%-75%
2018	\$3.96	186.9	\$3.68	159.5	173.6	\$6.79	\$41.79	\$44.71
2017	\$3.96	185	\$3.49	209.9	179.8	-	-	-
2016	\$3.86	183	\$3.49	206.6	174.7	-	-	-
2015	\$4.15	181.1	\$3.83	202.9	168.2	-	-	-
2014	\$4.62	179.1	\$3.49	163.9	203.3	\$7.44	\$45.78	\$85.81
2013	\$5.65	177.2	\$4.39	165.4	196.6	\$9.05	\$55.69	\$104.35
2012	\$5.68	175.2	\$7.50	166.3	150.7	-	-	-
2011	\$6.01	173.3	\$6.32	155.5	149.0	-	-	-
2010	\$3.99	171.3	\$5.46	186.3	147.3	-	-	-
2009	\$4.04	169.4	\$3.90	192.1	151.5	-	-	-
2008	\$5.40	167.4	\$4.13	175.5	188.6	\$7.42	\$44.14	\$41.41
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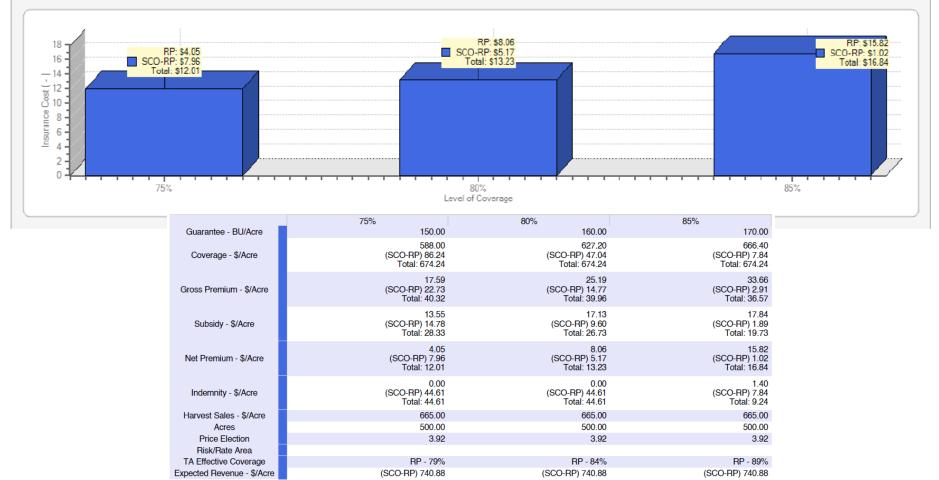
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2015	\$4.15	179.2	\$3.83	199.7	166.4	-	-	-
2014	\$4.62	177.2	\$3.49	149.1	201.2	\$7.44	\$45.65	\$85.37
2013	\$5.65	175.2	\$4.39	167.2	194.4	\$9.00	\$55.23	\$103.28
2012	\$5.68	173.3	\$7.50	178	149.0	-	-	-
2011	\$6.01	171.3	\$6.32	149.4	147.3	-	-	-
2010	\$3.99	169.3	\$5.46	192.7	145.6	-	-	-
2009	\$4.04	167.4	\$3.90	188.6	149.7	-	-	-
2008	\$5.40	165.4	\$4.13	166.3	186.3	\$7.52	\$46.15	\$69.88



### DAIRY

#### **Buffet of options available:**

#### 1) Dairy Margin Coverage (DMC):

- Enhanced version of the former MPP; via the 2018 Farm Bill.
- Much more user friendly and supportive.
- More friendly user limits. First 5,000,000 lbs. (tier I) open to all producers.
- Better margin levels available for tier I (\$9.50 vs \$8.00).
- Better bundled premium subsidies.
- Complimentary to DRP, LGM or forward contracting with creamery.

#### 2) Dairy Revenue Protection (DRP): 2020 Changes

- 70 and 75 percent coverage levels removed
- Extended cutoff time for RMA to publish daily offers from 4:00 to 4:30
- Component pricing option required information range changes
  - Minimum declared butterfat range:
  - $\circ$  3.25 5.00 lbs, from 3.50 5.00
  - Minimum declared protein range:
  - $\circ$  2.75 4.00 from 3.0 4.00

#### 3) Livestock Gross Margin (LGM-Dairy):

- Oldest option of all choices.
- Milk Futures minus corn/soybean meal to establish coverage level



## Field Insights™



## Field level data at your fingertips, gives you the "power of knowledge" when it comes to farming operations!

Field Insights is a suite of tools designed for farmers that will assist in understanding crop health conditions. These tools will help reduce loss risk and allow you to be more productive in the field.

- Current, future, and historical weather data.
- Radar, including 2 hrs. and 24 hrs.
- Wind speeds.
- Precipitation, including the last 24 hrs. and next 24 hrs.
- Canopy wetness.
- Spray Window Advisor.
- Planting conditions.
- Growth models and growing degree days.
- Harvest Advisor.
- Acreage Flow.





# Field Insights™ Weather Data

Knowledge of current, future, and past weather data in relation to your fields.



#### Wind Speeds

Knowing wind speeds at the field level, gives you precise details needed for certain field activities.



#### **Spray Advisor**

The Spray Window Advisor gives you the ability to set and exclude the following criteria to determine the best spray period



### Precipitation – Last 2 hours & past 24 hours

Precipitation can be viewed for the last 24 hours as well as the past 2 hrs.



#### **Target Moisture**

Example: Corn has an optimum harvest moisture of approx. 23% to 25%. Delaying harvest until corn dries down to 17% to 19%, subject to greater risks of harvest losses.



#### Radar – Previous and next 24 hours

See what has happened in the past 24 hours, as well as what the forecast is for the next 24 hours.



#### **Harvest Advisor**

Field Insights Harvest Advisor looks at the optimum harvest moisture for supported crops along with the user's target moisture.





## Field Insights™



#### **ENROLLMENT:**

- 1) Available to insureds of NAU
- 2) Contact Kathy <u>kmainer@agquest.net</u> with your email to get you set up.



### NAU offering New Grain Services

#### **Introducing Grain Market Commentary and Analysis**

Join NAU Country's VP of Farm Services and Grain Marketing expert, Richard Morrison, on his daily industry updates. Rich provides an insightful analysis on market fluctuations, pricing trends, and so much more.

#### Join him for the following opportunities:

- NAU Country's Opening Bell Start your day off right with a one to two minute recorded call on the daily grain updates.
- NAU Country's Market Report Receive a daily email highlighting Futures pricing and Futures contract pricing. In addition, Rich provides a simplistic way to look at the market and how outside factors can take their toll.

This is just the beginning of what Rich has to offer! Talk to your NAU Country Marketing Representative to get signed up for these services today!







### HAIL - PRODUCTION PLAN - 2019

### **NAU Production Hail – MN**

0% or 5% qualifier

The higher the qualifier, the lower the premium



#### Regular Production OR Personal Plan coverage

#### Wind Endorsement

- 0% or 5 % deductible options on wind for MN
- Wind, Green Snap and Extra Harvest Allowance
- Coverage extended to Nov. 1<sup>st</sup>



### STANDARD HAIL OPTIONS

- \*\*BASIC 0% deductible, no multipliers
- DXS5 5% deductible disappearing @ 25%
- DXS10 10% ded. disappearing @ 50%
- DDA 10% ded. disappearing @ 25%
- DDB 20% ded. disappearing @ 40%
- DDC 30% ded. disappearing @ 55%
- XS10IP Excess over 10% loss increasing payment
- XS20IP Excess over 20% loss increasing payment
- XS15IP Excess over 15% loss increasing payment
- XS5 Excess over 5% loss increasing payment
- Comp2 & Comp3 Excess of 5% x increasing payment factor.
- \*\*Comp+2 & Comp+3 pays "better of" BASIC & COMP plans



### Important Annual reminders:

- Initial plant date: (wheat Mar 21); (corn/sugar beets April 11); (soybeans - April 21)
- Final Plant date: (wheat May 15); (corn May 31); (soybeans – June 10)
- Late planting: 25 days after FINAL. 1%/day reduction in coverage
- Replanting MUST notify agent beforehand. Self-cert. <50 acres.</p>
- Acreage Reporting deadline: July 15<sup>th</sup>. Same as FSA certification deadline. Be thorough and don't assume. Use map books.
- Conservation Compliance AD-1026. Always keep FSA up-to-date on any activities (clearing trees, fence lines), drainage, etc.
- RECORDS, RECORDS. Data mining is not going away.
   "Soft" records are vital.
- Premium: MUST be "postmarked" by 9/30, not just dropped in mailbox. There is a difference in smaller towns.









When is the last time
you serviced your
Insurance Contract?

### **GRAIN MARKETING**

### Options reduce risk, keep upside open during spring/summer seasonality

Guaranteed Minimum Price contracts

#### **Brokerage Accounts**

Puts, calls, futures hedges on grain not in elevator

#### **Over-the-Counter (OTC) Contracts**

We're experts on these offerings, please contact us 1 on 1 if interested

#### Pay attention to spreads

When markets are attractive to sell into, spreads are usually not at their best

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### THANK YOU FOR ATTENDING!



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Sheri Bakker CIS



Kathy Mainer CIS



Mike Kurtz
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Ryan Beyer BRM/CIS



**David Link** BRM



**David Luepke** *BRM* 



**Tim Lewis**Property & Casualty





