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# 2014 KEY CROP INSURANCE DATES

*"This institution is an equal opportunity provider."*

**Enrollment and policy change date (sales closing date)**—last day to apply for coverage or make changes to an existing policy; the sign up deadline.

**Early planting date**—acreage planted before this date is not eligible for replanting payments.

**Final planting date**—last day to plant with full coverage. Late planting may be insurable at reduced coverage for some crops. (If two dates, then date varies by county.)

**Acreage reporting date**—last day to report the acreage planted. If not reported, insurance may not be in effect.

**Date to file notice of crop damage**—within 72 hours of initial discovery of damage, upon harvest completion (but not later than 15 days after the end of the insurance period for each insurance unit). There may be additional requirements by crop. An adjuster must have the opportunity to inspect the crop before it is harvested, destroyed or put to another use.

**Payment due date**—last day to pay the premium without being charged interest.

**Cancellation date**—last day to request cancellation of policy for the next year (same date as sales closing date).

**Production reporting date**—last day to report production for Actual Production History (APH).

**Debt termination date**—date insurance company will terminate policy for nonpayment.

**Billing date**—date crop insurance premiums are due. Crop insurance premiums may be deferred until 30 days after the billing date without interest charges.

**End of insurance period**—the date when your crop insurance coverage ends for the crop year. Any notices of crop damage must be filed within 15 days of the end of the insurance period.

2014	Type of insurance	Enrollment and policy change	Earliest planting	Final planting	Acreage reporting	Billing date	End of insurance period
AGR	whole farm revenue	1/31	--	--	2nd year policies - 1/31 farm & inventory reports due	8/15	--
AGR-Lite	whole farm revenue	3/17 (first time) 1/31 (renewals)	--	--	2nd year policies - 1/31 farm & inventory reports due	8/15	--
Apples	Yield	11/20	--	--	1/15	8/15	11/5
Barley (spring)	Yield, Revenue	3/17	--	5/10	7/15	8/15	10/31
Corn	Yield, Revenue	3/17	4/11	6/10	7/15	8/15	10/20 (silage) 12/10 (grain)
Dairy	LGM	monthly	--	--	At time of application		
Forage (spring seeded)	Dollar	3/17 7/31 (cancellation)	--	5/10	5/15	7/1	5/21
Forage (fall seeded)	Dollar	7/31	--	8/31	11/17	7/1	10/15
Nursery (field grown and container)	Dollar	5/1	--	--	Can enroll anytime, with a 30 day waiting period	3/3	5/31
Peaches	Yield	11/20	--	--	1/15	8/15	9/30
Soybeans	Yield, Revenue	3/17	4/30	6/10	7/15	8/15	12/10
Sweet Corn (fresh-market)	Dollar	3/17	--	6/10 – 6/30	7/15	8/15	9/15 or 9/30
Wheat (spring)	Yield, Revenue	3/17	--	5/31	7/15	8/15	10/31