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New Participant Form 2012 AgriStability

Name and business structure			
<input type="checkbox"/> Individual	First name / Last name		
<input type="checkbox"/> Corporation	Corporation name	Name a corporate representative	
Correspondence language			
<input type="checkbox"/> English	<input type="checkbox"/> French		
Farming history			
Did you start farming within the last six years?		When did you first file a Statement of Farming Activities to Canada Revenue Agency?	
<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No		
Identification numbers			
AgriStability / AgriInvest PIN (if applicable)		Production Insurance Customer Number (if applicable)	
Social Insurance Number (individuals)		Business number (corporations)	
Mailing address			
Emergency number / Street / RR / PO Box		City / Town	Province
		Postal Code	
Business telephone number	Fax number	Email address	
Location of main farmstead			
Municipality (County, Region, District)	Township	Lot	Concession
		Province	
Third party contacts (optional)			
Agricorp recognizes the participant as the primary contact for AgriStability. If you want Agricorp to share your information with an agent or a third party acting on your behalf you must designate the person, persons and/or the firm as authorized contacts by completing this form. Although Agricorp will accept inquiries from all such authorized contacts, all correspondence will continue to be directed to the participant. You must advise Agricorp if you change your agent or third party contact.			
The participant authorizes the following person, persons and/or firm to contact Agricorp regarding AgriStability information on the participant's behalf and hereby authorizes Agricorp to disclose and discuss the participant's AgriStability information with these authorized contacts, including personal and confidential information in the AgriStability file.			
Agency contact (e.g., accounting firm)			
Name of agency		Telephone number	Fax number
Address		Email address	
Other contact (e.g., spouse or family member)			
Name of contact		Telephone number	Fax number
Address		Email address	

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Shareholder information (Corporations only)

Provide details about ALL shareholders in your corporation

Shareholder name	Ontario Resident?		% of common shares owned	% of voting shares held	Social Insurance Number	AgriStability PIN (if applicable)	Production Insurance Number (if applicable)	Involved in other farm activities?	
	Yes	No						Yes	No

Information about related agricultural businesses (All participants)

Provide details about ANY other agricultural businesses in which you or your shareholders are involved.

Individual or business name	Business structure (check one)		Business Number (if a corporation)	Social Insurance Number (if an individual)	AgriStability PIN (if applicable)	Production Insurance Number (if applicable)
	Individual	Corporation				

Partnership information (Partnerships only)

Provide details about ALL members of your partnership.

Partner name	Partnership Percentage	Business Number (if a corporation)	Social Insurance Number (if an individual)	AgriStability PIN (if applicable)	Production Insurance Number (if applicable)

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Participant declaration

Accuracy of information

In submitting these forms, the participant has included details on all farming activities in which the participant is involved (e.g., proprietorships, partnerships, corporations). The participant declares that the information provided is complete and correct and may be confirmed with Canada Revenue Agency (CRA). The participant agrees to notify Agricorp in writing about any changes to the information provided to CRA.

All farming activities disclosed

All other farming activities (e.g., proprietorships, partnerships, and corporations) in which the participant is involved have been disclosed in these forms. The participant understands that separate AgriStability information may be required for all activities in which all individuals, partners and shareholders are involved in order for the file to be considered for AgriStability benefits.

Changes to business structure

The participant has not purposely altered the farm's ownership, business structure, size of operation, farming practices, type of farming activity, accounting methods or any other activity or practice, in order to be eligible for, or to increase an AgriStability benefit.

Province of main farmstead

The participant's main farmstead is in Ontario. Any farming activities conducted by the participant outside of Ontario have been disclosed in these forms.

Eligibility

The participant is actively involved in carrying out the physical work needed to produce and market agricultural commodities, and/or is actively participating in a wide variety of day to day management decisions required for the ongoing operation of the farm enterprise.

The participant has or will be reporting farming income to CRA for the program year. The eligible participant has conducted a minimum of six consecutive months of farming activity and completed a production cycle in the program year.

Other farming relationships

The participant has provided information on any non-arm's length farming relationship in which he/she is involved including those involving business transactions that fall below or exceed what would be considered fair market value or barter.

Following guidelines

The participant has followed AgriStability guidelines when completing these forms and has provided accurate information.

Access to farm and farm records

To verify the accuracy of these forms, the participant will allow Agricorp and its representatives access to the farm and to the farm financial and production records for the purpose of program audit.

Repaying outstanding benefits

The participant is liable for and will repay to Agricorp any AgriStability benefits not conforming to AgriStability guidelines. The participant understands that any such outstanding payments may be offset from federal-provincial income tax and other provincial and federal programs.

Administrative Cost Share

Please note that all AgriStability participants are charged an Administrative Cost Share (ACS) to cover part of the program's administrative costs. The ACS is \$55 per program year.

Access to program information

The participant consents to permit Agricorp access to CRA, NISA, Ontario Farm Income Disaster Program (OFIDP), Canadian Agricultural Income Stabilization Program (CAIS), Production Insurance (PI), Risk Management Program (RMP), Market Revenue program information and information from other federal/provincial programs related to this file. This information may be used specifically to verify the information provided in these AgriStability forms or during audit.

The participant permits Agricorp access to, and the use of, NISA and/or previous Ontario Whole Farm Relief Program (OWFRP), CAIS, PI and OFIDP information to determine the participant's reference margin and program year margin. Other NISA information may be used specifically to verify the information provided in these AgriStability forms or during audit.

Information held by third parties

The participant understands that he/she may be required to provide Agricorp access to information held directly by third parties including, but not limited to, insurance companies, banks, trust companies, other financial institutions and marketing boards. This information may be used for verification or audit purposes.

Outside service providers

From time to time it may be necessary for Agricorp to use an outside service provider to print and mail information for the purpose of AgriStability, which will require the outside service provider to have access to participants' contact information solely for the purpose of printing and mailing AgriStability documents.

Tax records

The participant realizes that further farm income tax records relating to the reference or program years may be required as part of an audit for further verification. AgriStability and income tax records must be consistent in order for the participant to be eligible for AgriStability.

Collection and use of information

Information on the AgriStability forms and in supporting documents is collected by Agricorp to administer AgriStability under the Federal/Provincial Agreement with respect to Net Income Stabilization Accounts, as amended, and pursuant to the Farm Income Protection Act, 1991 (Canada). Information collected, excluding Social Insurance Numbers (SIN), may be used and disclosed for the purpose of administering, auditing and evaluating participants' files, the AgriStability Program and other programs delivered by Agricorp. This includes sharing this information with the Ontario Ministry of Agriculture, Food and Rural Affairs and/or Agriculture and Agri-Food Canada for administration of the AgriStability Program and other farm income and special assistance programs, for current and future policy and program analysis, development and evaluation, and for auditing and statistical purposes. In addition, social insurance numbers may be disclosed to the CRA for income tax purposes.

Emergency management

In addition to its use in AgriStability, agricultural production and contact information collected on these forms may also be used by provincial, federal or municipal government authorities, for the purposes of emergency management. Emergency management includes planning, activities and programs for preventing emergencies, preparing for emergencies, responding to emergencies, and recovering from emergencies.

Disclosure of information

Take further notice that information supplied on the AgriStability forms may be disclosed by Agricorp where it is obligated to do so under the Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act, by an order of a court or tribunal, or pursuant to a legal proceeding.

Questions

If you have questions about the collection of this information, please contact: AgriStability, Agricorp, 1 Stone Road West, Box 3660, Stn. Central, Guelph ON N1H 8M4
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Name	Signature	Date	<input type="checkbox"/> Power of attorney* <input type="checkbox"/> Executor* <input type="checkbox"/> Corporate representative*
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*Attach documentation confirming your authority

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Inventory Summary													
Description	Unit	2006		2007		2008		2009		2010		2011	
		Open	Close	Open	Close	Open	Close	Open	Close	Open	Close	Open	Close
Purchased inputs and crops in ground: List each item. Provide the opening and closing value of your inventory.													
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Accounts receivable: List each account. Provide the opening and closing value for each account.													
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Accounts payable: List each account. Provide the opening and closing value for each account.													
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Attach your farm tax forms for 2006 to 2011 (where applicable) and send them to Agricornp by April 30, 2012.

- Corporations, trusts, and special individuals must send a Statement A for each year (available at agricornp.com).
- Individuals must send a T1163 or T2042 for each year (available from Canada Revenue Agency).