

## 2020 Planting Deadlines

### Fall-seeded grains and oilseeds

The planting deadline is the last day a crop can be planted to qualify for Production Insurance. Planting deadlines vary by area, depending on the available crop heat units (CHU), soil features, historical claim rate experience, or other specific geographical characteristics. To qualify for Production Insurance you must plant by the deadlines listed in the table below.

2020 Final planting deadlines		
Crop	Area (see map)	Final planting date
Winter wheat and organic winter spelt	A, B and C	November 7, 2019
	B – East of Belleville	October 17, 2019
	D	October 27, 2019
	D – East of Belleville	October 8, 2019
	Nipissing, Timiskaming, Parry Sound, Manitoulin and Muskoka	October 1, 2019
	Algoma, Cochrane, Kenora, Rainy River, Sudbury, Thunder Bay and Haliburton	September 15, 2019
Winter barley	A, B and C	October 21, 2019
	B – East of Belleville	October 1, 2019
	D	October 10, 2019
	D – East of Belleville	September 21, 2019
	Nipissing, Timiskaming, Parry Sound, Manitoulin and Muskoka	September 1, 2019
	Algoma, Cochrane, Kenora, Rainy River, Sudbury, Thunder Bay and Haliburton	September 1, 2019
Winter canola*	A, B and C	September 20, 2019
	D	September 10, 2019

\*Contact Agricorp to confirm eligibility for winterkill coverage in your area. Insurance for winter canola has area restrictions.

### Use good farm management practices when planting

You are expected to use good farm management practices at all times. If you use practices that contribute to a production loss, you may lose some or all of your insurance coverage. For example, you are expected to follow appropriate crop rotations and practices. More specifically, winter wheat planted after a previous wheat crop is not insurable.

The following planting situations may be eligible for Production Insurance coverage, provided good farm management practices are followed:

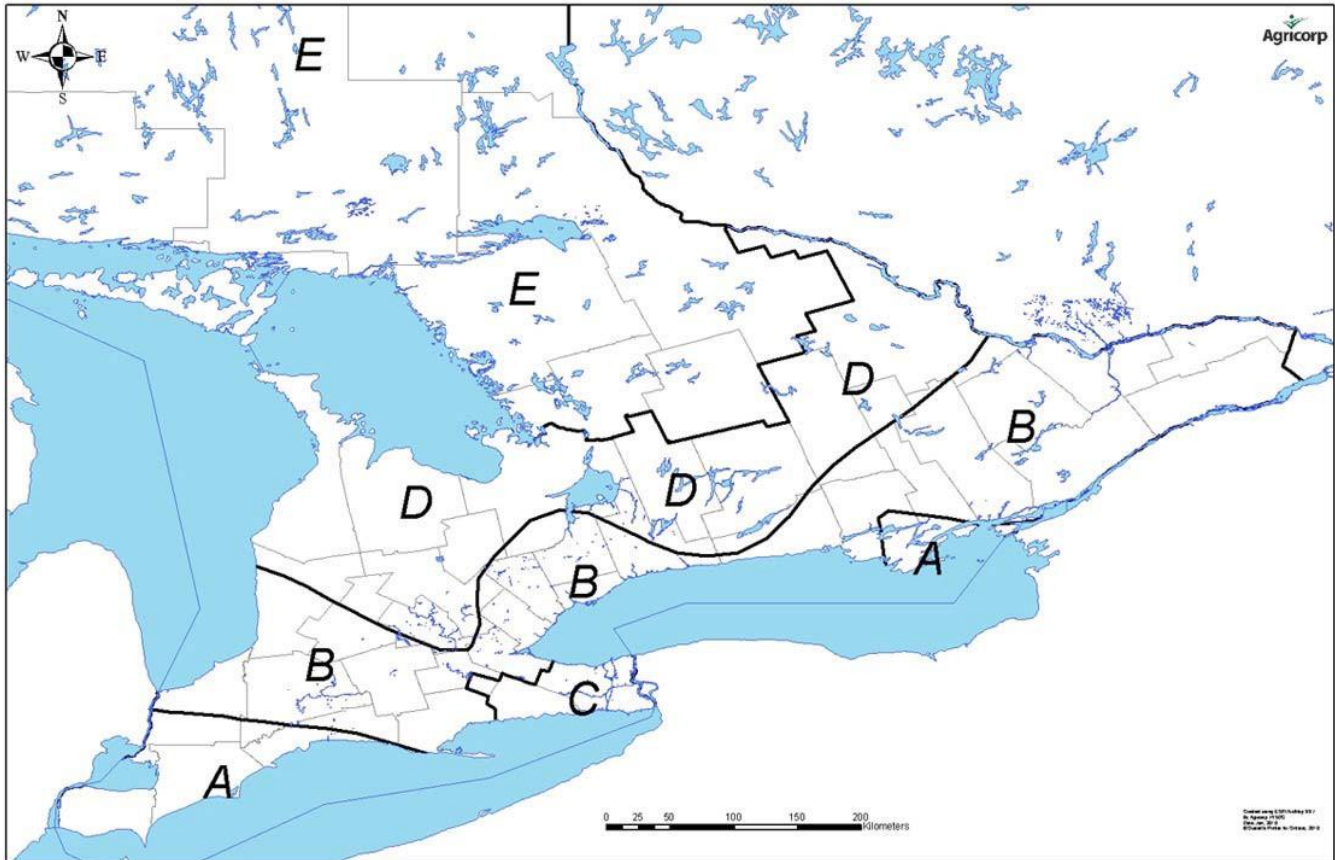
- If you plant winter wheat after a previous corn crop, you are required to use a fusarium-tolerant wheat variety, and apply fungicides to properly control disease.
- If you plant no-till wheat after hay, you are required to control the hay with a herbicide that contains the active ingredient glyphosate, such as Roundup, Touchdown, Clearout, or other similar product.
- If you surface-seed your crop (e.g. aerial broadcast, including broadcasted and worked in), you must contact Agricorp to arrange an inspection by an Agricorp adjuster to confirm that there is a reasonable insurable stand.

Production Insurance Documents (PIDs) form part of the *Contract of Insurance* and are used in the interpretation of the *Contract of Insurance* and the determination of claims under the *Contract of Insurance*. Except where provided otherwise, each PID shall be in force for the crop year in respect of which it is made and shall continue in force for each crop year thereafter until it is cancelled, amended or replaced. All capitalized terms used in this PID shall have the meaning given in the *Contract of Insurance*. Where there is any conflict between the provisions of a PID and the provisions of *Part I of the Contract of Insurance*, the provisions in the PID take precedence. Where there is any conflict between the provisions of a PID and the provisions of an Insuring Agreement of the *Contract of Insurance*, the provisions of the Insuring Agreement take precedence.

**Areas C and E are defined by municipal boundaries, as follows:**

<b>Area C:</b>	Niagara and Haldimand County and Tuscarora Township
<b>Area E:</b>	Northern Ontario, the districts of Algoma, Cochrane, Kenora, Manitoulin, Muskoka, Nipissing, Parry Sound, Rainy River, Sudbury, Thunder Bay, Timiskaming, and the county of Haliburton.

**Planting deadlines defined areas:**



If you are unsure of your planting deadline, call Agricorp.

**Source** – This map defines five specific planting areas and has been developed by Agricorp based on: consultation with industry and OMAFRA crop specialists; consideration of available crop heat units; Production Insurance historical claim rate experience and other specific geographical characteristics.

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