

How your payments work Feature sheet

Ontario's Risk Management Program (RMP) helps farmers protect their farms and manage risks beyond their control, like fluctuating costs and market prices. The program is the result of significant collaboration among the members of the Ontario Agriculture Sustainability Coalition, in partnership with government. Annual funding is available for the cattle, edible horticulture, grains and oilseeds, hogs, sheep and veal RMP plans.

How it works

- You deposit funds into a self-directed risk management (SDRM) account with Agricorp, and **the government will contribute** to your SDRM account. You can make 1 deposit per program year.
- **Government contributions may be made in instalments.** This ensures producers who make deposits later in the program year will have equal access to the available funding.
- You can submit a *Withdrawal Request* if you need the funds from your SDRM account to cover any loss or expense.

Your payment

- The first government contribution will be made to your account at the time of your deposit.
- The first government contribution will not equal 100% of your deposit.
- **You may receive additional government contributions** later in the program year, based on your initial deposit, after all participating producers' deposits have been made.

Your SDRM account

September – February

Make a
deposit

Receive first
government contribution

June

Receive an additional
government contribution

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