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Important Crop Insurance Dates Michigan

| Crop | Sales Closing/ Cancellation Date | Final Planting Date | Acreage Reporting Date | End of the Insurance Period |
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| Apples | 11/20 | n/a | 1/15 | 11/05 |
| Barley | 3/15 | 5/20* | 7/15 | 10/31 |
| Blueberries | 11/20 | n/a | 1/15 | 9/30 |
| Cabbage | 3/15 | 5/31** | 5/31** | 11/25 |
| Cherries | 11/20 | n/a | 1/15 | 8/31 |
| Corn for grain | 3/15 | 6/5 | 7/15 | 12/10 |
| Corn for silage | 3/15 | 6/5 | 7/15 | 9/30 |
| Dry beans | 3/15 | 6/25 | 7/15 | 10/31 |
| Forage production | 9/30 | n/a | 11/15 | 10/15 |
| Forage seeding | 3/15 | 5/25 | 7/15 | 5/21 |
| Grapes | 11/20 | n/a | 1/15 | 11/20 |
| Green peas | 3/15 | 5/10** | 7/15 | 9/15 |
| Hybrid corn seed | 3/15 | 5/31 | 7/15 | 10/31 |
| Oats | 3/15 | 5/20 | 5/31 | 10/31 |
| Onions | 2/01 | 5/15 | 7/15 | 10/15 |
| Peaches | 11/20 | n/a | 1/15 | 9/30 |
| Popcorn | 3/15 | 5/31 | 7/15 | 12/10 |
| Potatoes | 3/15 | 6/15 | 7/15 | 10/15 |
| Processing beans | 3/15 | 7/15 | 8/15 | 9/20 |
| Soybeans | 3/15 | 6/15 | 7/15 | 12/10 |
| Sugar beets | 3/15 | 5/20 | 7/15 | 11/15 |
| Tomatoes | 3/15 | 6/15 | 7/15 | 10/10 |
| Wheat | 9/30 | 10/5* | 11/15 | 10/31 |
| Livestock Risk Protection (LRP) | Producers submit a one time application. Upon acceptance, LRP policies may be purchased throughout the year using an online system available through approved livestock agents. | | | |
| Nursery | New policy applications may be filed at any time. All applicants are subject to a 30-day waiting period before commencement of coverage. For carryover insureds: Sales closing: 5/01; cancellation: 5/31; end of insurance: 5/31. | | | |

* Multiple dates exist and vary by county.

** Multiple dates exist and vary by practice/type.

This is a brief summary of important dates regarding crop insurance. The 2007 crop year actuarial documents, special provisions of insurance, and date summaries referenced above are available at <http://www.rma.usda.gov>. For more information, contact a crop insurance agent.

This fact sheet gives only a general overview of the crop insurance program and is not a complete policy. For further information and an evaluation of your risk management needs, contact a crop insurance agent.

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