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## **Crop Insurance Resources Available for Iowa, Minnesota, and Wisconsin Producers** *Crop Fact Sheets Updated for 2016 Spring Crops*

SAINT PAUL, Minn., Feb. 22, 2016 – USDA’s Risk Management Agency (RMA) announced the updated crop fact sheets are now available for all commodities with a March 15 sales closing date for the 2016 crop year in Iowa, Minnesota, and Wisconsin. The fact sheets are available on the [St. Paul Regional Office website](#).

Producers, insurance agents, and insurance company employees are encouraged to use these resources to reference important insurance updates for the 2016 crop year. These crop fact sheets give a summary of the insured crop, causes of loss, the insurance period, reporting requirements, important dates, coverage levels, premium subsidies, prices, unit divisions, insurance plans, a loss example, and contact information. They can be quick and useful tools to gain knowledge about insurable crops. Additional information can be found on the [Actuarial Information Browser](#) page on the RMA website.

Crop insurance is sold and delivered solely through private crop insurance agents. A list of crop insurance agents is available at all USDA Service Centers and online at the RMA [Agent Locator](#). Producers can use the RMA [Cost Estimator](#) to get a premium amount estimate of their insurance needs online. Learn more about crop insurance and the modern farm safety net at [www.rma.usda.gov](http://www.rma.usda.gov).

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