

Federal Crop Insurance Corporation, USDA

§ 400.17

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Within limits prescribed by and in accordance with the provisions of the Federal Crop Insurance Act, as amended (7 U.S.C. 1501 *et seq.*), only on those crops identified in this section and in those areas where the actuarial table provides that IYCP is available. (IYCP is available only on those crops and in those areas where the Corporation's Actual Production History Program has not been implemented. The Actual Production History form will be used for both programs). All provisions of the applicable standard insurance contract for the crop apply, except those provisions which are in conflict with this subpart. Cropland acreage, which is defined as "new ground acreage" by the actuarial table or by the policy, will not be eligible for IYCP. Crops covered under the provisions of the Combined Crop Insurance policy will not be eligible for IYCP.

§ 400.16 Definitions.

In addition to the definitions contained in the crop insurance contract, the following definitions, for the purposes of Individual Yield Coverage Plan, are applicable:

(a) *Appraised Production* means production that was unharvested but reflected yield potential for the crop at the time of the appraisal. Appraisals will be determined by ASCS or FCIC.

(b) *Area Average Yield* is the average yield determined by FCIC upon which the guarantee is based for the insured crop, area, type, and practice and is the average for the area over the base period. It is contained in the actuarial table.

(c) *Area Coverage Plan* is the coverage and rate assigned by the FCIC Actuarial Division for an homogeneous group of areas and producers.

(d) *Average Yield* is the average of the recorded and/or indexed yields for the 10-year base period, dropping the highest and lowest yield in the 10-year period, including a combination of a min-

imum of the three most recent year's recorded yields.

(e) *Base Period* means the 10-year period immediately preceding the crop year for which the yield is to be established.

(f) *Established Farm Yield* is the yield as shown on the Official Farm Record card (ASCS-156) on file in the county ASCS office.

(g) *FCIC Adjusted Yield* is production information derived by the Statistical Reporting Service on a county, crop, and practice basis modified by FCIC for factors necessary to conform to sound actuarial practices.

(h) *Individual Yield Certification* is the appraised result of the examination of the insured's records of planted acreage and production certified by the county Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service (ASCS) office.

(i) *Indexed Yield* means yield established for a year in which recorded (actual) yields are not available. It is determined by multiplying the FCIC adjusted yield, for each crop year (for which records of acreage and production are not available), by the producer's yield index.

(j) *IYCP* is the Individual Yield Coverage Plan.

(k) *ICYP* is the Individual Certified Yield Plan within IYCP. (7 CFR 400.20).

(l) *Recorded Yield* is the yield that is based on the producer's records of planted acreage and production certified by ASCS.

(m) *Yield Index* is the result obtained by dividing the total of the producer's recorded yields for the years FCIC adjusted yields are available by the total FCIC adjusted yields for those same years.

§ 400.17 Yield certification and acceptability.

The insured shall request Form FCIC 19A (APH) (Actual Production History) and shall provide records of acreage and production to ASCS county office. The request and records must be submitted at least 15 days prior to the acreage reporting date for the crop in the county. The ASCS county office will examine the insured's records and, if acceptable, record the actual yield obtained from the records, determine the relationship of such yields to the