

# Davis Regional Office — Davis, CA

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# **Dry Beans**

## **Arizona**

## **Crop Insured**

Edible dry beans (pinto) can be insured under the dry bean crop provisions. Insured acres must be irrigated. Other types may be insured by written agreement.

#### **Counties Available**

Dry beans are insurable in Graham and Cochise counties. The crop may be insurable in other counties by written agreement if specific criteria are met. Contact a crop insurance agent for more details.

### **Causes of Loss**

You are protected against the following:

- Adverse weather conditions:
- Earthquake;
- Failure of irrigation water supply, if caused by an insured peril during the insurance year;
- Fire;
- Insects or plant disease, but not damage due to insufficient or improper application of control measures;
- Volcanic eruption; or
- Wildlife.

#### **Insurance Period**

Insurance begins when the beans are planted and ends at the earliest occurrence of one of the following:

- Total destruction of the beans;
- Final adjustment;
- Harvest of the unit; or
- October 31.

## **Important Dates**

Sales Closing/Cancellation	February 28, 2016
Earliest Planting	June 1, 2016
Final Planting	July 10, 2016
Acreage Reporting	July 15, 2016
Premium Billing	August 15, 2016
Termination	February 28, 2017

## **Coverage Levels and Premium Subsidies**

The insurance guarantee is production measured in pounds of beans. Individual amounts of insurance are based on the grower's production history. Each grower's approved average yield is calculated from 4 to 10 years of production records by an insurance agent. Coverage levels range from 50 to 75 percent of your approved yield. Crop insurance premiums are subsidized as shown in the following table. For example, if you choose the 65-percent coverage level, your premium share would be 41 percent of the base premium.

Item	Percent					
Coverage Level	50	55	60	65	70	75
Premium Subsidy	67	64	64	59	59	55
Your Premium Share	33	36	36	41	41	45

Catastrophic Risk Protection (CAT) coverage is fixed at 50 percent of your approved yield and 55 percent of the price election. CAT is 100-percent subsidized with no premium cost to you. There is, however, an administrative fee of \$300 per crop per county, regardless of the acreage.

#### **Price Election**

The price used to calculate your premium and indemnity:

Pinto Beans.....\$0.31 per pound

## **Loss Example**

Assume an actual production history (APH) yield of 600 pounds per acre, 75-percent coverage level, pinto beans with a price election of \$0.31 per pound, and a 100-percent share. Price used below is for example only.

	600	Pounds per acre average yield (APH)
X	0.75	Coverage level
	450	Pounds per acre guarantee
_	200	Pounds per acre actually produced

250 Pounds per acre loss x \$.31 Price election \$77.50 Indemnity per acre

Price used above is for example only. Contact a crop insurance agent for current information.

## Where to Buy Crop Insurance

All multi-peril crop insurance, including CAT policies, are available from private insurance agents. A list of crop insurance agents is available at all USDA service centers and on the RMA website at: www.rma.usda.gov/tools/agent.html.

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