

South Dakota Crop Insurance

February 2023

Crops	Insured Acres	Total Acres	Percent Insured
Barley	11,444	27,524	42%
Buckwheat	0	3,983	0%
Canola	3,494	4,098	85%
Corn	6,027,789	6,739,957	89%
Dry Beans	2,679	2,715	99%
Dry Peas	22,532	N/A	
Flax	3,510	4,420	79%
Forage Production	623,110	1,767,975	35%
Forage Seeding	23,664	70,000	34%
Grain Sorghum	189,726	214,543	88%
Hybrid Seed Corn	1,931	N/A	
Millet	37,145	55,124	67%
Mint	34	N/A	
Oats	126,412	245,213	52%
Popcorn	871	1,037	84%
Potatoes	0	252	0%
Rye	20,753	68,523	30%
Safflower	15,507	17,137	90%
Soybeans	5,185,065	5,220,783	99%
Sunflowers	617,716	636,757	97%
Triticale	546	3,002	18%
Wheat	1,484,918	1,529,802	97%
Totals:	14,398,846	16,612,845	87%
Crop Pilot Programs			
Program	County Availability	Total Liability	
Annual Forage (Rainfall Index)	All Counties	\$2,028,124	
Apiculture (Rainfall Index)	All Counties	\$13,286,286	
Pasture, Rangeland, Forage (Rainfall Index)	All Counties	\$167,199,275	
Whole Farm Revenue Protection	All Counties	\$7,381,970	
Dollar Liability Program		Total Dollar Liability	
Livestock Gross Margin – Cattle		\$0	
Livestock Gross Margin – Dairy Cattle		\$13,767,360	
Dairy Revenue Protection - Milk		\$288,607,093	
Livestock Risk Protection – Fed Cattle		\$78,827,764	
Livestock Risk Protection – Feeder Cattle		\$270,113,029	
Livestock Risk Protection – Lamb		\$0	
Livestock Risk Protection and Livestock Gross Margin – Swine		\$80,159,294	
Nursery (Dollar)		\$234,413	

15 Year Crop Insurance History for South Dakota

Year	Policies Earning Premium	Net Acres Insured	Liability	Gross Premium	Losses	Loss Ratio
2008	58,344	16,405,453	4,101,222,313	685,022,603	401,185,541	0.59
2009	62,030	15,742,989	3,325,496,454	565,813,605	221,737,100	0.39
2010	58,681	15,112,673	3,212,929,585	482,352,353	489,487,970	1.01
2011	57,204	15,076,348	5,054,298,455	725,728,249	477,789,116	0.66
2012	55,581	14,998,904	5,393,152,881	701,430,086	1,113,051,537	1.59
2013	56,869	16,767,263	5,788,764,526	826,409,396	411,045,671	0.50
2014	55,356	15,956,788	4,855,623,127	717,124,231	180,045,367	0.25
2015	54,152	16,140,142	4,439,860,068	694,825,507	187,961,980	0.27
2016	52,069	16,425,737	4,198,856,378	673,444,073	164,003,976	0.24
2017	50,814	17,437,787	4,671,487,060	663,415,812	352,044,329	0.53
2018	50,315	18,265,605	4,718,967,844	592,050,402	271,427,144	0.46
2019	50,022	18,171,694	4,341,135,371	651,124,979	1,094,887,392	1.68
2020	47,953	16,423,251	4,572,873,438	595,098,942	497,845,742	0.84
2021	50,325	17,885,962	6,213,668,777	838,456,009	705,337,156	0.84
2022	53,808	18,692,194	8,246,339,020	1,140,962,874	1,018,179,675	0.89

Data current as of January 19, 2023. For current data go to RMA's [Summary of Business tool](#).

Where to Buy Crop Insurance

All multi-peril crop insurance, including Catastrophic Risk Protection policies, are available from private crop insurance agents. A list of insurance agents is available online using the RMA [Agent Locator](#).

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