

# NS Crop and Livestock Insurance Commission–

## Special Features

- Core Business Risk Management (BRM) Program - long term commitment to the program by Federal and Provincial Governments.
- No Administration Fees - all administration costs are shared by governments.
- Credit Protection - you can assign your right to indemnity to another party.
- Premium Discounts - premiums are discounted for good experience in the program.
- Income Tax Deductible - all premium payments are tax deductible.
- AgriStability Eligibility - indemnities paid on AgrilInsurance are deemed eligible sales under the AgriStability program.
- Continuous Contract - Production Insurance contracts are automatically renewed each year (except forage establishment).
- Quality Adjustment for Tree Fruit - tree fruit yields are protected from quantity and quality losses.

## Link to Department of Agriculture Mandate

The Nova Scotia Crop and Livestock Insurance Commission supports a climate that fosters private sector economic growth through its crop and livestock based AgrilInsurance program, encouraging employment and economic growth in the provinces and communities. Through fiscally sustainable, cost shared programs, the Commission provides farmers with the opportunity to transfer the risk of production failure due to natural causes. This supports and encourages further on farm development such as expanded value added opportunities, the ability to access export markets, and the exploration of increased on farm research, and/or innovation capacity in rural agricultural communities.

