

CMF Tool 2BSvs Overview

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CMF Tool Benefits

- **2BSvs Canola Market Access** The Cargill-MyFarms (CMF) Tool is Cargill's state-of-the-art method of ensuring that Canada's canola growers maintain maximum access to the quickly evolving biofuels marketplace. Your participation ensures this market door remains open for all.
- Rapid Field Boundary Definition The CMF Tool leverages satellite imagery to put predefined field boundary shapes at your fingertips, bringing greater efficiency and accuracy to the process of setting up a canola production operation.
- **Simple, Guided Experience** CMF Tool uses a three step, wizard-like experience to guide you through the 2BSvs enrollment process, ensuring the final result is accurate and complete.

Frequently Asked Questions

Do I need to change my production practices? – No. The 2BSvs Canola program does not require any change in regards to crop production management decisions. The program evaluates land use of the specific field boundary since 2009. This analysis confirms to export buyers of Canola that land used to produce Canola has not contributed to deforestation or harmed a highly biodiverse or protected area.

How do you use field boundaries? – CMF Tool analyzes each field boundary for compliance with the 2BSvs sustainability standard by crossing it against three satellite imagery sources, two of which come from the Canadian government. This automation brings greater accuracy and efficiency to the 2BSvs Declaration and also streamlines the downstream audit.

What satellite imagery do you analyze? – On step 2 of the 2BSvs Declaration, CMF Tool automatically evaluates how each field area was used over time by analyzing three map-based data sets: 1) The Annual Crop Inventory (ACI) for 2009, published by the Earth Observation Team of the Science and Technology Branch at Agriculture and Agri-Food Canada, 2) The Conservation Areas Reporting and Tracking System (CARTS), published by the Canadian Council on Ecological Areas (CCEA), and 3) the Global Forest Watch geospatial analysis for the 2007 - 2019 period to determine which portions of each field are 2BSvs compatible.

What if I already use a different software tool? - No problem. You have two options:

- 1. If you use Climate FieldView and / or the John Deere Operations Center, you can simply link your MyFarms account and we will automatically fetch your field boundaries.
- 2. Almost every farming application enables users to export field boundaries as shapefiles. You can do so and then easily import them into CMF Tool. The MyFarms support team can help.

Will you share my data with third parties? – All data entered into CMF Tool is governed by the Cargill Business Information Notice, which you can review here. A small percentage of field locations will be reviewed by a third party auditor, which is required by the 2BSvs standard. In no case will personally identifiable grower information be shared by Cargill or MyFarms with any third party.

Will you sell data collected under this program? – No, not ever. CMF Tool was built by fourth generation farmers without any outside investors, which means, 1) They not only know, but fiercely agree, that on-farm data must be kept private and 2) They cannot be compelled by outside investors to bend on this principle, because they have no outside investors.

Is CMF Tool secure? – Cargill and MyFarms have worked extensively to ensure all data entered into CMF Tool is protected using state-of-the-art security provisions that meet or exceed independently established standards. For a more technical explanation, please contact MyFarms directly.