

ROQUETTE GROWER CONNECT



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Information Required in Growing Season on Roquette Contracted Acres:

- Proof of Certified Seed Use – copy of invoice from seed grower, or seed tag that shows variety purchased, bushels or kg purchased and where seed was bought. Can be submitted as a picture or as a scanned document – required by July 23, 2021. Can be emailed to [Anastasia Kubinec](mailto:Anastasia.Kubinec).
- Environmental Farm Plan – Certificate of Completion. Can be submitted as a picture or as a scanned document – required by July 23, 2021. Can be emailed to [Anastasia Kubinec](mailto:Anastasia.Kubinec).
- Growing Season Reports

UPDATE: Portage Pea Protein Plant

The Portage la Prairie pea protein plant started operations as planned, at the end of 2020.

To date, we have picked up hundreds of loads of peas from growers, and we are using these peas to fine-tune and commission our processing and quality assurance systems at the plant.

Our goal is to have consumer-ready protein available during the summer of 2021, and the plant will reach full production capacity in early 2022. Roquette in Canada has hired 110 people to date and at capacity will employ 120 people.

Check out the aerial photo of the plant on page 2!

1. In-Season - to be completed by July 23, 2021
– link to survey sent in early July.

2. Post-Harvest - to be completed within 10 days of harvest – link to survey sent in August.

BANKING AND CONTACT INFORMATION FOR GROWERS

If you have not submitted a copy of a void check for your banking information, please do so ASAP. Void check images can be sent to RCL_Team@roquette.com.

If your phone number or email has changed, please send changes to RCL_Team@roquette.com so that changes can be made on our end.

PRICING OF 2021 PRODUCTION

Up to 50% of expected production can be priced prior to seeding. Once seeding of contracted Roquette acres is complete, please call our Grain Buyers to price out your additional production:

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AGRONOMY SUPPORT AND INFORMATION

Time to Check Your Bins – Moving from cold temperatures to warm temperatures, condensation that has developed or snow in your bin has melted and can be causing spoilage. Check the grain peaks to see make sure no fungal/bacterial growth or sprouting has started.

Have questions going into spring on seeding rates, inoculants, seed treatments or pre-plant / pre-emerge herbicides for weed control?

Contact your Roquette Agronomist:

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Above: Portage la Prairie pea protein plant.