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Seager Wheeler Farm
(Rosthern) 306-232-5959

South East Research Farm
(Redvers) 306-452-3161

Western Applied Research Committee
(Scott) 306-247-2011

Wheatland Conservation Area Inc.
(Swift Current) 306-778-7289

Partners

Saskatchewan Agriculture, Food and Rural Revitalization is partnering with Agriculture and Agri-Food Canada, the University of Saskatchewan, the Provincial Council of Agriculture Development & Diversification Boards and local producer groups to create the Saskatchewan Agri-ARM network.

- Saskatchewan Agriculture, Food and Rural Revitalization (SAFRR) provides both in-kind and financial support to the program.
- Agriculture and Agri-Food Canada (AAFC) provides in-kind support at Indian Head, Melfort, Scott and Swift Current.
- The College of Agriculture at the University of Saskatchewan provides scientific support to the network and an office for the program manager.
- The Provincial Council of Agriculture Development and Diversification Boards (PCAB) provides administrative support to the program and allows producers the opportunity for input into Agri-ARM.



Agri-ARM core projects

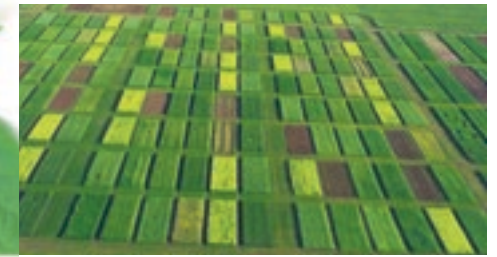
- Forage variety testing
- Pulse inoculant studies
- Minor use pesticide registration trials
- Pulse variety trials
- Cropping systems research
- Environmental stewardship projects
- Field evaluation of inputs and equipment
- Manure management projects

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What is Agri-ARM?

The Saskatchewan Agri-ARM (Agriculture-Applied Research Management) Program connects eight regional applied research and demonstration sites into a province-wide network. Each location has an affiliated producer group that sets the applied research priorities for that site.

Agri-ARM sites serve as centres for applied research and demonstration, focusing on increasing value from crops and enhancing production efficiency and environmental stewardship in a region.

Agri-ARM provides the forum for government, producers, researchers and industry associations to partner on provincial and regional projects.

Its mission is to conduct producer-driven applied research and demonstration, with results that extend beyond the farm gate to increase the value of crop production and improve agricultural sustainability.

Agri-ARM's objectives

- Increase the adoption of new agricultural production technologies and practices;
- Improve decision-making capacity for more environmentally sound and economically viable on-farm options;
- Develop and maintain an adequate level of infrastructure and expertise for regional applied research and demonstration; and
- Increase public awareness of agriculture's role in environmental stewardship and the overall economy.

The Agri-ARM network

The province-wide network consists of the following eight sites:

CONSERVATION LEARNING CENTRE (PRINCE ALBERT)
 The Conservation Learning Centre (CLC) was established in 1993 through the Parkland Agriculture Research Initiative and Green Plan. In 1997, it was incorporated as a non-profit corporation with charitable status.

The CLC encompasses 480 acres in the RM of Prince Albert.

The applied research activities at this site include environmental stewardship, as well as public and agriculture educational programs.

EAST CENTRAL RESEARCH FOUNDATION (CANORA)
 Agriculture, Development and Diversification Boards #12, 13, 18 and 19 joined to form the East Central Research Foundation (ECRF) in 1996. ECRF is an incorporated organization with the research farm located on 185 acres west of Canora on land leased from the town.

The applied research activities at this site include projects on flax and crop residues, as well as manure management and forages.

INDIAN HEAD AGRICULTURAL RESEARCH FOUNDATION (INDIAN HEAD)
 The Indian Head Agricultural Research Foundation (IHARF) was incorporated in July 1993 and is directed by a nine-member Board of Directors.

IHARF's mission is to promote profitable and sustainable agriculture by facilitating research and technology transfer activities for the benefits of its members and the agricultural community at large.

NORTH EAST AGRICULTURE RESEARCH FOUNDATION (MELFORT)
 The Northeast Agricultural Research Foundation (NARF) was formed in 1996 as a farmer-managed and directed vehicle to conduct local applied research and demonstration.

Projects have been located at the AAFC Melfort Research Farm. The facility also contributes land and access to equipment, technical support and an administration office.

SEAGER WHEELER FARM (ROSTHERN)
 The Seager Wheeler Historical Farm Society is located at the Seager Wheeler Farm, established in 1890. The Society is an incorporated non-profit organization operated by a Board of Directors. The land base is 480 acres with access to additional land and cattle for future projects.

The Seager Wheeler Farm mission is to conduct applied research and demonstrate new special crops technology, including forages and orchard production in the thin black soil zone of north central Saskatchewan, and to advance the adaptation of special crops into extended rotations.

SOUTH EAST RESEARCH FARM (REDVERS)
 The South East Research Farm (SERF) was incorporated as a non-profit producer corporation in 2001 and is located on 160 acres southeast of Redvers.

SERF's mission is to provide quality applied research and demonstrations that are producer-driven with results extending to and beyond the farm gate to improve agricultural sustainability and encourage environmental stewardship.

WESTERN APPLIED RESEARCH COMMITTEE (SCOTT)
 The Western Applied Research Committee (WARC) was established in 2002 to work in partnership with the AAFC Scott Research Farm.

Projects will include minor-use registration of pesticides, canola production and cropping systems.

WHEATLAND CONSERVATION AREA INC. (SWIFT CURRENT)
 Producers concerned about soil degradation established Wheatland Conservation Area (WCA) in 1983, with a special emphasis on soil salinity. WCA is an incorporated, not-for-profit organization.

The applied research activities at this site include pulse crops and durum, as well as cropping systems and rotations.

