

2009 OSG Soybean Yield Challenge

Purpose: To raise growers' awareness of the factors affecting soybean yields.

Objective: Reward growers across Ontario for producing high yield soybeans in a commercial field environment.

Rules and regulations:

Competition areas will be divided into 3 provincial zones based on maturity groups;

Zone 1 - 2700 HU and under

Zone 2 – 2725 to 3000 HU

Zone 3 – 3025 HU and above

- To compete in the challenge participants' soybean field size must be a minimum of 10 acres and the harvested plot must be a minimum of 1.5 acres of that same field.
- All soybean production practices will be permitted, conventional or genetically modified soybean seed is eligible, but all seed must be certified.
- Participating growers will be required to fill out a survey form stating production practices of the competition field, location of the field and general weather data.
- Deadline to enter: July 31, 2009.
- \$10 entry fee is required; one entry per farm business.

To register: Fill out the application form and mail along with the registration fee to:

Ontario Soybean Growers
Ontario AgriCentre
100 Stone Road West, Suite 201
Guelph, ON N1G 5L3

Attention: Soybean Yield Competition