



Residential or Commercial?

Farm Lands

Property Type	Policy Type
<p>Residential Dwelling - Under 2 Acres: Residential dwelling up to 6 units on the property. It does not matter if there are commercial operations or income being generated.</p>	Residential
<p>Residential Dwelling- Over 2 Acres: Residential dwelling up to 6 units on the property. No commercial operations or the income being generated is not the owner's primary business income. Purchase agreement or credit agreement is on a residential form and the transaction is related to the residential dwelling located on the property.</p> <p>Examples:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Renting a portion/section of the land to another individual to farm the land;• Insured considers the property to be a hobby farm;• Purchase agreement is for the residential dwelling; or• Refinance is related to the residential dwelling.	Residential

Property Type	Policy Type
<p>Commercial Operations with Residential Dwelling - Over 2 Acres: Property is mainly used for commercial operations, even if there is a residential dwelling on the property. Purchase agreement or credit agreement is on a commercial form and property is being purchased to run a business or financing is related to business operations. Title may be in the name of a corporation.</p> <p>Examples:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Large dairy farm that supplies grocery stores. • Purchase or credit agreement is on a commercial or agricultural form and relates to the purchase of a dairy farm operation or financing is for a purpose related to the acquisition or operation of the dairy farm. 	<p>Commercial</p>
<p>Farm Buildings – No Residential Dwelling: Property is used for commercial operations and there is no residential dwelling. Property may contain barns, sheds, silos etc. The purchase agreement or credit agreement is on a commercial form and the property is being purchased to run a business or financing is related to business operations. Title may be in the name of a corporation or individual. It does not matter if the land is over or under 2 acres.</p>	<p>Commercial</p>
<p>Vacant Land Zoned Agricultural</p>	<p>Commercial</p>
<p>Vacant Land Zoned Residential: Sold to a developer/purchaser with the intention of developing a residential dwelling with up to six units on the property.</p>	<p>Residential</p>
<p>Vacant Land Zoned Residential or Commercial: Sold to a developer with the intention of developing a residential dwelling with more than six units on the property.</p> <p>Examples:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Housing subdivision; • Condominium/strata property; or • Commercial building/development. 	<p>Commercial</p>

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