

**Basis for changes to the Pale Cyst Nematode (PCN) Regulated Area
December 6, 2013**

Since the last update to the PCN Regulated Area on May 17, 2013, approximately 2,279 acres of farmland have been deregulated from PCN regulation.

Approximately 2,279 acres of farmland were deregulated after completing a release protocol comprised of a sequence of surveys with negative laboratory results for PCN in accordance with the Federal PCN Final Rule, subpart 301.86-3(d)(2) *Removal of fields from quarantine – Associated fields*. The locations of the deregulated fields are as follows: Bingham County - T01N, R37E, section 33; T01S, R35E, sections 14, 15, 23, and 27; T01S, R36E, sections 4, 5, 8, 9, and 31; T01S, R37E, sections 15 and 35; T02S, R35E, sections 1, 2, and 12; T02S, R36E, sections 6 and 21; Bonneville County – T01N, R37E, sections 6, 8, and 13; T01N, R38E, section 2.

These changes bring the current regulated area to 10,774 acres, of which 2,300 acres are infested.