

**PROGRAM TO SUPPORT DIVERSIFICATION AND REGIONAL
DEVELOPMENT
Application to Participate**

Reserved for the FADQ (FADQ client no.)	Ministerial identification no. (NIM)	Quebec business no. (NEQ)
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1. Business Information

Name or business name			Telephone no. (home)
Business e-mail			Telephone no. (cell)
Production site address (house no. and street name)	Municipality	Postal code	Telephone no. (other)
Correspondence address (house no. and street name), if different	Municipality	Postal code	Fax no.
RCM of production location	Do you currently have an outstanding loan guaranteed by the FADQ or did you obtain a grant from the FADQ in the last 5 years?	<input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO	

2. Program Segments and Eligibility Requirements

The *Program to Support Diversification and Regional Development* has three segments: *Diversification Support*, *Land Improvement Support*, *Support for Greenhouse Operations* and *Support for business producing milk-fed calves*. To be eligible for the financial aid offered by La Financière agricole du Québec, the business must satisfy the eligibility criteria of at least one of the Program's segments.

Please select the segment(s) for which you are applying and fill out the related section.

SEGMENTS	Select the description that matches your business' reality:	Select one or several investment projects you would like to carry out thanks to this program:
<input type="checkbox"/> 1. Diversification Support	<input type="checkbox"/> Existing farm business <input type="checkbox"/> Existing business in agro processing <input type="checkbox"/> Goods and services company owned 50 % or more persons engaged in agriculture <input type="checkbox"/> New business with a gross farm income of at least \$30,000, at the latest 36 months after the project's implementation	<input type="checkbox"/> Diversification – Agri-tourism <input type="checkbox"/> Diversification - Processing <input type="checkbox"/> Organic certification <input type="checkbox"/> Development of a new production <input type="checkbox"/> Increase in productivity
<input type="checkbox"/> 2. Land Improvement Support	<input type="checkbox"/> Project located in one of the RCMs deemed a priority by MAPAQ (see Appendix 1) <input type="checkbox"/> Existing farm business <input type="checkbox"/> New business with a gross farm income of at least \$30,000, at the latest 36 months after the project's implementation	<input type="checkbox"/> Drainage <input type="checkbox"/> Replanting of fallow land <input type="checkbox"/> Major soil acidity correction <input type="checkbox"/> Other :
<input type="checkbox"/> 3. Support for Greenhouse Operations	<input type="checkbox"/> Existing business <input type="checkbox"/> New business with a gross farm income of at least \$30,000, at the latest 36 months after the project's implementation	<input type="checkbox"/> Development of a production <input type="checkbox"/> Increase in productivity
<input type="checkbox"/> 4. Support for business producing milk-fed calves	<input type="checkbox"/> Existing business	<input type="checkbox"/> Production reorientation <input type="checkbox"/> Increase in productivity <input type="checkbox"/> Loan consolidation guaranteed by the FADQ <input type="checkbox"/> Other :

3. Investment Projects

Please summarize your project(s) in detail by indicating the nature of the required investments, the total cost of the project(s) and the amount of the loan requested from the FADQ.

Nature and description	Cost or estimate (\$)	Requested loan (\$)
TOTAL		

4. Documents Required

SEGMENT 1, SEGMENT 3 and SEGMENT 4	SEGMENT 2
<input type="checkbox"/> Business or marketing plan describing the project <input type="checkbox"/> Application for Financing/Global Investment Plan (form 1002) <input type="checkbox"/> Recent financial statements (last 12 months) <input type="checkbox"/> Individual sheet (form 1001) for each participant in the business (new FADQ clients only) <input type="checkbox"/> Action plan and analysis to justify future investments	<input type="checkbox"/> Analysis prepared by an advisor <input type="checkbox"/> Plan prepared by an engineer, if required <input type="checkbox"/> Partial budget prepared by an advisor <input type="checkbox"/> Recent financial statements (last 12 months) <input type="checkbox"/> Application for Financing/Global Investment Plan (form 1002) <input type="checkbox"/> Individual sheet (form 1001) for each participant in the business (new FADQ clients only)

5. Statements and Commitment

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - In the framework of my participation in the program for one or the other of the segments that are provided, I agree to allow the <i>Ministère de l'Agriculture, des Pêcheries et de l'Alimentation du Québec</i> to conduct a follow-up of the authorized project for at least the first three years of its implementation. - In the framework of segment 1, segment 3 and segment 4 of the program, I agree to obtain support services if La Financière agricole du Québec deems necessary. - I agree to submit, each year, my business' financial statements for the fiscal year to the La Financière agricole du Québec financial advisor. - I declare that all of the information provided in this application, financial or otherwise, is accurate and complete. 	
Representative's name in block letters:	
Representative's signature:	Date :

6. Applicant's Consent

<p>CONTEXT</p> <p>In administering the Program to Support Diversification and Regional Development, La Financière agricole du Québec only collects the information required to study your application for participation. This information is vital to running the program and only the necessary data will be used for this purpose. La Financière agricole du Québec remains, at all times, the holder of the personal information collected during the course of this program.</p> <p>However, given that the <i>Ministère de l'Agriculture, des Pêcheries et de l'Alimentation du Québec</i> (MAPAQ) is an integral part of the program, notably in the follow up of the projects, the information and documents collected in the framework of your application for participation and financing must be passed on to MAPAQ. To this end, your signature is required on the following statement of consent</p>

CONSENT

I, the undersigned, _____, duly qualified representative of business _____, authorize La Financière agricole to give MAPAQ the information and documents it has collected and which are needed in the follow up of my project and administer the Program to Support Diversification and Regional Development.

This consent is valid for the duration of the Program to Support Diversification and Regional Development and will end when the last investment grant payment is made, at the latest 3 years after the full disbursement of the loan or \$15,000 of investment grant.

Representative's name in block letters

Representative's signature

Date :

7. Disclosure of Personal Information

The personal information collected by La Financière agricole will be treated confidentially and will only be disclosed to authorized persons or organizations, according to the provisions of the *Loi sur l'accès aux documents des organismes publics et sur la protection des renseignements personnels* (act respecting access to documents held by public bodies and the protection of personal information, RLRQ, chapter A-2.1).

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