



**No till system  
quality improvement  
program**



**DIAGNOSTIC QUESTIONNAIRE**

City/Watershed : \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

1. Are you satisfied with the No Tillage System you run?

( ) yes            ( ) no

2. How do you evaluate your No-Till?

( ) bad            ( ) reasonable            ( ) good            ( ) great

3. For you, what is the main problem or difficulties in using the no-tillage system?

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\_\_\_\_\_  
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4. How long have you been using the No-Till System on your property?

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5. In your opinion, what is the importance of using No Till?

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\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

6. Do you carry out agricultural operations at level?

( ) yes            ( ) no

7. Do you have terraces on your property?

( ) yes            ( ) no

8. Do you observe erosion (ditches or land accumulation) in your crop?

( ) yes            ( ) no

9. When sowing, do you observe soil disturbance?

( ) yes            ( ) no

10. In your assessment, is your soil compacted?

yes       no

11. How often do you prepare the soil in No-Till? Why?

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12. How many months of the year does your soil have little or no cover?

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13. What is the occupied percentage of the crop occupied by ..... in the last 3 years?

summer/off season

winter

soy

black oat

corn

wheat

others

others

removal of plant material silage/hay

grazing

14. Which animals are grazing in your area under No Till?

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15. Have you ever seen earthworms in your field?

yes       no       I don't know

Are they all the same or do you notice differences between them?

same       different       I never noticed

16. Are earthworms good or bad for your crop?

good       bad

How?

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17. What type of fertilizer do you use?

chemical     organic     both

18. Do you follow technical criteria/guidelines?

yes       no

19. Do you use bovine or swine manure or chicken litter in your farm?

yes       no

How many times a year?

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