# USDA 2019 long grain rice, soybean, and corn supply, demand, and price outlook

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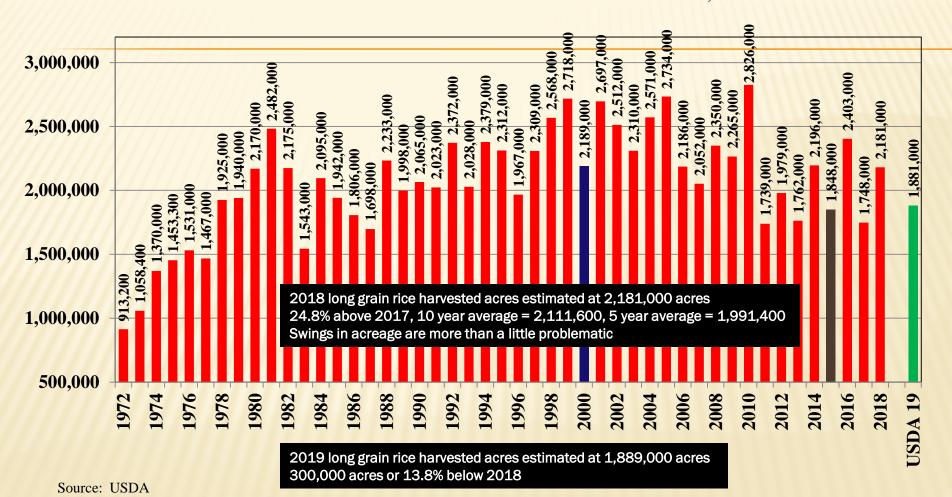
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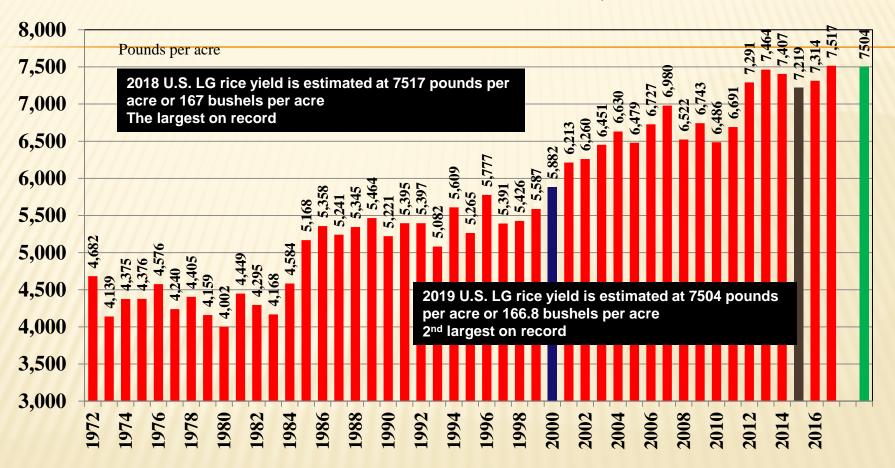
### USDA 2019 U.S. Long Grain Rice Supply, Demand, and Price Projections, 2016/17-2019/20

U.S. Long Grain Rice	2016/17	2017/18	2018/19 1/	2019/20 2/
	2010/17	2017/10	2010/17 1/	2017/202/
Long-grain				
Area planted (mil. ac.)	2.44	1.81	2.20	1.90
Area harvested	2.40	1.75	2.18	1.88
Yield (pounds/ac)	6,927	7,314	7,517	7,504
Production (mil. cwt)	166.5	127.9	164.0	141.0
Beginning stocks	22.7	31.0	20.3	34.8
Imports	20.3	23.3	23.5	23.8
Supply	209.4	182.2	207.8	199.6
Total domestic & residual use	101.8	98.6	105.0	103.0
Exports	76.6	63.3	68.0	70.0
Total use	178.4	161.9	173.0	173.0
Ending stocks	31.0	20.3	34.8	26.6
Stocks/use (percent)	17.4	12.5	20.1	15.4
Season avg. farm price (\$/cwt.)	9.61	11.50	10.70	10.80

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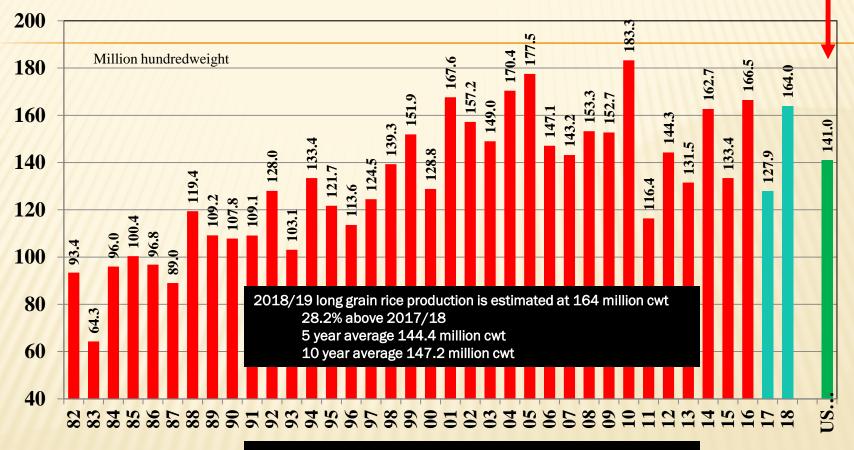
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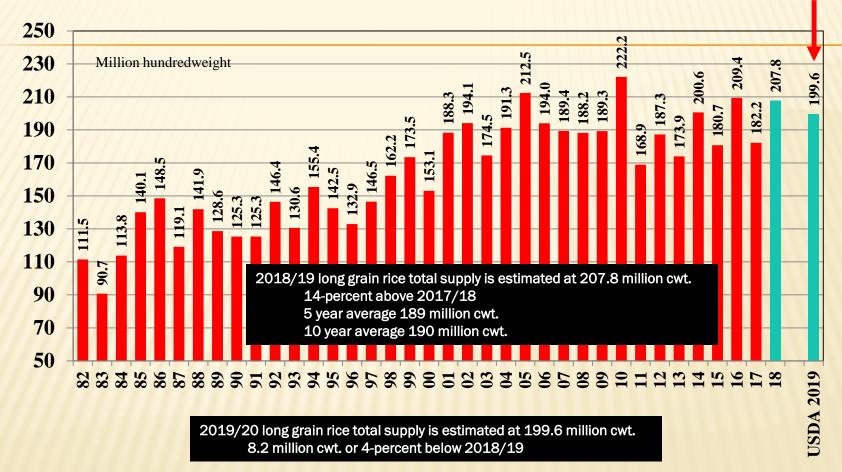


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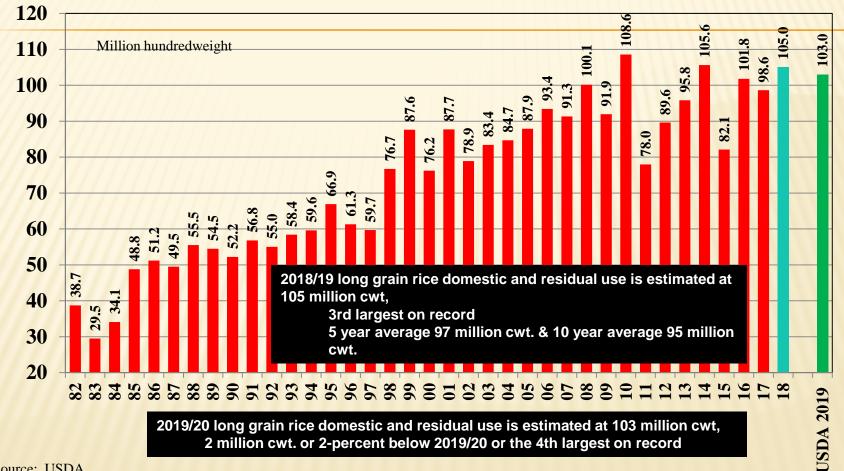


2019/20 long grain rice production is estimated at 141 million cwt 23 million cwt. or 23% below 2018/19

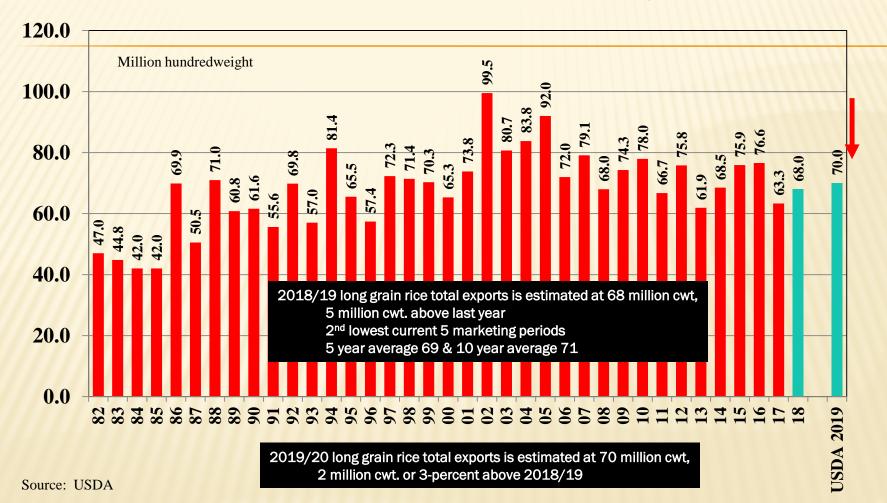




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#### A7. U.S. LONG GRAIN RICE TOTAL EXPORTS 1982/83 – 2018/19, USDA FEB. 2019 EST.

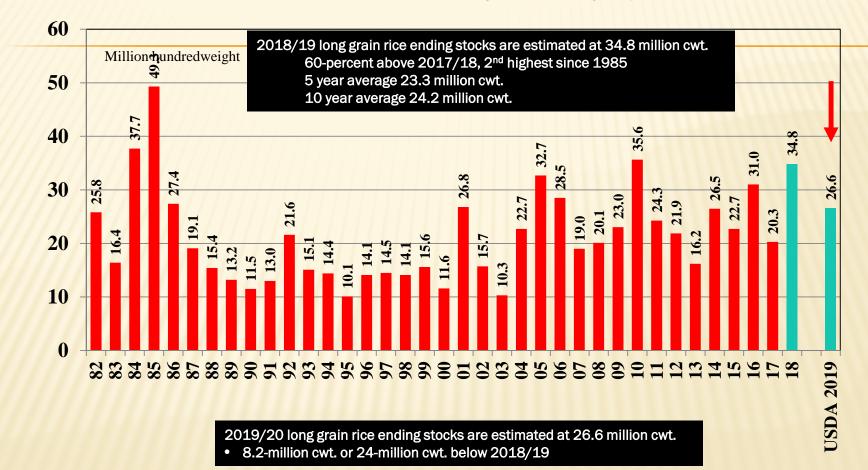






2019/20 long grain rice total use is estimated at 173 million The same as 2018/19

#### A9. U.S. LONG GRAIN RICE ENDING STOCKS 1982/83 - 2018/19, USDA FEB. 19 EST.



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### Wheat, Corn, and Soybeans Planted Acreage, 2012/20

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	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019 1/
				- Million	Acres -			
Wheat	55.3	56.2	56.8	55.0	50.1	46.1	47.8	47.0
Corn	97.3	95.4	90.6	88.0	94.0	90.2	89.1	92.0
Soybeans	77.2	76.8	83.3	82.7	83.5	90.2	89.2	85.0
Total	229.8	228.4	230.7	225.7	227.6	226.4	226.1	224.0

### Soybean Supply, Demand, and Price, 2016/17-2019/20

	2016/17	2017/18	2018/19 1/	2019/20 2/
Area planted (mil. ac.) Area harvested	83.5 82.7	90.2 89.5	89.2 88.1	85.0 84.3
Yield (bu./ac.)	51.9	49.3	51.6	49.5
Production (mil. bu.)	4,296	4,412	4,544	4,175
Beginning stocks Imports Supply	197 22 4,516	302 22 4,735	438 20 5,002	910 20 5,105
Crush Seed and Residual Total domestic use	1,901 146 2,047	2,055 113 2,168	2,090 127 2,217	2,105 130 2,235
Exports	2,166	2,129	1,875	2,025
Total use	4,214	4,297	4,092	4,260
Ending stocks	302	438	910	845
Stocks/use (percent)	7.2	10.2	22.2	19.8
Season-avg. farm price (\$/bu.)	9.47	9.33	8.60	8.80

### Corn Supply, Demand, and Price, 2016/17-2019/20

	2016/17	2017/18	2018/19 1/	2019/20 2/
Area planted (mil. ac.)	94.0	90.2	89.1	92.0
Area harvested	86.7	82.7	81.7	84.6
Yield (bu./ac.)	174.6	176.6	176.4	176.0
Production (mil. bu.)	15,148	14,609	14,420	14,890
Beginning stocks	1,737	2,293	2,140	1,735
Imports	57	36	40	40
Supply	16,942	16,939	16,600	16,665
Feed & residual	5,470	5,304	5,375	5,500
Ethanol 3/	5,432	5,605	5,575	5,575
Food, seed & other industrial	1,453	1,451	1,465	1,465
Total food, seed & industrial	6,885	7,056	7,040	7,040
Total domestic use	12,355	12,360	12,415	12,540
Exports	2,294	2,438	2,450	2,475
Total use	14,649	14,799	14,865	15,015
Ending stocks	2,293	2,140	1,735	1,650
Stocks/use (percent)	15.7	14.5	11.7	11.0
Season-avg. farm price (\$/bu.)	3.36	3.36	3.60	3.65
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## Wheat Supply, Demand, and Price, 2016/17-2019/20

	2016/17	2017/18	2018/19 1/	2019/20 2/
Area planted (mil. ac.) Area harvested	50.1 43.8	46.1 37.6	47.8 39.6	47.0 39.8
Yield (bu./ac.)	52.7	46.4	47.6	47.8
Production (mil. bu.)	2,309	1,741	1,884	1,902
Beginning stocks Imports Supply	976 118 3,402	1,181 157 3,079	1,099 140 3,123	1,010 140 3,052
Feed & residual Food & seed Total domestic use	160 1,010 1,171	51 1,028 1,079	80 1,033 1,113	90 1,043 1,133
Exports	1,051	901	1,000	975
Total use	2,222	1,980	2,113	2,108
Ending stocks	1,181	1,099	1,010	944
Stocks/use (percent)	53.2	55.5	47.8	44.8
Season-avg. farm price (\$/bu.)	3.89	4.72	5.15	5.20

### Soybean Meal Supply, Demand, and Price, 2016/17-2019/20

	2016/17	2017/18	2018/19 1/	2019/20 2/
Production (thou. short tons) Beginning stocks Imports Supply	44,787 264 350 45,400	49,216 401 495 50,112	49,147 553 350 50,050	49,700 450 350 50,500
Domestic Use Exports Total use	33,420 11,580 45,000	34,733 14,826 49,559	35,850 13,750 49,600	36,500 13,600 50,100
Ending stocks	401	553	450	400
Avg. price (\$/short ton) 3/	316.88	345.02	315.00	320.00

## Soybean Oil Supply, Demand, and Price, 2016/17-2019/20

	2016/17	2017/18	2018/19 1/	2019/20 2/
Production (mil. lbs.) Beginning stocks Imports Supply	22,123 1,687 319 24,129	23,767 1,711 335 25,814	24,455 1,990 300 26,745	24,315 2,095 300 26,710
Domestic Use Biodiesel 3/ Food, Feed, Other Industrial	19,862 6,200 13,662	21,376 7,134 14,243	22,400 8,000 14,400	22,775 8,200 14,575
Exports Total use	2,556 22,418	2,447 23,824	2,250 24,650	1,900 24,675
Ending stocks  Avg. price (cents/lb.) 4/	1,711 32.5	1,990 30.0	2,095 30.0	2,035 30.5

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Robert Johansson - Chief Economist, USDA

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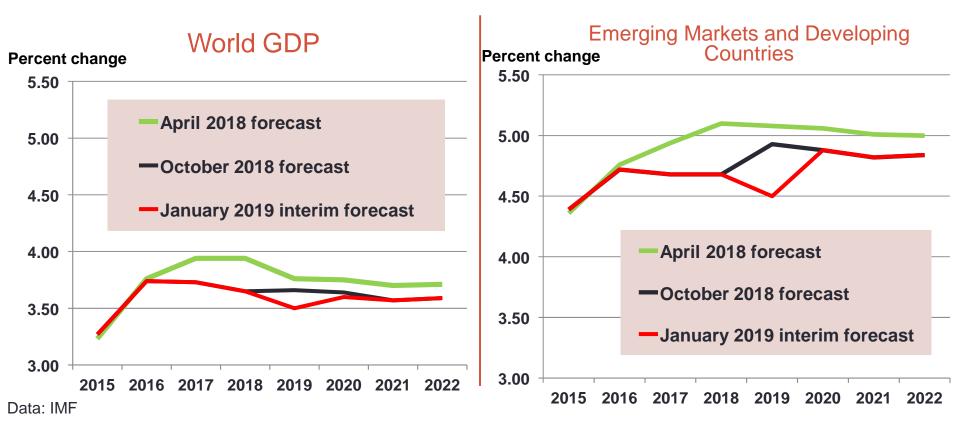


### **Outline**

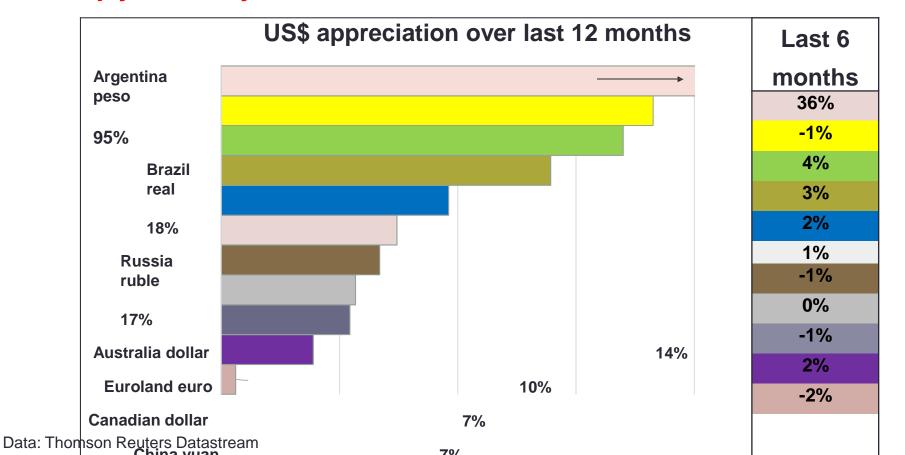
- 1. Farm economy
- 2. Crops & Livestock
- 3. Trade
- 4. Farm Bill



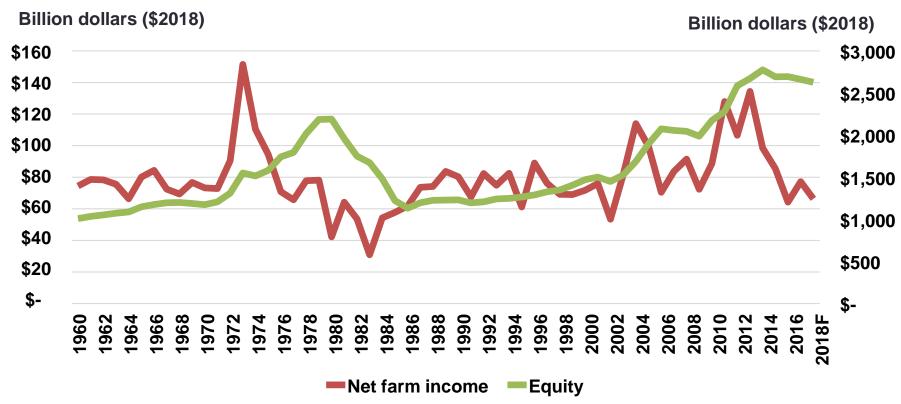
# Growth forecasts less optimistic — global purchasing power falls by \$0.7 trillion (cumulative from 2019 – 2022)



### Dollar up year-over-year, but mixed over the last few months

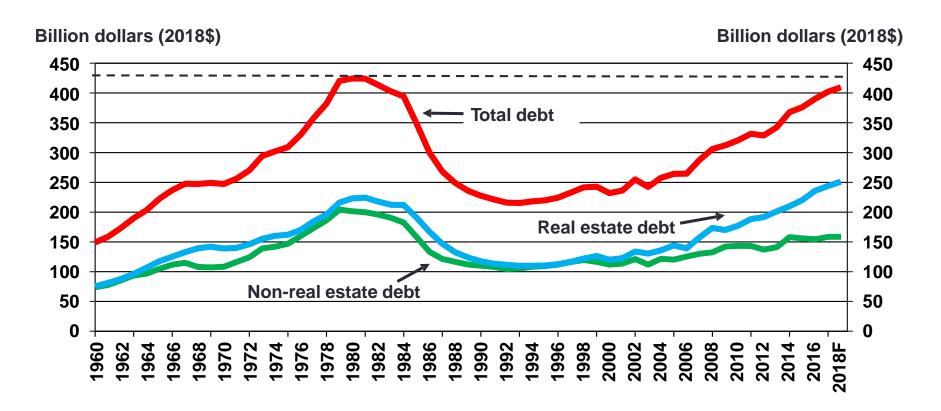


### Real farm income settles; equity shows slight decline



Data: USDA-ERS

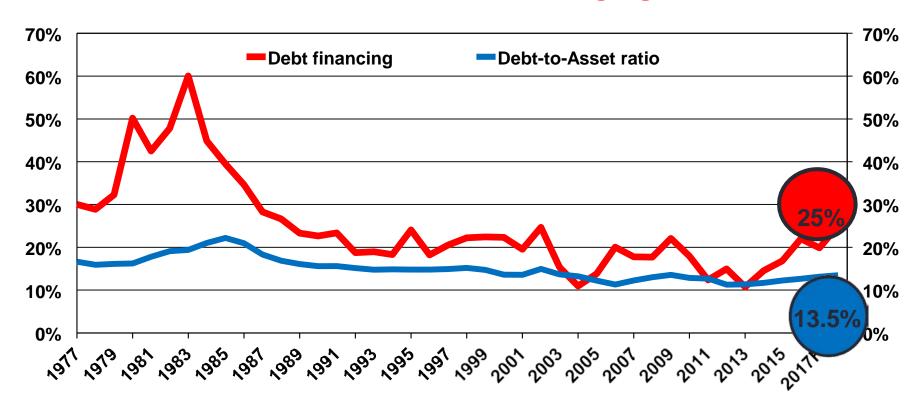
### Borrowing against real estate equity fuels debt growth



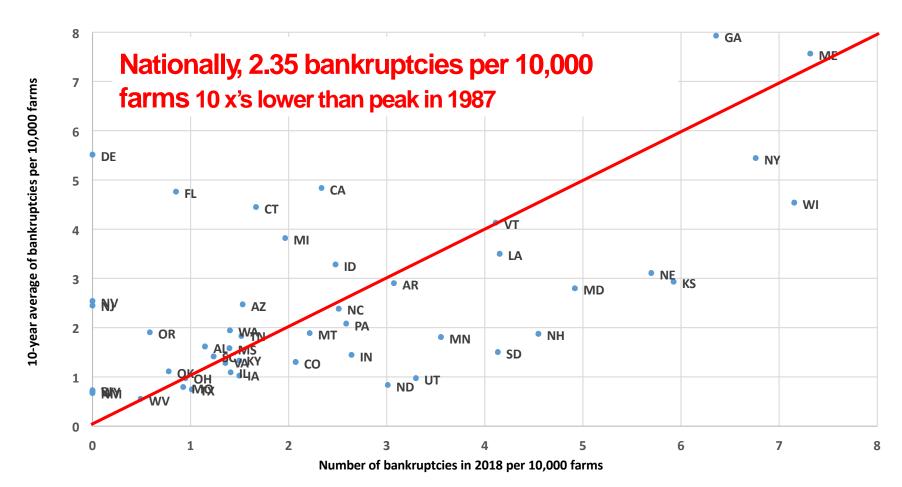
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### Debt-to-assets remain low — 13.5%

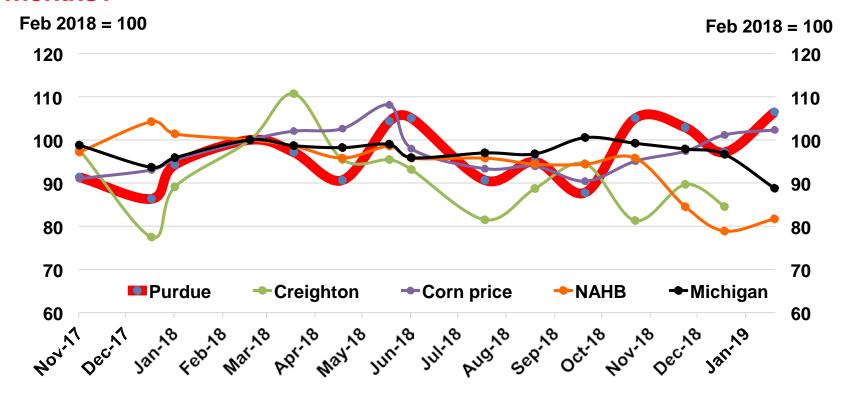
### but debt financing highest since 1988



Data: USDA-ERS



# How optimistic are you about economic prospects over the next 6 months?

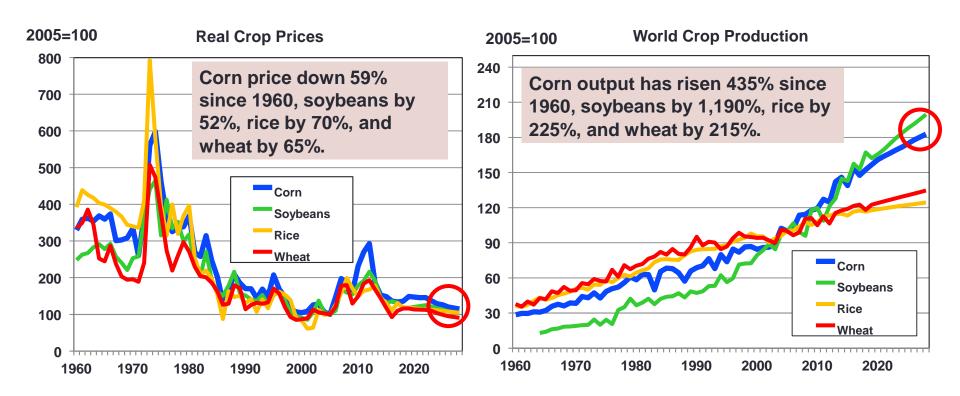






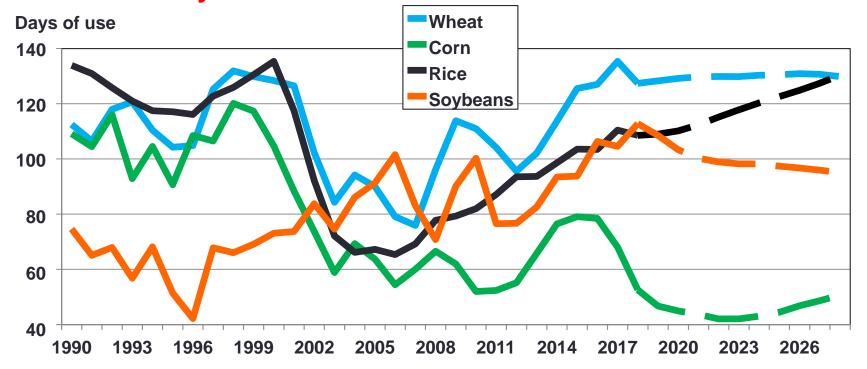


### Real prices trend down, as crop production outstrips demand

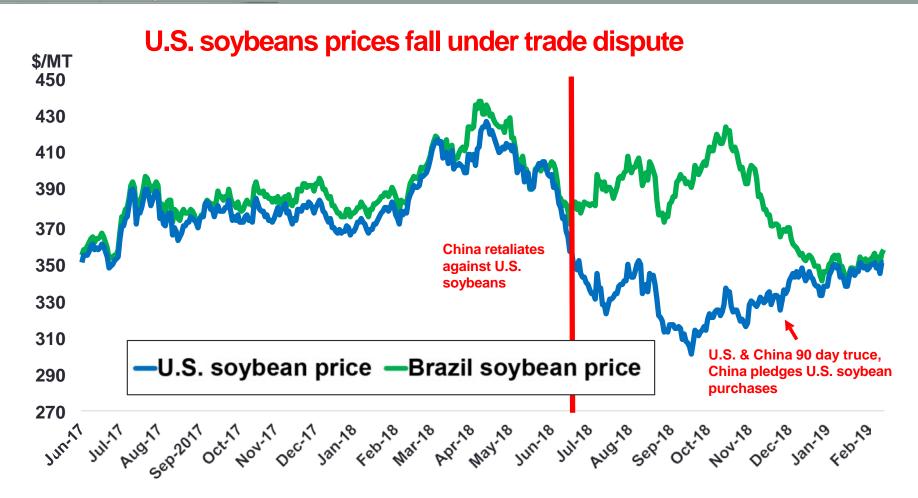


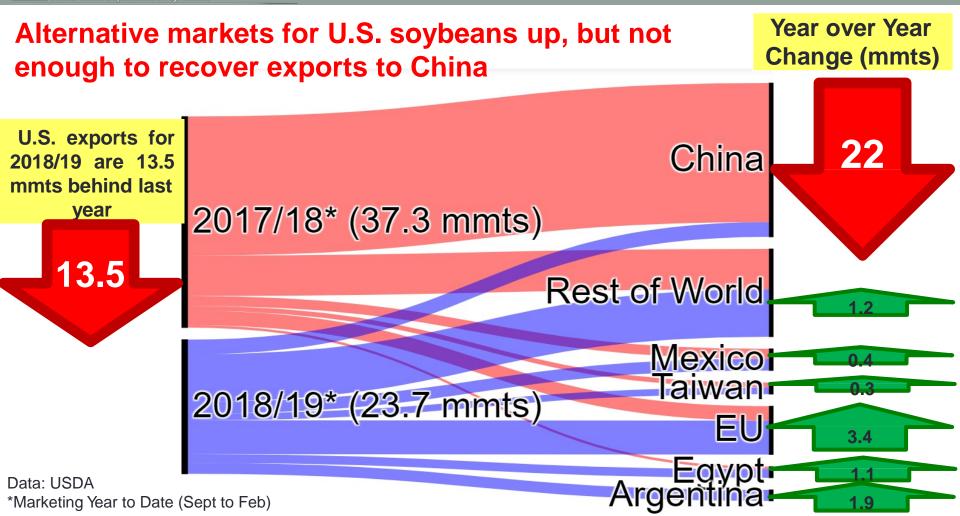
Data: USDA, BLS

Global stocks in days of use: tightening market for corn and soybeans over next few years

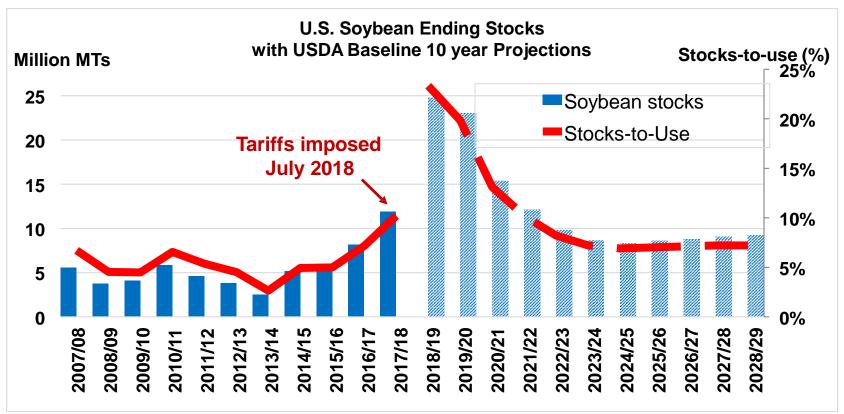








### Stocks overhang will take years to unwind



Data: USDA

Some prices expected to edge up into 2019

Crop	2019F	%∆ (YoY)	5 year low 2019F 5 Year hi	gh
Soybeans (\$/bu)	8.80	+2.3%	8.60 9.47	
Corn (\$/bu)	3.65	+1.4%	3.30 3.65	
All Rice (\$/cwt)	12.20	+0.8%	10.40 12.70	
Wheat (\$/bu)	5.20	+1.0%	3.89 5.20	
Cotton (\$/lb)	0.67	-6.9%	0.61 0.72	

Data: USDA

Corn and bean area at parity, wheat holding

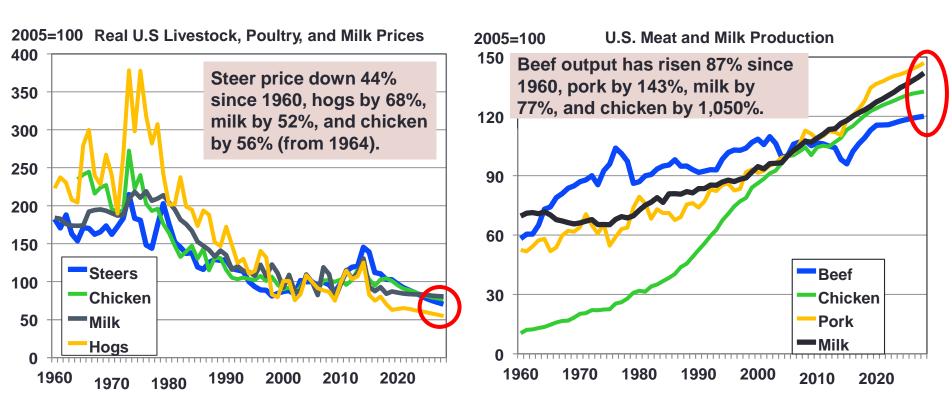
Crop	2019F (mil. acres)		5 year low	2019F	5 Year high
Corn	92.0	+3.3%	88.0		94.0
Soybeans	85.0	-4.7%	82.7		90.2
Wheat	47.0	-1.7%	46.1		55.0
All cotton	14.3	+1.1%	8.6		14.3
Rice	2.7	-9.8%	2.5		3.2

Data: USDA





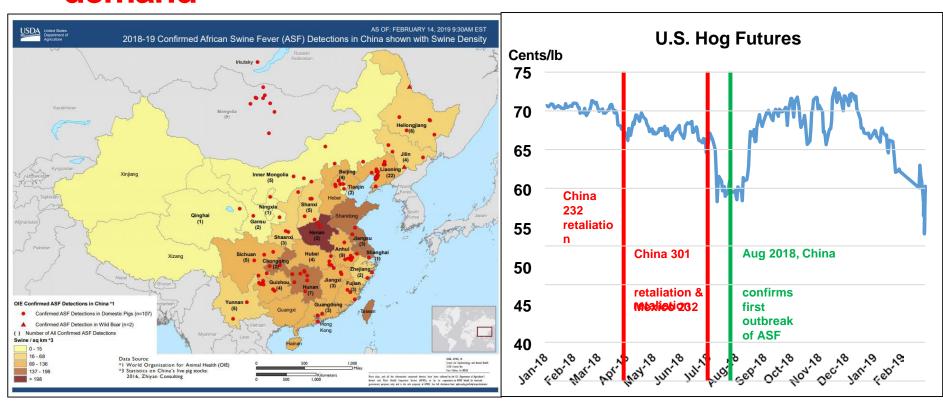
## Real prices trend down, as U.S. livestock production outstrips demand



Data: USDA, BLS



# African Swine Fever (ASF) may affect global pork demand



Source: USDA-APHIS Data: CME.

Low prices for steers and hogs in 2019

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Livestock	2019F	%∆ (YoY)	5 year low	2019F	5 Year high
Steers (\$/cwt)	118.50	+1.2%	117.12		148.12
Hogs (\$/cwt)	42.50	-7.5%	42.50		50.48
Broilers (\$/cwt)	97.00	-0.8%	84.30		97.80
Milk (\$/cwt)	17.25	+6.5%	16.20		17.65



## Meat and milk production to be record high in 2019

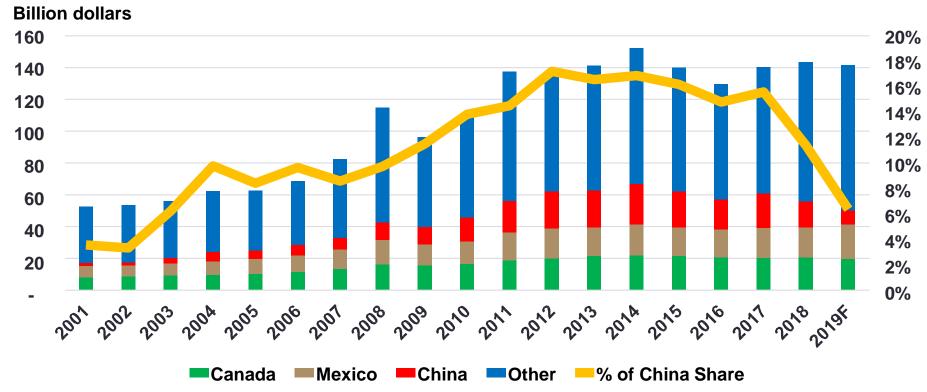
Item	2019F (billion lbs)	%∆ (YoY)	5 year low 2019F	5 Year high
Beef	27.6	+2.7%	23.7	27.6
Pork	27.3	+3.8%	24.5	27.3
Broilers	43.1	+1.4%	40.0	43.1
Total <sup>1</sup>	104.7	+2.3%	94.6	104.7
Milk	220.1	+1.1%	208.6	220.1

Data: USDA

<sup>1</sup>Total red meat and poultry

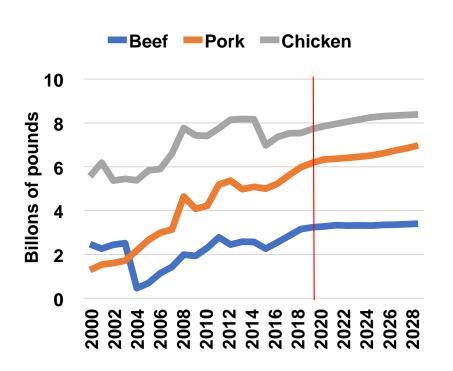


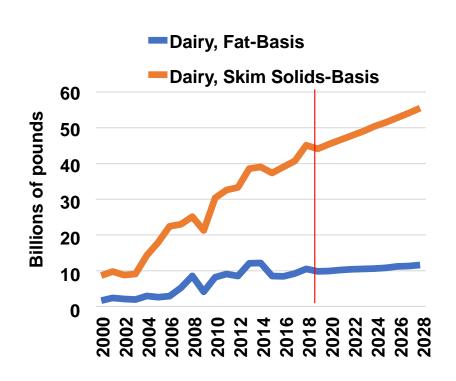
## Agricultural export values expected to remain flat in 2019, China share down sharply





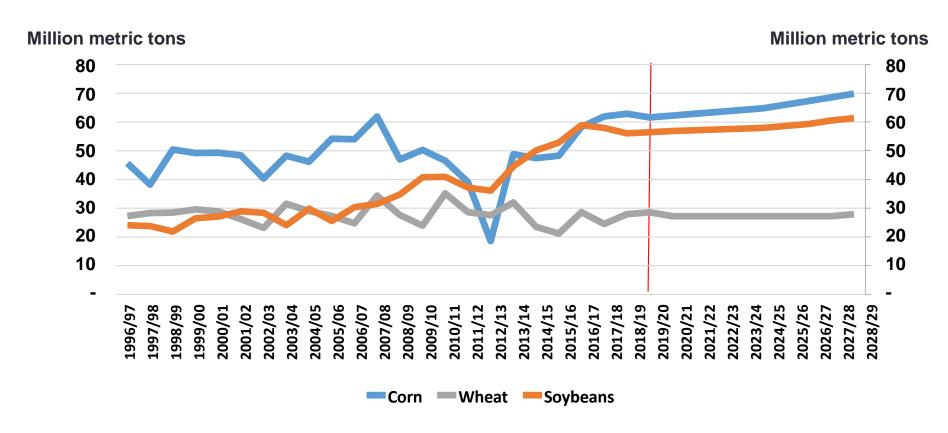
### Global demand drives growth in U.S. livestock and dairy exports





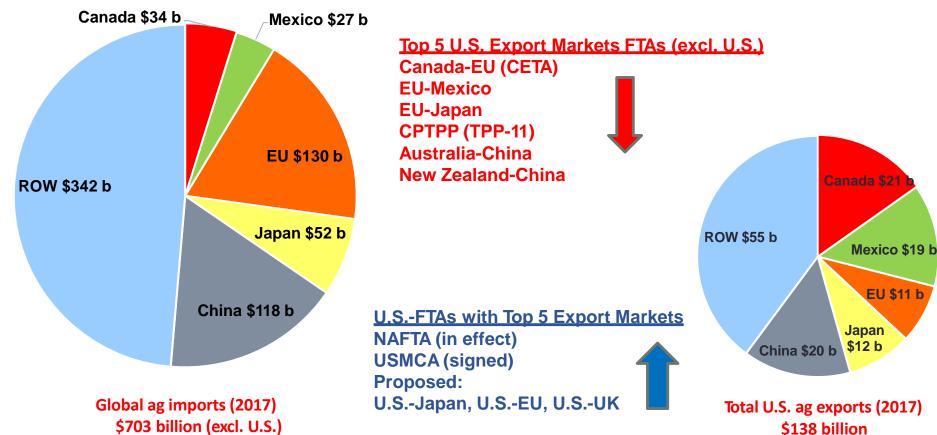


### ... and drives growth in U.S. feed grain exports



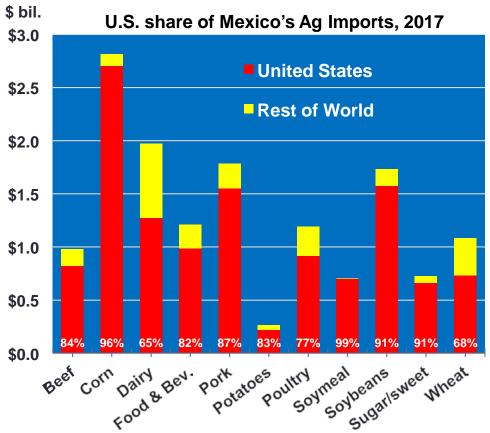


## New FTAs may impact U.S. access into top export markets



Data: Global Trade Atlas

## **USMCA** strengthens North American market integration



#### **NEXT STEPS**

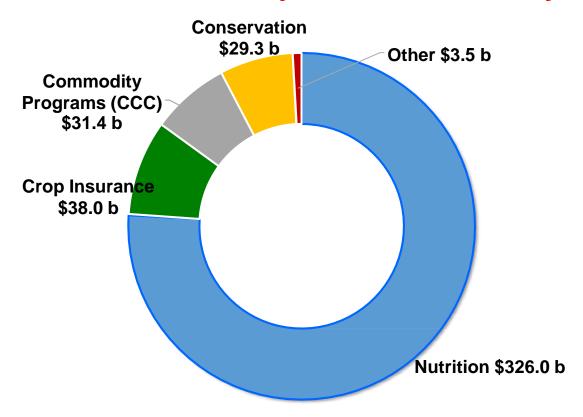
- USITC report to Congress
- Administration submits implementing legislation package to Congress
  - After bill is reported out of the Committees, the House and Senate vote on the bill
  - Bill signed into law, agreement is implemented by proclamation

Data: USDA-FAS





### 2018 Farm Bill outlay = \$428 billion over 5 years

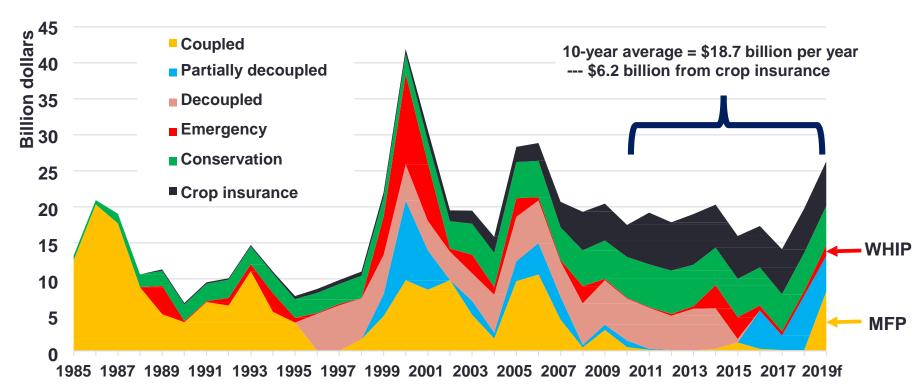


- An increase of ~\$400 mil. per year over the 2014 Farm Bill for FY2019 - FY2023
- Percent spent on Nutrition remains at 76% but with more funding for employment training
- Increase in Research funding of \$365 mil. over 5 years

Data: CBO



## Characteristics of US farm programs changing over time; crop insurance increasing in importance



Data: USDA, fiscal year.



ARC/PLC payments per base acre expected to change under 2018 Farm Bill

	Farm 2014 Bill: June 2017 Baseline	2018 Farm Bill: January 2019 Baseline
Corn	\$98.85	\$106.93
Soybeans	\$34.16	\$42.67
Wheat	\$75.10	\$60.90
Seed Cotton*	Not Applicable	\$172.59
Rice	\$440.78	\$738.21
Peanuts	\$881.21	\$713.11

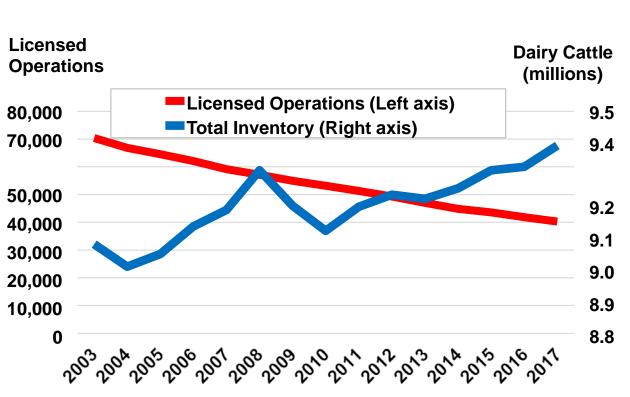
- Seed cotton became a covered commodity under the Bipartisan Budget Act of 2018 (BBA)
- Minor adjustments were made to Agriculture Risk Coverage (ARC) and Price Loss Coverage (PLC) in the 2018 Farm Bill.

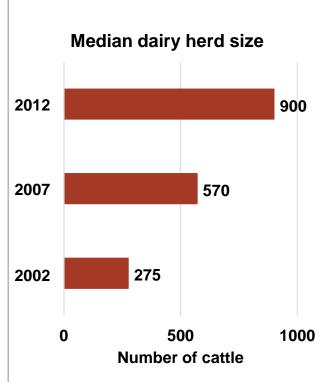
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<sup>\*</sup>Uses 80% of generic base acres enrolled in 2015. Official estimates of seed cotton base acres are not yet available.



## Dairy operations are decreasing in number, as herd sizes grow





Data: USDA-NASS



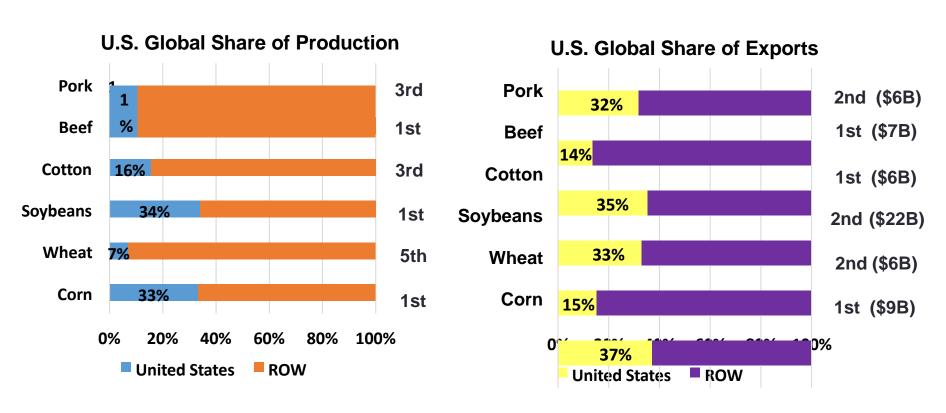
## Net benefits for a median-sized dairy (900 cows ≈ 19.5M pounds)

	5-year average MPP (2014 Farm Bill)	5-year average DMC (2018 Farm Bill)
Premium for \$8.00/cwt margin	\$230,184	\$268,396
Premium for \$9.50/cwt margin	NA	\$7,500 (for first 5M lbs only)
<ul><li>Average annual net payment</li><li>➤ \$8.00/cwt margin coverage</li><li>➤ \$9.50/cwt margin coverage</li></ul>	-\$172,119 NA	- <mark>\$218,076</mark> \$40,421

Note: Applies MPP and DMC provisions to 2014-2018 data.

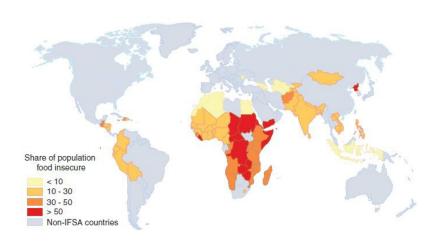


## **Conclusion — Growing Locally and Selling Globally**

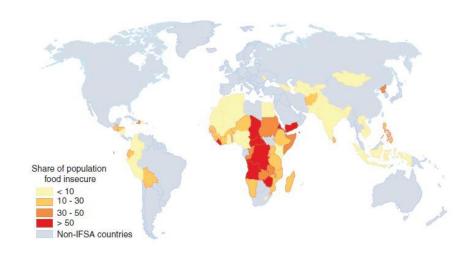


## Growing economies, growing supplies, and falling real food prices improve food security

2018 = 21.1% food insecure



2028 = 10.4% food insecure



Source: USDA-ERS.