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**Perspectives on the World Market For Animal Meals and Fats**

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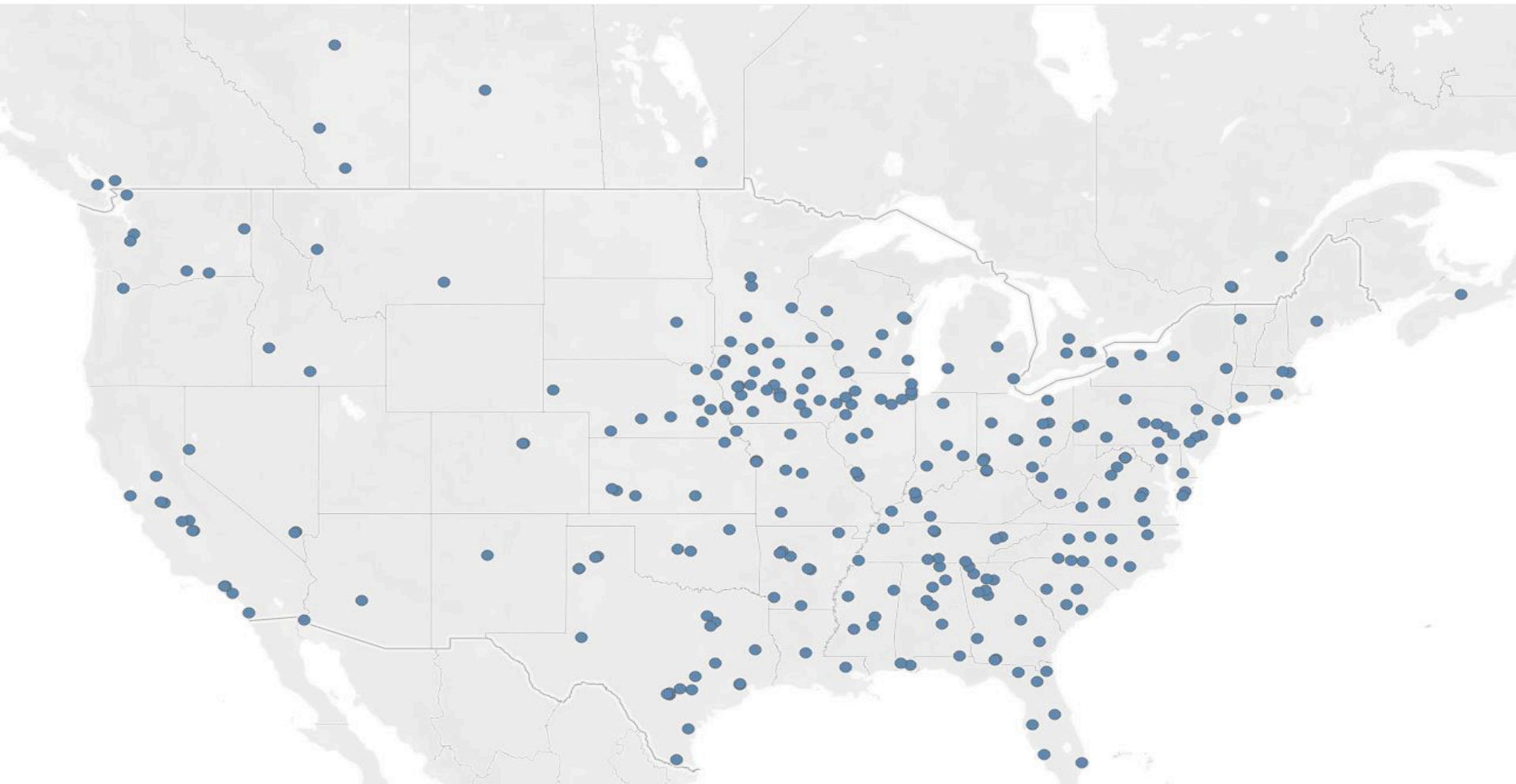
- Founded 1933
- Represent over 95% of rendering in U.S. and Canada
  - Packer renderers
  - Independent renderers
- Headquartered in Alexandria, VA
- Offices in Hong Kong and Mexico City





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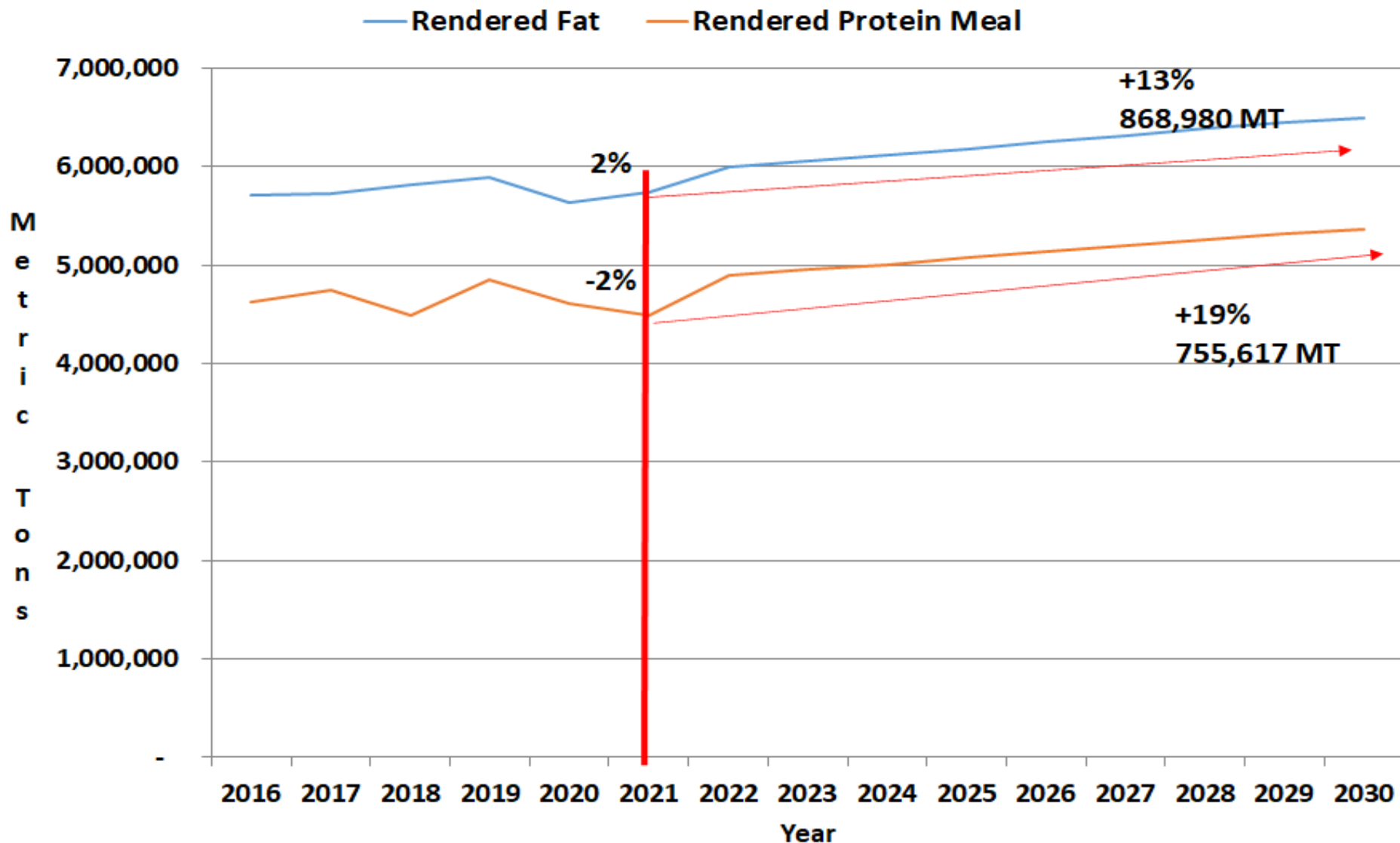
**Major Rendering and Transfer Facilities**



# Production



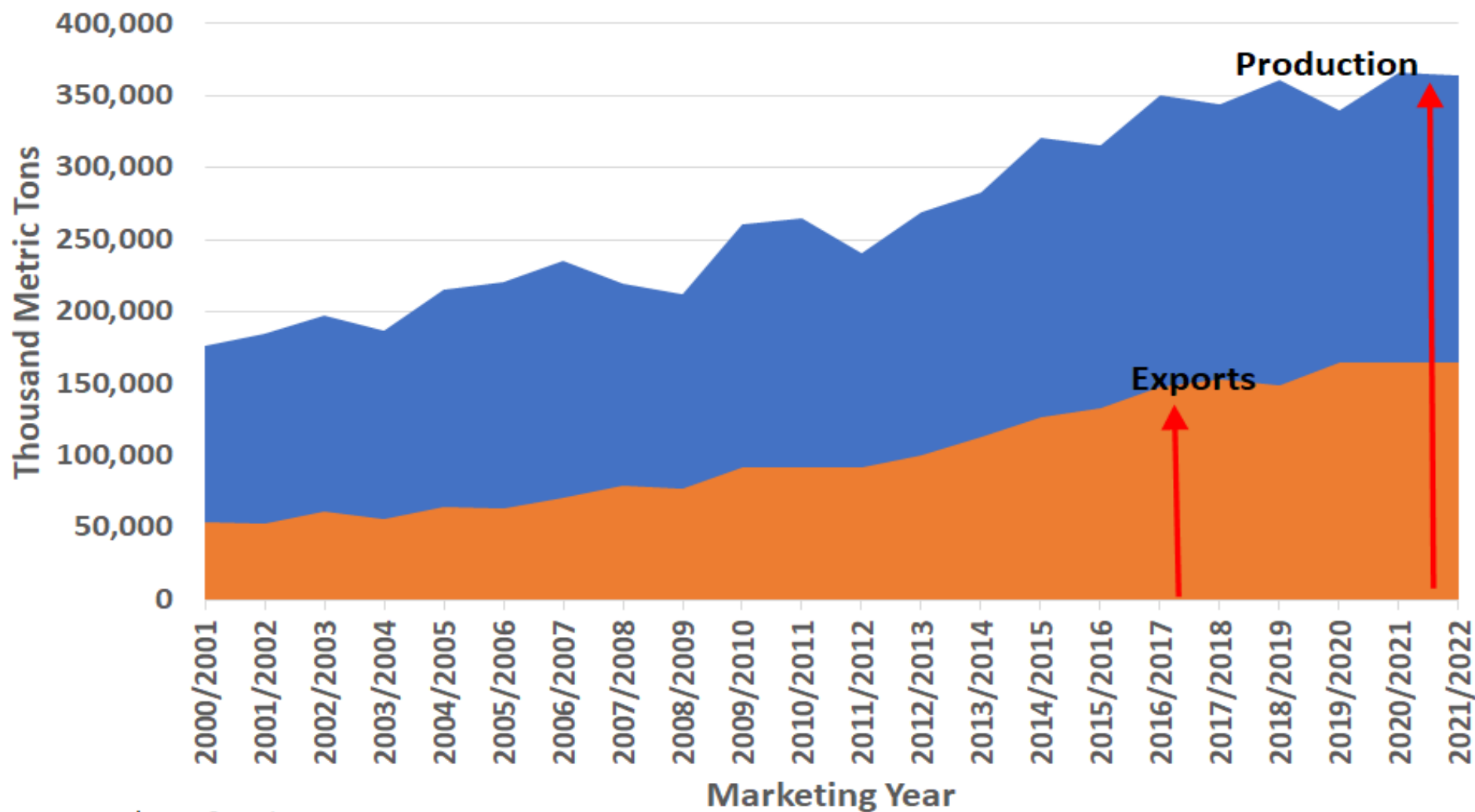
# U.S. Rendered Production Projections to 2030



Source: NARA Forecast Based off USDA Slaughter Projections

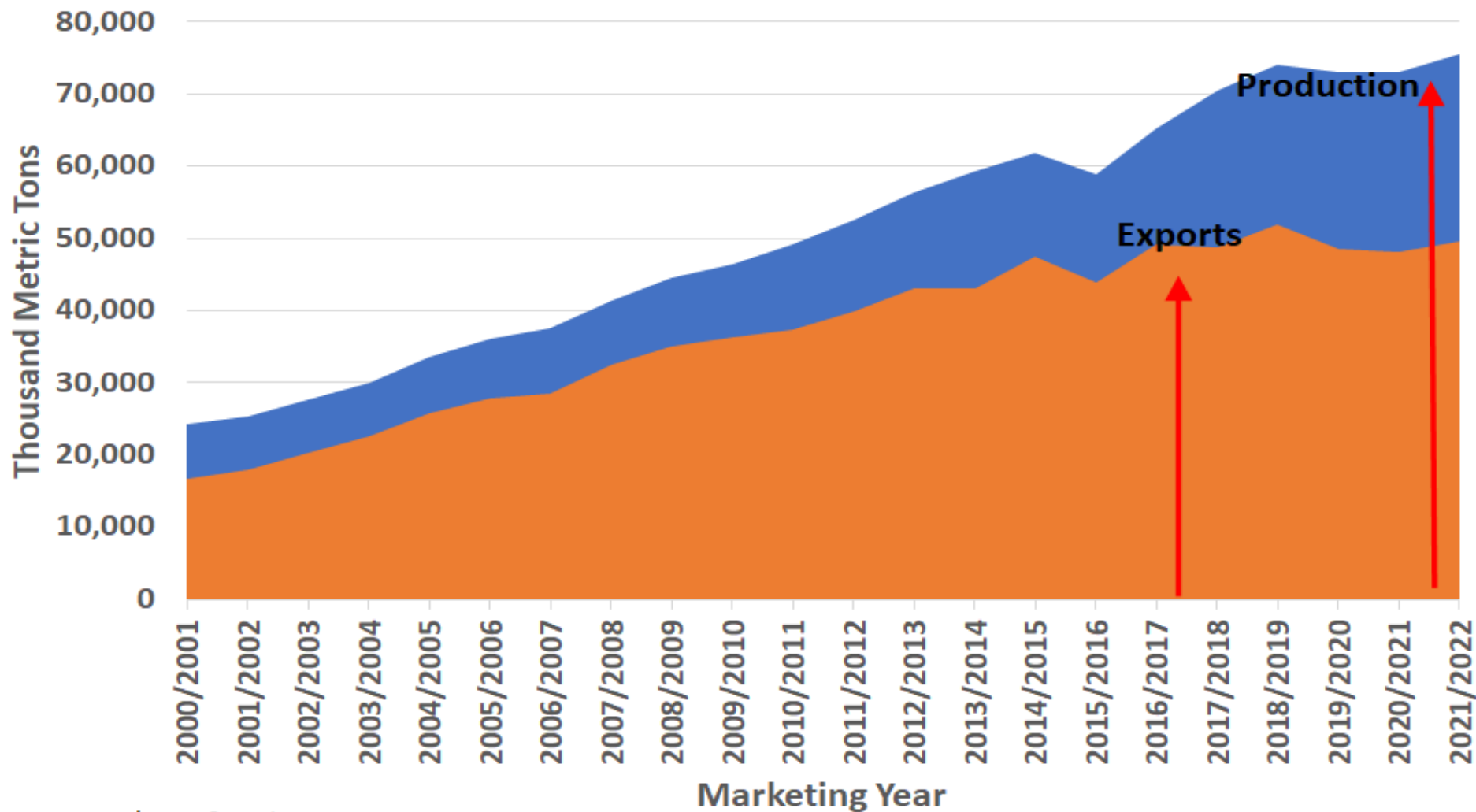


# Global Soybean Production and Exports (2000/01-2021/22)



Source: USDA/FAS PS&D online

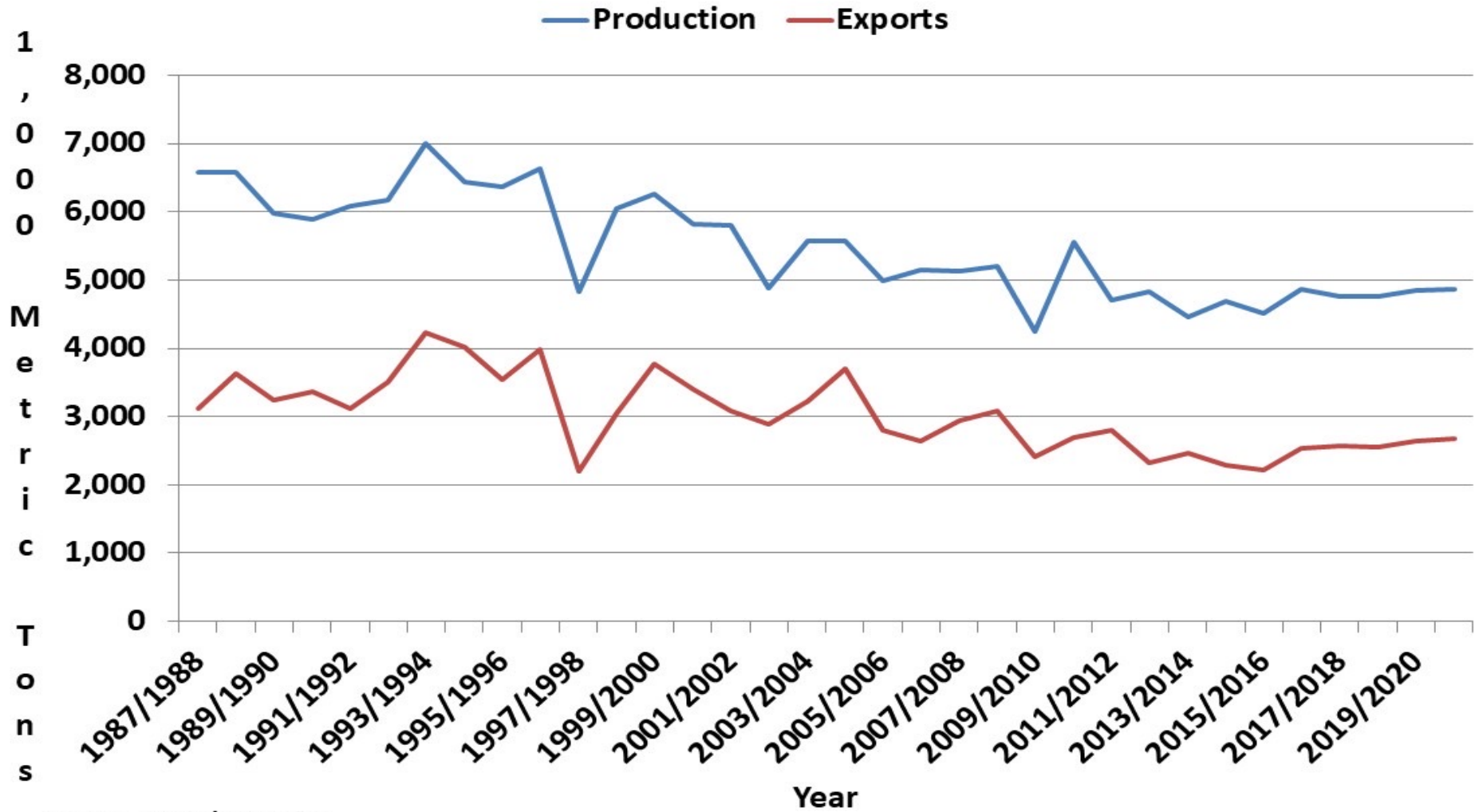
# Global Palm Oil Production and Exports (2000/01-2021/22)



Source: USDA/FAS PS&D online



# Global Production, Consumption, Exports of Fishmeal (1987-2020)



Source: USDA/FAS PS&D



# Trade

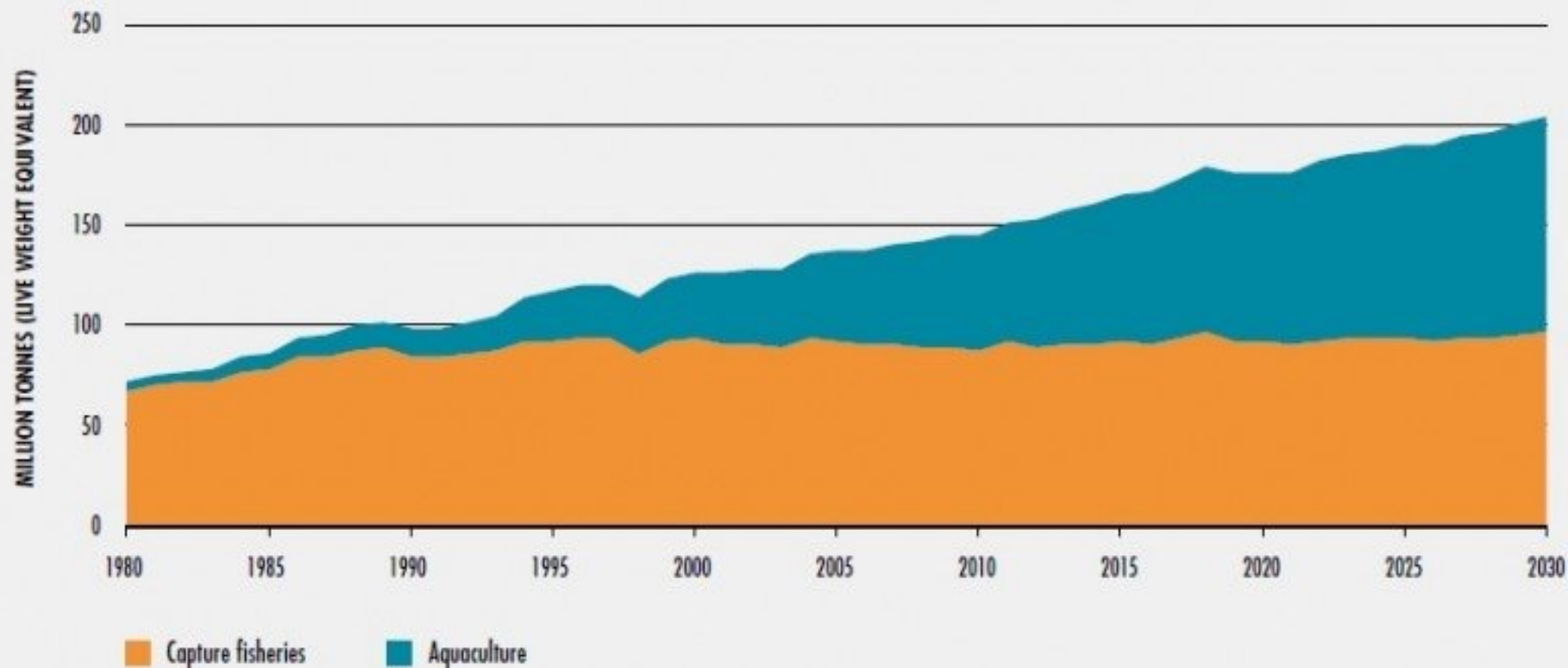


## Why?

<u>Country</u> <u>Population</u>	<u>%Arable Land</u>	<u>%Global</u>
China	6.89%	18.5%
Indonesia	2.57%	3.51%
Vietnam	.43%	1.25%
Brazil	4.65%	2.73%
US	10.49%	4.25%

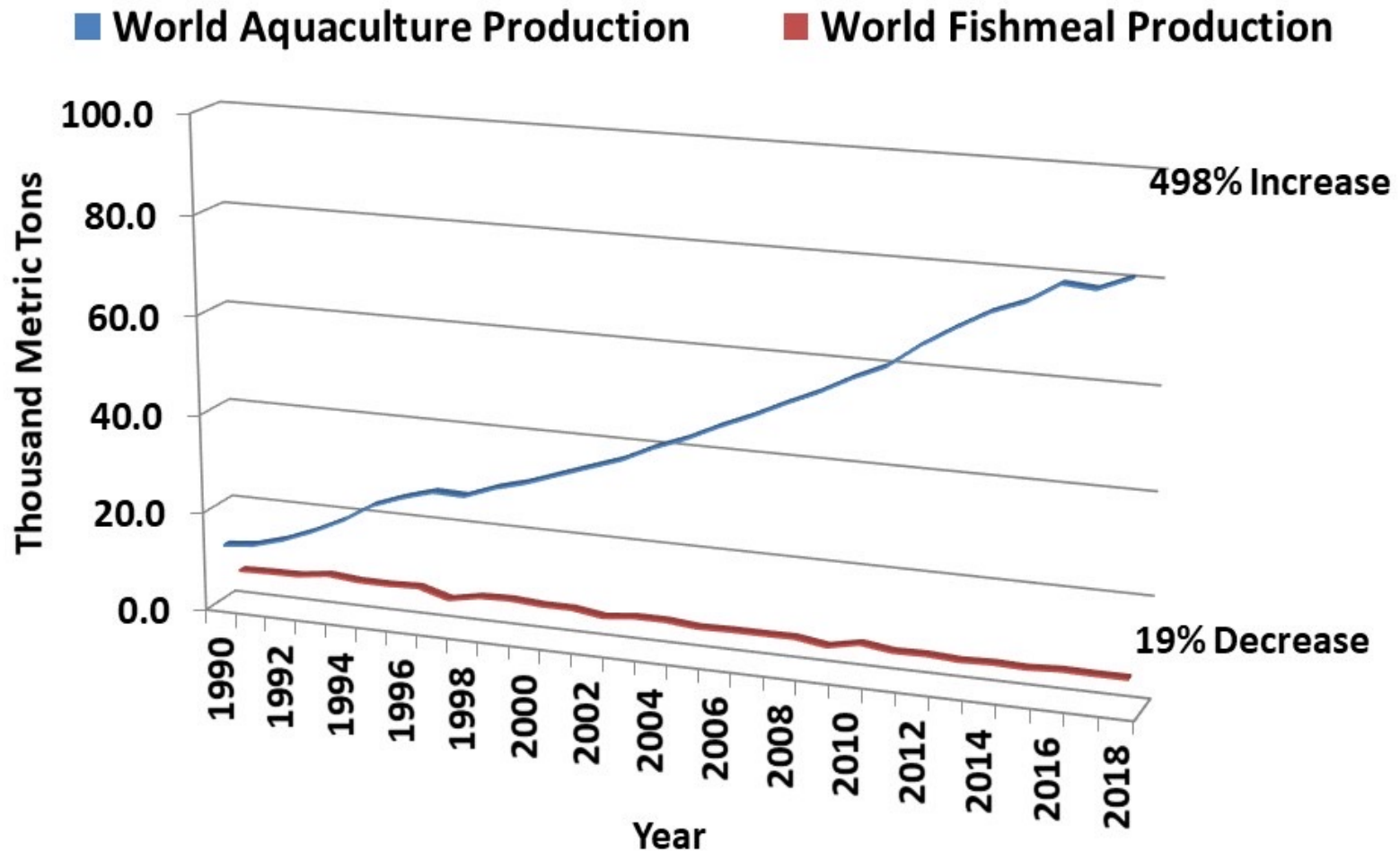


FIGURE 51  
WORLD CAPTURE FISHERIES AND **AQUACULTURE PRODUCTION**, 1980–2030



SOURCE: FAO.

# World Aquaculture and Fishmeal Production (1990-2018)

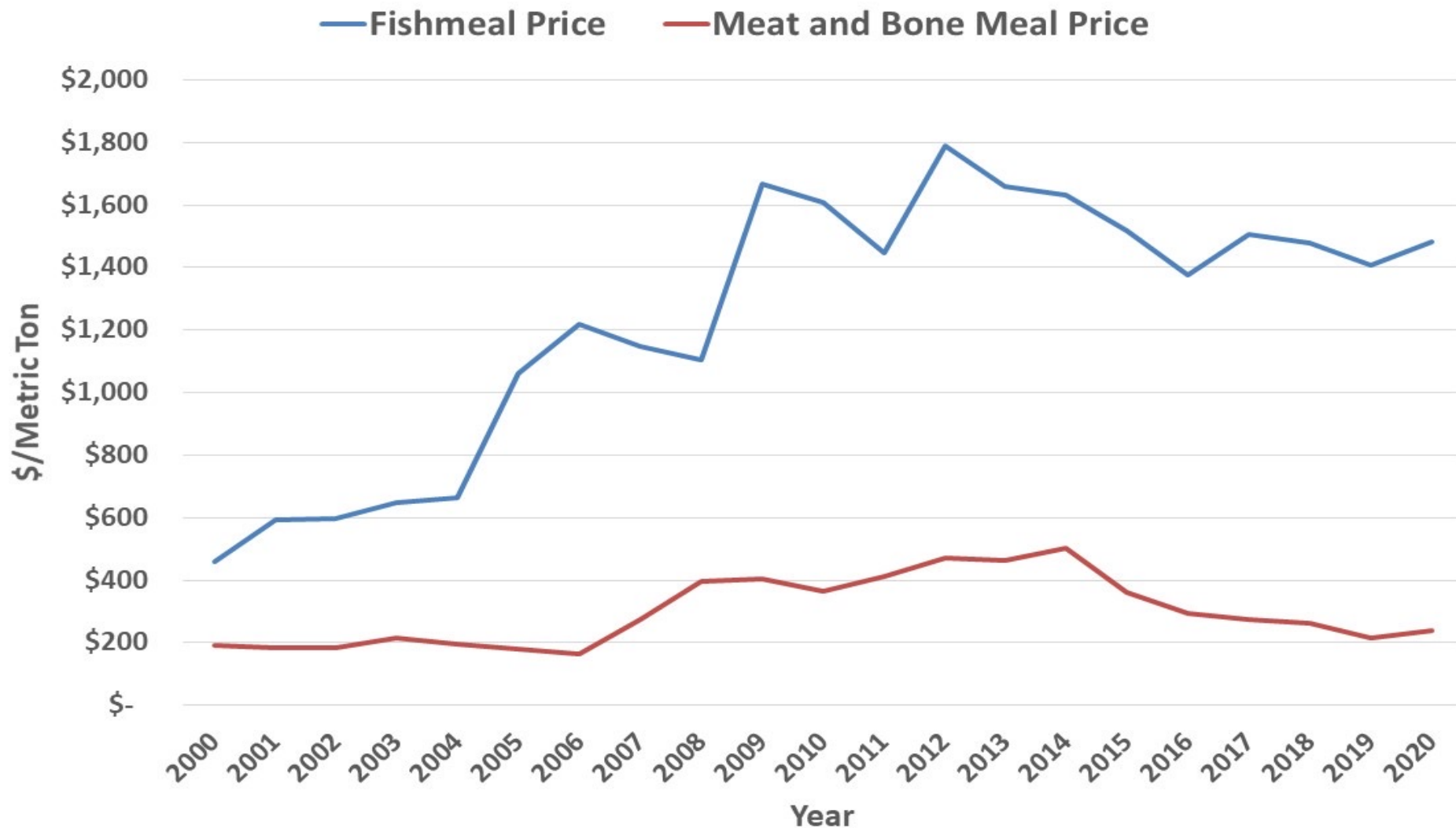


Source: USDA; FAO





# Annual Fishmeal and Ruminant Meat and Bone Meal Price 2000-2020



Source: The Jacobsen Report  
USDA/FAS Oilseeds: World Markets and Trade



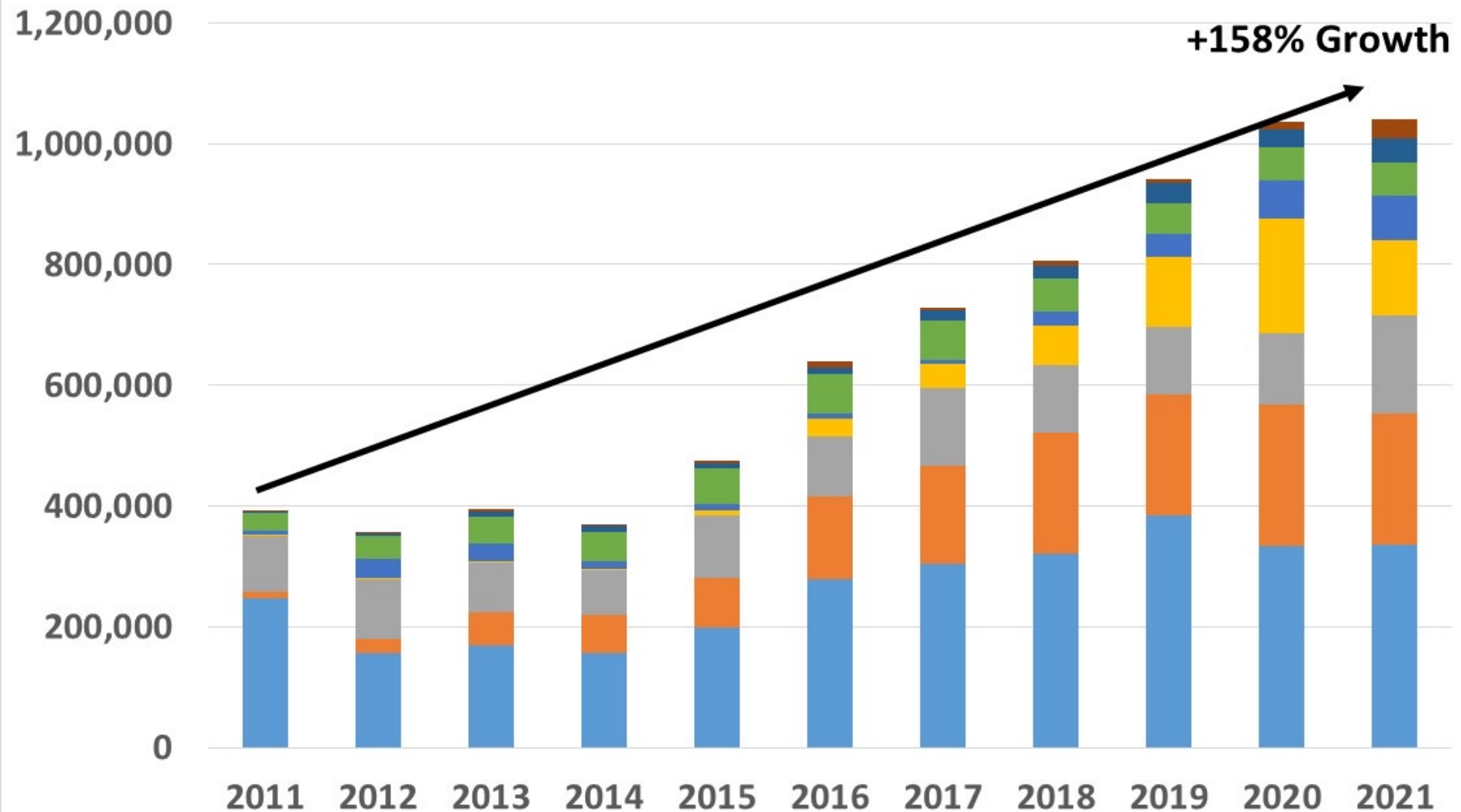


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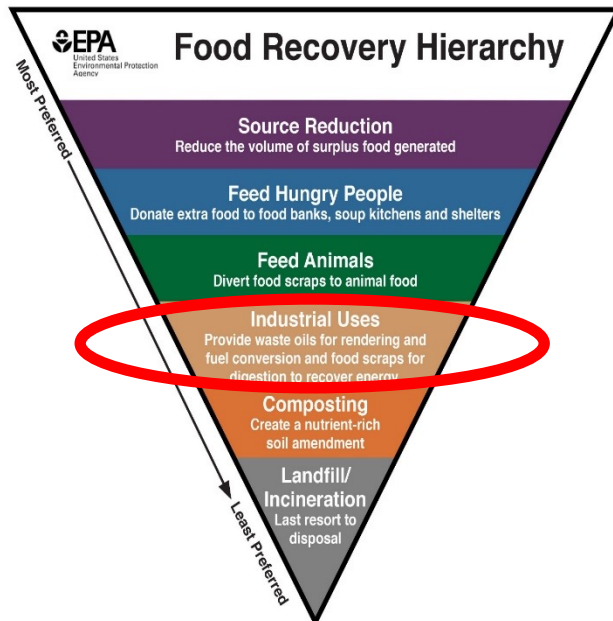


# U.S. Exports of Rendered Protein Meals

Indonesia China Mexico Vietnam  
Philippines Canada Ecuador Honduras



# Industrial Uses



# Renewable Fuel Programs

- **Renewable Fuel Standard (RFS) - US**
  - **RFS sets fuel volumes**
- **Low Carbon Fuel Standard - California**
  - **LCFS sets carbon volumes**
- **EU Renewable Energy Directive (RED)**
- **Brazil - RenovaBio**



## EU Renewable Energy Directive (RED)

Biofuel Production Pathway	Greenhouse Gas Emission Savings
Rape Seed Biodiesel	38%
Soybean Biodiesel	31%
Palm Oil Biodiesel	19%
Palm Oil Biodiesel with Methane Capture at Oil Mill	56%
Waste Vegetable or Animal Oil Biodiesel	83%

# California Low Carbon Fuel Standard (LCFS) Carbon Intensity (CI) Scores (gCO<sub>2</sub>e/MJ)

California Low Carbon Fuel Standard (LCFS) Carbon Intensity Scores (gCO <sub>2</sub> e/MJ)			
Biodiesel Feedstock		Renewable Diesel Feedstock	
<u>North America</u>		<u>North America</u>	
Tallow	34.46	Tallow	36.29
Used Cooking Oil (UCO)	20.16	Used Cooking Oil (UCO)	20.84
Distillers Corn Oil	29.55	Distillers Corn Oil	32.80
Soy Oil	54.23	Soy Oil	55.22
Canola Oil	53.36	<u>Singapore</u>	
		Tallow	36.22
		UCO Global	21.25
		UCO Asian	16.89

Source: California Air Resources Board (CARB); <https://ww2.arb.ca.gov/resources/documents/lcfs-pathway-certified-carbon-intensities>



# What does this mean?

## U.S. Production & Use of Rendered Fat; Year to Date (YTD) 2021

	YTD November 21 (Metric Tons)		
Product	Production	Consumption in Biofuel	Percent of Production
Poultry Fat	882,951	130,379	15%
Tallow	2,653,790	532,063	20%
White Grease	627,822	291,557	46%
Yellow Grease	922,058	1,368,416	148%
Other	208,567	35,675	17%
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>5,295,188</b>	<b>2,358,090</b>	<b>45%</b>
* Does not include imports			

Source: Energy Information Agency, Monthly Biofuels Capacity and Feedstocks Update  
 USDA, National Agricultural Statistics Service, Fats and Oils: Oilseed Crushings, Production,  
 Consumption and Stocks



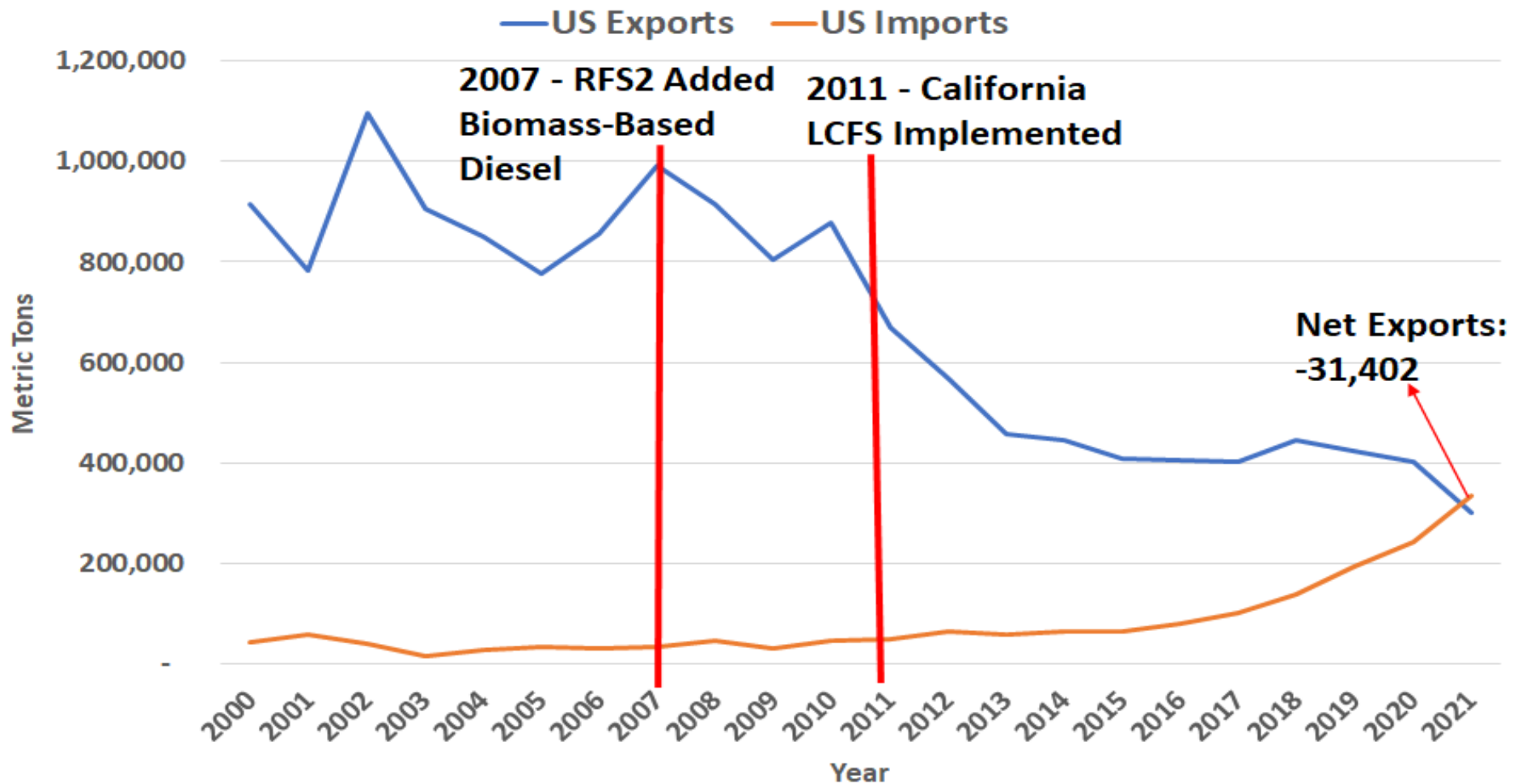


# 1960's





# US Exports and Imports of Tallow (Annual)

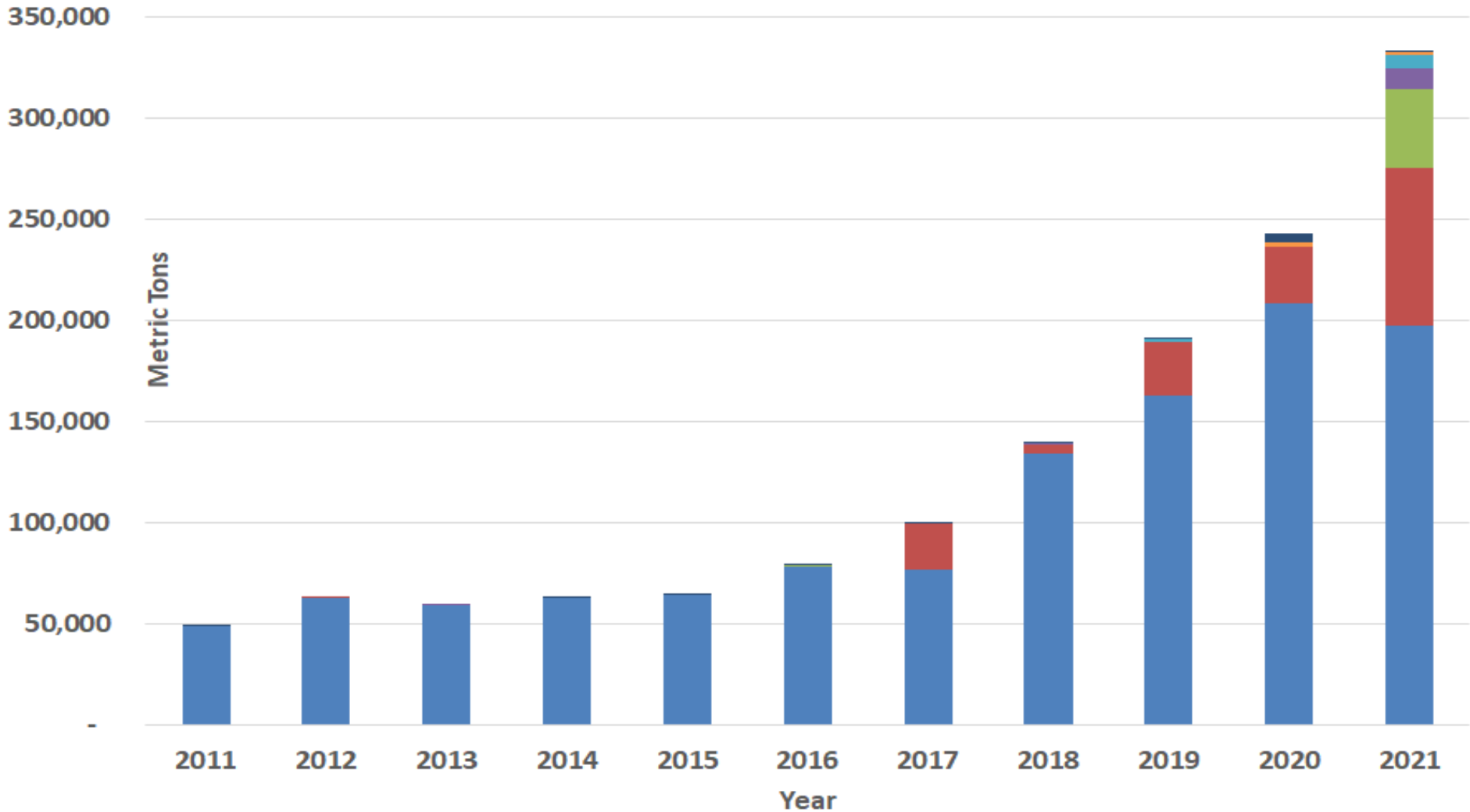


Source: Trade Data Monitor



# U.S. Imports of Tallow (Annual)

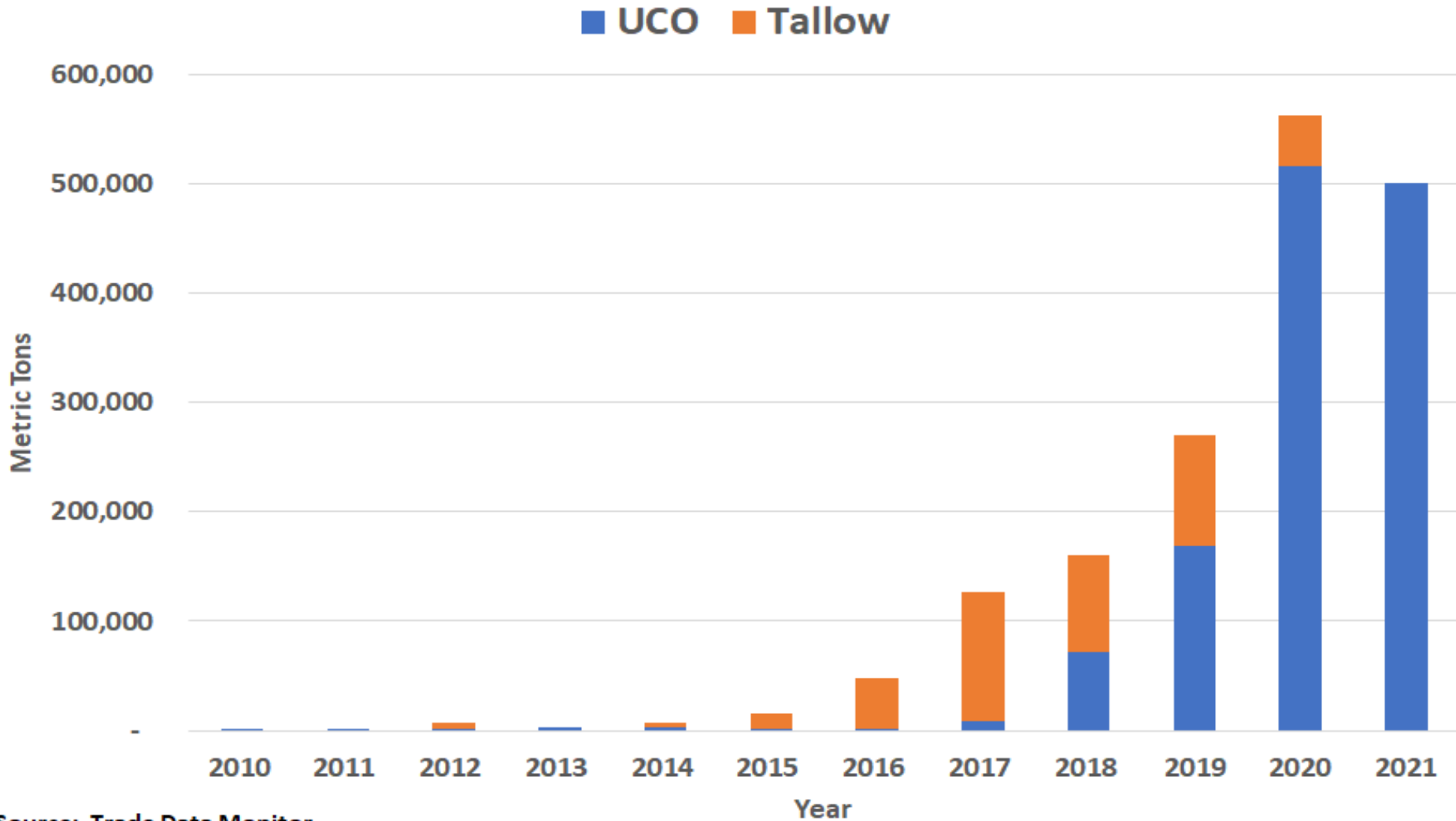
Canada Australia New Zealand Brazil Uruguay Argentina Other



Source: Trade Data Monitor



# U.S. Exports of Tallow and Used Cooking Oil (UCO) to Singapore for Renewable Diesel Production



Source: Trade Data Monitor

# What does this mean, globally?

## Top 8 Global Biodiesel/Renewable Diesel Producers

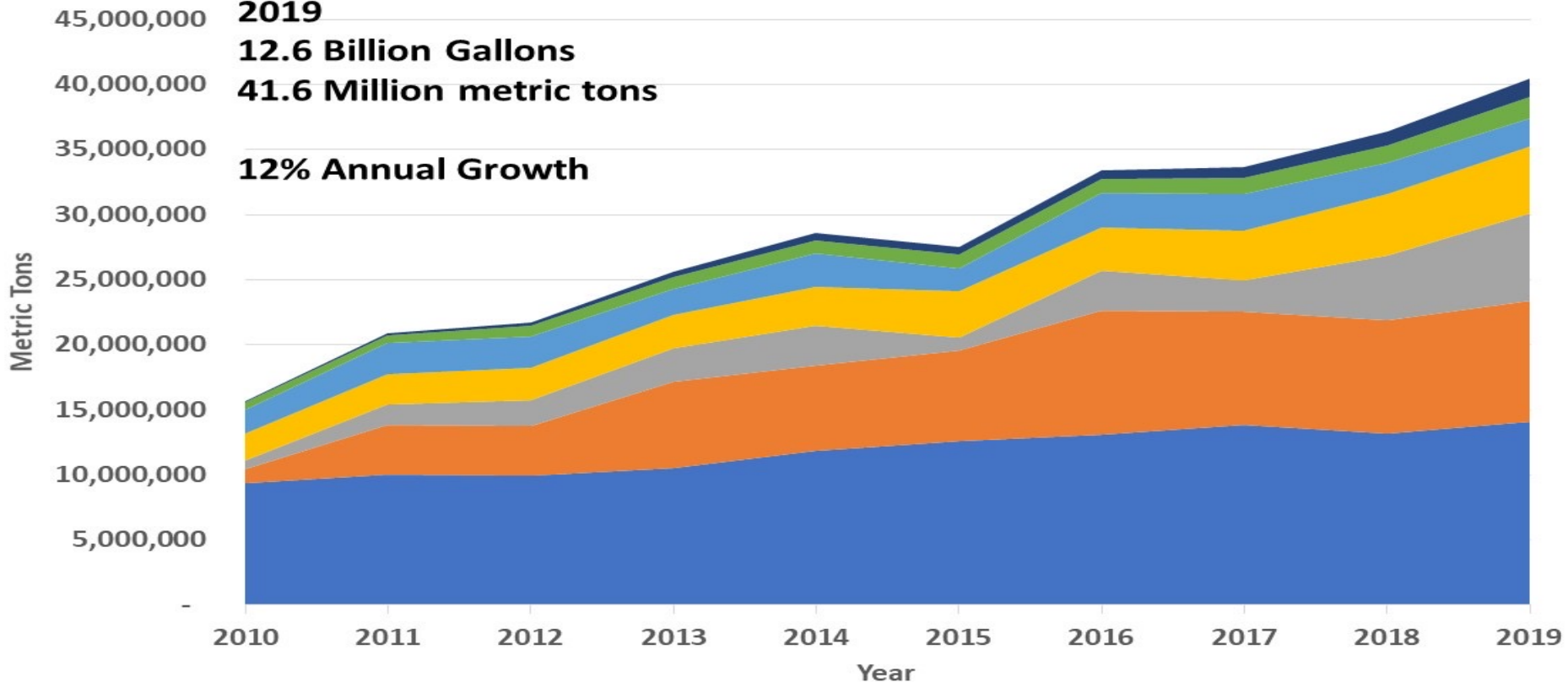
■ EU28      ■ United States      ■ Indonesia      ■ Brazil  
■ Argentina      ■ Thailand      ■ Malaysia      ■ Singapore

**2019**

**12.6 Billion Gallons**

**41.6 Million metric tons**

**12% Annual Growth**





# Sustainability





# UN Definition - 1987

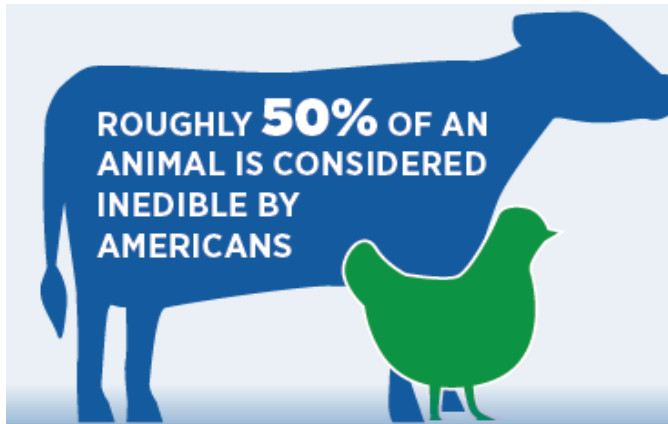
*Development that meets the needs of the present without compromising the ability of future generations to meet their own needs.*

Source: United Nation's World Commission on Environment and Development (the Brundtland Commission), 1987.





# The Original Recyclers



Grocery Stores generate

*Super Foods*

**1.92** BILLION POUNDS

of scraps, fat, bone, expired meat & used cooking oil annually

Renderers collect



**4.4** BILLION POUNDS

of used cooking oil per year in the U.S. and Canada

## RENDERING RECLAIMS AND PROTECTS

**3.7 billion** gallons of water that would otherwise be wasted are reclaimed during rendering, cleaned, and returned to rivers and streams. Rendering also improves water quality by reducing grease and oil that clog sewer and wastewater systems.



## RENDERING COMBATS CLIMATE CHANGE

Rendering protects the environment from high greenhouse gas emissions of other disposal methods. It reduces the environmental impacts of animal agriculture by sequestering 5 times more greenhouse gases than are produced.

This is equal to removing

**18.5 million** cars off the road each year.

If all renderable products were sent to landfills, all available space would be gone in **4 years.**



## FEEDING THE FUTURE

Rendering helps grow the next generation of food by “recycling” unwanted meat into new and clean ingredients for animal food and fertilizer.

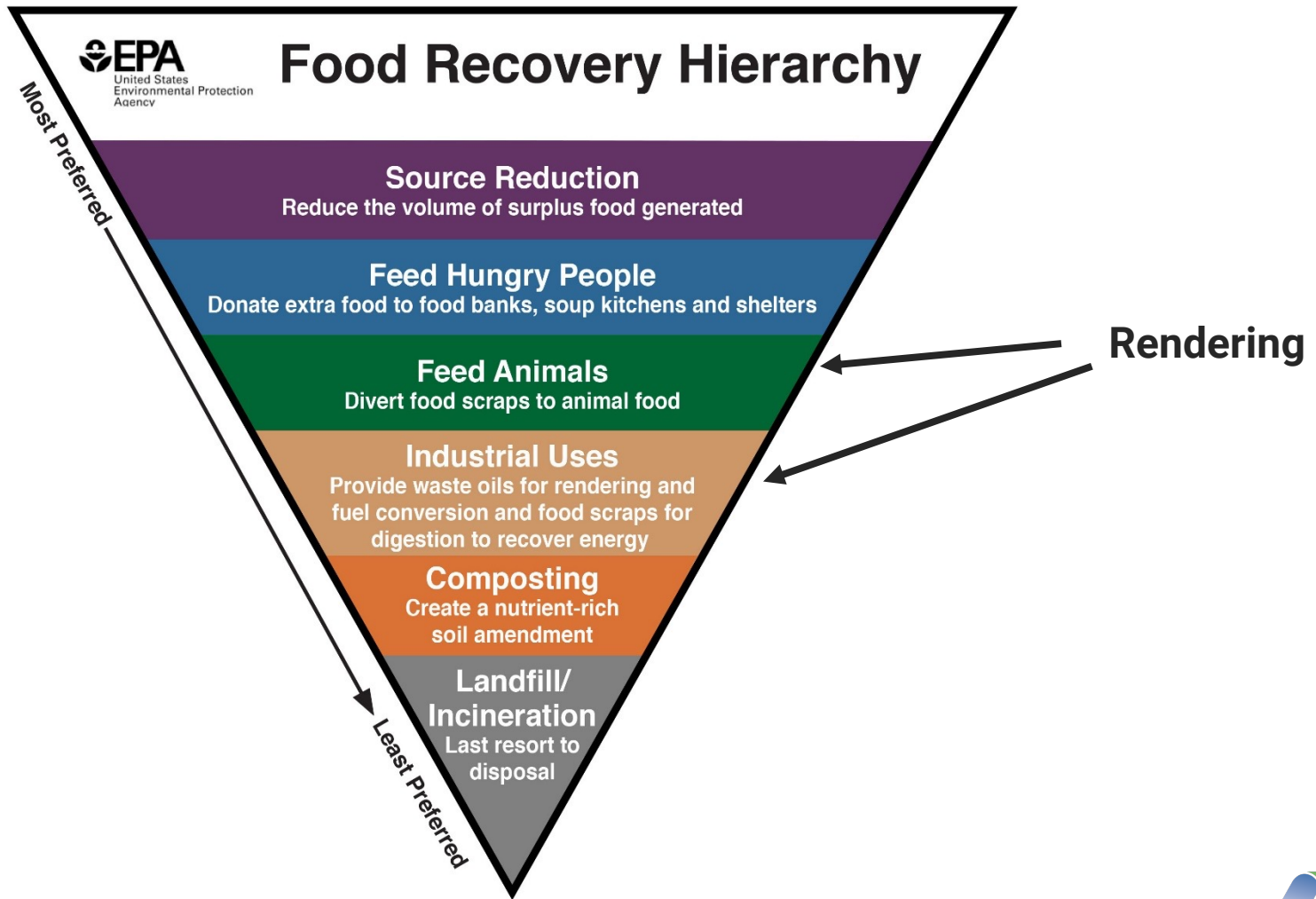


# Rendering reduces Greenhouse Gas Emissions (GHG)

- ✓ **Rendering reduces GHG emissions by 72% and fossil fuel use by 80%** (when compared to petroleum diesel)
- ✓ An average rendering plant sequesters **5 times** more greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions from the environment (such as carbon dioxide) than it emits. Some are even more efficient than that
- ✓ Rendering avoids at least **90%** of the potential GHG emissions compared with industrial composting



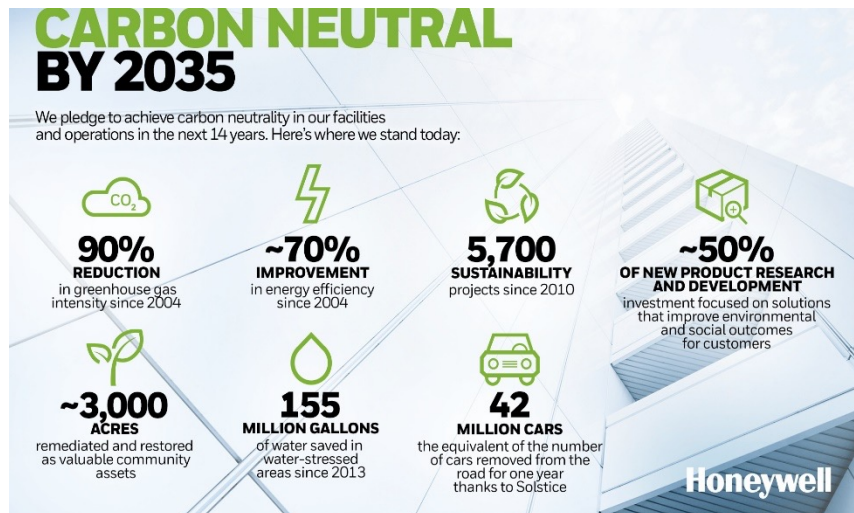
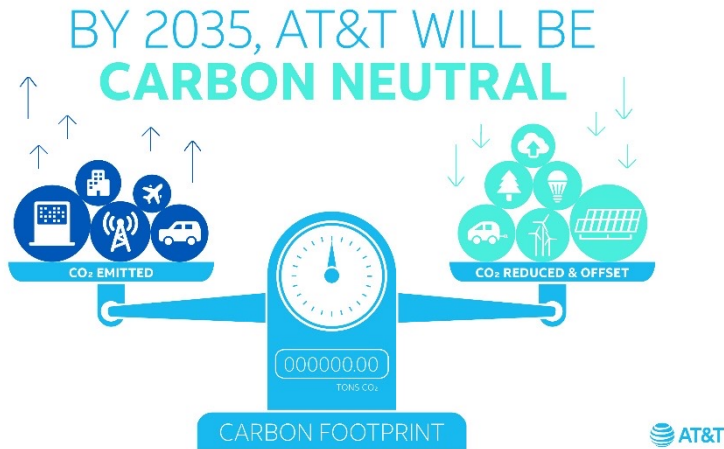
# EPA Food Recovery Hierarchy



Source: <https://www.epa.gov/sustainable-management-food/food-recovery-hierarchy>



# Future





# Questions/Comments?

Animal protein meals,  
*a sustainable piece*  
to the feed ingredient puzzle



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