

# **DAIRY SUBSIDIES IN THE UNITED STATES . . . A CASH COW**

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This paper focuses on dairy price supports and its effectiveness. The research examines the changes in agriculture over the years and the shift from subsistence farming to commercial farming. It also focuses on the beginning of price support legislations and why they were implemented. This research analyzes the history of dairy and examines current dairy policies, which are set to expire by September 30, 2007. Price support programs for dairy products have been deemed ineffective because dairy products face an inelastic demand curve.

