



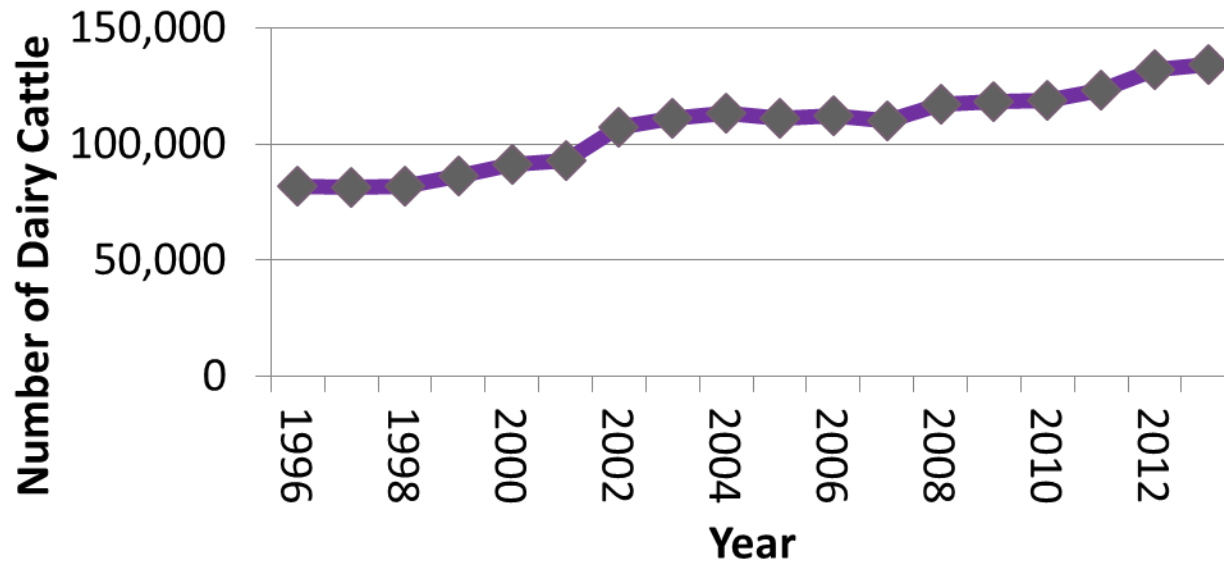
Dairy Education At K-State

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Kansas: Dairy Industry Trends – Production

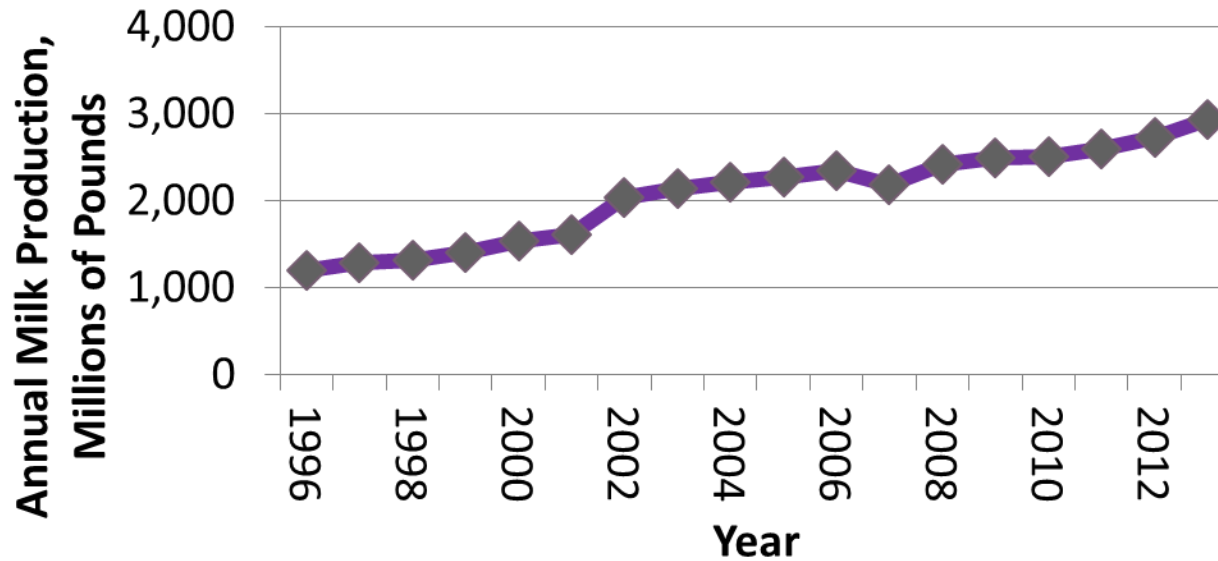


60% Increase in Dairy Cattle Since 1996



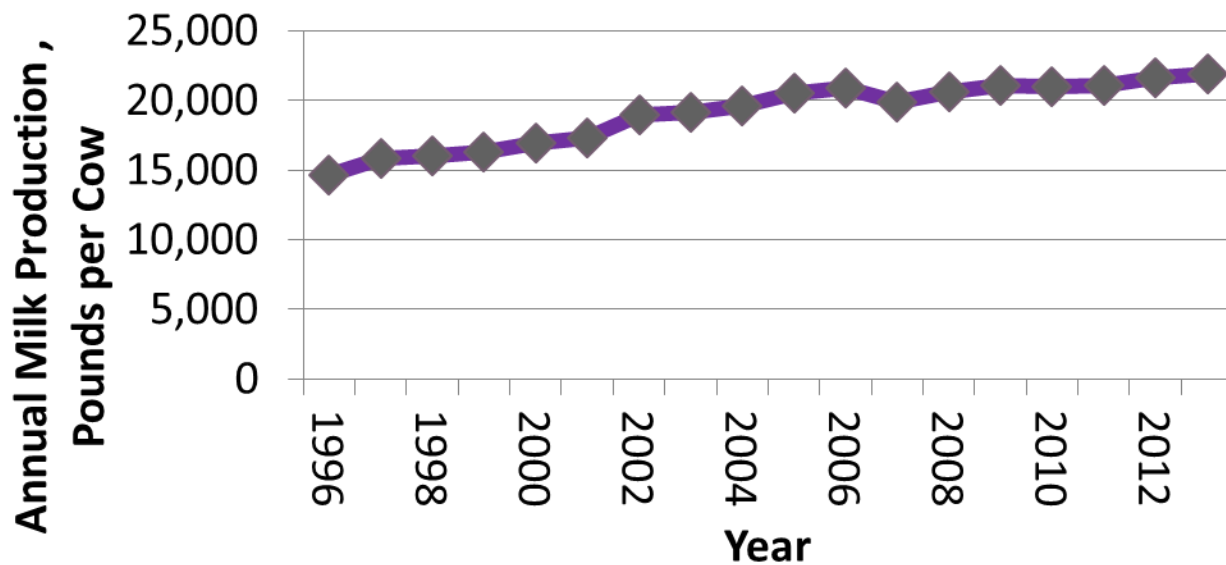


More Than Doubled Milk Production

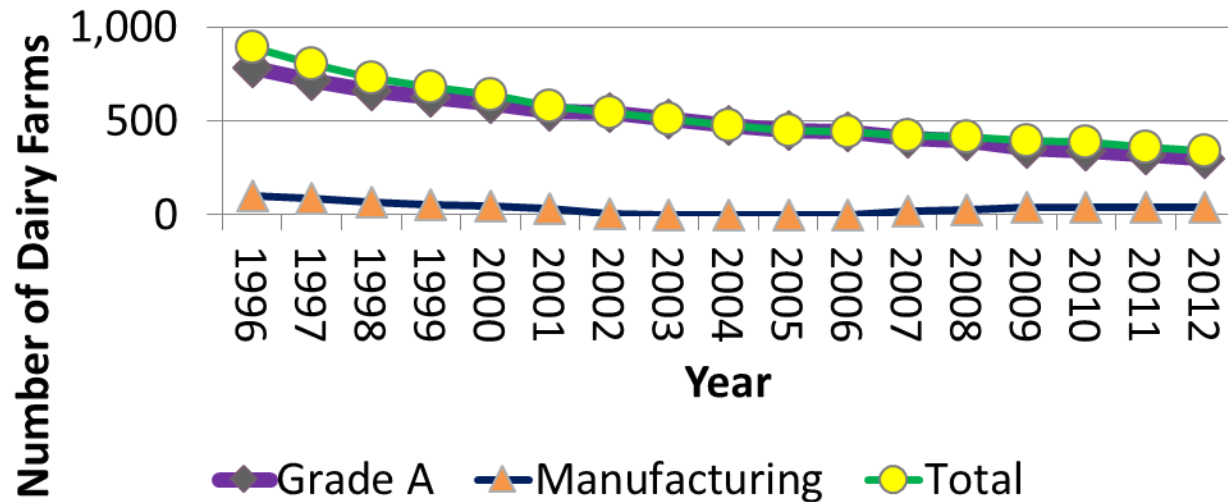




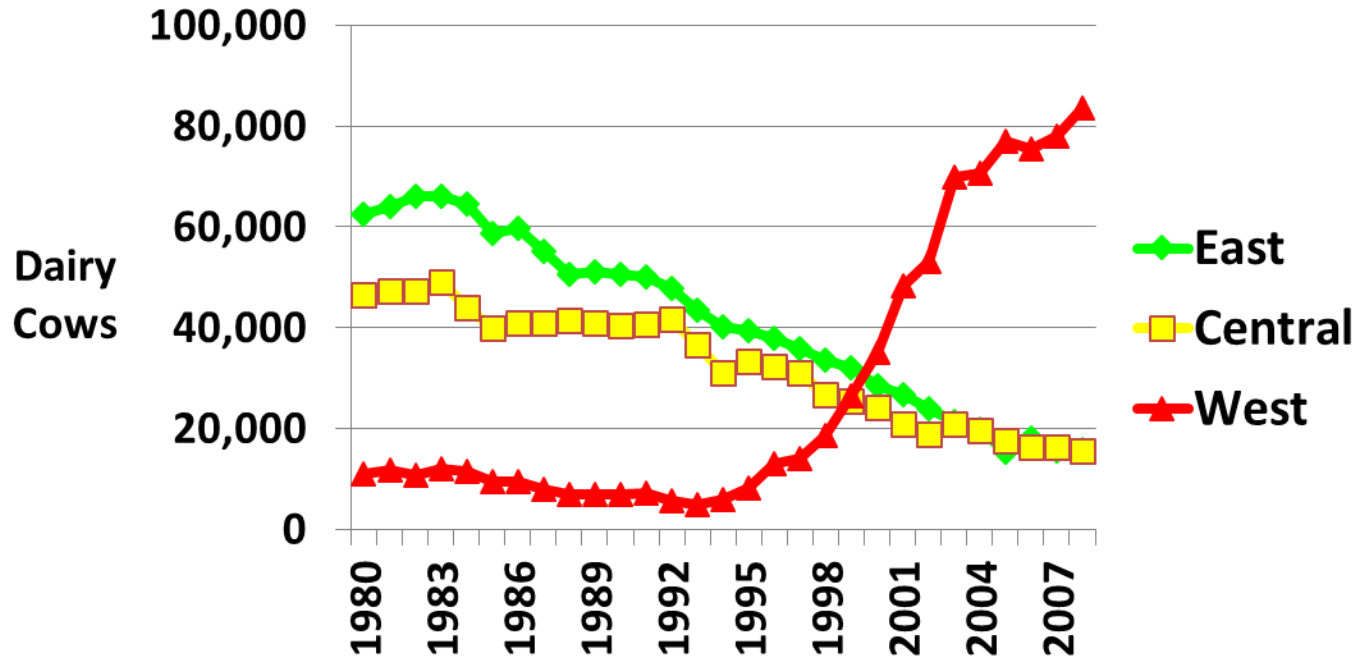
48% Increase in Production Per Cow



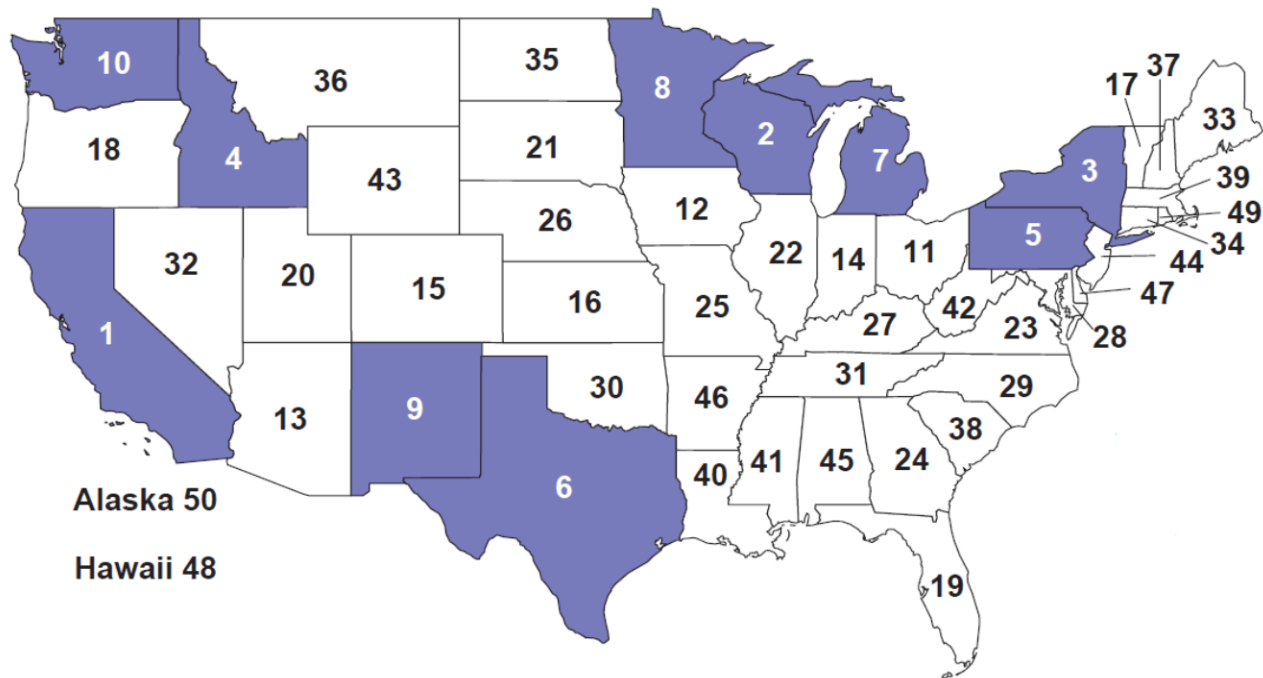
62% Decrease in Total Dairy Farm Numbers



Changes in the Location of Dairy Cattle Within Kansas



2013 Milk Production Ranking Top Ten States Highlighted





KANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY- THE FACULTY

Dr. Barry Bradford



- Research & Teaching
 - ASI 318: Fundamentals of Nutrition (co)
 - ASI 601: Physiology of Lactation (co)
- Research: Ruminant nutrition and animal health
- Graduate (5-7) and undergraduates students

Dr. Micheal Brouk



- Extension & Teaching
 - ASI 621: Dairy Cattle Management
 - ASI 681: Dairy Cattle Forages
- Extension: Heat stress abatement, ruminant nutrition and facilities/robotics
- Graduate (1-2) and undergraduates students
- Team: Dairy Challenge Team

Dr. Lindsey Hulbert

- Research & Teaching
 - ASI 595: Contemporary Issues in Animal Sciences
 - ASI 655: Behavior of Domesticated Animals
- Research: Calf health and immune system; Probiotics to calves; Milk replacer to calves and Suckling development
- Post-doc, graduate (1) and undergraduate (6) students



Dr. Luiz Mendonca



- Extension & Research
- 40% of the state's cows (west and northeast)
- Extension: Educate owners, through managers, to frontline workers, with emphasis on “WHY” to improve performance and understand



Dr. Mendonca – cont.

- Research: Reproductive performance, heat stress
- Collaborations with Drs. Stevenson, Hulbert, & Bradford
- Graduate & undergraduate students research projects
- Global research interests – Uganda, Brazil, etc.
- I-phone app that focuses on cow environment to drive improvement

Dr. Jeffrey Stevenson



- Research & Teaching
 - ASI 106: Dairy and Poultry Lab (~250 students)
 - ASI 832: Ovarian Physiology
- Research: Monitor activity to predict ovulation in cows – manipulate progesterone before breeding
- Graduate (2) and undergraduate (1) students

Dr. Stevenson - cont.

- Faculty Coordinator: Dairy Research and Teaching Facility and KABSU
 - Milk 260 cows/day
 - ~20 students workers/semester
- Monthly column for Hoard's Dairyman



Here today ...
and tomorrow



Dr. Jayendra Amamcharla



- Research & Teaching
 - FDSCI 740 Research and Development
 - FDSCI 728 Physical Methods of Food Analysis
- Research: Magnetic treated fluids & biofilm eradication
- Graduate (3) and undergraduate (5) students
- Product Development Teams (National Dairy Council & Research Chef Council)

Dr. Jayendra – cont.

- Faculty Coordinator: Dairy Plant & Bar
- Utilize ~87,000 gal of raw milk
- Main client: K-State Dining and Housing
- Products:
 - Milk, American-style cheeses, Ice cream
 - ~80% into milk, 13% cheese, and rest ice cream mix
 - ~17,000 gallons of ice cream (46 flavors)/year



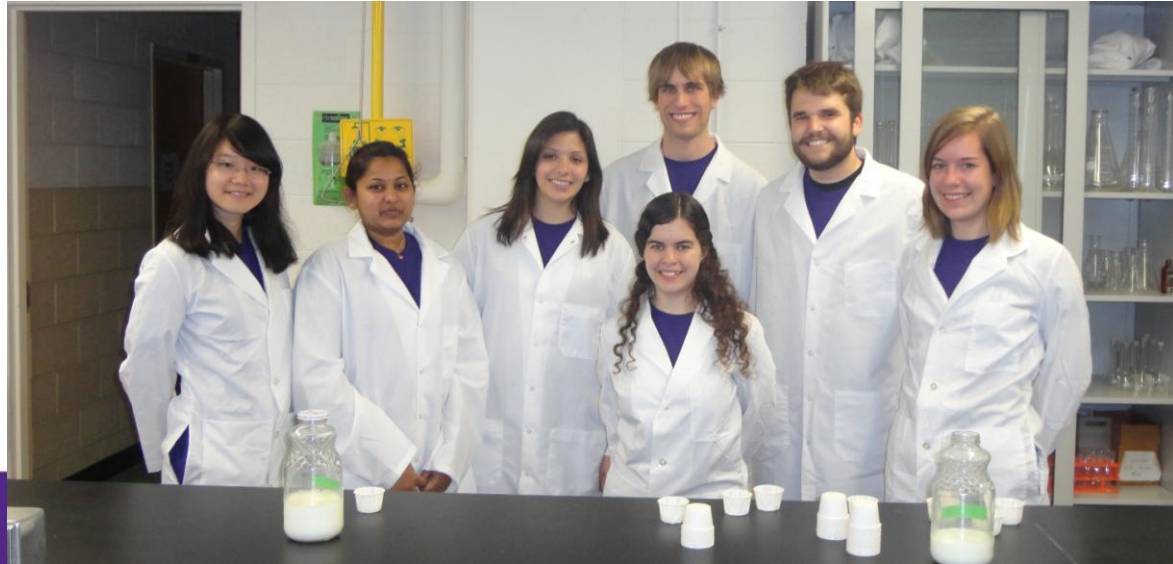


Dr. Karen Schmidt

- Teaching & Research
 - ASI 405: Fundamentals of Milk Processing (~12)
 - ASI 608: Dairy Foods Technology (~12 to 15)
 - FDSCI 430: Food Product Evaluation (~12)
 - FDSCI 695: Quality Assurance of Food Products (~60)
- Research: Quality of Dairy Foods

Dr. Schmidt – cont.

- Graduate (4) & occasionally undergraduate students
- Coach? Dairy Products Evaluation Team (1993 – 2000, then 2012)





DAIRY PROCESSING (OR RELATED) CLASSES



Fundamentals of Milk Processing

- Milk processing from “farm” to consumer
- Regulations, best practices, testing, and “science” of best practices
- 2 h lecture & 3 h lab/wk
- ~10 to 12 undergraduate students (Animal Sciences, Agricultural Economics, Agricultural Communications & Food Science)



Fund. Milk Processing – cont.

- Do: milk pick-up, raw and processed milk quality testing, Heart of America DHIA, chocolate milk processing, cleaning and sanitation, etc.
- Classes: regulations and science of the process, test, procedure, etc.
- Features: Guest Experts, “in the dairy plant”, tours



Dairy Products: Technology & Processing

- Dairy foods and dairy-based ingredients
- 30% cheese, cultured, processed cheese and then the rest devoted to butter, ice cream and dairy-based ingredients
- 2 h lecture & 3 h lab/wk
- ~10 to 12 undergraduate and graduate students (ASI & FDSCI)



Dairy Products: - cont.

- Do: make Colby/Cheddar cheese, ice cream (own flavor), processed cheese, and yogurts, etc.
- Classes: theory of manufacture and identification of quality characteristics (or standards)
- Features: cheese Smörgåsbord, “see when making”, student projects, etc.



Food Product Evaluation

- Six dairy foods and other foods
- 50% cheese, cultured, butter, ice cream, and milk
- 2 h lecture & 2 h lab/wk
- ~10 to 12 undergraduate students (Animal Sciences, Agricultural Education, Ag Communication, Ag Business and Food Science)
- Former Dairy Products Evaluation Class



Food Product: - cont.

- Do: basic sensory tests, evaluated market dairy foods, learn the score cards
- Classes: basic manufacture and quality parameters (sensory)
- Features: Red meats, poultry, cheese Smörgåsbord, student projects, etc.



Overall

- 20 years +
- Total: ~400 students (predominately undergraduate)
- Not a solo effort
 - Dairy Bar and Plant Staff, Fellow Faculty Members, Graduate Teaching Assistants
 - Teams: Recognize the Dairy and Allied Industries (both financial, “teaching”, and samples



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Questions?

