

## What We Do

*Purchase and deliver* processed commodities under domestic distribution programs such as the National School Lunch, Commodity Supplemental Food, Food Distribution Program on Indian Reservations and Disaster Assistance Programs.

*Purchase* commodities for distribution to foreign countries under Titles II and III of Public Law 480, Food for Progress and Section 416(b) of the Agricultural Act of 1949 and the McGovern-Dole International Food for Education and Child Nutrition Program, through private voluntary organizations and the World Food Programme.

*Purchase* from vendors or processors Dairy Product Price Support program commodities such as butter, cheese, and nonfat dry milk.

*Acquire and dispose* of commodities pledged as collateral for marketing assistance loans, such as wheat, corn, soybeans, oilseeds, cotton, peanuts, and other commodities.

*Market, manage and regularly analyze* the location, condition and quantity of CCC inventories such as cotton, grain, oilseeds, peanuts, nonfat dry milk, sugars and rice.

*Establish* posted county prices for locations throughout the U.S. to develop loan rates and loan deficiency payments and marketing assistance loan repayments rates.

*Administer* the CCC Storage Agreements for grain, rice, cotton, processed commodities, sugar and peanuts.

*Administer* the USWA and perform warehouse examinations and audits in support of USWA and CCC Programs.

*Monitor and evaluate* the marine transportation of commodities for Private Voluntary Organizations (PVO) and conduct risk assessments for program marine transportation contracts.

*Prepare claims and adjudicate* debts by and against CCC resulting from international and domestic transportation, vendor and warehouse losses.

*Process* requests for loan cotton transfers which enables sellers to pre-position their cotton for faster response to sales opportunities.

*Administer* the Economic Adjustment Assistance Program which provides payments on eligible cotton, assisting manufacturers to keep their facilities competitive with worldwide competition

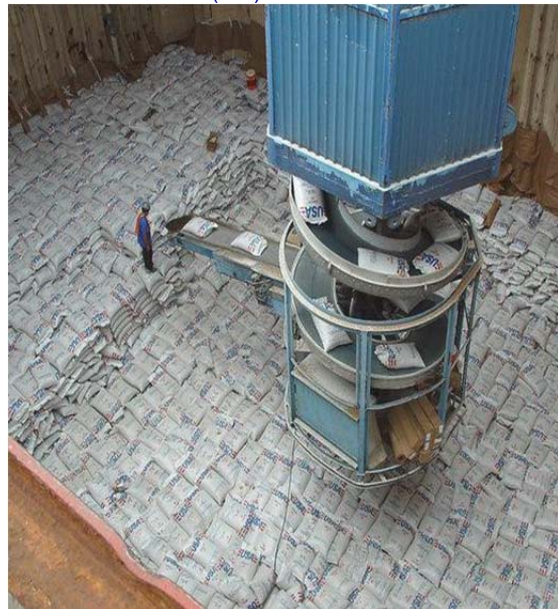
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## Commodity Operations FY 2012

### Program Mission:

- **Ensure timely and efficient provision of high-quality, safe food products to domestic and international humanitarian food assistance programs**
- **Provide expertise in the development and delivery of safe and nutritious food assistance**
- **Implement statutory mandates and achieve departmental goals for preference programs through procurement activities**
- **Support domestic farm commodity programs through accurate price discovery for program crops. Effectively manage Commodity Credit Corporation (CCC) interests and commodities**
- **Administer the U.S. Warehouse Act (USWA)**

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## Commodity Operations Statistics FY 2012

<b>Domestic Program Purchases</b>	
Dairy Products	232.2 Million Lbs.
Pasta Products	52.2 Million Lbs
Flour Products	46.6 Million Lbs.
Rice Products	38.6 Million Lbs.
Cereal Products	29.3 Million Lbs.
Peanut Products	29.7 Million Lbs
Vegetable Oil Products	11.9 Million Lbs.
Corn Products	7.0 Million Lbs.
Tortillas	2.8 Million Lbs.
Bakery Flour Mix	2.9 Million Lbs.
Pancakes	1.6 Million Lbs.
Crackers	0.5 Million Lbs.
Sunflower Seed Butter	0.7 Million Lbs.

<b>International Program Purchases</b>	
Bulk Grain Products	1,059,130 MT
Peas, Beans, Lentils	139,780 MT
Corn Products	116,090 MT
Oil Products	85,661 MT
Wheat Products	98,950 MT
Rice Products	165,300 MT
Whole Grain Products	23,710 MT
Emergency Food Products	980 MT
Dehydrated Potato Products	980 MT
Soy Products	46,530 MT
Bags, Woven Polypropylene	13,073,000 bags

<b>Domestic Freight Payments</b>	
All Commodities	\$0

<b>End-Use Certificate Program Canadian Wheat</b>	
Imported	1,555,000 MT
Consumed	938,000 MT

<b>Special Programs Cash/Certificate Subsidy Payments</b>	
Economic Export Incentive Program	\$64 Million
Executed Cotton Loan Transfers	604,000 Bales

<b>Transfers for On-Line Sales</b>	
Cotton	503 Bales

<b>Shipments – All Commodities</b>		
Rail Cars	Trucks	Multi-Food Shipments
0	0	0

<b>U.S. Warehouse Act</b>	
937 licenses 3,161 warehouse locations	
4 Authorized Electronic Warehouse Receipt Providers	

<b>Storage Capacity licensed under U.S. Warehouse Act</b>	
5.1 Billion bushels of grain	
38.2 Million cwt of dry edible beans	
10.3 Million bales of cotton	
3.3 Million tons of peanuts	
0.3 Million cwt of cottonseeds	

<b>Storage and Handling Payments</b>	
Processed Commodities	\$500
Bulk Commodities	\$ 0

<b>Warehouse Locations Under CCC Agreements</b>	
Grain and Rice	5,544
Cotton	371
Peanuts	307
Processed Commodities	115
Sugar	92

<b>Storage Capacity under CCC Agreements</b>		
Sugar	14.3	Billion Lbs.
Grain and Rice	8.9	Billion Bu.
Processed-Dry	2.4	Billion Lbs.
Cotton	21.7	Million Bales
Processed-Freezer	3.9	Million Lbs.
Processed-Cooler	4.0	Million Lbs.
Peanuts	3.3	Million Short Tons

<b>Procurement Data – First two quarters</b>		
<b>Program</b>	<b>Small Business Value</b>	<b>Small Business Percent</b>
<b>2012 Domestic</b>	<b>\$77,901,919</b>	<b>47.56%</b>
<b>2012 International</b>	<b>\$118,170,593</b>	<b>46.8%</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$196,072,512</b>	
<b>2013 Domestic</b>	<b>\$75,002,754</b>	<b>20.51%</b>
<b>2013 International</b>	<b>\$181,291,144</b>	<b>48.08%</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$256,293,898</b>	

*All Information is as of 09/30/12*