

Facts about

CROP INSURANCE

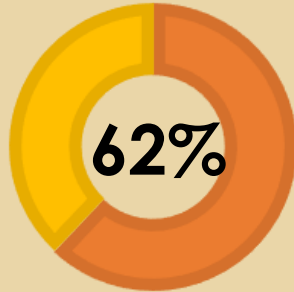
The

HIGH COSTS

of crop insurance



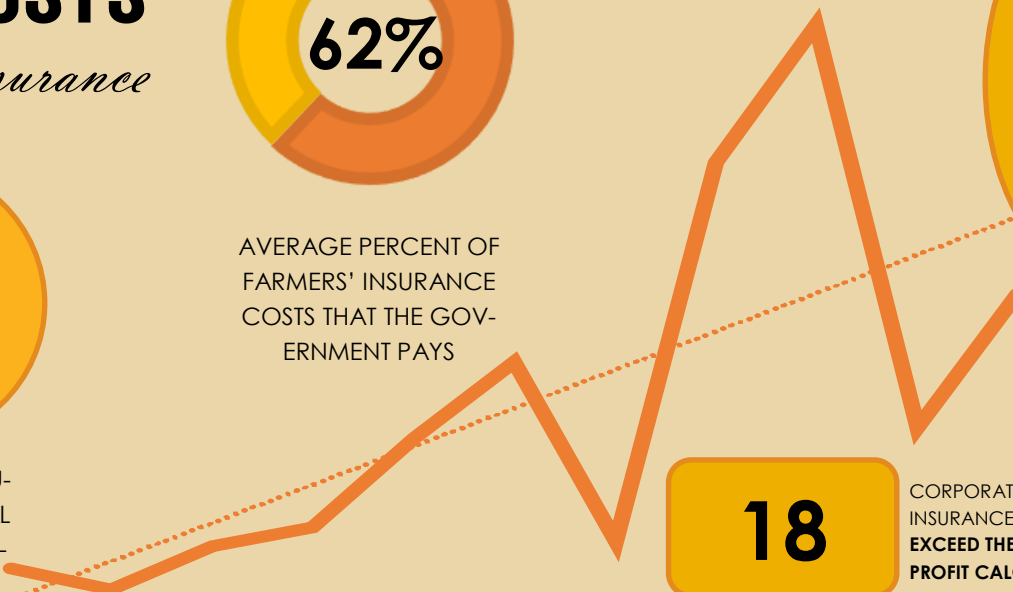
THE AVERAGE ANNUAL COST OF FEDERAL CROP INSURANCE—
AND CLIMBING.



AVERAGE PERCENT OF FARMERS' INSURANCE COSTS THAT THE GOVERNMENT PAYS



ANNUALLY PAID TO INSURANCE COMPANIES TO COVER ADMINISTRATIVE AND OPERATING COSTS OF CROP INSURANCE



CORPORATIONS PROVIDE CROP INSURANCE. THESE COMPANIES ROUTINELY EXCEED THE "REASONABLE" RATE OF PROFIT CALCULATED BY THE USDA.

BIG FARMS

Win



90% of crop insurance subsidies accrue to the largest 15% of farms.



80% of all subsidies support the cultivation of only four crops: corn, soy, cotton, and wheat.

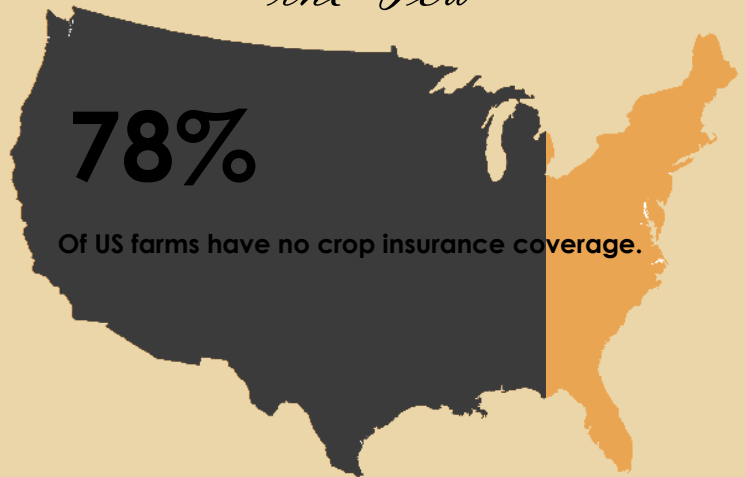
26 FARMS

received over \$1 million each in crop insurance subsidies in 2011.



ONLY FOR

the Few



And...

ONLY 35% OF ALL FARMLAND QUALIFIES FOR CROP INSURANCE.

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