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Crop Insurance

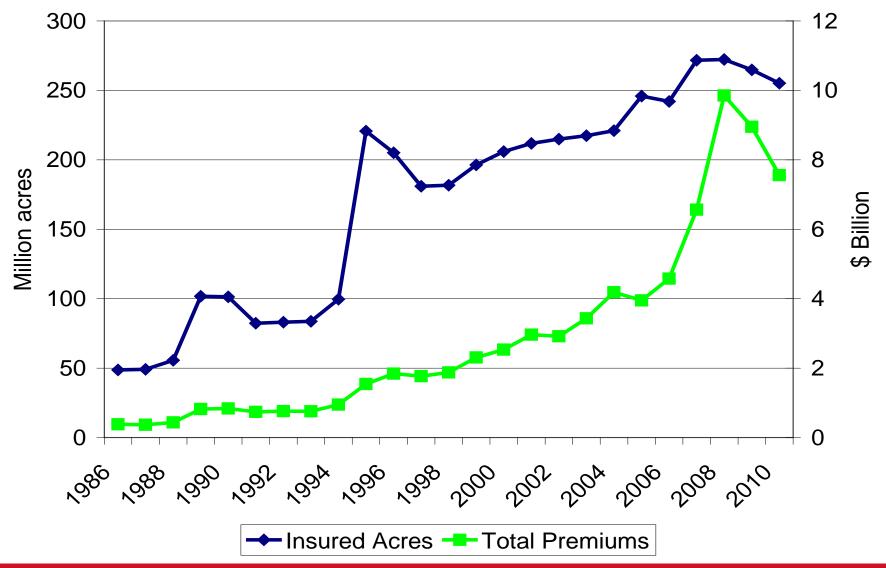
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Federal Crop Insurance



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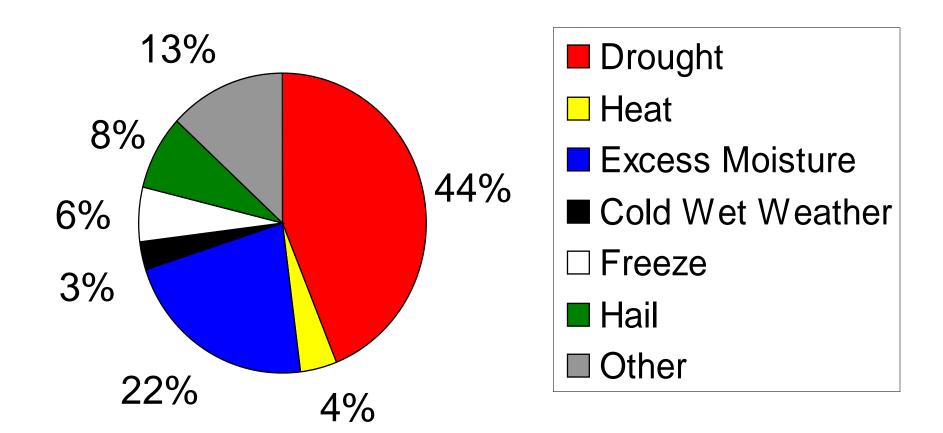
Federal Crop Insurance Corporation – 1938
> Government's initial move in crop insurance

Federal Crop Insurance Act of 1980 → Premium subsidies

Federal Crop Insurance Reform Act of 1994Catastrophic coverage and higher subsidies

Agricultural Risk Protection Act of 2000 The 2008 Farm Bill

Why Crops Fail



Federal Crop Insurance: A Public/Private Partnership The Federal Government works with private insurance companies to offer crop insurance.

Since 1998, all federal crop insurance products are sold and serviced by private companies.

The Federal Government sets and/or approves premium rates and insurance terms.

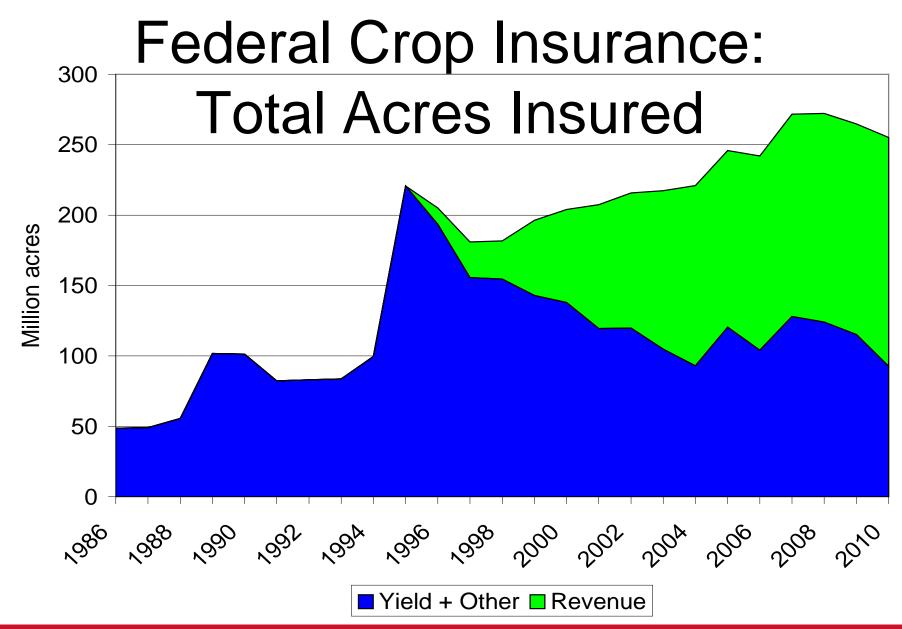
Both entities share risks and returns from crop insurance.

Product Innovation

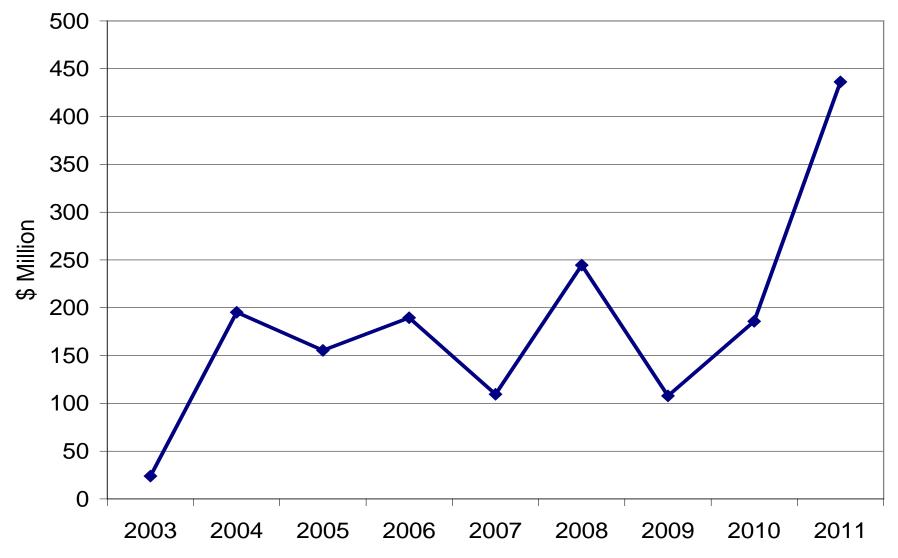
Agricultural insurance products developed by private companies, reviewed and approved by FCIC

Examples:

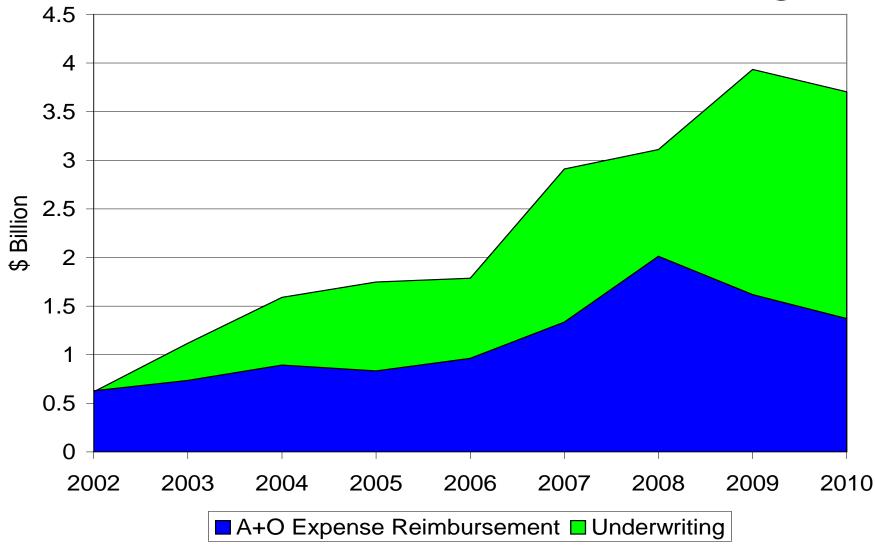
- Crop Revenue Coverage (CRC)
- Revenue Assurance (RA)
- Income Protection (IP)
- Group Risk Income Protection (GRIP)
- Livestock Risk Protection (LRP)
- Livestock Gross Margin (LGM)



Livestock Insurance: Liability



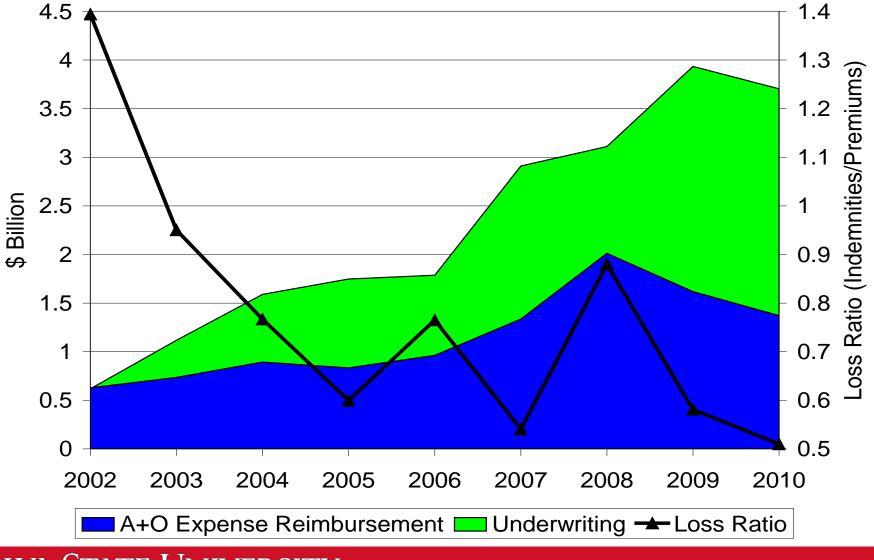
Expenses and Risk Sharing



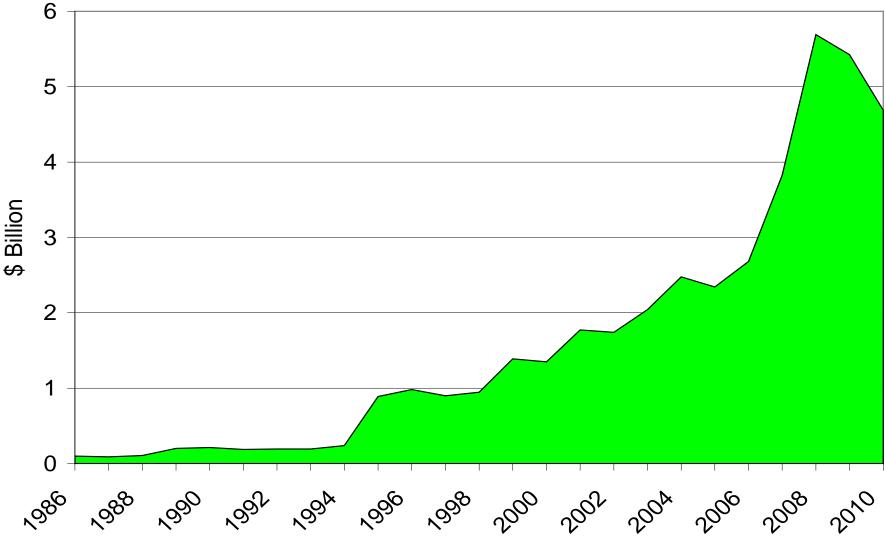
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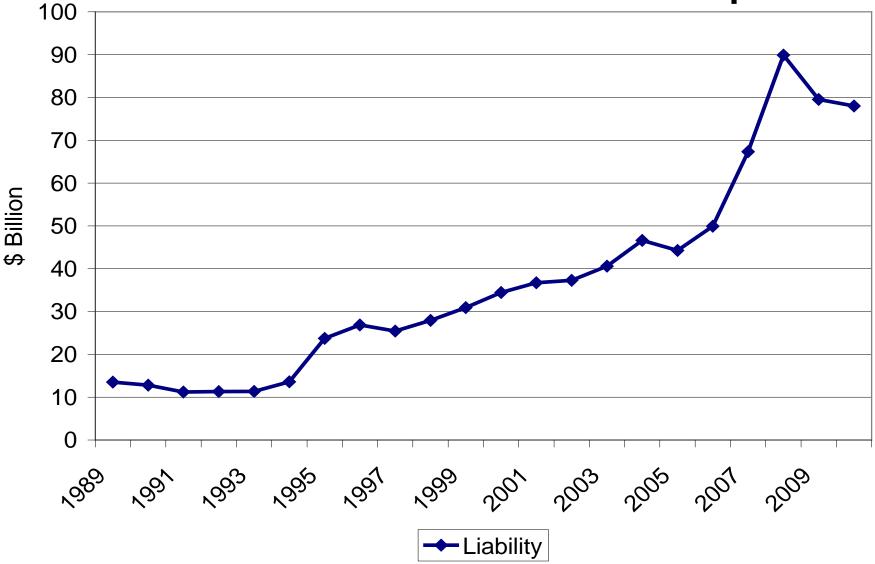
Premium Subsidies



Insurable Risks?

- Costs of Production
- Livestock Production
- Livestock Disease Outbreaks/Quarantines
- Multi-year Coverage
- > Agroterrorism

A Successful Partnership



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