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South America it's called to be the Food Reserve of the World

World Bank, United Nations, FAO

*Brazil & Argentina together, are the largest exporters of Soybeans, Soybean Oil, Soybean Meal, Beef and Poultry. We are in the second place as exporters of Corn.

*It was during this last two decades when South America could increased their participation in the global food market.

Is this a MIRACLE...????

ARGENTINA:

1995-2012

“TO PROJECT THE FUTURE NEEDS TO UNDERSTAND THE PAST”

- * Since 1995 has duplicated the total grain production from 46 M tons to 100 M tons, actually.**
- * We have particularly increased our market share in Corn exports.**
- * We have increased “Very Strong” our participation in the growth of global trade of Soybean Oil and Soybean Meal**
- * We have increased at a good pace the domestic consumption of Poultry and Pork meat.**
- * Despite that , we have not reached our potential**

Meanwhile, see what happened in the world.....

Soybeans, Corn, Wheat, Cotton, and Rice

Percentage Change in Global Consumption

1990/91 – 2010/11 and Forecast for 2011/12

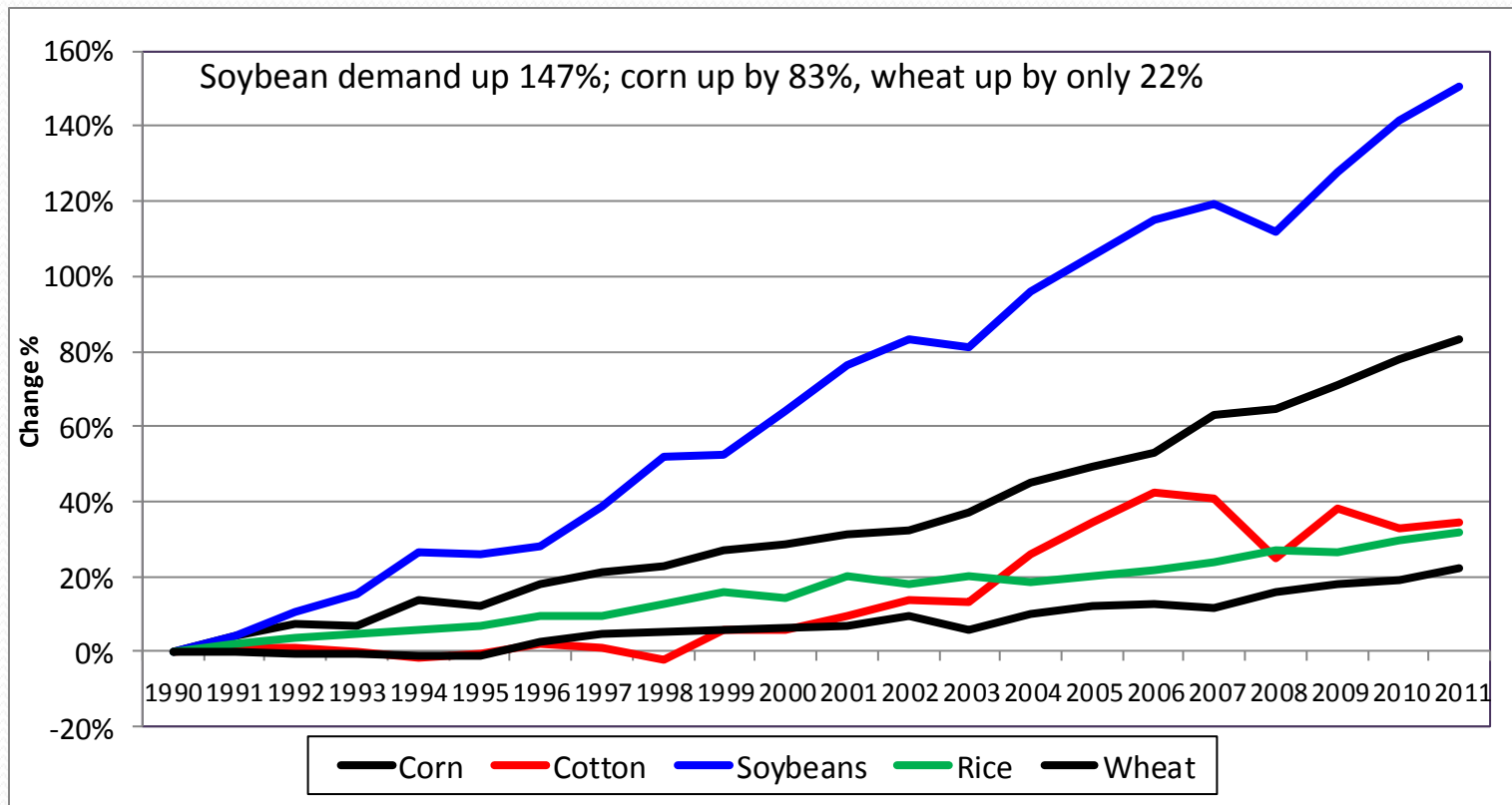


Table Nr. "1"**Variation in Grain Production World, US & Argentina**

(in Mmtons)

	1995	2012	Abs. Var.	% Var.
Total Grains	1761	2761	1000	57%
US Grains	246	447	201	82%
	14%	16%	2%	
Arg. Grains	26	50	24	92%
	1,5%	1,8%	0,3%	

Table Nr. "2"

Variation in Oilseeds Production World, US & Argentina

(in Mmtons)

	1995	2012	Abs. Var.	% Var.
Total Oilseeds	280	537	257	92%
US Oilseeds	87	100	13	15%
	31%	19%	-12%	
Arg Oilseeds	18	50	32	178%
	6%	9%	3%	

Graph Nro 1 ARGENTINA- Total Planted Area (M has) & Total Production (M.tons), Evolution (1995-2012)

— Sown Area — Production

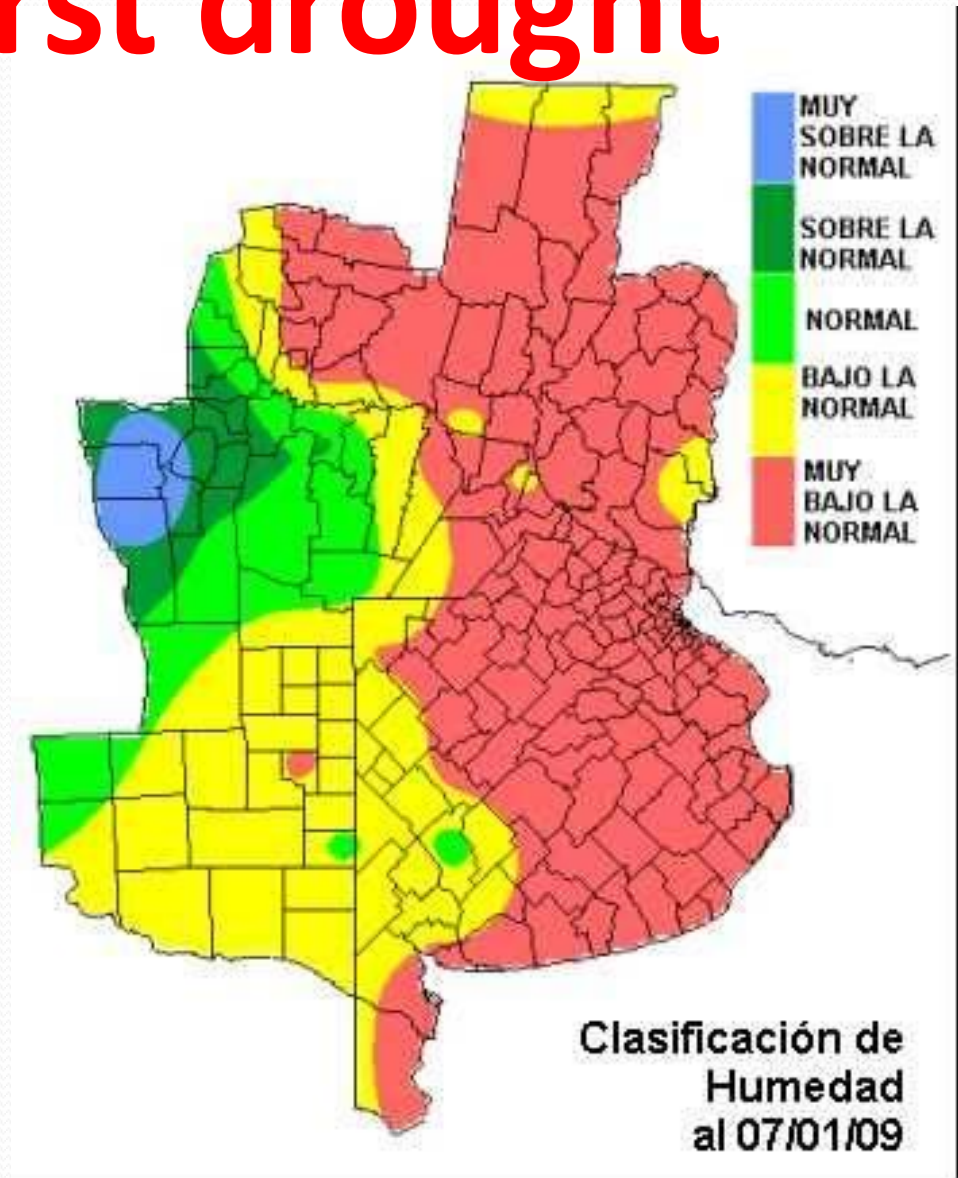


2009- The worst drought last 50 years,

Argentina lost:

- * **20** M. tons Soybeans
- * **10** M. tons Corn
- * **8** M. tons Wheat
- * **3** M.tons Sunflower

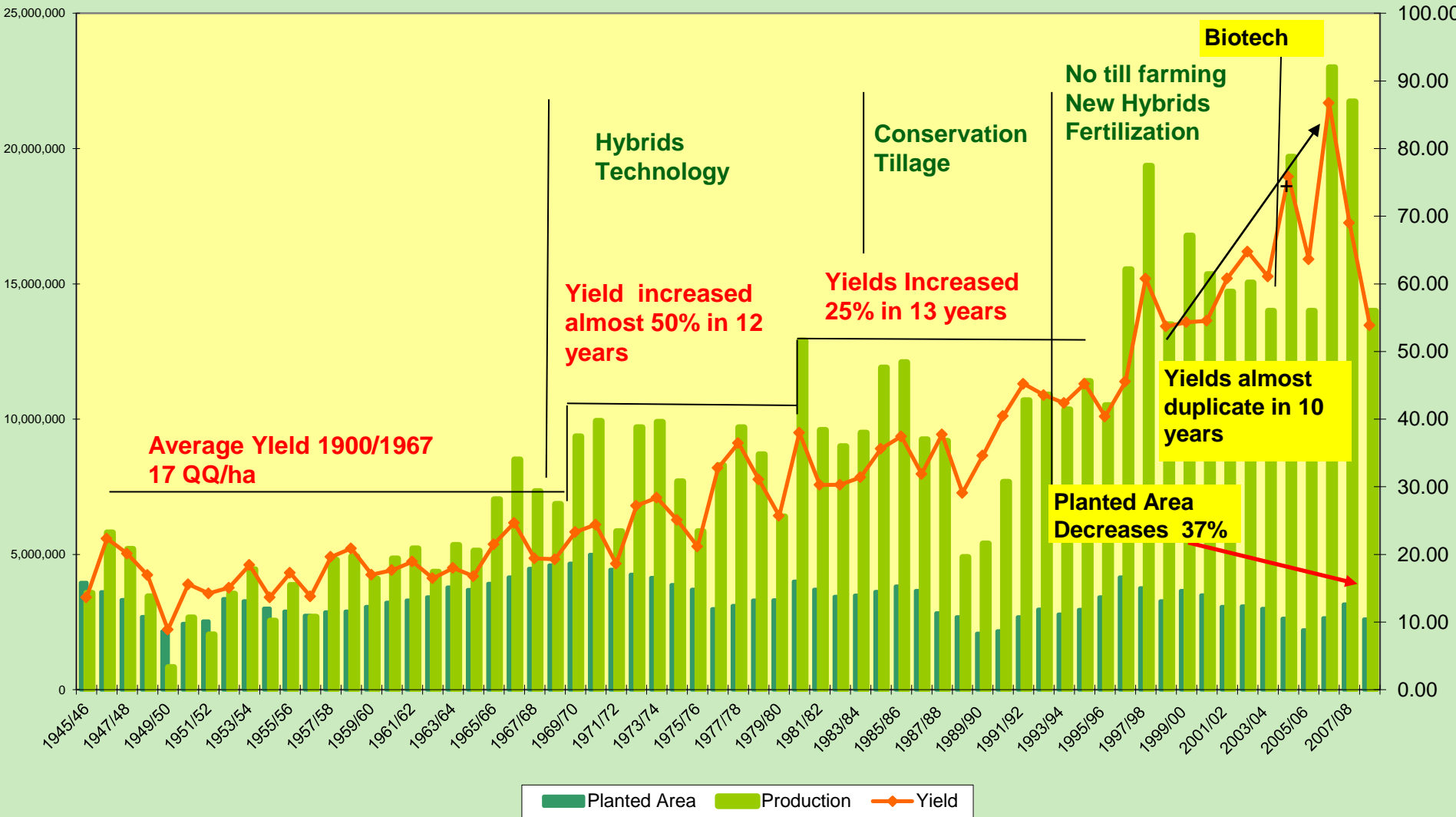
Total Lost Almost **40%** of
the crop : **41** million tons.



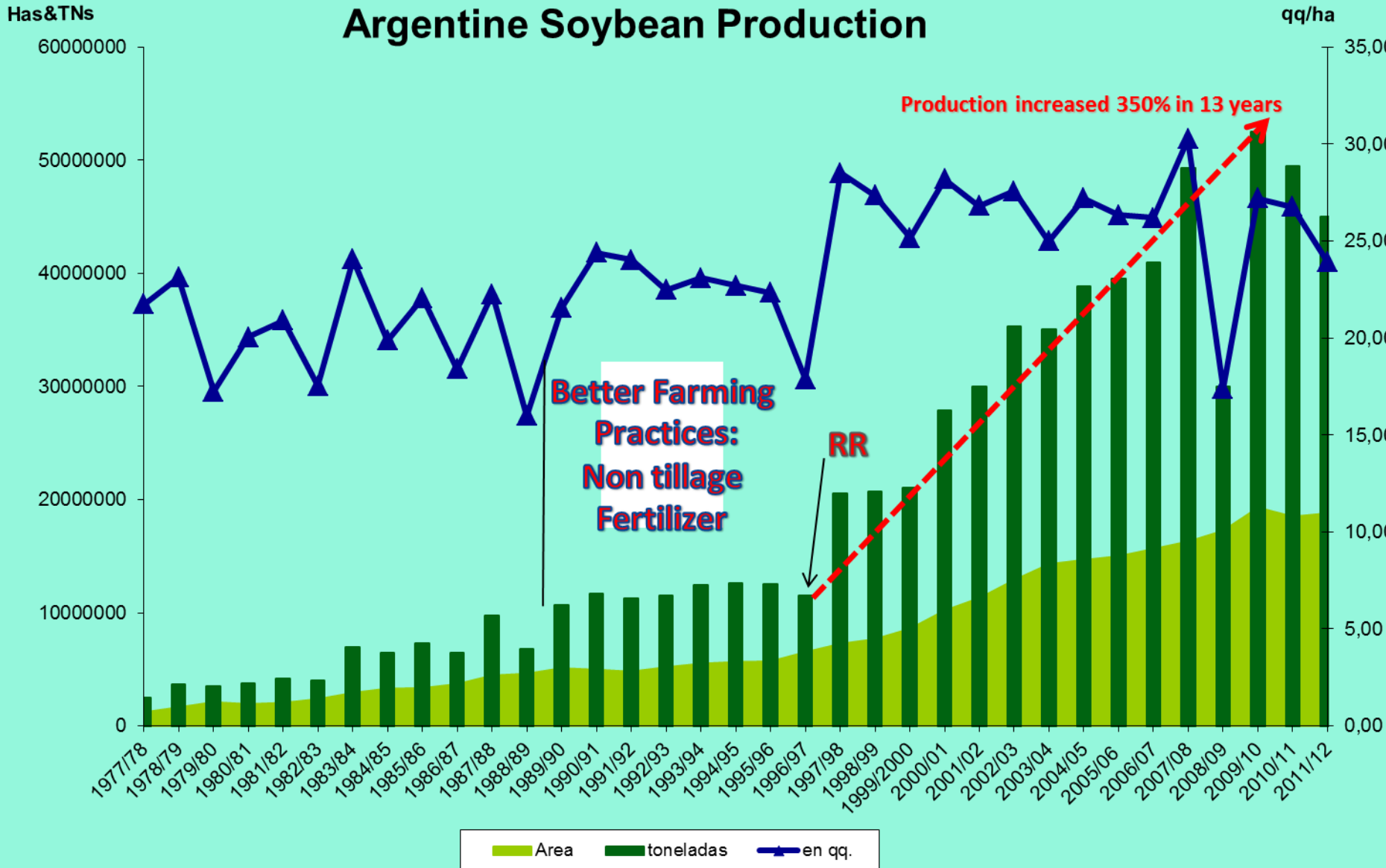
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CHART Nro. 2 : ARGENTINA'S CORN PRODUCTION

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Argentine Soybean Production



Technology & Biotechnology.....

The main factors given the answer to more productivity..

- The Mercosur countries (Argentina, Brazil, Paraguay and Uruguay) have approved an internal procedure within all the country's member, to approve the new biotech traits, all at the same time. It is call synchronization of all the biotech approvals .
- Government has confirmed that Argentina will allow that all new biotech traits that have been approved previously and have already completed regulatory process , in Brazil, could be directly approved in Argentina. This means that Argentina don't need to wait 4 o 5 years to complete his own regulatory process, if this new biotech event has previously approved in Brazil.
- Therefore, a new Regulatory Frame has been approved in Argentina, in order to reach these goals.

Chart Nr. 4 : Soybean Production (MMtons) 1997-2012

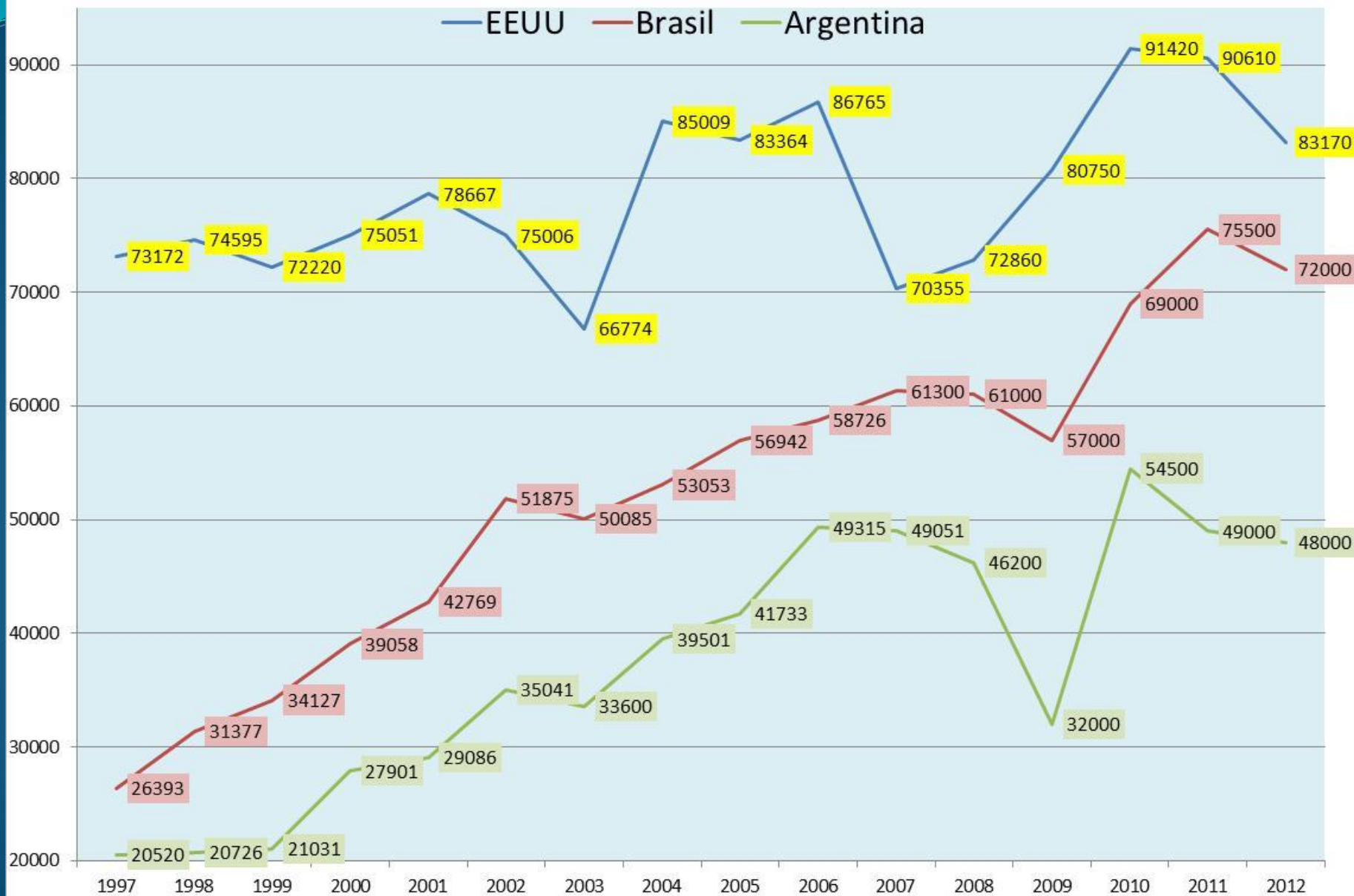


Chart Nr. 5: Soybean Production Participation (%) 1997-2012

— EEUU — Brasil — Argentina

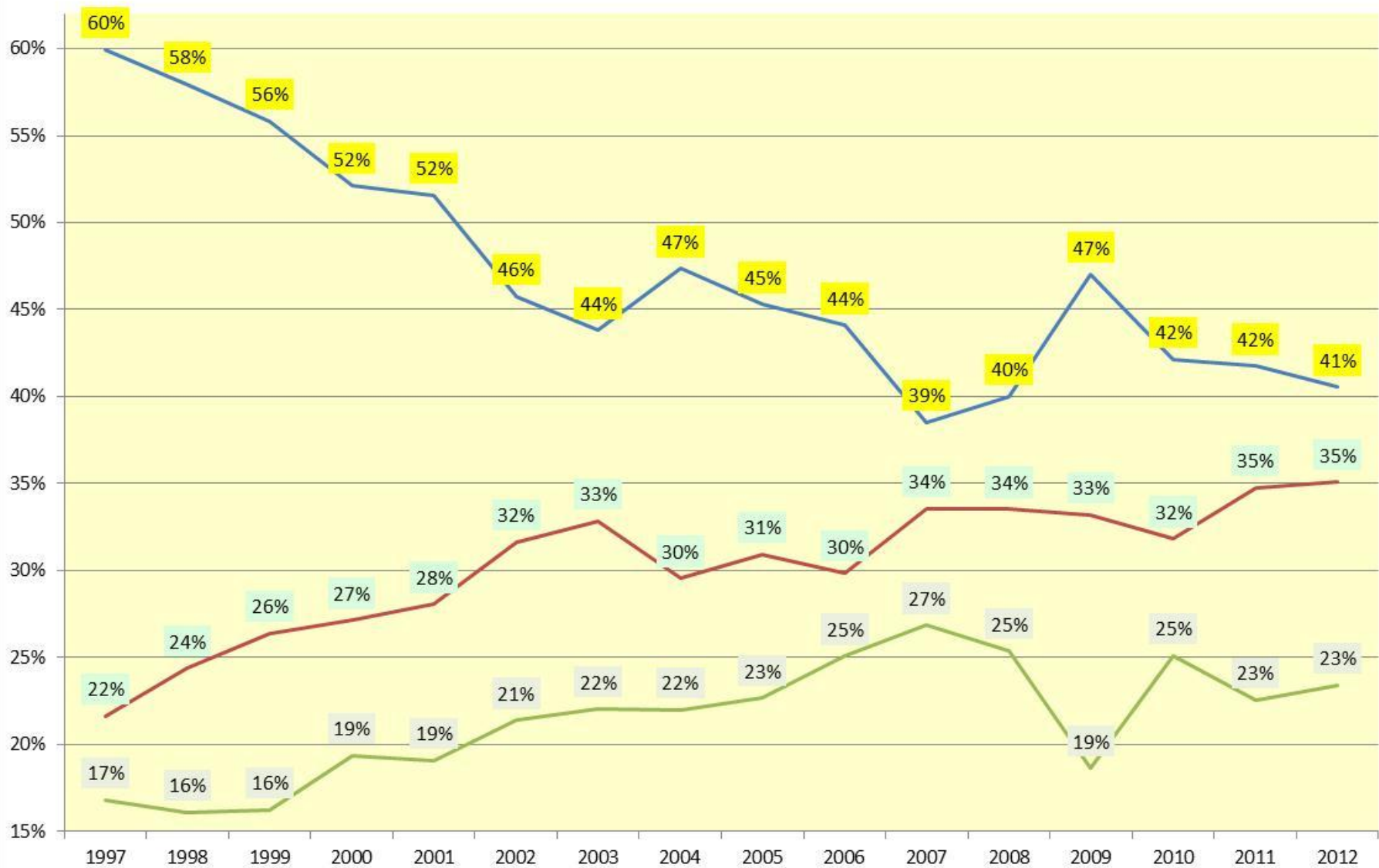


Chart Nr.6 : Soybean Exports (MMtons) 1997-2012

— EEUU — Brasil — Argentina

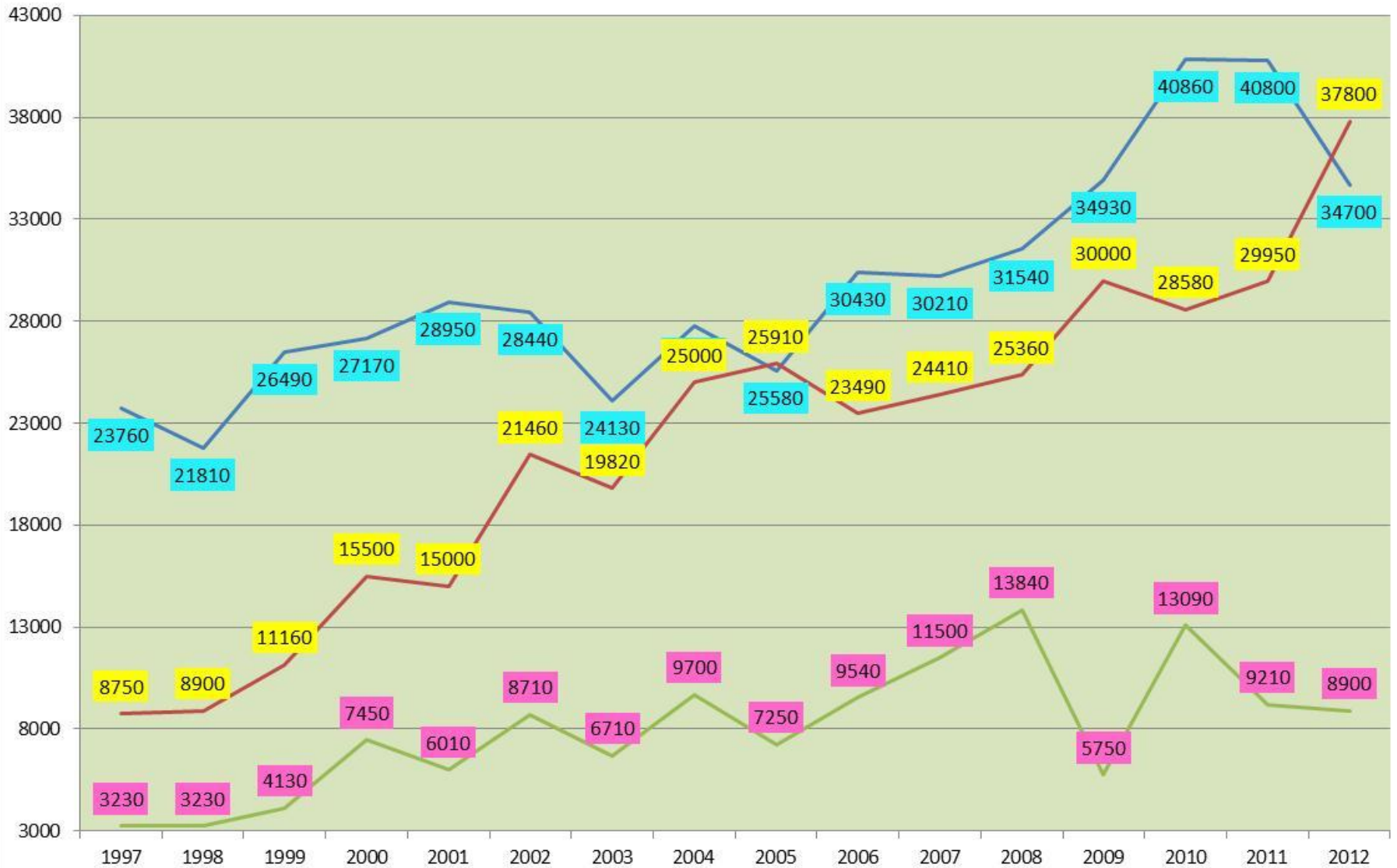


Table Nr. "3"

SOYBEAN WORLD TRADE EVOLUTION

	1995/96	2011/12	Absolute Var. .-in mill tons-	Percentage Var. (%)
World	32	92,8	60,8	190%
USA	23,2	34,7	11,5	50%
Brazil	3,5	37,8	34,3	980%
Argentina	2,1	9	6,9	329%
Sub Total 3	28,8	81,5	52,7	183%
SubTtl %	90%	88%	87%	

Source: USDA

Market Share (%)

	1995/96	2011/12	
USA	73%	37%	-35%
Brazil	11%	41%	30%
Argentina	7%	10%	

Char Nr. 7: Soybean Production (MM tons) EEUU Vs. ARG + BZL 1997-2012

— EEUU — Arg + Bzl



Table Nr. "4"				
SOYBEAN PRODUCTION EVOLUTION				
	1995/96	2011/12	Absolute Var. .-in mill tons-	Percentage Var. (%)
World	125	251,5	126,5	101%
USA	59,2	83,2	24,0	40%
Brazil	24,2	72	47,8	198%
Argentina	12,4	48	35,6	287%
Sub Total 3	95,8	203,17	107,4	112%
SubTtl %	77%	81%	85%	
<i>Source: USDA</i>				

Table Nr. "5"**SOYBEAN MEAL WORLD TRADE EVOLUTION**

	1995/96	2011/12	Absolute Var. .-in mill tons-	% Var. (%)	Increased Trade Captured
World	33,7	60,3	26,6	79%	
USA	5,5	8,0	2,5	45%	9%
Brazil	11,94	14,65	2,7	23%	10%
Argentina	8,2	29,3	21,1	257%	79%
Sub Total 3	25,64	51,93	26,3	103%	
SubTtl %	76%	86%	99%		

*Source: USDA***Market Share (%)**

	1995/96	2011/12	
USA	16%	13%	-3%
Brazil	35%	24%	-11%
Argentina	24%	49%	24%

Graph Nbr. 8: Soybean Meal Exports Evolution, EEUU, Brazil & Argentina

— EEUU — Brasil — Argentina

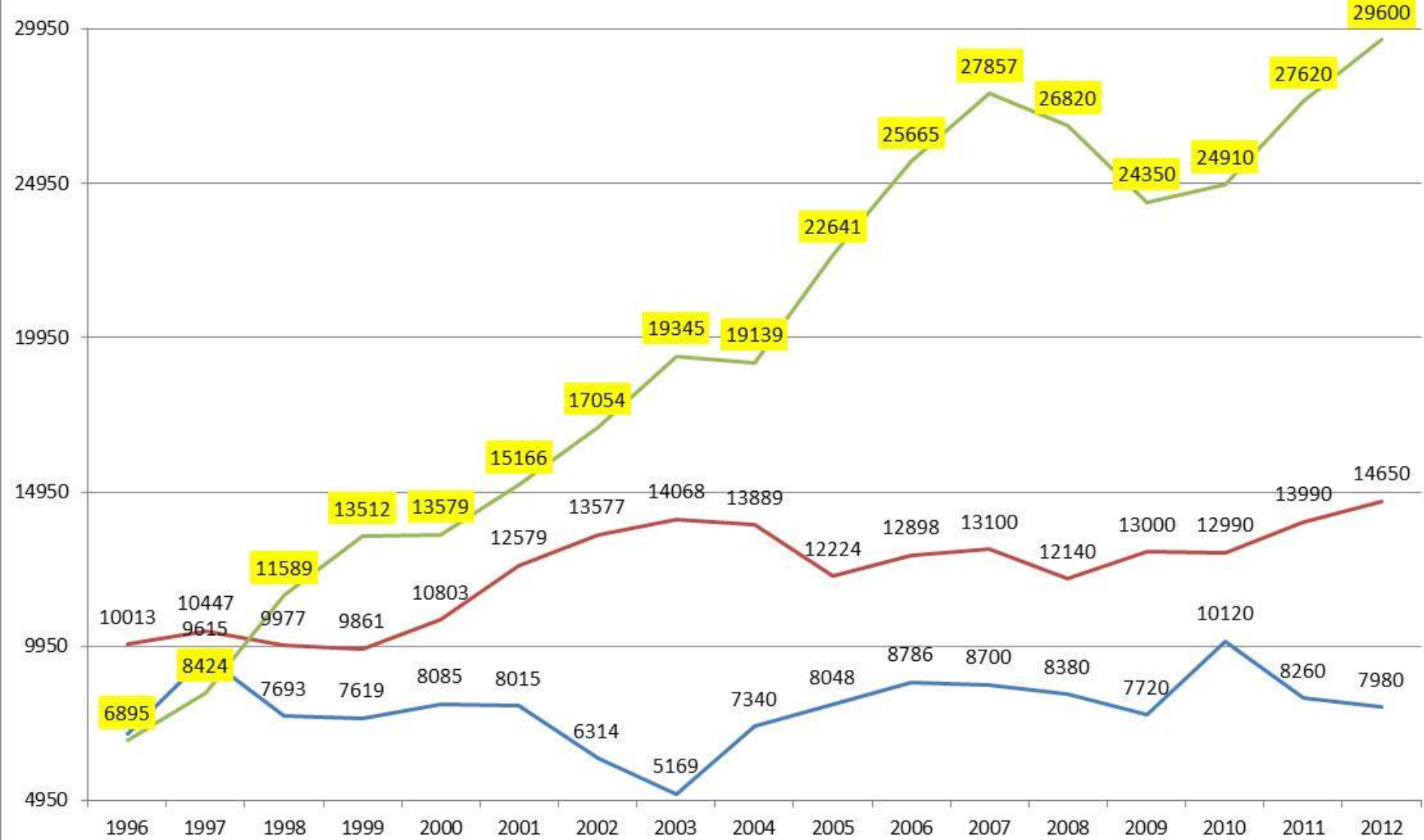


Table Nr. "6"

SOYBEAN OIL WORLD TRADE EVOLUTION

	1995/96	2011/12	Absolute Var. .-in mill tons-	% Var. (%)	Increased Trade Captured
World	5,3	8,6	3,3	62%	
USA	0,45	0,5	0,1	20%	3%
Brazil	1,6	1,69	0,1	6%	3%
Argentina	1,56	4,66	3,1	199%	95%
Sub Total 3	3,61	6,89	3,3	91%	
SubTtl %	68%	80%	100%		

Source: USDA

Market Share (%)

	1995/96	2011/12	
USA	8%	6%	-2%
Brazil	30%	20%	-10%
Argentina	29%	54%	25%

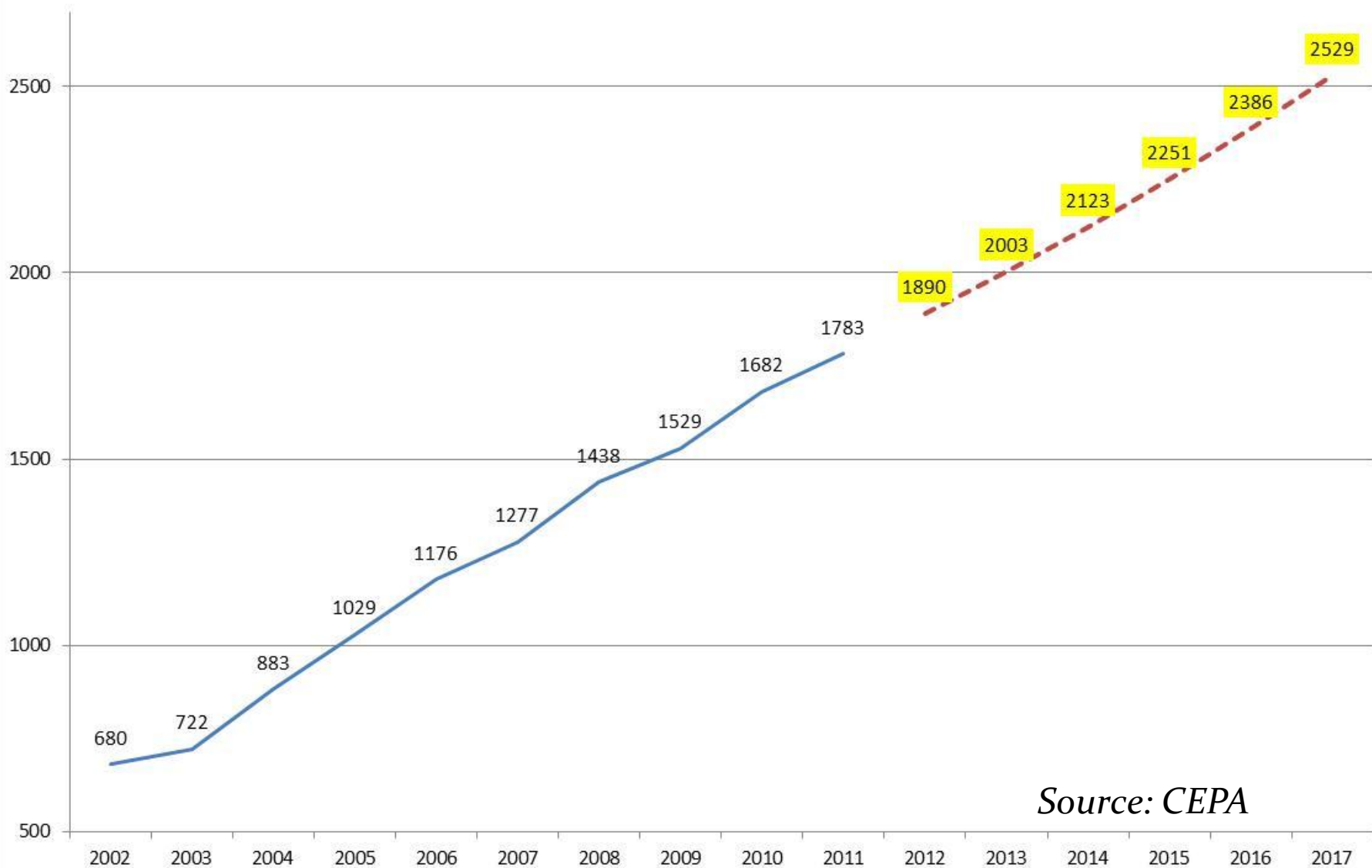
Graph Nr. 9: Soybean Oil Exports Evolution, EEUU, Brazil & Argentina

— EEUU — Brasil — Argentina - - - Sbs Oil + Biodiesel



Graph Nro 10 : Slaughter Evolution of Chickens - 2002-2017-in Mtons-

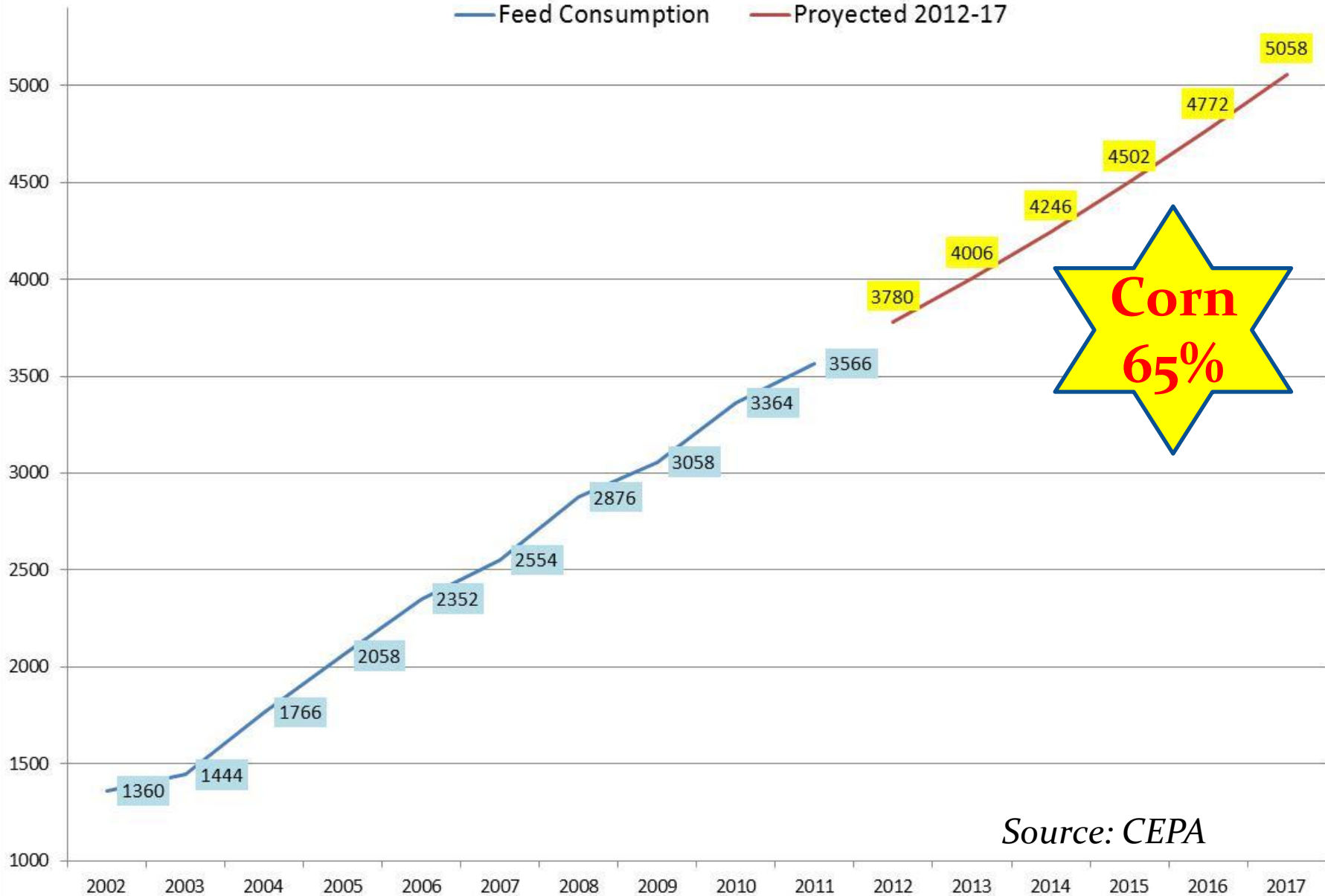
— Slaughter of Chickens - - - - - Proyected 2012-2017



Source: CEPA

Graph Nro 11 Poultry "Feed Consumption Projected 2012-17" -in Mtons-

— Feed Consumption — Projected 2012-17

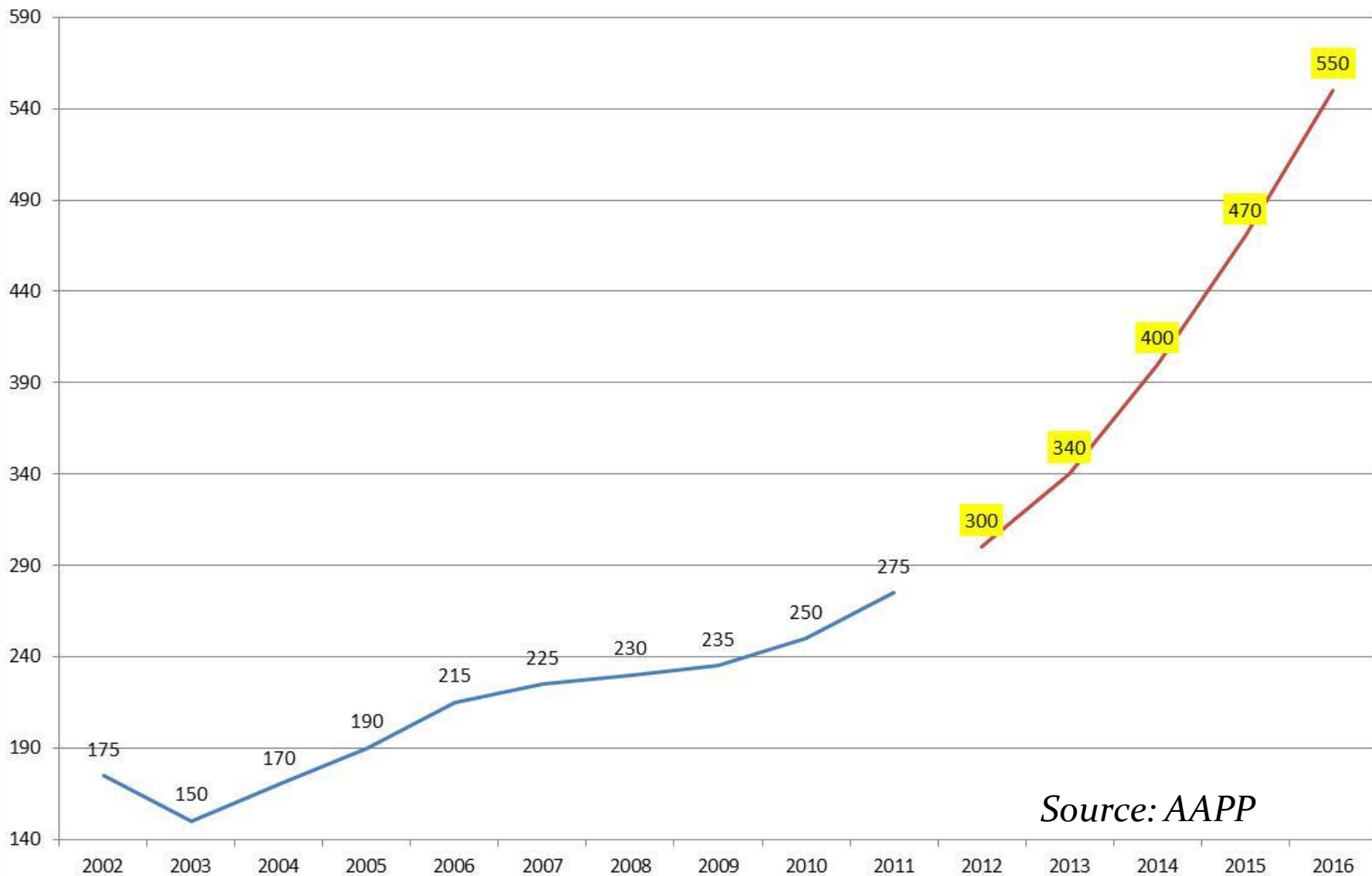


**Corn
65%**

Source: CEPA

Graph Nbr. 12 "Pig Herd Evolution" - M Heads- Projections 2011-16

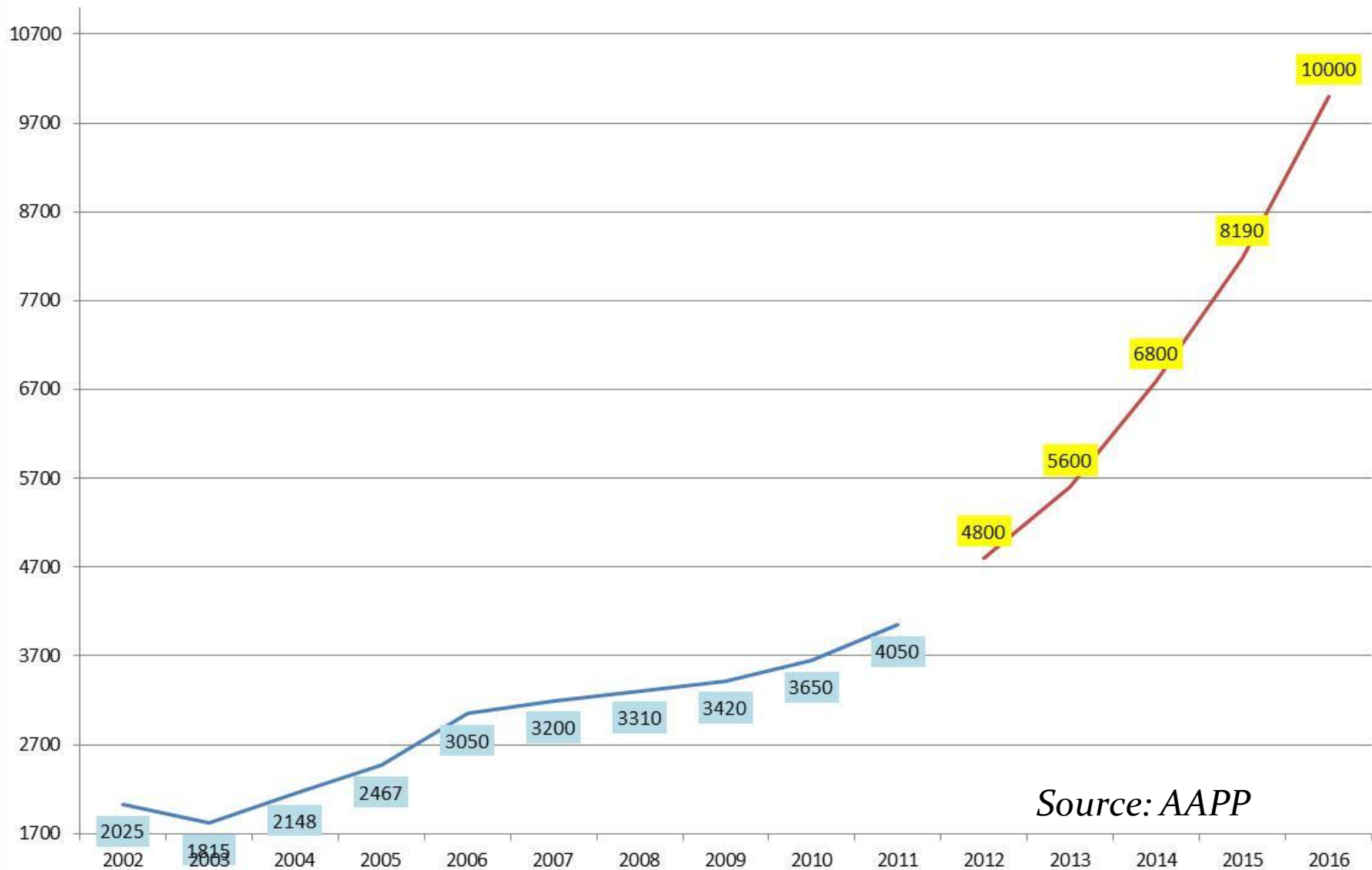
— Females Pigs (Heads) — Projected 2011-16



Source: AAPP

Graph Nbr. 13: "Pig Slaughter Evolution " (M tons) Projected 2012-16

— Slaughter Pigs (M tons) — Projected 2011-16



Source: AAPP

Graph Nbr. 14 "Feed Consumption in Pig Sector- Balanced-Corn-Beans" - -in M tons -2011-16

— Balanced Feed — Corn — Soybean



Source: AAPP

Crops Proyections 2020

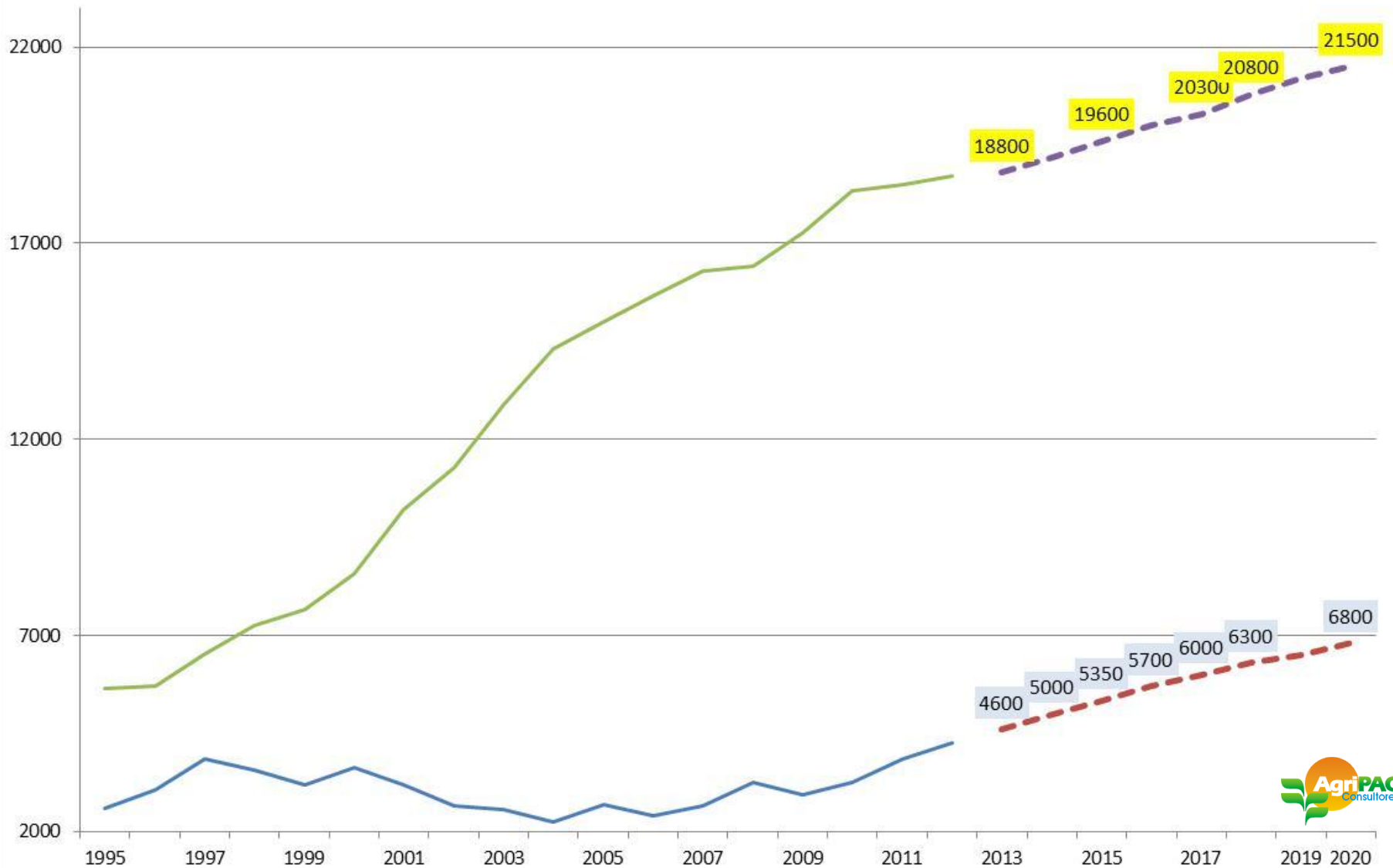
	Wheat	Corn	Soybeans	Sunflower	Total
Area Planted (000 has)					
- Average 2007/09	4.587	3.531	17.495	2.035	31.210
- Proy. 2002 al 2010	6.354	3.745	16.747	3.697	34.088
- Proy. 2007 al 2015	6.300	6.100	19.100	2.300	37.300
- <i>Proy. 2010 al 2020</i>	5.800	5.200	21.900	2.900	39.500
Producción (000 tons)					
- Average 2007/09	9.367	18.778	43.670	3.440	83.417
- Proy. 2002 al 2010	17.477	35.810	44.757	7.849	100.000
- Proy. 2007 al 2015	17.760	37.688	55.093	4.348	122.000
- <i>Proy. 2010 al 2020</i>	16.139	37.113	67.149	5.549	135.143

Note: Proyec. 2010 (2002), Proyec. 2015 (2007), Proyec. 2020 (2010)

Source: Fundación Producir Conservando

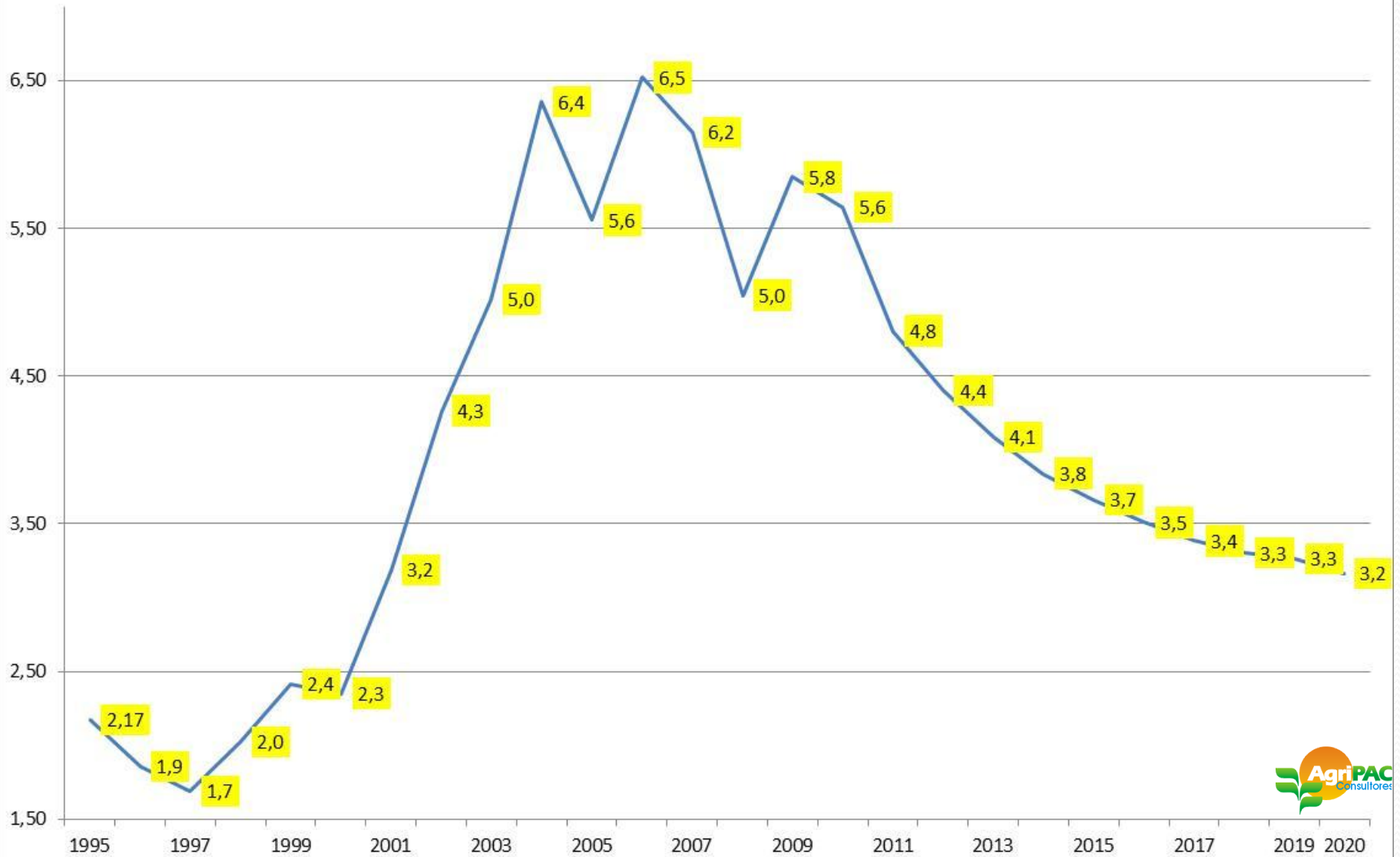
Graph Nr 15: Moving Forward 2020 Corn & Beans Projected Area

— CORN - - - Corn 2013-2020 — SOYBEAN - - - Sbs 2013-2020



Graph Nro 16: Planted Area Sbs/Corn Relation

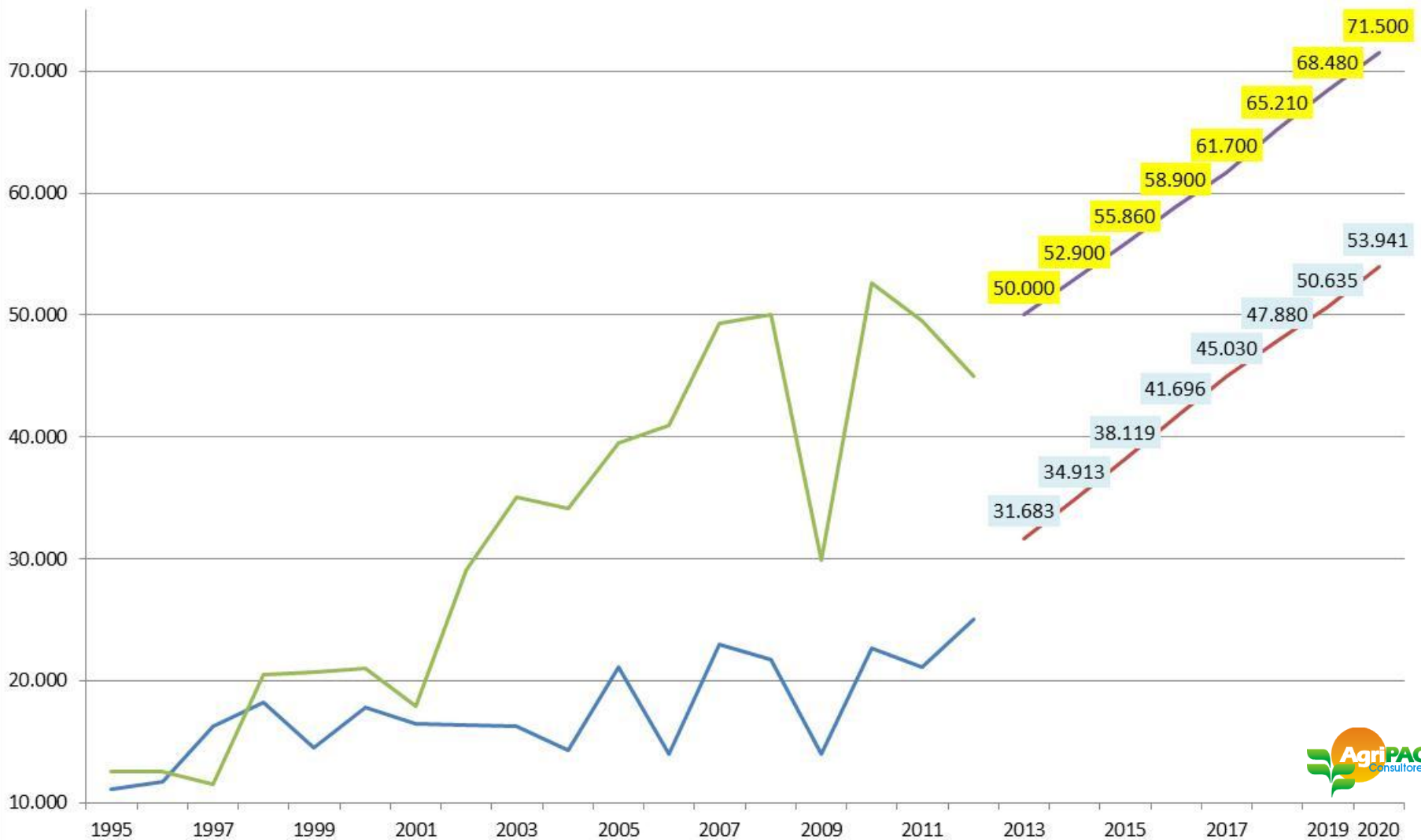
— Sbs/Corn Area Relation



Graph Nbr. 17: "Corn & Soybean Production" Projections 2012-20

-in M tons-

— CORN — Corn 2013-2020 — SOYBEAN — Sbs 2013-2020



NEXT STEPS.....

*The production level achieved was done with structural changes still in process.... That required huge investments of the private sector in Ports, Terminal Elevators, Crushing facilities , Technology,

*It is obvious that to reach 150 million tons production level, structural changes will have to be completed.....

*Improves in the storage capacity.....

*Improves roads , railways system, further dredging of the Upriver terminal ports

* Clear commercial rules local and to exports, Crop Insurance, Intellectual property rights,.....

*Technological advances are crucial.....



**Do we need another
MIRACLE...??**

**We need what we did in the
past, Technology, Technology ,
and More Technology**

This is our DESTINY.....