

# Economic Impact

## CALIFORNIA'S DAIRY INDUSTRY

California's dairy industry delivers much more than an important food source – it also creates jobs and helps support important state initiatives that improve communities.

*Economic Activity*



*\$20 Billion*  
Dairy Direct Economic Activity

*\$57.7 Billion*  
Dairy Related Economic Activity

### JOBS



**180,000 JOBS**

depend on the California dairy industry  
*including*

**47,500**

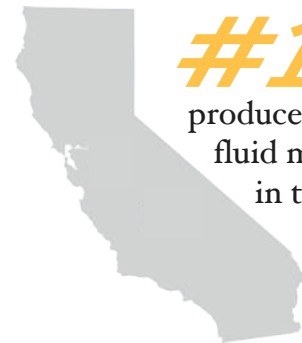
milk production  
and processing jobs

### EXTENDED EFFECT

**10 = 60**

1 ON THE FARM JOB  
CREATES  
6 JOBS BEYOND THE FARM

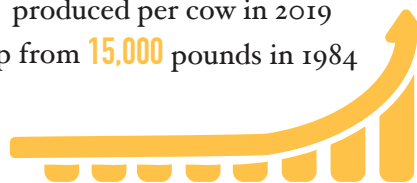
### DAIRY PRODUCTION



**#1**  
producer of  
fluid milk  
in the U.S.

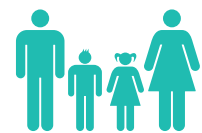
### PEAK MILK PRODUCTION WITH FEWER RESOURCES

**24,354** POUNDS OF MILK  
produced per cow in 2019  
up from **15,000** pounds in 1984



### ACROSS GENERATIONS

**>1,100**



California family dairy farms

### COMMUNITY BENEFITS ripple effect of job tax revenue

#### K-12 EDUCATION



#### PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION



#### HEALTH SERVICES

