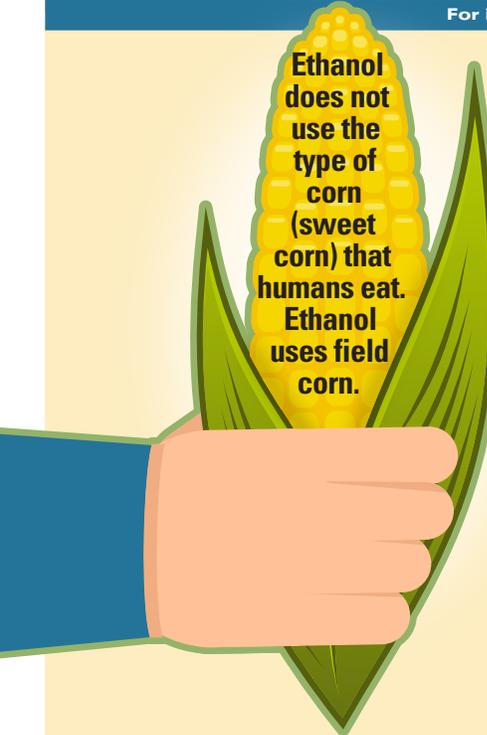


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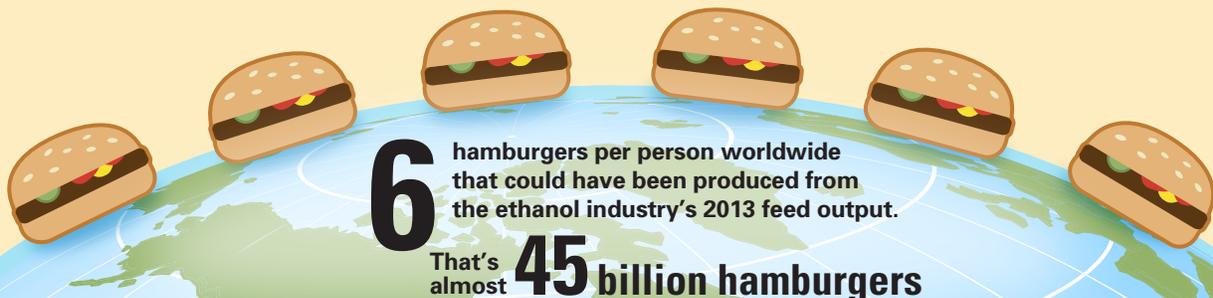
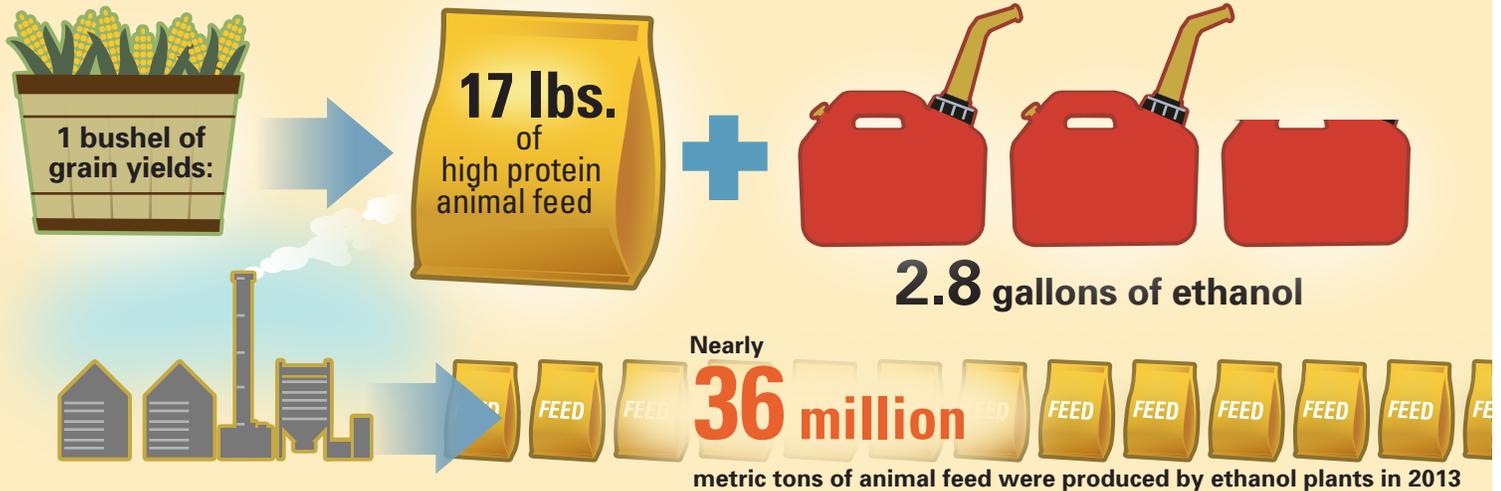


Ethanol does not use the type of corn (sweet corn) that humans eat. Ethanol uses field corn.

The world produces a lot of grain, but only a small fraction is used for ethanol in the U.S.



More than producing fuel, ethanol industry helps feed the world



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Food prices are driven by oil, not ethanol

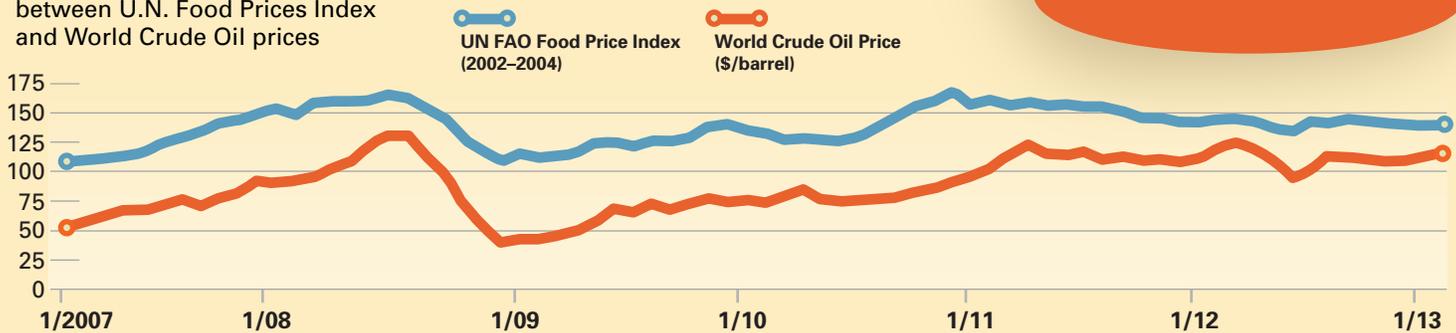


"Most of the contribution to food price changes from 1997-2004 to 2005-12 comes from the price of crude oil..."

Source: World Bank (John Baffes and Allen Dennis)

Near perfect correlation

between U.N. Food Prices Index and World Crude Oil prices



12¢ of every dollar spent on food pays for the farm value of the agricultural ingredients of our groceries.



88¢

pays for energy, packaging, food processing, and other costs.

1,500 miles

The distance that the average food item travels from farm to grocery store.



...the value of corn is:

16¢
in 1 pound of chicken



4.9¢
in a box of corn flakes



15¢
in 1 gallon of milk

