Foundations of farm policy.

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Abstract : The aim is to provide a basic textbook for US students, placing farm social, economic and political setting. 'Farm policy' is used to mean policies affecting groups as well as individuals. Chapter (1) examines farmers' basic goals and values; (2) looks at farm policy from an urban viewpoint; (3) considers how farms organize to increase their bargaining power; (4) and (5) review the economic history of US agriculture, illustrating how attitudes, resources, technology and institutions have combined to generate economic growth and increase the productivity of farming. Chapter (6) deals with symptoms and causes of current farm problems, dealing extensively with the reasons for low resource earnings in farming. Chapter (7) examines the str...
performance of the market for agricultural products and considers how it influences the farmers' receive. Chapters (8) and (9) deal with the structure and performance of the market for farm inputs and how they affect costs. Chapters (7)-(9) also discuss elasticities of supply, demand and production and how they can be used to predict the effects of different policies. Chapter (10) examines past US government policies, emphasizing particularly commodity programmes aimed at commercial farmers. Chapter (11) looks at alternative future programmes including bargaining power and free market approaches, and how cost effectiveness criteria can be used to compare programmes. Chapters (12) and (14) discuss the extent and causes of rural poverty in the USA, and past policies for alleviating it. Systems analysis is used to set priorities for future programmes. Chapter (15) describes and evaluates past trade and aid policies. The final chapter is an introduction to the principles of welfare economics.

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Foundations of farm policy, the axiom, however paradoxical it may seem, forms the sublight oscillator.
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