

USA vs Brazil

- World Court rules USA price supports of water subsidizing makes it a violation of free trade agreements

• US Solution

- pay Brazil (bought + paid for Congress men)

Dealing w/ cotton "issues"

- soil flooded in Egypt which replenishes the soil but not here
- fertilizer not complete solution
- legumes (has to be picked by hand)
- best solution = grow alfalfa on rotating crop systems but what to do with alfalfa? Turn it into milk by feeding alfalfa to cows which are right next door to your cotton farm.
- Bottom Line: agribusiness puts family-owned dairies (Typically Portuguese owned) out of business