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AIM-AG

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Our Mission...

To assess and project the opportunities for and economic impacts of agri-industry development in Tennessee.

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AIM-AG is a research group established in 1998 as part of the Department of Agricultural Economics.

AIM-AG...

- (1) Evaluates the impacts the agricultural and forest products industry have on the state's economy and the economies of regions within the state using TN-AIM (Tennessee Agri-Industry Model), an economic modeling system;
- (2) Conducts "what-if" scenarios designed to evaluate the impacts that occur from development of selected value-added industries in the state and regions within the state;

- (3) Conducts research studies on market growth opportunities for value-added or high-value agri-industry products;
- (4) Analyzes market potential and feasibility for value-added or high-value products produced or processed within the state;
- (5) Provides market information and prospectus studies to aid industrial recruitment and development.

Clientele...

- Agribusiness decision-makers
- Producer and processor organizations
- Economic and community development leaders
- Policy makers
- Local, county, and state governments