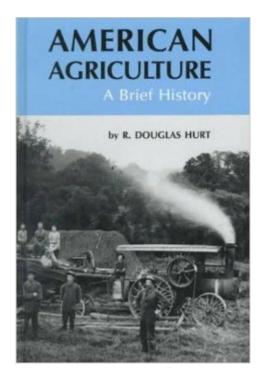
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# **American Agriculture: A Brief History**





## Synopsis

This history of American agriculture covers the prehistoric period to the 20th century. Written for the undergraduate, it provides a reference to the economic, social, political, scientific and technological changes that have most affected farming in America.

## **Book Information**

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Best one volume history of American agriculture by dean of American agricultural historians; much superior to Danbom, Born in the County, which attempts a similar brief summary.Good bibliographies of additional readings. Although America was primarily an agricultual county for 250 years, most conventional histories ignore this fact. This book supply an essential missing dimentsion, although the reader still has to do a good deal of work to relate it to political,cultural, and economic history that was going on at the same time.

I happened upon this book while doing research for an environmental studies thesis. I was so impressed with the text that I picked up a copy for my personal library. It is interesting to note how strongly a country's agricultural system is tied to the political process, and how agricultural products make such an impact on the global economy (and therefore status of the producing nation).

#### Thanks

My wife bought this book for on of my college classes at Eastern New Mexico University and we

#### need this book.

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