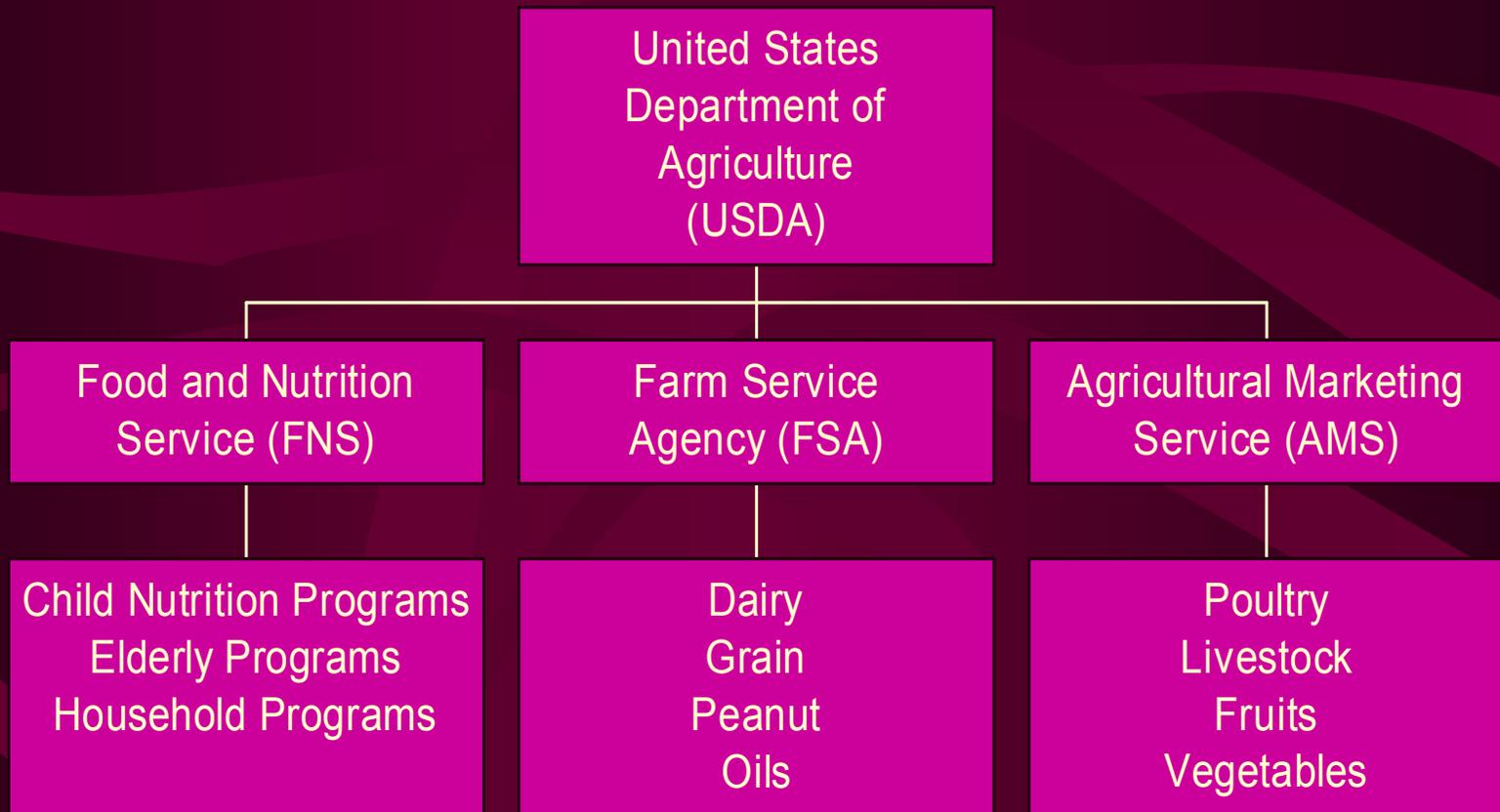


# COMMODITY PROGRAMS

## Federal Perspective

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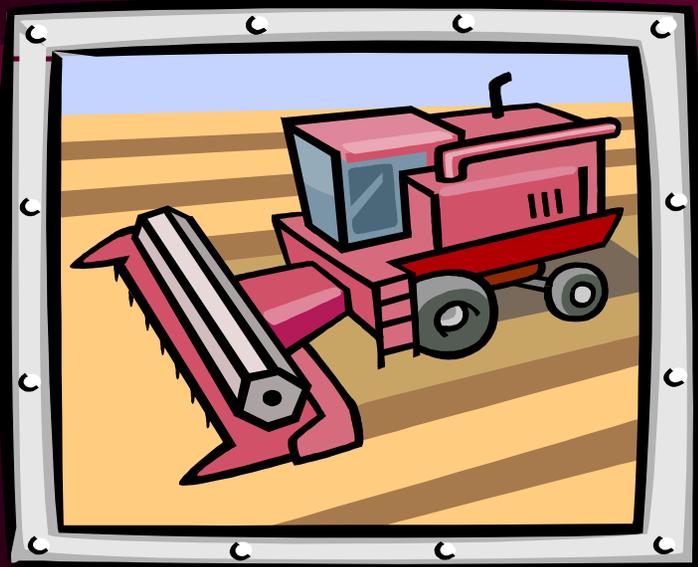
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# Dual Mission

Agriculture Support vs. Customer Needs

AMS & FSA



FNS



# ENTITLEMENT/FOOD PACKAGE PROCESS

Entitlement/Food Package Determination



Foods Available



Purchase Plan



Survey

# ENTITLEMENT/FOOD PACKAGE PROCESS

Orders



Invitation



Contract



Delivery

# BONUS PROCESS

Agriculture Need



Secretary Approval



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# What To Do

- Read
  - Emails
  - ECOS screens/links
- Monitor
  - Orders
  - Entitlement
- Ask

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