The U.S. – Indonesia Dairy Partnership

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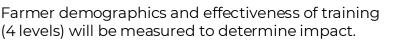**Contact: Robert Hagevoort | dairydoc@nmsu.edu| 806-786-3421**

Educating and training small- and midsize dairy farmers in Indonesia

Need: currently Indonesian dairy farmers only produce 20% of the country's dairy needs, without considering population growth or the government's plans to provide school milk to an estimated 80 million school children through a free school lunch program. NMSU Dairy Extension through NMDA and US Dairy Export Council was asked to create an *effective training and education program* for small- and midsize dairy farmers in Indonesia. Introduction video available at: https://bit.ly/4ge3IAM

Program outcomes and impact: Initial visit to Indonesia in January '24 led to collaboration with 3 KOL's in Indonesia in June '24, a video trip in September '24 and the official launch of the program on November 21, 2024. Training rollout will commence quarterly in 25/26 with including Indonesian university partners IBP, UNPAD and others, industry leaders (cooperatives) and partners Global Dairy Alami, Cimory and Ultrajaya. Dr. Deddy Kurniawan, DairyPro Indonesia will be the local facilitator of dairy farmer training session throughout the cycle. Training effectiveness will be measured throughout the project. Trainees will receive certificates of training. Funding for reciprocal training is being solicited with the help form USDA FAS. Partnerships with Indonesian Universities are possible.

Impact:

Training effectiveness evaluation to be reported here in 2025 & 2026	• Quarterly trainings in 4 regions • Jakarta, Yogyakarta, Bogor, Malang • Key Seminar fat regional University • Train the Trainer sessions at location • Farmer (100) trainings at each location

Farmer demographics and effectiveness of training (4 levels) will be measured to determine impact.

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