

# Feed the World

Number of people who will die from hunger or related illness today: 24,000

Number of people suffering from chronic hunger right now: 840 million

Number of hungry children in the United States: 12 million

Number of people who could eat a healthy vegetarian diet using the resources consumed by only one person eating a meat-based diet: 20

Pounds of vegetable protein required to produce 1 pound of chicken protein: 5

Pounds of vegetable protein required to produce 1 pound of pork protein: 7.5

Pounds of grain and soybeans needed to produce 1 pound of beef: 16

Percentage of protein wasted by cycling grain through livestock: 90

Percentage of carbohydrate wasted by cycling grain through livestock: 99

Percentage of dietary fiber lost by cycling grain through livestock: 100

# Go Vegan

**1 hamburger =** 55 square feet of rainforest  
17 showers worth of water  
20 miles worth of fossil fuel

**Rank of livestock production among the chief causes of water pollution : # 1**

Gallons of water indirectly  
consumed daily by a person  
eating a vegetarian diet  
**300**

Gallons of water indirectly  
consumed daily by a person  
eating a carnivorous diet  
**4,200**

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