

Dairy Compost Related Projects

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PROJECT FACT SHEET

Project Title: Dairy Manure Compost Phosphorus (P) Recycling through Consecutive Corn Silage Crops

Project Lead: [Texas Cooperative Extension](#)

Principal Funding Provided By: [TCEQ \(TWRI\)](#)

Supplemental Funding Provided By: TAES

Project Partner(s): [Texas Agricultural Experiment Station](#) & [Tarleton State University](#)

Project Description: Dairy manure compost application to corn-silage fields whose soil is low in P and organic matter may improve productivity. This is a TSU graduate thesis project.

Project Benefits: Two benefits are the sequestration of manure P in Windthorst soils & the reduction of P imports into the drainage system by recycling nutrients back to dairies.

Project Schedule:

- All laboratory analysis will be complete by September 31, 2005
- Statistical analysis to be completed by November 31, 2005
- Manuscript to be written by December 30, 2005

Project Status: Data collection in progress

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