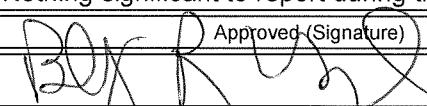


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7. Title Analyzing the Impacts of U.S. Seafood Imports and Trade Policies on the Competitiveness of Louisiana, Southern, and U.S. Agriculture			
12. Investigator Name(s) (Last Name and Initials) Lee, Y. J.			
20. Termination Date 06/30/2013		40. Period Covered (mo/da/year): 07/01/2010 TO 06/30/2013	
Outputs: Oral presentations were delivered at the annual meetings of the Southern Agricultural Economics Association and the American Agricultural Economics Association.			
Outcomes/Impacts: Long-run effects of fish imports into the United States were estimated by means of a fusion elasticity that was derived from both VAR cointegration analysis and dynamic inverse demand analysis. According to results, imported catfish is a complement to domestic catfish production for extended periods, while having a substitutionary relationship for restricted intervals.			
Publications: No Publications Reported			
Participants: Y.J. Lee (PI) and P.L. Kennedy, Louisiana State University Agricultural Center.			
Target Audiences: Louisiana firms involved in agricultural and seafood trade, seafood and aquaculture producers and processors, applied researchers in the areas of agricultural trade, and government officials and policy makers involved in international trade negotiations.			
Project Modifications: Nothing significant to report during this reporting period.			
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