

**Fat removal from distillers grains**

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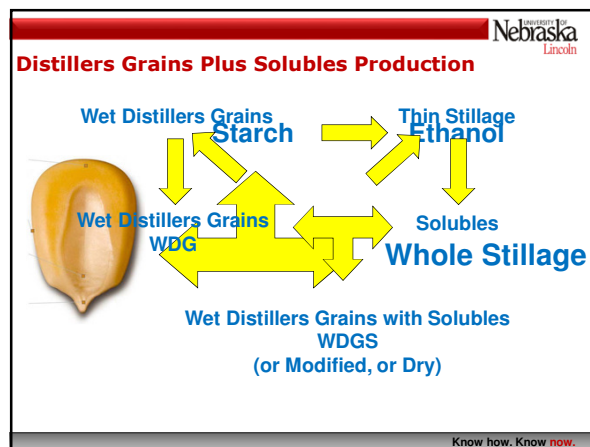
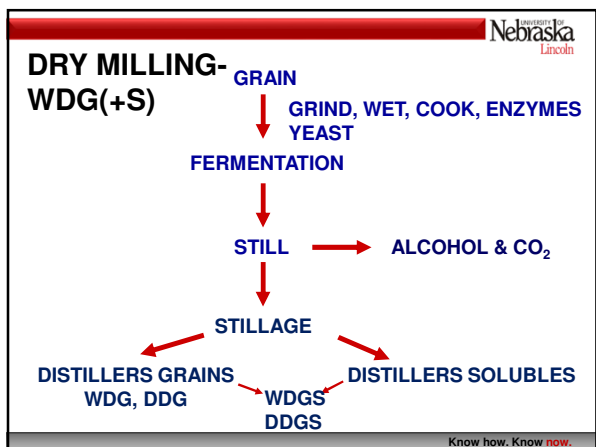
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**Outline**

- New process for oil removal
- Previous data on reduced fat distillers
- Impact of de-oiled distillers solubles
  - growing calves
- Impact of de-oiled modified distillers grains plus solubles and distillers solubles
  - feedlot performance
- Conclusions

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**Introduction**

- In 2012, approximately 50% of ethanol plants are removing oil and producing a de-oiled product
- This thin stillage is centrifuged to remove "free" oil which can be marketed
- In general:
  - 12-13% fat (normal)
  - 1/3 in solubles, 2/3 in grains
  - Remove the 1/3 in solubles
  - De-oiled: 8-9% fat (new normal?)

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**Effects of the grains to solubles ratio in diets containing wet distillers grains fed to feedlot steers**

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### Objective


To determine if the grains to solubles ratio in feedlot finishing diets containing wet distillers grains (WDG) plus solubles affects cattle performance and carcass characteristics.

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### Materials and Methods

- 336 crossbred steers (390 ± 14 kg)
- Limit fed at 2% BW for 5 d prior to initiation
- Weighed 2 consecutive days
- Blocked by initial BW
- 7 treatments
- 6 replications/treatment



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### Materials and Methods

- Delayed implant 30 d following initiation
  - Revalor S®
- 140 DOF
- Slaughtered at commercial abattoir
  - Identification, HCW, liver score
- 48 hr chill
  - Fat depth, LM area, marbling score
  - YG calculation

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### Diet Design

- By-product feeds were supplied from separate ethanol plants
  - No solubles added back to WDG
- WDG and solubles combined with other ingredients in feed truck at time of feeding

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### Experimental Diets

Ingredient	CON <sup>a</sup>	20% Distillers			40% Distillers		
		100:0	85:15	70:30	100:0	85:15	70:30
Corn <sup>b</sup>	82.5	67.5	67.5	67.5	47.5	47.5	47.5
WDG	--	20.0	17.0	14.0	40.0	34.0	28.0
Solubles	--	--	3.0 <sub>20</sub>	6.0 <sub>20</sub>	--	6.0 <sub>40</sub>	12.0 <sub>40</sub>
Alfalfa hay	7.5	7.5	7.5	7.5	7.5	7.5	7.5
Supplement <sup>c</sup>	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0

<sup>a</sup> Control diet contained 5.0% molasses on a DM basis. Supplement formulated to contain 1.3% urea, 0.13% tallow, 0.06% potassium, 150 mg/hd/d Thiamine, 320 mg/hd/d Rumensin, and 90 mg/hd/d Tylan.

<sup>b</sup> Corn was a 50:50 blend of high-moisture corn and dry-rolled corn (DM basis).

<sup>c</sup> Treatment supplement formulated to contain 1.5% limestone, 0.13% tallow, 150 mg/hd/d Thiamine, 320 mg/hd/d Rumensin, and 90 mg/hd/d Tylan.

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### Lipid Analysis Comparison

Diet	Inclusion (% DM)		% EE (DM basis) <sup>a</sup>	Solvent Extraction <sup>b</sup>
	WDG	Solubles		
Control	0	0	3.1	3.1
100:0	20	0	4.6	4.6
85:15	17	3	5.1	4.7
70:30	14	6	5.7	4.9
100:0	40	0	5.9	5.9
85:15	34	6	6.9	6.3
70:30	28	12	8.0	6.7

<sup>a</sup> Ether extract analysis for WDG and solubles were 10.0% and 27.8% EE (DM basis), respectively

<sup>b</sup> Solvent extraction analysis for solubles was 16.1% fat (DM basis)

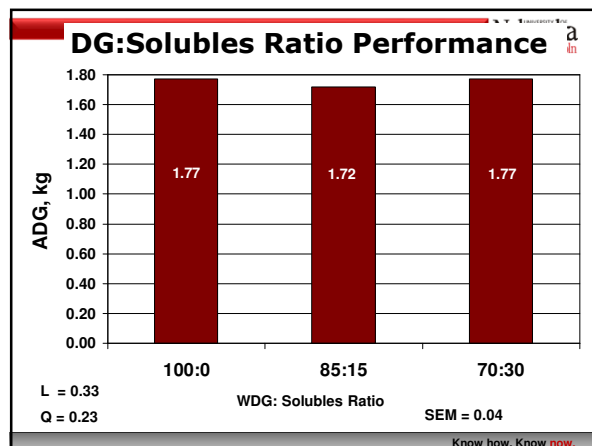
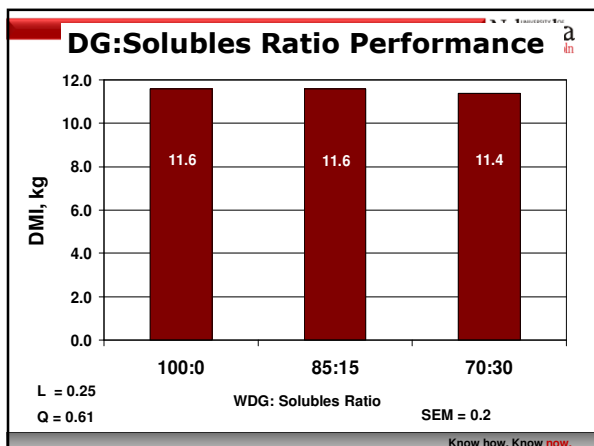
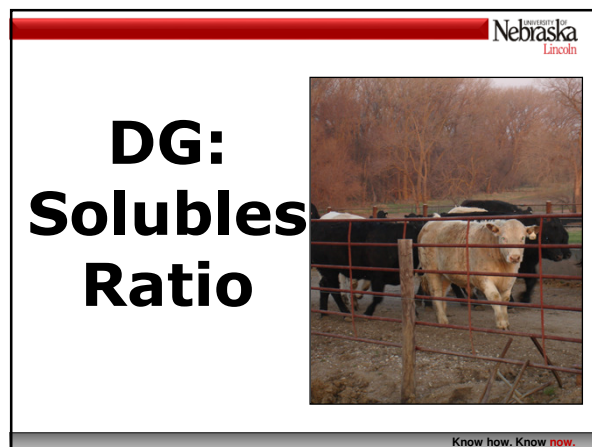
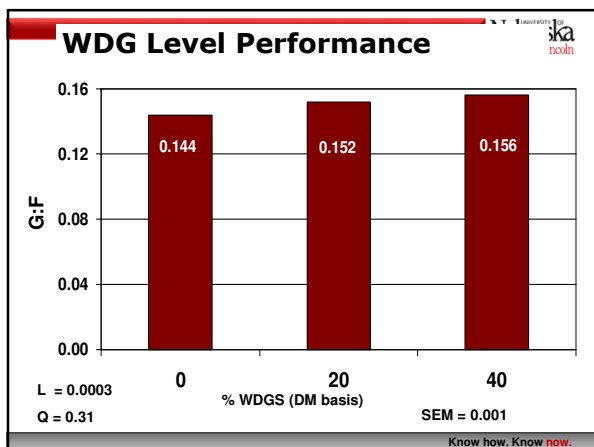
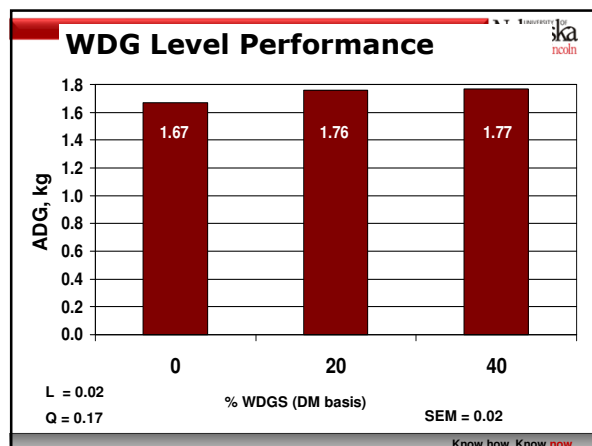
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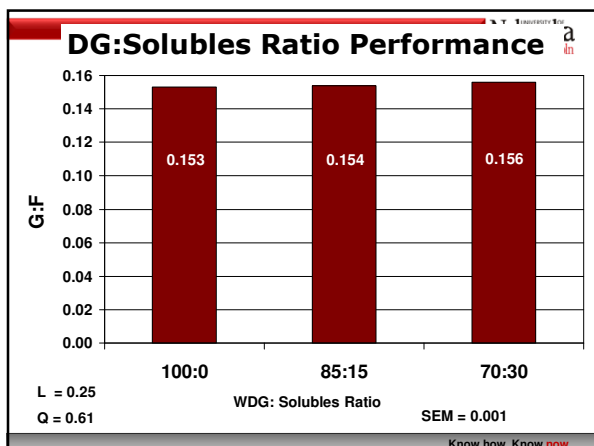
### WDG Level X Solubles Ratio Interaction

	20% Distillers			40% Distillers			Interaction P-Value	
	CON	100:0	85:15	70:30	100:0	85:15		70:30
DMI, kg/d	11.6	11.7	11.5	11.6	11.3	11.2	11.6	<b>0.49</b>
ADG, kg/d	1.67	1.78	1.74	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.82	<b>0.61</b>
G:F	0.144	0.152	0.151	0.154	0.154	0.156	0.158	<b>0.90</b>
HCW, kg	392	401	398	402	399	399	406	<b>0.62</b>
Marbling <sup>a</sup>	557	558	564	567	543	528	564	<b>0.46</b>
Fat depth, mm	13.49	14.67	13.83	14.50	15.77	14.97	16.28	<b>0.86</b>
LM area, cm <sup>2</sup>	90.6	90.2	91.8	89.8	88.1	89.6	88.9	<b>0.85</b>
YG <sup>b</sup>	3.12	3.33	3.15	3.36	3.51	3.36	3.58	<b>0.98</b>

<sup>a</sup> Marbling score = 400 = slight<sup>00</sup>, 500 = small<sup>00</sup>, etc.  
<sup>b</sup> Calculated YG = 2.5 + (Fat depth\*2.5) + (0.0038\*HCW) - (0.32\*LMA)+(0.2\*KPH)

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### DG:Solubles Ratio Performance

	WDG:Solubles Ratio			SEM	Linear	Quadratic
	100:0	85:15	70:30		P-Value	P-Value
HCW, kg	400	398	403	3	0.28	0.24
Fat depth, mm	15.2	14.4	15.5	0.7	0.01	0.63
Marbling <sup>a</sup>	545	541	560	13	0.30	0.36
LM area, cm <sup>2</sup>	89.0	91.0	89.7	1.2	0.87	0.15
YG <sup>b</sup>	3.41	3.25	3.46	0.10	0.60	0.03

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### Corn oil extraction in distillers grains and condensed distillers solubles

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### Objective

- Evaluate with and without fat removal in condensed distillers solubles in forage diets on growing performance

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### Materials and methods

- 84 d, 60 crossbred steers
- Individually fed using the Calan gate system
- Based on initial BW, steers were stratified and randomly assigned to treatments

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### Materials and methods

- Treatments (7)
  - 2x2+1 factorial: Comparing level of CDS by fat
    - Fat: De-oiled (6.3%) and Normal (20.1) fat
    - Level: 0 (Control), 20 and 40%
  - 2x2 factorial: Comparing forage by fat
    - Fat: De-oiled and Normal fat
    - Forage: 40% Grass, 40% Wheat Straw

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### Growing Diets

	Control		De-oiled CDS		Normal Fat CDS		De-oiled WS <sup>2</sup>		Normal Fat WS <sup>2</sup>	
Ingredient, % DM	0	20	40	20	40	40	40	40	40	40
Brome Hay	77.1	59.6	42.2	59.6	42.2	-	-	-	-	-
Sorghum Silage	19.3	14.9	10.5	14.9	10.5	-	-	-	-	-
Wheat Straw	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	55.2	55.2	-
CDS: De-oiled	-	20	40	-	-	-	40	-	-	-
CDS: Normal Fat	-	-	-	20	40	-	-	-	-	40
Supplement	3.7	5.5	7.3	5.5	7.3	4.8	4.8	4.8	4.8	4.8

<sup>1</sup>Formulated to provide 200 mg/hd/d Monensin  
<sup>2</sup>WS = Wheat Straw

### Ingredient Nutrient Analysis

	De-Oiled CDS	Normal Fat CDS
Fat, %	6.3	20.1
CP, %	28.0	26.4
Sulfur	0.99	0.83
DM, %	27.0	27.5

### Dietary Nutrient Analysis

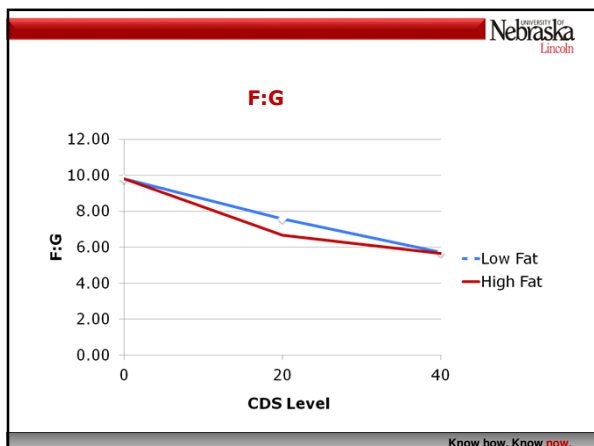
	Control		De-Oiled CDS		Normal CDS		De-Oiled WS		Normal WS	
CDS Inclusion, %	0	20	40	20	40	40	40	40	40	40
Dietary Fat, %	1.47	2.39	5.15	3.23	8.83	2.91	8.42	2.91	8.42	8.42

### Results: Level\*Fat

#### Grass Hay and Silage

	De-oiled (6.3%)				Normal Fat (20.1%)			
	0	20	40	20	40	Fat <sup>1</sup>	Lin	Lin
IBW	530	532	527	531	528	0.99	0.98	0.78
EBW	637	702	770	712	783	0.54	<0.01	<0.01
DMI	12.5	15.3	16.5	14.3	17.2	0.85	<0.01	<0.01
ADG	1.27	2.01	2.88	2.15	3.03	0.21	<0.01	<0.01
F:G	9.80	7.58	5.71	6.67	5.65	0.07	<0.01	<0.01

<sup>1</sup>Effect of fat type  
 No level\*fat interaction observed,  $P > 0.14$   
 Low and high fat quadratic response,  $P > 0.10$



### Results: Forage\*Fat Type

	Grass:Silage <sup>1</sup>		Wheat Straw		P-value		
	De-Oiled	Normal	De-Oiled	Normal	F*F <sup>2</sup>	Fat <sup>3</sup>	Forage <sup>4</sup>
IBW	527	528	527	529	0.94	0.89	0.97
EBW	770	783	686	674	0.43	0.97	<0.01
DMI	16.4 <sup>a</sup>	17.1 <sup>a</sup>	13.4 <sup>b</sup>	11.5 <sup>c</sup>	0.06	0.41	<0.01
ADG	2.88	3.03	1.89	1.72	0.13	0.92	<0.01
F:G	5.71	5.65	6.99	6.76	0.84	0.50	<0.01

<sup>a,b,c</sup> Within a row, means without a common superscript differ ( $P < 0.05$ )  
<sup>1</sup>Grass Hay 80%, Sorghum Silage 20%  
<sup>2</sup>F\*F = Forage by fat interaction term  
<sup>3</sup>Effect of fat type  
<sup>4</sup>Effect of forage type

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### Oil Extraction in MDGS and CDS on Feedlot Performance



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### Objective

- Evaluate MDGS and CDS with and without corn oil removal on feedlot performance and carcass characteristics

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### Materials and Methods

- 225 Calf fed steers
- 25 pens (9 head per pen)
  - Blocked by BW and assigned randomly to treatment
- Implanted with Rev-IS (d 1) and Rev-S (d 83)
- 179 DOF
- Samples were taken from by-products directly from truck and analyzed as well as weekly samples
- All modified distillers grains plus solubles prior to experiment; same plant, different week
- All CDS from same plant, about every 3 weeks

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### Materials and Methods

- Treatments
  - 2x2+1 factorial arrangement
  - Level: De-oiled and Normal fat
    - De-oiled CDS = 6.0%
    - Normal fat CDS = 21.1%
    - De-oiled MDGS = 9.2%
    - Normal fat MDGS = 11.8%
  - Inclusions: 27% CDS or 40% MDGS

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### Finishing Diets

	Control	27% CDS		40% MDGS	
		De-Oiled	Normal	De-Oiled	Normal
HMC	43.75	30.25	30.25	23.75	23.75
DRC	43.75	30.25	30.2	23.75	23.75
MDGS: De-oiled	-	-	-	40	-
MDGS: Normal	-	-	-	-	40
CDS: De-oiled	-	27	-	-	-
CDS: Normal	-	-	27	-	-
Sorghum Silage	7.5	7.5	7.5	7.5	7.5
Supplement	5	5	5	5	5

Diets formulated to contain 345 mg/steer Monensin and 90 mg/steer Tylan daily

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### Ingredient Nutrient Analysis

	27% CDS		40% MDGS	
	De-Oiled	Normal	De-Oiled	Normal
Fat, %	6.0	21.1	9.2	11.8
CP, %	29.6	27.0	33.7	33.0
Sulfur	1.26	0.78	0.65	0.56
DM, %	27.0	27.5	46.0	46.5

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## Dietary Nutrient Analysis

	Control	27% CDS		40% MDGS	
		De-Oiled	Normal	De-Oiled	Normal
Dietary Fat, %	4.43	4.72	8.80	6.12	7.19

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## Performance

	Control	De-oiled CDS	Normal CDS	De-oiled MDGS	Normal MDGS	F-Test	CDS	MDGS
Initial BW, lb	662	661	663	662	661	0.39	0.07	0.68
Final BW, lb	1248 <sup>a</sup>	1293 <sup>b,c</sup>	1277 <sup>a,b</sup>	1308 <sup>b,c</sup>	1318 <sup>c</sup>	0.01	0.43	0.61
DMI, lb/d	20.8 <sup>a</sup>	19.4 <sup>b</sup>	19.4 <sup>b</sup>	20.5 <sup>a</sup>	20.8 <sup>a</sup>	0.01	0.97	0.58
ADG, lb	3.28 <sup>a</sup>	3.53 <sup>b,c</sup>	3.43 <sup>a,b</sup>	3.61 <sup>b,c</sup>	3.67 <sup>c</sup>	0.02	0.36	0.60
F:G	6.36 <sup>a</sup>	5.49 <sup>b</sup>	5.66 <sup>b</sup>	5.69 <sup>b</sup>	5.67 <sup>b</sup>	<0.01	0.29	0.80

<sup>a,b,c</sup> Within a row, means without a common superscript differ ( P < 0.05)

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## Carcass Characteristics

	Control	De-oiled CDS	Normal CDS	De-oiled MDGS	Normal MDGS	F-Test	CDS	MDGS
HCW, lb	786 <sup>a</sup>	814 <sup>b,c</sup>	805 <sup>a,b</sup>	824 <sup>b,c</sup>	830 <sup>b,c</sup>	0.01	0.43	0.61
LM area, in	12.56	13.19	12.81	12.80	12.65	0.38	0.25	0.66
12 <sup>th</sup> rib fat, in	.50	.50	0.47	0.53	0.56	0.28	0.47	0.47
YG	3.21	3.11	3.15	3.37	3.49	0.13	0.81	0.44
Marbling Score <sup>1</sup>	570	579	575	594	599	0.50	0.85	0.77

<sup>a,b,c</sup> Within a row, means without a common superscript differ ( P < 0.05)  
<sup>1</sup>Marbling score: 500 = Small 00

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## Conclusion

- Growing Cattle
  - 20% inclusion of CDS: High fat CDS tended to have improved feed efficiency compared to low fat but low fat CDS still has improved feed efficiency compared to controls
  - 40% inclusion of CDS: Both low and high fat had similar performance

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## Conclusion

- Finishing Cattle
  - Cattle fed CDS or MDGS, regardless of fat content, had greater final BW, ADG, and HCW compared to controls
  - Feed conversion, regardless of fat content, was greatly improved for CDS or MDGS compared to controls
  - Data suggests that cattle fed de-oiled distillers or solubles have comparable performances to normal fat using the centrifugation process of removing oil from solubles

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