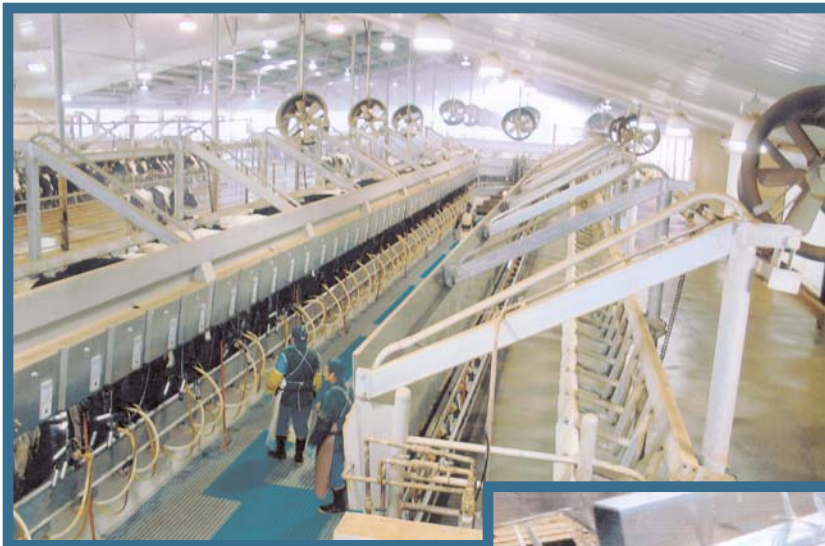


2005 EXCELLENCE IN HOT-DIP GALVANIZING FOOD & AGRICULTURE



LEGACY FARMS

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Recognizing the importance and cost savings of eliminating “down-time,” Legacy Farms has chosen—for the last 13 years—to use hot-dip galvanized head gates, milking stalls, and tubular rails to support its 6,000-cow dairy operation.

In a harsh environment of acidic animal waste—requiring a regular washing-down of the stalls and constant misting of the cows during hot summer days—durability and corrosion protection are essential elements of the equipment. Abrasion-resistance is also a key factor for selecting hot-dip galvanized steel, as it never needs recoating. The manufacturer of these stalls also likes to provide a galvanized product because it enables him to provide an economical and competitive solution for his customers. As the efficiency and methods of dairy farming continue to evolve and progress, one of the only constants is hot-dip galvanizing.

