Human Geography
Subsistence and Commercial Agriculture

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Directions: Read the article "Comparing Commercial and Subsistence Agriculture" and answer the following questions.

1. What is the difference between subsistence and commercial agriculture?

2. Why does the United States have fewer farms now than it did one hundred years ago?

3. Why are farms so large in MDCs like the US and Canada?

4. What is the difference in the percentage of society that farms in LDCs vs MDCs? Who developed more food?

5. How does the use of machinery differ between LDCs and MDCs?