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Eating animals is not inherently unethical, but farming them in large-scale, industrial conditions is. It causes immense harm to the planet through emissions caused by the cultivation and transportation of the meats, it devastates local economies by incentivising abusive conditions only accessible by large corporations and leaving local farms to join conglomerates like Tillamook or perish, and it is not only unethical to the animals but to the consumers of the meat. Animals fed crude nutrients create crude meat, that when consumed by humans passes down the poor health conditions. Ones care for their livestock is a reflection of their care for their citizens.