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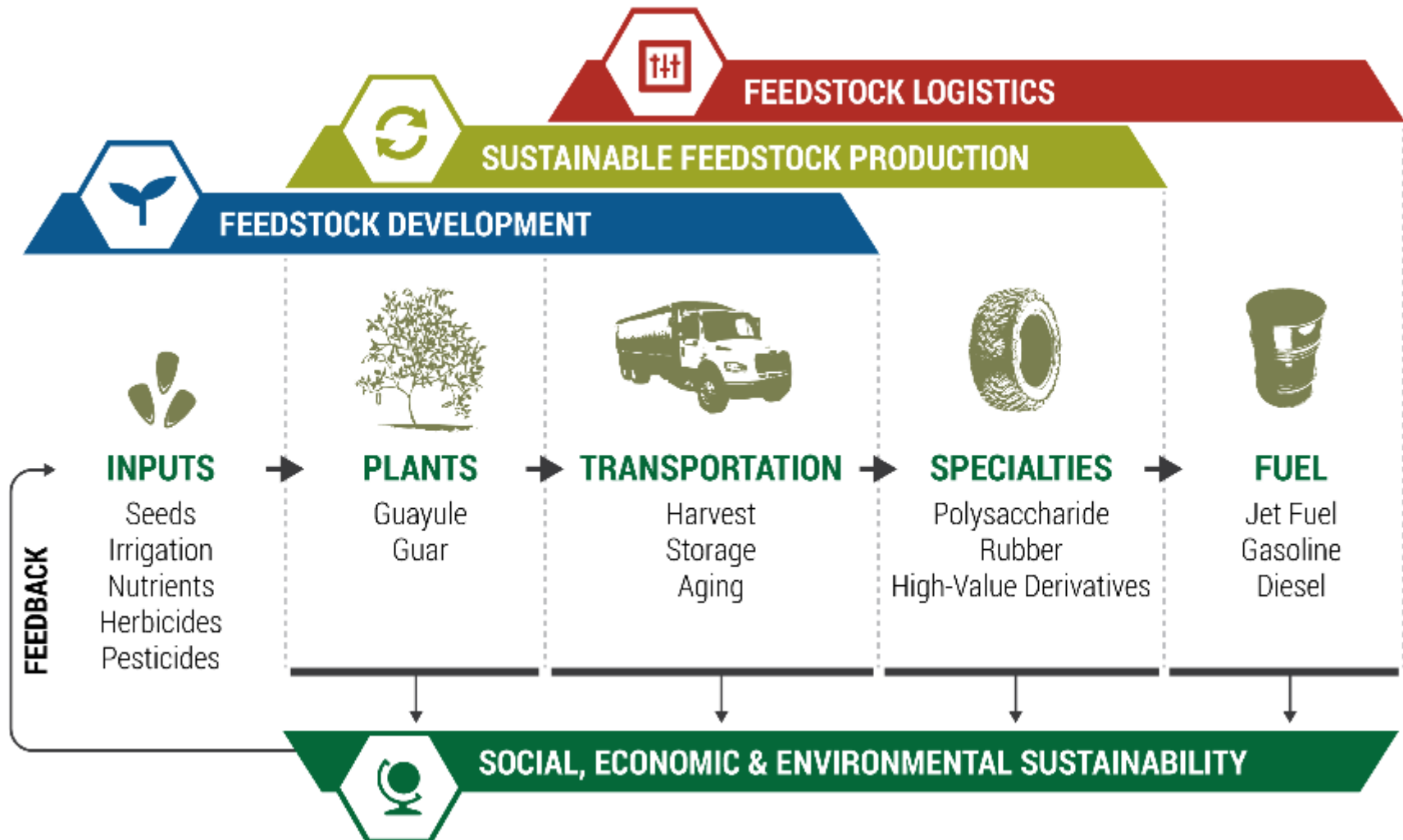
Sustainable Bioeconomy for Arid Regions

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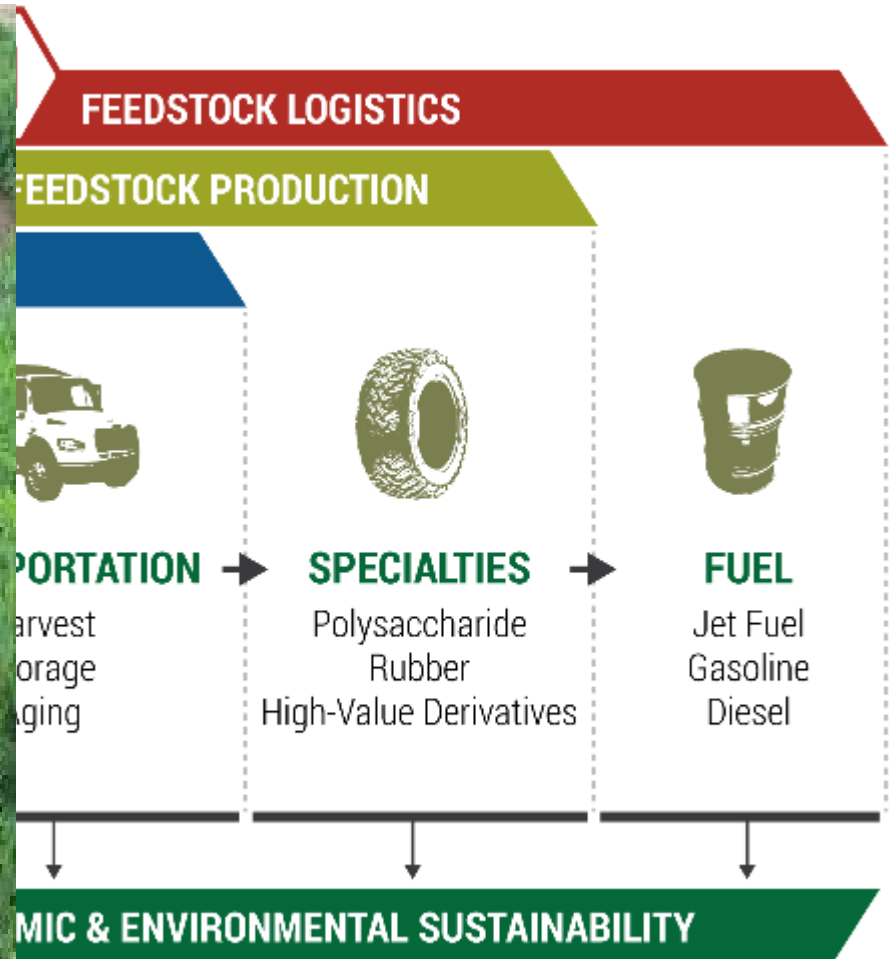


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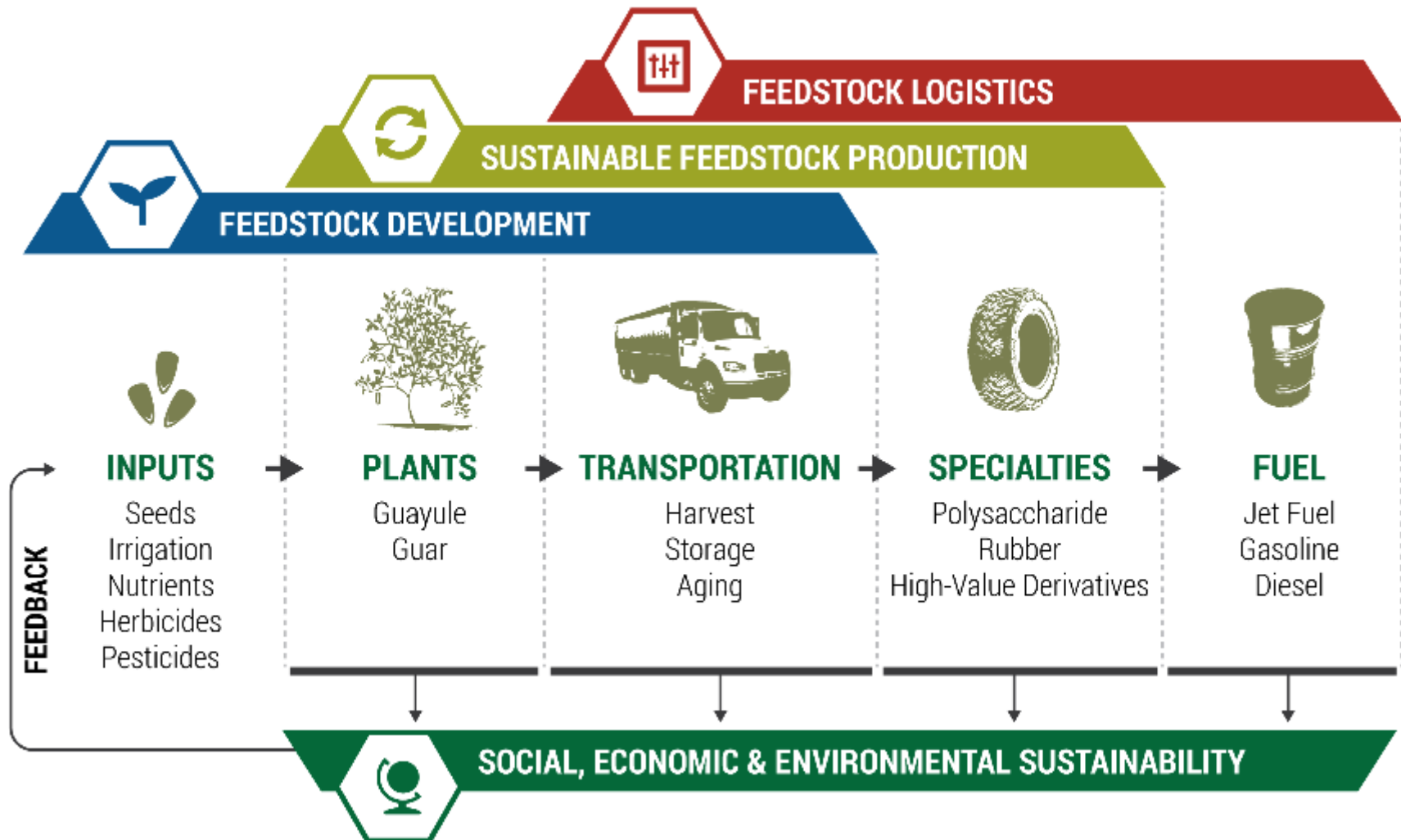
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**GUAYULE
(WHY-U-LEE);**

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Guayule

Sustainability

Bio-fractionation



Natural Rubber
440,000 MT/yr



Bagasse
3.65 Million MT/yr



Resin
285,000 MT/yr

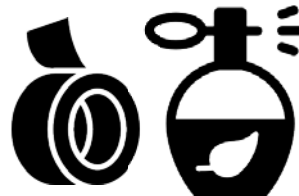
Products



\$3.10 kg⁻¹

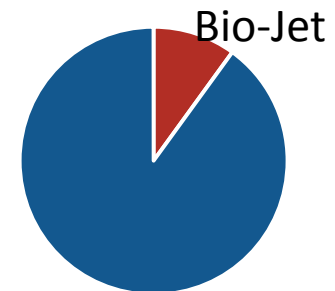
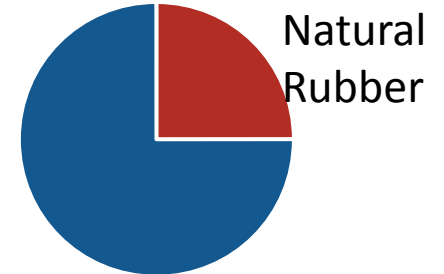


\$3 gal⁻¹



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Market Size



Adhesives (10 billion),
Tackifiers (billions),
Fragrances (billions),
Pharmaceutical (100s billion)



Feedstock Readiness Level Guayule

Sustainability

Feedstock:	Guayule				Region: AZ/SW US
FSRL Scoring Summary	Production	Market	Policy	Rubber Conversion	Linkage to Conversion
Current Status	6.2	5.3	4.2	4.3	4.3
Anticipated Status	7	6.2	5.4	7	6





Sustainability

Guar

Bio-fractionation



Seeds
340,000 MT/yr



Bagasse
1 Million MT/yr

Products



\$3.30 to \$26 kg⁻¹



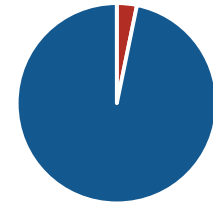
\$0.10 kg⁻¹



\$3 gal⁻¹

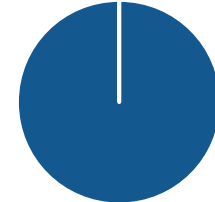
Market Size

Guar Gum



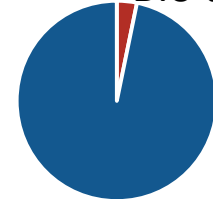
95,000 MT/yr

Animal Feed



245,000 MT/yr

Bio-Jet



Total Market \$88 Billion

Impacts

Center of Excellence

- ❖ Add value to the bioeconomy for rural, arid regions through production of rubber, fuel, guar gum, and high value products
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