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When most think of globalization and industrialization what comes to mind is the `amount of lives changed because of the negative and positive outcomes that came from them. Few wonder how globalization and industrialization have affected the food we know and eat today. Well I can say that the breakfast I ate on Wednesday, April 22, 2015 would not be possible if not for globalized and industrialized food systems.

The breakfast I had consisted of pancakes, sausage, eggs, and orange juice. Each part of my meal was affected by industrialized food systems because the mass production of each food had to have been done in efficient ways in order to be served at UVM. Each piece of food on my meal had to have been widely produced in factories or industrialized farms for it to be in such great quantity for everyone to have. My breakfast wouldn’t have been possible if not for an industrialized food system because food produced by it makes food more accessible to people.

My meal in turn was also affected by globalized food systems because globalization caused these foods to be known. Globalization advertised each piece food in my meal and made determining what I would want for breakfast easy to decide. Not to mention that the food in my meal had obviously contained ingredients from a somewhere foreign being that Vermont doesn’t naturally produce them. Globalized food systems keep the world informed and lets everyone experience different types of food, which can prove to be very beneficial for everyone.

Food systems are what keep us going because of the cycle of how food gets to us is provided by it. We can’t do much but appreciate and observe what comes from the food systems we live in because it naturally changes during time. I can say that the breakfast I consumed was possible because of having a globalized and industrialized food system because I stay informed on the overall condition and status of my food. It’s enough to make one wonder can one live without a globalized/ industrialized food system?