

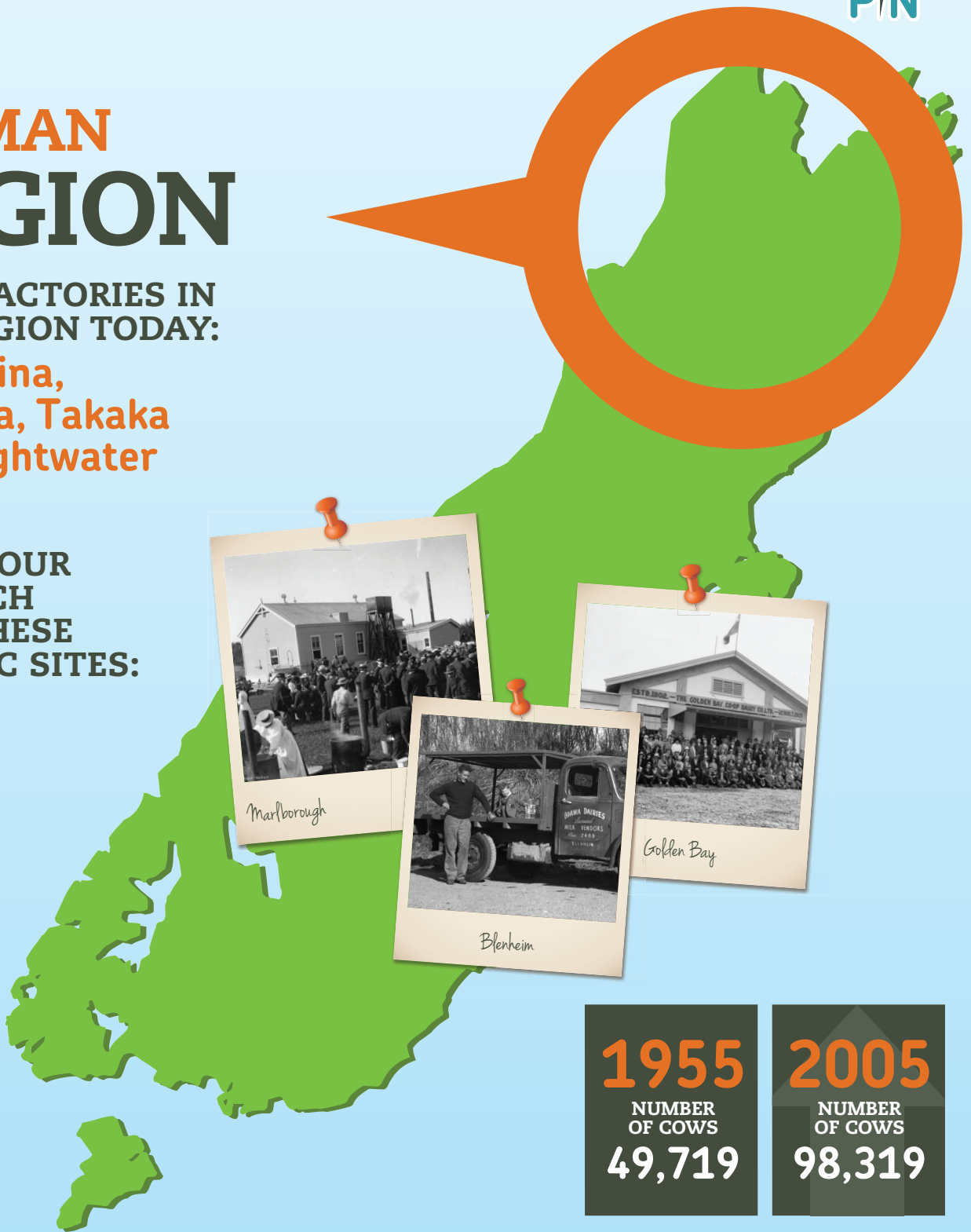
TASMAN REGION

DAIRY FACTORIES IN
THIS REGION TODAY:

Tuamarina,
Kaikoura, Takaka
and Brightwater

START YOUR
RESEARCH
WITH THESE
HISTORIC SITES:

Takaka



HISTORICAL FACTS ABOUT DAIRYING IN THE TASMAN REGION

Small butter-making factories opened in rural areas from the 1880s and a dairy factory was built near Takaka in 1894.

In the 1940s the number of dairy farms dropped, but their average size increased.

The Nelson Town Milk Supply Company was set up in 1945, supplying milk to the region.

Golden Bay, with its higher rainfall, has long been a dairy-farming stronghold, and since the 1990s many farms in valleys in the

Buller River catchment have converted to dairying.

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Regional museums that might be able to help you with your research: [Golden Bay Museum & Gallery](#), [Motueka District Museum](#) and [The Nelson Provincial Museum](#). For more museums that may be able to assist, visit www.nz museums.co.nz

Historypin DairyNZ Time Capsule Project <http://bit.ly/12VV8Au>

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