

OATS, NORTHEAST TEXAS REGION
 1983 PROJECTED COSTS AND RETURNS PER ACRE
 TYPICAL MANAGEMENT

CATEGORY	PROJECTED YIELD	UNIT	PROJECTED		YOUR
			\$/UNIT	VALUE	ESTIMATE
1. GROSS RECEIPTS					
OATS	65.00	BU.	2.05	133.25	
TOTAL PROJECTED RETURNS				\$ 133.25	\$
2. VARIABLE COSTS					
PREHARVEST COSTS					
*NITROGEN	100.00	LB.	0.25	25.00	
*PHOSPHATE	80.00	LB.	0.24	19.20	
*POTASH	80.00	LB.	0.15	12.00	
*SEED	80.00	LB.	0.24	19.20	
*INSECTICIDE	1.00	APPL	5.31	5.31	
FUEL & LUBE--TRACTOR		ACRE		4.17	
EQUIPMENT		ACRE		1.40	
REPAIRS-----TRACTOR		ACRE		0.76	
EQUIPMENT		ACRE		0.65	
LABOR-----MACHINERY	1.45	HOUR	4.50	6.51	
EQUIPMENT	0.70	HOUR	4.50	3.15	
OPERATING CAPITAL	43.70	DOL.	0.140	6.12	
SUBTOTAL, PREHARVEST		ACRE		\$ 103.45	\$
HARVEST COSTS					
CUSTOM COMBINE	1.00	ACRE	25.00	25.00	
CUSTOM HAUL	65.00	BU.	0.18	11.70	
SUBTOTAL, HARVEST		ACRE		\$ 36.70	\$
TOTAL VARIABLE COSTS		ACRE		\$ 140.15	\$
BREAK-EVEN PRICE, VARIABLE COSTS \$ 2.16/BU. OATS					
3. INCOME ABOVE VARIABLE COSTS		ACRE		\$ -6.90	\$
4. FIXED COSTS					
DEPREC., INTEREST, TAXES & INSUR.					
TRACTOR		ACRE		13.33	
EQUIPMENT		ACRE		6.31	
LAND---NET SHARE-RENT		ACRE		10.09	
TOTAL FIXED COSTS		ACRE		\$ 29.73	\$
5. TOTAL PROJECTED COSTS		ACRE		\$ 169.89	\$
BREAK-EVEN PRICE, TOTAL COSTS \$ 2.61/BU. OATS					
6. NET PROJECTED RETURNS		ACRE		\$ -36.64	\$

LAND RENT BASED ON 25% OF GROSS LESS 25% OF FERT, HARV, HAUL.

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						MACH		APPL.		MACH	TOTAL
MACHINERY OPERATION		ITEM NO.	OPER MONTH	TIMES OVER	LABOR HOURS	MACHINE HOURS	OPER COSTS	LABOR COSTS	INPUT COSTS	FIXED COSTS	OPER COST
OFFSET DISC	T	4,32	AUG	1.00	0.273	0.207	1.18	1.23	0.0	3.70	6.12
RENTD.FERT.APPL1		5,86	SEPT	1.00	0.104	0.079	0.23	0.47	41.20	0.65	42.54
OFFSET DISC	T	4,32	SEPT	1.00	0.273	0.207	1.18	1.23	0.0	3.70	6.12
GRAIN DRILL	T	4,42	SEPT	1.00	0.378	0.286	1.72	1.70	19.20	5.38	28.00
SPRAYER	T	5,49	OCT	1.00	0.315	0.239	0.77	1.42	5.31	3.53	11.02
RENTD.FERT.APPL1		5,86	FEB	1.00	0.104	0.079	0.23	0.47	15.00	0.65	16.34
TOTALS					1.447	1.096	5.32	6.51	80.71	17.61	110.14

RESIDUAL RETURNS AT ALTERNATIVE YIELDS AND PRICES
ADJUSTED FOR YIELD-RELATED COSTS AND CHANGES IN SHARE-RENT

INCOME ABOVE VARIABLE COSTS LESS SHARE-RENT

PRICE OF OATS
(DOLLARS)

		1.64	1.84	2.05	2.25	2.46
BU.						
QUANTITY OF OATS	52.00	-51.21	-43.22	-35.22	-27.23	-19.23
	58.50	-44.10	-35.10	-26.11	-17.11	-8.12
	65.00	-36.98	-26.99	-16.99	-7.00	3.00
	71.50	-29.86	-18.87	-7.88	3.12	14.11
	78.00	-22.74	-10.75	1.24	13.23	25.23

NOTE: NEGATIVE RETURNS OVER VARIABLE COSTS MAY BE AVOIDABLE
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OATS, NORTHEAST TEXAS REGION
1983 PROJECTED COSTS AND RETURNS PER ACRE
HIGH LEVEL MANAGEMENT

CATEGORY	PROJECTED YIELD	UNIT	PROJECTED \$/UNIT	PROJECTED VALUE	YOUR ESTIMATE
1. GROSS RECEIPTS					
OATS	110.00	BU.	2.05	225.50	
TOTAL PROJECTED RETURNS				\$ 225.50	\$
2. VARIABLE COSTS					
INPUT USE					
PREHARVEST COSTS					
*NITROGEN	160.00	LB.	0.25	40.00	
*PHOSPHATE	80.00	LB.	0.24	19.20	
*POTASH	80.00	LB.	0.15	12.00	
*SEED	80.00	LB.	0.24	19.20	
*INSECTICIDE	1.00	APPL	5.31	5.31	
FUEL & LUBE--TRACTOR		ACRE		4.46	
EQUIPMENT		ACRE		1.40	
REPAIRS-----TRACTOR		ACRE		0.81	
EQUIPMENT		ACRE		0.91	
LABOR-----MACHINERY	1.56	HOURL	4.50	7.01	
EQUIPMENT	0.70	HOURL	4.50	3.15	
OPERATING CAPITAL	45.77	DOL.	0.140	6.41	
SUBTOTAL, PREHARVEST		ACRE		\$ 119.85	\$
HARVEST COSTS					
CUSTOM COMBINE	1.00	ACRE	25.00	25.00	
CUSTOM HAUL	110.00	BU.	0.18	19.80	
SUBTOTAL, HARVEST		ACRE		\$ 44.80	\$
TOTAL VARIABLE COSTS		ACRE		\$ 164.65	\$
BREAK-EVEN PRICE, VARIABLE COSTS		\$ 1.50/BU.	OATS		
3. INCOME ABOVE VARIABLE COSTS		ACRE		\$ 60.85	\$
4. FIXED COSTS					
DEPREC., INTEREST, TAXES & INSUR.					
TRACTOR		ACRE		14.27	
EQUIPMENT		ACRE		4.04	
LAND---NET SHARE-RENT		ACRE		27.38	
TOTAL FIXED COSTS		ACRE		\$ 45.69	\$
5. TOTAL PROJECTED COSTS		ACRE		\$ 210.34	\$
BREAK-EVEN PRICE, TOTAL COSTS		\$ 1.91/BU.	OATS		
6. NET PROJECTED RETURNS		ACRE		\$ 15.16	\$
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HIGH LEVEL MANAGEMENT

							MACH		APPL.	MACH	TOTAL	
MACHINERY			ITEM	OPER	TIMES	LABOR	MACHINE	OPER	LABOR	INPUT	FIXED	OPER
OPERATION			NO.	MONTH	OVER	HOURS	HOURS	COSTS	COSTS	COSTS	COSTS	COST
OFFSET DISC	H	4,66	AUG	1.00	0.295	0.223	1.38	1.33	0.0	3.73	6.44	
RENTD.FERT.APPL1		5,86	SEPT	1.00	0.104	0.079	0.23	0.47	51.20	0.65	52.54	
OFFSET DISC	H	4,66	SEPT	1.00	0.295	0.223	1.38	1.33	0.0	3.73	6.44	
GRAIN DRILL	H	4,76	SEPT	1.00	0.389	0.295	1.78	1.75	19.20	4.89	27.62	
SPRAYER	H	5,83	OCT	1.00	0.372	0.282	0.93	1.67	5.31	2.63	10.54	
RENTD.FERT.APPL1		5,86	FEB	1.00	0.104	0.079	0.23	0.47	20.00	0.65	21.34	
TOTALS						1.558	1.180	5.92	7.01	95.71	16.28	124.92

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INCOME ABOVE VARIABLE COSTS LESS SHARE-RENT

		PRICE OF OATS (DOLLARS)				
		1.64	1.84	2.05	2.25	2.46
QUANTITY OF OATS	BU.					
	88.00	-24.44	-10.91	2.62	16.15	29.68
	99.00	-12.39	2.83	18.05	33.27	48.49
	110.00	-0.35	16.57	33.48	50.39	67.30
	121.00	11.70	30.30	48.91	67.51	86.11
	132.00	23.74	44.04	64.33	84.63	104.92

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SOYBEANS, NORTHEAST TEXAS REGION
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CATEGORY	PROJECTED YIELD	UNIT	PROJECTED		YOUR ESTIMATE
			\$/UNIT	VALUE	
1. GROSS RECEIPTS					
SOYBEANS	25.00	BU.	6.15	153.75	
TOTAL PROJECTED RETURNS				\$ 153.75	\$
2. VARIABLE COSTS					
PREHARVEST COSTS					
*PHOSPHATE	40.00	LB.	0.24	9.60	
*POTASH	40.00	LB.	0.15	6.00	
*SEED	45.00	LB.	0.24	10.80	
*HERBICIDE	1.00	ACRE	15.50	15.50	
*INSECTICIDE	2.00	APPL	4.67	9.34	
FUEL & LUBE--TRACTOR		ACRE		12.69	
EQUIPMENT		ACRE		1.40	
REPAIRS-----TRACTOR		ACRE		3.21	
EQUIPMENT		ACRE		1.20	
LABOR-----MACHINERY	3.05	HOUR	4.50	13.74	
EQUIPMENT	0.70	HOUR	4.50	3.15	
OPERATING CAPITAL	27.85	DOL.	0.140	3.90	
SUBTOTAL, PREHARVEST		ACRE		\$ 90.53	\$
HARVEST COSTS					
CUSTOM COMBINE	25.00	BU.	0.60	15.00	
CUSTOM HAUL	25.00	BU.	0.25	6.25	
SUBTOTAL, HARVEST		ACRE		\$ 21.25	\$
TOTAL VARIABLE COSTS		ACRE		\$ 111.78	\$
BREAK-EVEN PRICE, VARIABLE COSTS			\$ 4.47/BU.	SOYBEANS	
3. INCOME ABOVE VARIABLE COSTS		ACRE		\$ 41.97	\$
4. FIXED COSTS					
DEPREC., INTEREST, TAXES & INSUR.					
TRACTOR		ACRE		31.19	
EQUIPMENT		ACRE		10.83	
LAND---NET SHARE-RENT		ACRE		29.22	
TOTAL FIXED COSTS		ACRE		\$ 71.24	\$
5. TOTAL PROJECTED COSTS		ACRE		\$ 183.02	\$
BREAK-EVEN PRICE, TOTAL COSTS			\$ 7.32/BU.	SOYBEANS	
6. NET PROJECTED RETURNS		ACRE		\$ -29.27	\$

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TANDEM DISC	T	3,34	DEC	1.00	0.224	0.170	1.40	1.01	0.0	3.16	5.57		
TANDEM DISC	T	3,34	MAR	1.00	0.224	0.170	1.40	1.01	0.0	3.16	5.57		
RENTD.FERT.APPL1		5,86	APR	1.00	0.104	0.079	0.23	0.47	15.60	0.65	16.94		
LISTER-BEDDER	T	3,47	APR	1.00	0.227	0.172	1.40	1.02	0.0	2.69	5.12		
SPRAYER	T	3,49	MAY	1.00	0.315	0.239	1.94	1.42	15.50	4.74	23.59		
TOOL BAR CULT.	T	4,43	JUNE	1.00	0.322	0.244	1.41	1.45	0.0	3.80	6.67		
PLANTER	T	3,39	JUNE	1.20	0.364	0.276	2.36	1.64	10.80	4.70	19.49		
SPRAYER	T	3,49	JULY	2.00	0.630	0.477	3.88	2.83	9.34	9.48	25.53		
TOOL BAR CULT.	T	4,43	JULY	1.00	0.322	0.244	1.41	1.45	0.0	3.80	6.67		
TOOL BAR CULT.	T	4,43	AUG	1.00	0.322	0.244	1.41	1.45	0.0	3.80	6.67		
TOTALS							3.053	2.313	16.85	13.74	51.24	39.98	121.81

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INCOME ABOVE VARIABLE COSTS LESS SHARE-RENT

PRICE OF SOYBEANS
(DOLLARS)

		4.92	5.53	6.15	6.76	7.38
QUANTITY OF SOYBEANS	BU.					
	20.00	-25.58	-16.35	-7.13	2.10	11.32
	22.50	-17.95	-7.57	2.81	13.19	23.57
	25.00	-10.31	1.22	12.75	24.28	35.81
	27.50	-2.68	10.00	22.69	35.37	48.05
	30.00	4.95	18.79	32.62	46.46	60.30

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CATEGORY	PROJECTED YIELD	UNIT	PROJECTED		YOUR
			\$/UNIT	VALUE	ESTIMATE
1. GROSS RECEIPTS					
SOYBEANS	38.00	BU.	6.15	233.70	
TOTAL PROJECTED RETURNS				\$ 233.70	\$
2. VARIABLE COSTS					
INPUT USE					
PREHARVEST COSTS					
*PHOSPHATE	60.00	LB.	0.24	14.40	
*POTASH	60.00	LB.	0.15	9.00	
*SEED	45.00	LB.	0.24	10.80	
*INNOCULANT	1.00	ACRE	1.35	1.35	
*HERBICIDE	1.00	ACRE	15.50	15.50	
*INSECTICIDE	3.00	APPL	4.67	14.01	
FUEL & LUBE--TRACTOR		ACRE		15.85	
EQUIPMENT		ACRE		1.54	
REPAIRS-----TRACTOR		ACRE		4.13	
EQUIPMENT		ACRE		1.86	
LABOR-----MACHINERY	3.71	HOUR	4.50	16.71	
EQUIPMENT	0.77	HOUR	4.50	3.46	
OPERATING CAPITAL	31.10	DOL.	0.140	4.35	
SUBTOTAL, PREHARVEST		ACRE		\$ 112.95	\$
HARVEST COSTS					
CUSTOM COMBINE	38.00	BU.	0.60	22.80	
CUSTOM HAUL	38.00	BU.	0.25	9.50	
SUBTOTAL, HARVEST		ACRE		\$ 32.30	\$
TOTAL VARIABLE COSTS		ACRE		\$ 145.25	\$
BREAK-EVEN PRICE, VARIABLE COSTS			\$ 3.82/BU.	SOYBEANS	
3. INCOME ABOVE VARIABLE COSTS		ACRE		\$ 88.45	\$
4. FIXED COSTS					
DEPREC., INTEREST, TAXES & INSUR.					
TRACTOR		ACRE		37.78	
EQUIPMENT		ACRE		7.01	
LAND---NET SHARE-RENT		ACRE		44.50	
TOTAL FIXED COSTS		ACRE		\$ 89.29	\$
5. TOTAL PROJECTED COSTS		ACRE		\$ 234.54	\$
BREAK-EVEN PRICE, TOTAL COSTS			\$ 6.17/BU.	SOYBEANS	
6. NET PROJECTED RETURNS		ACRE		\$ -0.84	\$

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TANDEM DISC	H	3,68	DEC	1.00	0.227	0.172	1.52	1.02	0.0	2.89	5.43
TANDEM DISC	H	3,68	MAR	1.00	0.227	0.172	1.52	1.02	0.0	2.89	5.43
RENTD.FERT.APPL1		5,86	APR	1.00	0.104	0.079	0.23	0.47	23.40	0.65	24.74
LISTER-BEDDER	H	3,81	APR	1.00	0.310	0.235	1.94	1.40	0.0	3.44	6.78
SPRAYER	H	3,83	MAY	1.00	0.372	0.282	2.31	1.67	15.50	4.06	23.54
TOOL BAR CULT.	H	4,77	JUNE	1.00	0.291	0.221	1.28	1.31	0.0	3.44	6.04
PLANTER	H	3,73	JUNE	1.20	0.298	0.226	2.12	1.34	12.15	4.06	19.66
SPRAYER	H	3,83	JULY	1.00	0.372	0.282	2.31	1.67	9.34	4.06	17.38
TOOL BAR CULT.	H	4,77	JULY	1.00	0.291	0.221	1.28	1.31	0.0	3.44	6.04
SPRAYER	H	3,83	AUG	1.00	0.372	0.282	2.31	1.67	4.67	4.06	12.71
TOOL BAR CULT.	H	4,77	AUG	1.00	0.291	0.221	1.28	1.31	0.0	3.44	6.04
SPRAYER	H	3,83	SEPT	1.00	0.372	0.282	2.31	1.67	0.0	4.06	8.04
SPRAYER	H	3,83	OCT	0.50	0.186	0.141	1.15	0.84	0.0	2.03	4.02
TOTALS					3.713	2.813	21.55	16.71	65.06	42.54	145.86

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PRICE OF SOYBEANS
(DOLLARS)

		4.92	5.53	6.15	6.76	7.38
QUANTITY OF SOYBEANS	BU.					
	30.40	-14.31	-0.28	13.74	27.76	41.78
	34.20	-2.71	13.07	28.84	44.62	60.39
	38.00	8.89	26.42	43.95	61.48	79.00
	41.80	20.49	39.77	59.05	78.33	97.61
	45.60	32.09	53.13	74.16	95.19	116.22

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CATEGORY	PROJECTED YIELD	UNIT	PROJECTED \$/UNIT VALUE		YOUR ESTIMATE
1. GROSS RECEIPTS					
WHEAT	40.00	BU.	3.40	136.00	_____
DEFICIENCY PMT.	40.00	BU.	0.65	26.00	_____
TOTAL PROJECTED RETURNS				\$ 162.00	\$ _____
2. VARIABLE COSTS					
PREHARVEST COSTS					
FERT (N) APPL'D	80.00	LB.	0.25	20.00	_____
FERT (P) APPL'D	40.00	LB.	0.24	9.60	_____
FERT (K) APPL'D	40.00	LB.	0.15	6.00	_____
*SEED (TREATED)	75.00	LB.	0.28	21.00	_____
*INSECTICIDE	1.00	APPL	5.31	5.31	_____
FUEL & LUBE--TRACTOR		ACRE		3.78	_____
EQUIPMENT		ACRE		1.26	_____
REPAIRS-----TRACTOR		ACRE		0.68	_____
EQUIPMENT		ACRE		0.62	_____
LABOR-----MACHINERY	1.24	HOUR	4.50	5.58	_____
EQUIPMENT	0.63	HOUR	4.50	2.83	_____
OPERATING CAPITAL	50.47	DOL.	0.140	7.07	_____
SUBTOTAL, PREHARVEST		ACRE		\$ 83.73	\$ _____
HARVEST COSTS					
CUSTOM COMBINE	1.00	ACRE	20.00	20.00	_____
CUSTOM HAUL	40.00	BU.	0.25	10.00	_____
SUBTOTAL, HARVEST		ACRE		\$ 30.00	\$ _____
TOTAL VARIABLE COSTS		ACRE		\$ 113.73	\$ _____
BREAK-EVEN PRICE, VARIABLE COSTS			\$ 2.19/BU.	WHEAT	
3. INCOME ABOVE VARIABLE COSTS		ACRE		\$ 48.27	\$ _____
4. FIXED COSTS					
DEPREC., INTEREST, TAXES & INSUR.					
TRACTOR		ACRE		12.04	_____
EQUIPMENT		ACRE		6.11	_____
LAND---NET SHARE-RENT		ACRE		24.10	_____
TOTAL FIXED COSTS		ACRE		\$ 42.24	\$ _____
5. TOTAL PROJECTED COSTS		ACRE		\$ 155.98	\$ _____
BREAK-EVEN PRICE, TOTAL COSTS			\$ 3.25/BU.	WHEAT	
6. NET PROJECTED RETURNS		ACRE		\$ 6.02	\$ _____

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 PRICE BASED ON LOAN RATE ADJUSTED FOR STORAGE. DEFICIENCY
 PAYMENT BASED ON COMPLIANCE WITH GOVT SET ASIDE PROGRAM

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TYPICAL MANAGEMENT

MACHINERY OPERATION		ITEM NO.	OPER MONTH	TIMES OVER	LABOR HOURS	MACHINE HOURS	MACH OPER COSTS	LABOR COSTS	APPL. MACH INPUT COSTS	MACH FIXED COSTS	TOTAL OPER. COST
OFFSET DISC	T	4,32	SEPT	1.00	0.273	0.207	1.18	1.23	0.0	3.70	6.12
OFFSET DISC	T	4,32	OCT	1.00	0.273	0.207	1.18	1.23	0.0	3.70	6.12
GRAIN DRILL	T	4,42	OCT	1.00	0.378	0.286	1.72	1.70	21.00	5.38	29.80
SPRAYER	T	5,49	NOV	1.00	0.315	0.239	0.77	1.42	5.31	3.53	11.02
TOTALS					1.240	0.939	4.86	5.58	26.31	16.31	53.06

RESIDUAL RETURNS AT ALTERNATIVE YIELDS AND PRICES
ADJUSTED FOR YIELD-RELATED COSTS AND CHANGES IN SHARE-RENT

INCOME ABOVE VARIABLE COSTS LESS SHARE-RENT

		PRICE OF WHEAT (DOLLARS)				
		2.72	3.06	3.40	3.74	4.08
QUANTITY OF WHEAT	BU.					
	32.00	-14.95	-6.79	1.37	9.53	17.69
	36.00	-5.59	3.59	12.77	21.95	31.13
	40.00	3.77	13.97	24.17	34.37	44.57
	44.00	13.13	24.35	35.57	46.79	58.01
	48.00	22.49	34.73	46.97	59.21	71.45

NOTE: NEGATIVE RETURNS OVER VARIABLE COSTS MAY BE AVOIDABLE
VIA CROP ABANDONMENT, GRAZE-OUT, OR OTHER MANAGEMENT
STRATEGIES.

WHEAT, NORTHEAST TEXAS REGION
1983 PROJECTED COSTS AND RETURNS PER ACRE
HIGH LEVEL MANAGEMENT

CATEGORY	PROJECTED YIELD	UNIT	PROJECTED \$/UNIT VALUE		YOUR ESTIMATE
1. GROSS RECEIPTS					
WHEAT	50.00	BU.	3.40	170.00	
DEFICIENCY PMT.	50.00	BU.	0.65	32.50	
TOTAL PROJECTED RETURNS				\$ 202.50	\$
2. VARIABLE COSTS					
INPUT USE					
PREHARVEST COSTS					
FERT (N) APPL'D	120.00	LB.	0.25	30.00	
FERT (P) APPL'D	80.00	LB.	0.24	19.20	
FERT (K) APPL'D	80.00	LB.	0.15	12.00	
*SEED (TREATED)	75.00	LB.	0.28	21.00	
*INSECTICIDE	1.00	APPL	5.31	5.31	
FUEL & LUBE--TRACTOR		ACRE		4.07	
EQUIPMENT		ACRE		0.98	
REPAIRS-----TRACTOR		ACRE		0.74	
EQUIPMENT		ACRE		0.83	
LABOR-----MACHINERY	1.35	HOUR	4.50	6.08	
EQUIPMENT	0.49	HOUR	4.50	2.20	
OPERATING CAPITAL	46.64	DOL.	0.140	6.53	
SUBTOTAL, PREHARVEST		ACRE		\$ 108.94	\$
HARVEST COSTS					
CUSTOM COMBINE	1.00	ACRE	20.00	20.00	
CUSTOM HAUL	50.00	BU.	0.25	12.50	
SUBTOTAL, HARVEST		ACRE		\$ 32.50	\$
TOTAL VARIABLE COSTS		ACRE		\$ 141.44	\$
BREAK-EVEN PRICE, VARIABLE COSTS			\$ 2.18/BU.	WHEAT	
3. INCOME ABOVE VARIABLE COSTS		ACRE		\$ 61.06	\$
4. FIXED COSTS					
DEPREC., INTEREST, TAXES & INSUR.					
TRACTOR		ACRE		12.98	
EQUIPMENT		ACRE		3.43	
LAND---NET SHARE-RENT		ACRE		19.07	
TOTAL FIXED COSTS		ACRE		\$ 35.48	\$
5. TOTAL PROJECTED COSTS		ACRE		\$ 176.92	\$
BREAK-EVEN PRICE, TOTAL COSTS			\$ 2.89/BU.	WHEAT	
6. NET PROJECTED RETURNS		ACRE		\$ 25.58	\$

LAND RENT BASED ON 25% OF GROSS INCOME LESS 25% OF FERTILIZER, HARVEST AND HAULING. PRICE BASED ON LOAN RATE ADJUSTED FOR STORAGE. DEFICIENCY PAYMENT BASED ON COMPLIANCE WITH GOVERNMENT SET ASIDE PROGRAM.

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 HIGH LEVEL MANAGEMENT

						MACH		APPL. MACH		TOTAL	
MACHINERY OPERATION	ITEM NO.	OPER MONTH	TIMES OVER	LABOR HOURS	MACHINE HOURS	OPER COSTS	LABOR COSTS	INPUT COSTS	FIXED COSTS	OPER. COST	
OFFSET DISC	H	4,66	AUG	1.00	0.295	0.223	1.38	1.33	0.0	3.73	6.44
OFFSET DISC	H	4,66	SEPT	1.00	0.295	0.223	1.38	1.33	0.0	3.73	6.44
GRAIN DRILL	H	4,76	OCT	1.00	0.389	0.295	1.78	1.75	21.00	4.89	29.42
SPRAYER	H	5,83	NOV	1.00	0.372	0.282	0.93	1.67	5.31	2.63	10.54
TOTALS					1.350	1.023	5.46	6.08	26.31	14.98	52.83

RESIDUAL RETURNS AT ALTERNATIVE YIELDS AND PRICES
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INCOME ABOVE VARIABLE COSTS LESS SHARE-RENT

		PRICE OF WHEAT (DOLLARS)				
		2.72	3.06	3.40	3.74	4.08
QUANTITY OF WHEAT	BU.					
	40.00	-8.54	1.66	11.86	22.06	32.26
	45.00	3.97	15.45	26.92	38.40	49.87
	50.00	16.49	29.24	41.99	54.74	67.49
	55.00	29.00	43.02	57.05	71.07	85.10
	60.00	41.51	56.81	72.11	87.41	102.71

NOTE: NEGATIVE RETURNS OVER VARIABLE COSTS MAY BE AVOIDABLE
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SOUTHERN PEAS, NORTHEAST TEXAS REGION
1983 PROJECTED COSTS AND RETURNS PER ACRE
TYPICAL MANAGEMENT

CATEGORY	PROJECTED YIELD	UNIT	PROJECTED \$/UNIT VALUE		YOUR ESTIMATE
1. GROSS RECEIPTS					
SOUTHERN PEAS	135.00	BU.	8.00	1080.00	_____
TOTAL PROJECTED RETURNS				\$ 1080.00	\$ _____
2. VARIABLE COSTS					
INPUT USE					
PREHARVEST COSTS					
FERT (N) APPL'D	18.00	LB.	0.25	4.50	_____
FERT (P) APPL'D	72.00	LB.	0.24	17.28	_____
FERT (K) APPL'D	72.00	LB.	0.15	10.80	_____
*SEED	20.00	LB.	0.58	11.60	_____
FUEL & LUBE--TRACTOR		ACRE		9.41	_____
EQUIPMENT		ACRE		1.40	_____
REPAIRS-----TRACTOR		ACRE		1.76	_____
EQUIPMENT		ACRE		1.20	_____
LABOR-----MACHINERY	4.25	HOUR	4.50	19.12	_____
EQUIPMENT	0.70	HOUR	4.50	3.15	_____
OPERATING CAPITAL	-141.48	DOL.	0.140	-19.81	_____
SUBTOTAL, PREHARVEST		ACRE		\$ 60.41	\$ _____
HARVEST COSTS					
HAND HARVEST	135.00	BU.	3.00	405.00	_____
CUSTOM HAUL	135.00	BU.	0.55	74.25	_____
SACKS	135.00	EACH	0.25	33.75	_____
SUBTOTAL, HARVEST		ACRE		\$ 513.00	\$ _____
TOTAL VARIABLE COSTS		ACRE		\$ 573.41	\$ _____
BREAK-EVEN PRICE, VARIABLE COSTS			\$ 4.25/BU.	SOUTHERN PEAS	
3. INCOME ABOVE VARIABLE COSTS		ACRE		\$ 506.59	\$ _____
4. FIXED COSTS					
DEPREC., INTEREST, TAXES & INSUR.					
TRACTOR		ACRE		31.02	_____
EQUIPMENT		ACRE		11.67	_____
LAND-CASH RENT	1.00	ACRE	15.00	15.00	_____
TOTAL FIXED COSTS		ACRE		\$ 57.69	\$ _____
5. TOTAL PROJECTED COSTS		ACRE		\$ 631.09	\$ _____
BREAK-EVEN PRICE, TOTAL COSTS			\$ 4.67/BU.	SOUTHERN PEAS	
6. NET PROJECTED RETURNS		ACRE		\$ 448.91	\$ _____

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TYPICAL MANAGEMENT

						MACH			APPL.	MACH	TOTAL
MACHINERY		ITEM	OPER	TIMES	LABOR	MACHINE	OPER	LABOR	INPUT	FIXED	OPER.
OPERATION		NO.	MONTH	OVER	HOURS	HOURS	COSTS	COSTS	COSTS	COSTS	COST
TANDEM DISC	T	5,33	FEB	2.00	0.729	0.552	1.72	3.28	0.0	6.00	11.01
TANDEM DISC	T	5,33	APR	1.00	0.364	0.276	0.86	1.64	0.0	3.00	5.50
PLANT-CULTIVATOR		5,93	APR	1.00	0.286	0.217	0.70	1.29	11.60	2.02	15.61
PLANT-CULTIVATOR		5,93	MAY	2.00	0.573	0.434	1.41	2.58	0.0	4.04	8.02
SPRAYER	T	5,50	MAY	2.00	0.419	0.317	1.04	1.88	0.0	4.93	7.85
TOOL BAR CULT.	T	4,43	JUNE	1.00	0.322	0.244	1.41	1.45	0.0	3.80	6.67
TANDEM DISC	T	5,33	JULY	1.00	0.364	0.276	0.86	1.64	0.0	3.00	5.50
TOOL BAR CULT.	T	4,43	JULY	2.00	0.643	0.487	2.83	2.89	0.0	7.61	13.33
SHREDDER(2R)	T	5,30	JULY	1.00	0.549	0.416	1.27	2.47	0.0	6.25	9.99
TOTALS					4.250	3.220	12.11	19.12	11.60	40.65	83.48

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INCOME ABOVE VARIABLE COSTS LESS SHARE-RENT

PRICE OF SOUTHERN PEAS
(DOLLARS)

		6.40	7.20	8.00	8.80	9.60
BU.						
QUANTITY OF SOUTHERN PEAS	108.00	220.39	306.79	393.19	479.59	565.99
	121.50	255.49	352.69	449.89	547.09	644.29
	135.00	290.59	398.59	506.59	614.59	722.59
	148.50	325.69	444.49	563.29	682.09	800.89
	162.00	360.79	490.39	619.99	749.59	879.19

CHRISTMAS TREE ESTABLISHMENT, NORTHEAST TEXAS REGION
 1983 PROJECTED COSTS AND RETURNS PER ACRE

CATEGORY	PROJECTED YIELD	UNIT	PROJECTED \$/UNIT VALUE		YOUR ESTIMATE
1. GROSS RECEIPTS					
TOTAL PROJECTED RETURNS			\$	0.0	\$
2. VARIABLE COSTS		INPUT USE			
PREHARVEST COSTS					
*HERBICIDE	0.33	GAL.	79.11	26.11	
*POISON GRAIN	1.50	LB.	0.80	1.20	
*SEEDLINGS	680.00	EACH	0.05	34.00	
PLANTING LABOR	10.00	HOUR	4.50	45.00	
*HERBICIDE	0.66	GAL.	79.11	52.21	
HERB APPL LABOR	13.00	HOUR	4.88	63.44	
*INSECTICIDE	1.75	LB.	7.45	13.04	
INSEC APPL LABOR	9.20	HOUR	4.88	44.90	
FUEL & LUBE---TRACTOR		ACRE		7.67	
REPAIRS-----TRACTOR		ACRE		1.47	
EQUIPMENT		ACRE		0.51	
LABOR-----MACHINERY	4.15	HOUR	4.50	18.69	
OPERATING CAPITAL	155.24	DOL.	0.140	21.73	
SUBTOTAL, PREHARVEST		ACRE	\$	329.97	\$
HARVEST COSTS					
SUBTOTAL, HARVEST		ACRE	\$	0.0	\$
TOTAL VARIABLE COSTS		ACRE	\$	329.97	\$
3. INCOME ABOVE VARIABLE COSTS		ACRE	\$	-329.97	\$
4. FIXED COSTS					
DEPREC., INTEREST, TAXES & INSUR.					
TRACTOR		ACRE		25.94	
EQUIPMENT		ACRE		21.20	
LAND-CASH RENT	1.00	ACRE	15.00	15.00	
TOTAL FIXED COSTS		ACRE	\$	62.14	\$
5. TOTAL PROJECTED COSTS		ACRE	\$	392.11	\$
6. NET PROJECTED RETURNS		ACRE	\$	-392.11	\$

HERBICIDE AND INSECTICIDE APPLICATION LABOR INCLUDES THE PRORATED COST OF HAND SPRAYER.

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 1983 PROJECTED COSTS AND RETURNS PER ACRE

MACHINERY OPERATION	ITEM NO.	OPER MONTH	TIMES OVER	LABOR HOURS	MACHINE HOURS	MACH OPER COSTS	LABOR COSTS	APPL. INPUT COSTS	MACH FIXED COSTS	TOTAL OPER. COST	
SHREDDER(2R)	T	5,30	MAY	1.00	0.549	0.416	1.27	2.47	0.0	6.25	9.99
SHREDDER(2R)	T	5,30	JUNE	1.00	0.549	0.416	1.27	2.47	0.0	6.25	9.99
SHREDDER(2R)	T	5,30	JULY	1.00	0.549	0.416	1.27	2.47	0.0	6.25	9.99
SHREDDER(2R)	T	5,30	AUG	1.00	0.549	0.416	1.27	2.47	0.0	6.25	9.99
SPRAYER	T	5,50	SEPT	1.00	0.209	0.159	0.52	0.94	26.11	2.46	30.03
GOPHER POISONER		5,41	SEPT	1.00	0.101	0.076	0.24	0.45	1.20	0.95	2.84
SHREDDER(2R)	T	5,30	SEPT	1.00	0.549	0.416	1.27	2.47	0.0	6.25	9.99
SHREDDER(2R)	T	5,30	OCT	1.00	0.549	0.416	1.27	2.47	0.0	6.25	9.99
SHREDDER(2R)	T	5,30	NOV	1.00	0.549	0.416	1.27	2.47	0.0	6.25	9.99
TOTALS					4.154	3.147	9.65	18.69	27.31	47.14	102.79

CHRISTMAS TREE PRODUCTION, SECOND YEAR, NORTHEAST TEXAS REGION
 1983 PROJECTED COSTS AND RETURNS PER ACRE

CATEGORY	PROJECTED YIELD	UNIT	PROJECTED \$/UNIT VALUE		YOUR ESTIMATE
1. GROSS RECEIPTS					
TOTAL PROJECTED RETURNS			\$	0.0	\$
2. VARIABLE COSTS		INPUT USE			
PREHARVEST COSTS					
*POISON GRAIN	1.50	LB.	0.80	1.20	
*HERBICIDE	0.66	GAL.	79.11	52.21	
*INSECTICIDE	3.00	LB.	7.45	22.35	
SHEARING LABOR	12.00	HOUR	4.50	54.00	
FUEL & LUBE--TRACTOR		ACRE		14.81	
REPAIRS-----TRACTOR		ACRE		2.84	
EQUIPMENT		ACRE		3.07	
LABOR-----MACHINERY	8.02	HOUR	4.50	36.10	
OPERATING CAPITAL	71.45	DOL.	0.140	10.00	
SUBTOTAL, PREHARVEST		ACRE	\$	196.58	\$
HARVEST COSTS					
SUBTOTAL, HARVEST		ACRE	\$	0.0	\$
TOTAL VARIABLE COSTS		ACRE	\$	196.58	\$
3. INCOME ABOVE VARIABLE COSTS		ACRE	\$	-196.58	\$
4. FIXED COSTS					
DEPREC., INTEREST, TAXES & INSUR.					
TRACTOR		ACRE		50.09	
EQUIPMENT		ACRE		67.99	
PRORATED ESTABL	392.11	DOL.	1.00	392.11	
RETURN ON INVEST	392.11	DOL.	0.18	70.58	
LAND-CASH RENT	1.00	ACRE	15.00	15.00	
TOTAL FIXED COSTS		ACRE	\$	595.77	\$
5. TOTAL PROJECTED COSTS		ACRE	\$	792.35	\$
6. NET PROJECTED RETURNS		ACRE	\$	-792.35	\$

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CHRISTMAS TREE PRODUCTION, SECOND YEAR, NORTHEAST TEXAS REGION
1983 PROJECTED COSTS AND RETURNS PER ACRE

MACHINERY OPERATION	ITEM NO.	OPER MONTH	TIMES OVER	LABOR HOURS	MACHINE HOURS	MACH OPER COSTS	LABOR COSTS	APPL. INPUT COSTS	MACH FIXED COSTS	TOTAL OPER. COST
GOPHER POISONER	5,41	FEB	1.00	0.101	0.076	0.24	0.45	1.20	0.95	2.84
SHREDDER(2R) T	5,30	APR	1.00	0.549	0.416	1.27	2.47	0.0	6.25	9.99
SPRAYER, C. TREE	5,99	APR	2.00	1.008	0.764	2.87	4.54	29.83	18.26	55.50
SHREDDER(2R) T	5,30	MAY	1.00	0.549	0.416	1.27	2.47	0.0	6.25	9.99
SPRAYER, C. TREE	5,99	MAY	1.00	0.504	0.382	1.44	2.27	3.72	9.13	16.56
SHREDDER(2R) T	5,30	JUNE	1.00	0.549	0.416	1.27	2.47	0.0	6.25	9.99
SPRAYER, C. TREE	5,99	JUNE	1.00	0.504	0.382	1.44	2.27	3.72	9.13	16.56
SHREDDER(2R) T	5,30	JULY	1.00	0.549	0.416	1.27	2.47	0.0	6.25	9.99
SPRAYER, C. TREE	5,99	JULY	2.00	1.008	0.764	2.87	4.54	29.83	18.26	55.50
SHREDDER(2R) T	5,30	AUG	1.00	0.549	0.416	1.27	2.47	0.0	6.25	9.99
SPRAYER, C. TREE	5,99	AUG	1.00	0.504	0.382	1.44	2.27	3.72	9.13	16.56
SHREDDER(2R) T	5,30	SEPT	1.00	0.549	0.416	1.27	2.47	0.0	6.25	9.99
SPRAYER, C. TREE	5,99	SEPT	1.00	0.504	0.382	1.44	2.27	3.72	9.13	16.56
SHREDDER(2R) T	5,30	OCT	1.00	0.549	0.416	1.27	2.47	0.0	6.25	9.99
TANDEM DISC T	5,33	OCT	0.12	0.044	0.033	0.10	0.20	0.0	0.36	0.66
TOTALS				8.022	6.077	20.72	36.10	75.76	118.08	250.66

CHRISTMAS TREE PRODUCTION, THIRD YEAR, NORTHEAST TEXAS REGION
 1983 PROJECTED COSTS AND RETURNS PER ACRE

CATEGORY	PROJECTED YIELD	UNIT	PROJECTED \$/UNIT VALUE		YOUR ESTIMATE
1. GROSS RECEIPTS					
TOTAL PROJECTED RETURNS				\$ 0.0	\$ _____
2. VARIABLE COSTS		INPUT USE			
PREHARVEST COSTS					
*POISON GRAIN	1.50	LB.	0.80	1.20	_____
*HERBICIDE	0.66	GAL.	79.11	52.21	_____
*INSECTICIDE	4.50	LB.	7.45	33.52	_____
SHEARING LABOR	23.00	HOUR	4.50	103.50	_____
FUEL & LUBE---TRACTOR		ACRE		14.81	_____
REPAIRS-----TRACTOR		ACRE		2.84	_____
EQUIPMENT		ACRE		3.07	_____
LABOR-----MACHINERY	8.02	HOUR	4.50	36.10	_____
OPERATING CAPITAL	107.32	DOL.	0.140	15.03	_____
SUBTOTAL, PREHARVEST		ACRE		\$ 262.28	\$ _____
HARVEST COSTS					
SUBTOTAL, HARVEST		ACRE		\$ 0.0	\$ _____
TOTAL VARIABLE COSTS		ACRE		\$ 262.28	\$ _____
3. INCOME ABOVE VARIABLE COSTS		ACRE		\$ -262.28	\$ _____
4. FIXED COSTS					
DEPREC., INTEREST, TAXES & INSUR.					
TRACTOR		ACRE		50.09	_____
EQUIPMENT		ACRE		67.99	_____
PRORATED ESTABL	792.35	DOL.	1.00	792.35	_____
RETURN ON INVEST	792.35	DOL.	0.18	142.62	_____
LAND-CASH RENT	1.00	ACRE	15.00	15.00	_____
TOTAL FIXED COSTS		ACRE		\$ 1068.06	\$ _____
5. TOTAL PROJECTED COSTS		ACRE		\$ 1330.34	\$ _____
6. NET PROJECTED RETURNS		ACRE		\$ -1330.34	\$ _____

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CHRISTMAS TREE PRODUCTION, THIRD YEAR, NORTHEAST TEXAS REGION
1983 PROJECTED COSTS AND RETURNS PER ACRE

MACHINERY OPERATION	ITEM NO.	OPER MONTH	TIMES OVER	LABOR HOURS	MACHINE HOURS	MACH OPER COSTS	LABOR COSTS	APPL. INPUT COSTS	MACH FIXED COSTS	TOTAL OPER. COST
GOPHER POISONER	5,41	FEB	1.00	0.101	0.076	0.24	0.45	1.20	0.95	2.84
SHREDDER(2R)	T 5,30	APR	1.00	0.549	0.416	1.27	2.47	0.0	6.25	9.99
SPRAYER, C. TREE	5,99	APR	2.00	1.008	0.764	2.87	4.54	31.69	18.26	57.36
SHREDDER(2R)	T 5,30	MAY	1.00	0.549	0.416	1.27	2.47	0.0	6.25	9.99
SPRAYER, C. TREE	5,99	MAY	1.00	0.504	0.382	1.44	2.27	5.59	9.13	18.42
SHREDDER(2R)	T 5,30	JUNE	1.00	0.549	0.416	1.27	2.47	0.0	6.25	9.99
SPRAYER, C. TREE	5,99	JUNE	1.00	0.504	0.382	1.44	2.27	5.59	9.13	18.42
SHREDDER(2R)	T 5,30	JULY	1.00	0.549	0.416	1.27	2.47	0.0	6.25	9.99
SPRAYER, C. TREE	5,99	JULY	2.00	1.008	0.764	2.87	4.54	31.69	18.26	57.36
SHREDDER(2R)	T 5,30	AUG	1.00	0.549	0.416	1.27	2.47	0.0	6.25	9.99
SPRAYER, C. TREE	5,99	AUG	1.00	0.504	0.382	1.44	2.27	5.59	9.13	18.42
SHREDDER(2R)	T 5,30	SEPT	1.00	0.549	0.416	1.27	2.47	0.0	6.25	9.99
SPRAYER, C. TREE	5,99	SEPT	1.00	0.504	0.382	1.44	2.27	5.59	9.13	18.42
SHREDDER(2R)	T 5,30	OCT	1.00	0.549	0.416	1.27	2.47	0.0	6.25	9.99
TANDEM DISC	T 5,33	OCT	0.12	0.044	0.033	0.10	0.20	0.0	0.36	0.66
TOTALS				8.022	6.077	20.72	36.10	86.94	118.08	261.84

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 1983 PROJECTED COSTS AND RETURNS PER ACRE

CATEGORY	PROJECTED YIELD	UNIT	PROJECTED \$/UNIT VALUE		YOUR ESTIMATE
1. GROSS RECEIPTS					
TREES	408.00	EACH	12.00	4896.00	
TOTAL PROJECTED RETURNS				\$ 4896.00	\$
2. VARIABLE COSTS					
PREHARVEST COSTS					
*POISON GRAIN	1.50	LB.	0.80	1.20	
*HERBICIDE	0.66	GAL.	79.11	52.21	
*INSECTICIDE	7.50	LB.	7.45	55.87	
SHEARING LABOR	35.00	HOUR	4.50	157.50	
FUEL & LUBE--TRACTOR		ACRE		14.81	
REPAIRS-----TRACTOR		ACRE		2.84	
EQUIPMENT		ACRE		3.07	
LABOR-----MACHINERY	8.02	HOUR	4.50	36.10	
OPERATING CAPITAL	-219.85	DOL.	0.140	-30.78	
SUBTOTAL, PREHARVEST		ACRE		\$ 292.83	\$
HARVEST COSTS					
*COLORING	6.00	GAL.	9.50	57.00	
COLORING LABOR	6.00	HOUR	4.50	27.00	
NETTING	408.00	TREE	0.30	122.40	
ADVERTISING	408.00	TREE	0.25	102.00	
P-RATED EQP COST	1.00	ACRE	21.10	21.10	
GRADING LABOR	2.50	HOUR	4.50	11.25	
HARV/LOAD LABOR	19.50	HOUR	4.50	87.75	
SUBTOTAL, HARVEST		ACRE		\$ 428.50	\$
TOTAL VARIABLE COSTS		ACRE		\$ 721.33	\$
BREAK-EVEN PRICE, VARIABLE COSTS				\$ 1.77/EACH TREES	
3. INCOME ABOVE VARIABLE COSTS		ACRE		\$ 4174.67	\$
4. FIXED COSTS					
DEPREC., INTEREST, TAXES & INSUR.					
TRACTOR		ACRE		50.09	
EQUIPMENT		ACRE		67.99	
PRORATED ESTABL	1330.34	DOL.	1.00	1330.34	
RETURN ON INVEST	1330.34	DOL.	0.18	239.46	
LAND-CASH RENT	1.00	ACRE	15.00	15.00	
TOTAL FIXED COSTS		ACRE		\$ 1702.88	\$
5. TOTAL PROJECTED COSTS		ACRE		\$ 2424.20	\$
BREAK-EVEN PRICE, TOTAL COSTS				\$ 5.94/EACH TREES	
6. NET PROJECTED RETURNS		ACRE		\$ 2471.80	\$

ESTAB COST INCLUDES ALL DEV AND MAIN COSTS FROM YEAR 1 TO THE CURRENT YEAR
 RET ON INV COST IS INTEREST CHARGE ON DEVELOPMENT COSTS IN PAST YEARS.

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GOPHER POISONER	5,41	FEB	1.00	0.101	0.076	0.24	0.45	1.20	0.95	2.84
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RESIDUAL RETURNS AT ALTERNATIVE YIELDS AND PRICES
ADJUSTED FOR YIELD-RELATED COSTS AND CHANGES IN SHARE-RENT

INCOME ABOVE VARIABLE COSTS LESS SHARE-RENT

PRICE OF TREES
(DOLLARS)

QUANTITY OF TREES	EACH	PRICE OF TREES (DOLLARS)				
		9.60	10.80	12.00	13.20	14.40
326.40		2493.60	2885.28	3276.96	3668.63	4060.31
367.20		2844.54	3285.17	3725.81	4166.45	4607.09
408.00		3195.48	3685.07	4174.67	4664.27	5153.87
448.80		3546.41	4084.97	4623.53	5162.09	5700.64
489.60		3897.35	4484.87	5072.39	5659.91	6247.43