

Projections for Planning Purposes Only -- Not to be Used without Updating
2016 Estimated Costs and Returns per Animal Unit
Trans Pecos Meat Goats, 6 Head per AU - 600 Nannies
Far West Extension District - 6

Animal Units (AU)	100					
Breeding Females	600					
		Quantity				Enterprise
REVENUE	Head	Per Head	Units	\$/Unit	Total	Total
Meat Goat Kid	3.600	0.60	CWT	\$273.00	\$589.68	\$58,968.00
Meat Goat Kid	2.400	0.60	CWT	\$273.00	\$393.12	\$39,312.00
Cull Nanny	1.200	1.10	CWT	\$205.00	\$270.60	\$27,060.00
Cull Buck Goat	0.000	1.70	CWT	\$168.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Total Revenue					\$1,253.40	\$125,340.00
						Enterprise
VARIABLE COSTS		Quantity	Units	\$/Unit	Total	Total
Production Costs						
Miscellaneous						
Predator Control		65	Acre	\$0.25	\$16.25	\$1,625.00
Marketing Expense		1.00	AU	\$31.44	\$31.44	\$3,144.00
Feed						
10-10 Loose Mineral		12.6	Pound	\$0.57	\$7.18	\$718.20
Cottonseed - S&G		180	Pound	\$0.13	\$23.40	\$2,340.00
Vet. Medicine						
Clostridials S&G		6	Dose	\$0.56	\$3.36	\$336.00
Deworm S&G-Ivomec		12	Dose	\$0.46	\$5.52	\$552.00
Lice control - S&G		12	Dose	\$0.46	\$5.52	\$552.00
Repairs		1	AU	\$39.16	\$39.16	\$3,915.60
Labor		2.60	Hours	\$10.00	\$26.00	\$2,600.00
Interest on Credit Line				6.50%	\$12.03	\$1,203.36
Total Variable Costs					\$169.86	\$16,986.16
Planned Returns Above Variable Costs:					\$1,083.54	\$108,353.84
Average Kid Breakeven Price to Cover Variable Costs				(\$27.98)	CWT	
						Enterprise
FIXED COSTS		Quantity	Units	\$/Unit	Total	Total
Depreciation - Equipment		1	AU	\$61.68	\$61.68	\$6,168.00
Depreciation - Livestock		1	AU	\$121.98	\$121.98	\$12,198.00
Equipment Investment		\$515.41	dollars	6.50%	\$33.50	\$3,350.17
Pasture Cost		1	Acres	\$225.00	\$225.00	\$22,500.00
Total Fixed Costs					\$442.16	\$44,216.17
Total Costs					\$612.02	\$61,202.32
Planned Returns to Management, Risk, and Profit:					\$641.38	\$64,137.68
Average Kid Breakeven Price to Cover Total Costs				\$94.84	CWT	

Sensitivity Analysis for Example				
Example Weaning Percent	Example Gross Sales per Animal Unit	Pounds Produced per AU	Example Breakeven Kid Pay Weight to Cover Total Cost	Example Average Break Even Price to Cover Total Cost
140%	\$1,417.20	552	17	\$81.29
130%	\$1,335.30	522	19	\$87.54
120%	\$1,253.40	492	21	\$94.84
110%	\$1,171.50	462	23	\$103.46
100%	\$1,089.60	432	26	\$113.81

Example Male Kid Price	\$273.00
Example Female Kid Price	\$273.00
Example Weighted Average Kid Price (\$/cwt)	\$273.00

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