

**2021 Estimated Costs and Returns per Acre  
Canola  
Central Texas Extension District - 8**

Crop Acres		200			
REVENUE	Quantity	Units	\$/Unit	Total	Enterprise Total
Canola	13.00	CWT	\$16.00	\$208.00	\$41,600.00
<b>Total Revenue</b>				<b>\$208.00</b>	<b>\$41,600.00</b>
VARIABLE COSTS	Quantity	Units	\$/Unit	Total	Enterprise Total
<b>Production Costs</b>					
Seed					
Canola Seed	3	Pound	\$5.80	\$17.40	\$3,480.00
Helix Xtra Seed Treatment	1	Acre	\$0.31	\$0.31	\$61.51
Fertilizer					
46-0-0	128	Pound	\$0.21	\$26.88	\$5,376.00
18-46-0	87	Pound	\$0.29	\$25.23	\$5,046.00
Sulfur	15	Pound	\$0.40	\$6.00	\$1,200.00
Custom					
Custom Combine	1	Acre	\$30.00	\$30.00	\$6,000.00
Custom Hauling Canola	15	CWT	\$0.50	\$7.50	\$1,500.00
Herbicide					
Trifluralin	1.5	Pint	\$2.81	\$4.22	\$843.00
Glyphosate	2	Pint	\$3.00	\$6.00	\$1,200.00
Insecticide					
Insecticide Aphids	1	Acre	\$4.50	\$4.50	\$900.00
Machinery Labor					
Tractors/Self-Propelled	0.91	Hour	\$10.00	\$9.10	\$1,820.00
Diesel Fuel					
Tractors/Self-Propelled	5.92	Gallon	\$2.40	\$14.21	\$2,841.60
Repairs & Maintenance					
Tractors/Self-Propelled	1	Acre	\$11.07	\$11.07	\$2,214.83
Implements	1	Acre	\$15.69	\$15.69	\$3,138.70
Interest on Credit Line			4.75%	\$3.64	\$727.87
<b>Total Variable Costs</b>				<b>\$181.75</b>	<b>\$36,349.51</b>
Planned Returns Above Variable Costs:				\$26.25	\$5,250.49
Breakeven Price to Cover Variable Costs			\$13.98 CWT		
FIXED COSTS	Quantity	Units	\$/Unit	Total	Enterprise Total
Machinery Depreciation					
Tractors/Self-Propelled	1	Acre	\$11.44	\$11.44	\$2,288.66
Implements	1	Acre	\$18.89	\$18.89	\$3,778.30
Equipment Investment					
Tractors/Self-Propelled	\$89.15	Dollars	6.00%	\$5.35	\$1,069.76
Implements	\$80.95	Dollars	6.00%	\$4.86	\$971.38
Dryland Crop Rent	1	Acre	\$30.00	\$30.00	\$6,000.00
<b>Total Fixed Costs</b>				<b>\$70.54</b>	<b>\$14,108.10</b>
<b>Total Specified Costs</b>				<b>\$252.29</b>	<b>\$50,457.61</b>
Returns Above Specified Costs				(\$44.29)	(\$8,857.61)
<b>Breakeven Price to Cover Total Costs</b>			\$19.41 CWT		

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