

**2025 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	\$20.00	\$260.00	\$52,000.00
Total Revenue				\$260.00	\$52,000.00
VARIABLE COSTS	Quantity	Units	\$/Unit	Total	Enterprise Total
Production Costs					
Seed					
Canola Seed	3	Pound	\$6.50	\$19.50	\$3,900.00
Helix Xtra Seed Treatment	1	Acre	\$0.31	\$0.31	\$61.51
Fertilizer					
46-0-0	128	Pound	\$0.55	\$70.40	\$14,080.00
18-46-0	87	Pound	\$0.60	\$52.20	\$10,440.00
Sulfur	15	Pound	\$0.40	\$6.00	\$1,200.00
Custom					
Custom Combine	1	Acre	\$40.00	\$40.00	\$8,000.00
Custom Hauling Canola	15	CWT	\$0.40	\$6.00	\$1,200.00
Herbicide					
Trifluralin	1.5	Pint	\$4.50	\$6.75	\$1,350.00
Glyphosate	2	Pint	\$4.00	\$8.00	\$1,600.00
Insecticide					
Insecticide Aphids	1	Acre	\$4.00	\$4.00	\$800.00
Machinery Labor					
Tractors/Self-Propelled	0.63	Hour	\$16.00	\$10.08	\$2,016.00
Diesel Fuel					
Tractors/Self-Propelled	3.71	Gallon	\$3.00	\$11.13	\$2,226.00
Repairs & Maintenance					
Tractors/Self-Propelled	1	Acre	\$7.38	\$7.38	\$1,475.12
Implements	1	Acre	\$6.26	\$6.26	\$1,251.79
Interest on Credit Line			8.60%	\$9.18	\$1,835.26
Total Variable Costs				\$257.18	\$51,435.67
Planned Returns Above Variable Costs:				\$2.82	\$564.33
Breakeven Price to Cover Variable Costs			\$19.78	CWT	
FIXED COSTS	Quantity	Units	\$/Unit	Total	Enterprise Total
Machinery Depreciation					
Tractors/Self-Propelled	1	Acre	\$7.62	\$7.62	\$1,524.29
Implements	1	Acre	\$7.45	\$7.45	\$1,489.93
Equipment Investment					
Tractors/Self-Propelled	\$59.37	Dollars	8.60%	\$5.11	\$1,021.22
Implements	\$32.23	Dollars	8.60%	\$2.77	\$554.44
Dryland Crop Rent	1	Acre	\$40.00	\$40.00	\$8,000.00
Total Fixed Costs				\$62.95	\$12,589.88
Total Specified Costs				\$320.13	\$64,025.55
Returns Above Specified Costs				(\$60.13)	(\$12,025.55)
Breakeven Price to Cover Total Costs			\$24.63	CWT	

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