

**Projections for Planning Purposes Only -- *Not to be Used without Updating***  
**2025 Estimated Costs and Returns per Acre**  
**Dryland Winter Wheat**  
**Southwest Extension District - 10**

Crop Acres		100			
REVENUE		Quantity	Units	\$/Unit	Total
Winter Wheat		30.00	Bushel	\$5.40	\$162.00
Total Revenue					\$162.00
VARIABLE COSTS		Quantity	Units	\$/Unit	Total
Production Costs					
Herbicide					
2, 4-D Amine 4		16	Ounce	\$0.15	\$2.37
Seed					
Wheat Seed Public		60	Pound	\$0.38	\$22.50
Fertilizer					
UAN(32% N)		1.22	CWT	\$17.08	\$20.84
Fertilizer 18-46-0		33	Pound	\$0.35	\$11.55
Custom					
Haul Wheat		30	Bushel	\$0.14	\$4.20
Miscellaneous					
Crop Insurance - Wheat Dry		1	Acre	\$8.00	\$8.00
Insecticide					
Lorsban 4E		1	Pint	\$4.52	\$4.52
Machinery Labor					
Tractors/Self-Propelled		0.37	Hour	\$17.21	\$6.37
Other Labor		0.19	Hour	\$17.21	\$3.27
Diesel Fuel					
Tractors/Self-Propelled		2.61	Gallon	\$3.00	\$7.83
Gasoline					
Pickup/General Use Equipment		1	Acre	\$26.61	\$26.61
Repairs & Maintenance					
Pickup/General Use Equipment		1	Acre	\$4.84	\$4.84
Tractors/Self-Propelled		1	Acre	\$11.57	\$11.57
Implements		1	Acre	\$5.68	\$5.68
Interest on Credit Line				8.60%	\$6.00
Total Variable Costs					\$146.14
Planned Returns Above Variable Costs:					\$15.86
Breakeven Price to Cover Variable Costs				\$4.87	Bushel
FIXED COSTS		Quantity	Units	\$/Unit	Total
Machinery Depreciation					
Pickup/General Use Equipment		1	Acre	\$25.20	\$25.20
Tractors/Self-Propelled		1	Acre	\$11.16	\$11.16
Implements		1	Acre	\$6.78	\$6.78
Equipment Investment					
Pickup/General Use Equipment		\$105.00	Dollars	8.60%	\$9.03
Tractors/Self-Propelled		\$84.27	Dollars	8.60%	\$7.25
Implements		\$33.59	Dollars	8.60%	\$2.89
Dryland Winter Garden Rent		1	Acre	\$20.00	\$20.00
Total Fixed Costs					\$82.31
Total Specified Costs					\$228.45
Returns Above Specified Costs					(\$66.45)
Breakeven Price to Cover Total Costs				\$7.61	Bushel

Example Breakeven Prices			
Example Yield Percent	Example Yield Bushel	To Cover Variable Costs	To Cover Total Costs
75%	22.50	\$6.50	\$10.15
90%	27.00	\$5.41	\$8.46
100%	30.00	\$4.87	\$7.61
110%	33.00	\$4.43	\$6.92
125%	37.50	\$3.90	\$6.09

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