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### **CORN & GRAIN SORGHUM RESEARCH VERIFICATION PROGRAM, 2008**

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# INTRODUCTION

The 2008 growing season was the ninth year for the Corn and Grain Sorghum Research Verification Program (CGSRVP). The CGSRVP is an interdisciplinary effort between growers, county Extension agents, Extension specialists, and researchers. The CGSRVP is an on-farm demonstration of all the research-based recommendations required to grow corn and grain sorghum profitably in Arkansas. The specific objectives of the program are:

- 1. To verify research-based recommendations for profitable corn and grain sorghum production in all corn and grain sorghum producing areas of Arkansas.
- 2. To develop a database for economic analysis of all aspects of corn and grain sorghum production.
- 3. To demonstrate that consistently high yields of corn and grain sorghum can be produced economically with the use of available technology and inputs.
- 4. To identify specific problems and opportunities in Arkansas corn and grain sorghum production for further investigation.
- 5. To promote timely implementation of cultural and management practices among corn and grain sorghum growers.
- 6. To provide training and assistance to county agents with limited expertise in corn and grain sorghum production.

Each CGSRVP field and cooperator was selected prior to planting. Cooperators agreed to pay production expenses, provide crop expense data for economic analysis and implement the recommended production practices in a timely manner from seedbed preparation to harvest. Thirteen growers were enrolled in the CGSRVP in the spring of 2008, ten corn and three grain sorghum fields. The fields were located on commercial farms ranging in size from 32 to 133 acres for corn fields, and 31 to 36 for grain sorghum fields. The average field size was 54 and 34 acres for the corn and grain sorghum fields, respectively.

The 2008 CGSRVP corn fields were conducted in Conway, Cross, Independence, Lawrence, Lee, Lonoke, Monroe, Poinsett, Prairie and Pulaski Counties; and three grain sorghum fields in Ashley, Lawrence and Prairie Counties. Seven different corn hybrids (Belle 1646RY, DeKalb DKC 64-78, Mycogen 2T783, Pioneer 31G71, Pioneer 33M57, Terral TV26BR41 and Stine 9806VT3) and two grain sorghum varieties (FFR 322 and Pioneer 84G62) were planted. Management decisions were based on field history, soil test results, hybrids, and data collected from each individual field during the growing season.

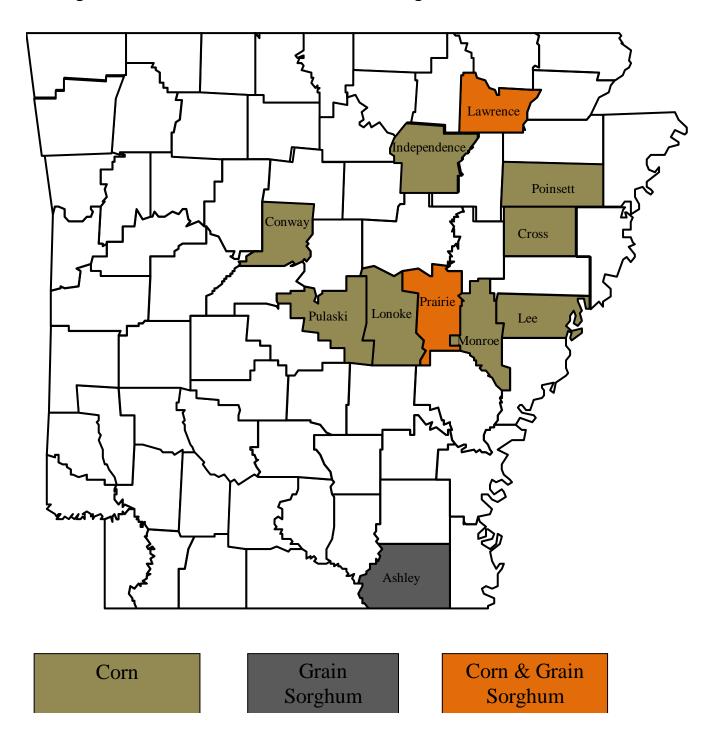


Figure 1. Location of 2008 Corn and Grain Sorghum Research Verification Fields

### ECONOMIC ANALYSIS

This section provides information on the development of estimated production costs for the 2008 CGSRVP. Records of field operations on each field provided the basis for estimating these costs. The field records were compiled by the CGSRVP coordinator, county Extension agents, and cooperators in the 2008 CGSRVP.

Using CGSRVP production data from the 13 fields (10 corn and 3 grain sorghum), operating costs, and net returns above total specified costs assuming a 25 percent (25%) land rent were estimated for each field. Break-even prices needed to cover total specified costs are also presented.

### **Direct Expenses**

Direct expenses are those expenditures that would generally require annual cash outlays and would be included on an annual operating loan application. Actual quantities of all operating inputs as reported by the cooperators were used in this analysis. The prices used for these inputs were largely provided by the producer cooperators. When necessary, input prices were utilized from the "2008 Corn and Grain Sorghum Cost of Production Estimates" published by the Cooperative Extension Service.

Fuel and repair costs for machinery were calculated using a budget generator based on parameters and standards published in the American Society of Agricultural Engineers 1993 Handbook. Therefore, the producers' actual machinery costs will vary from the machinery cost estimates that are presented in this report. However, the producers' actual field operations were used as a basis for calculations and his equipment size and type were matched as closely as possible to the existing data set used in the annual set of state crop budgets.

Direct expenses, shown in Table 3, for the CGSRVP corn fields ranged from \$421.03 per acre for Conway County to \$705.17 per acre for Prairie County and averaged \$526.38 per acre. The grain sorghum fields ranged from \$235.59 per acre for Lawrence County (nonirrigated) to \$356.54 per acre for Ashley County (irrigated) and averaged \$318.48 per acre. Corn direct expenses per bushel ranged from \$1.80 in Conway County to \$3.42 in Prairie County and averaged \$2.60 per bushel. Grain Sorghum direct expenses averaged \$3.77 per bushel. Due primarily to price increases in fertilizer and fuel, 2008 direct expenses were on average 46% higher for corn and 53% higher for grain sorghum than in 2007. Corn fertilizer expense increased approximately 50% in 2008, while fuel expense nearly doubled, increasing 94% over 2007. Seed and herbicide expense increased as well in 2008.

### **Fixed or Ownership Costs**

Fixed expenses represent the cost of owning farm equipment. These costs can vary greatly from one farm to another depending on the farm's size, management, and annual use of machinery. The fixed expenses presented in Table 3 include depreciation and interest. These costs are based on estimated initial cost and expected useful life of machinery similar to that used by the producer. Ownership costs were allocated on a per acre basis using estimated performance rates and hours of annual use. Calculations were made by using a budget generator based on parameters and standards published in the American Society of Agricultural Engineers 1993 Handbook.

Economic costs may differ from short-run tax based cash accounting figures for a particular year. The economic approach spreads these costs over the entire useful life of the machinery. In the long-run, the farm business must cover these costs to remain viable.

Fixed costs ranged from \$44.53 to \$97.55 per acre for the corn fields and \$24.29 to \$49.18 per acre for the grain sorghum fields, with an average of \$54.42 and \$40.28 per acre for corn and grain sorghum, respectively.

Using custom operators rather than owning equipment replaces fixed expenses with direct expenses (custom work). Cooperators with high fixed expenses but low custom work expenses typically use high-clearance sprayers for chemical applications and spreaders (buggies) for fertilizer applications instead of hiring aerial or ground custom applicators.

### Total Costs (Direct and Fixed Costs)

Since fixed or ownership costs can be substituted for direct cost and vice-versa, total specified expense is calculated to give the true picture of expenses. Total direct and fixed costs presented in Table 3 are the summation of direct expenses and fixed or ownership costs. Not included in these costs are charges for land, risk, overhead, and management. The overhead and management costs would be better addressed at the whole-farm level and are not included in this analysis. Total direct costs plus ownership costs ranged from \$513.07 to \$766.85 per acre for corn and \$259.88 to \$405.72 per acre for grain sorghum, with an average of \$580.80 and \$358.76 per acre for the corn and grain sorghum fields, respectively.

Break-even prices needed to cover total direct costs plus fixed costs ranged from \$2.22 to \$3.72 per bushel for corn and \$3.64 to \$4.67 per bushel for grain sorghum, with an average of \$2.87 and \$4.23 per bushel for the corn and grain sorghum fields, respectively.

### Land Costs

Land costs incurred by producers participating in the CGSRVP would likely vary from land ownership, cash rent, or some form of crop share arrangement. Therefore, a comparison of these divergent cost structures would contribute little to this analysis. For this reason, a 25 percent (25%) crop share rental arrangement, with no cost sharing was assumed to provide a consistent standard for comparison (Table 3). This is not meant to imply that this arrangement is normal or that is should be used in place of existing arrangements. It is simply a constant measure to be used across all CGSRVP fields. There are many other tenancy arrangements that are in use.

Table 3 presents the cost of production per bushel after 25 percent (25%) of the yield is given to the landlord. For corn, these break-even prices ranged from \$2.95 per bushel in Conway County to \$4.96 per bushel in Prairie County. For grain sorghum, break-even prices including rent ranged from \$4.86 per bushel in Prairie County to \$6.22 per bushel in Lawrence County.

### Net Returns Per Acre

Table 3 presents estimated returns per acre above "Total Costs" plus a 25 percent (25%) crop share rent assuming a corn price of \$5.01 per bushel and a grain sorghum price of \$4.32 per bushel. The corn and grain sorghum producer price used in this analysis is the September 2008 monthly average price offered by various Arkansas delivery terminals. This information was obtained from the USDA Agricultural Marketing Service (AMS). Net returns above "Total Costs and Land Rent" ranged from \$8.47 to \$360.83 per acre for corn and (\$43.88) to (\$108.64) per acre for grain sorghum. Additional costs related to risk, overhead, and management have not been included. These costs must be accounted for in any further interpretation of this data.

# **Estimated Direct Costs**

Tables 4 and 5 lists estimated direct costs per acre by field for corn and grain sorghum production. The largest specified operating cost for the corn and grain sorghum fields was the fertilization cost, averaging \$209.20 and \$177.30 per acre for the corn and grain sorghum fields, respectively. Seed, fertilizer, and diesel cost account for approximately 71% of input costs for corn and 72% for grain sorghum in the 2008 CGSRVP.

### **CORN FIELD REVIEWS**

# **Conway County**

The Conway County corn research verification field was located in the south east part of the county just southeast of Morrilton. The producer for the field was Mr. Randy Pettingill and the county agent was Mr. Tommy Thompson. The field was 32 acres and the previous crop was soybeans. The soil type was a combination of Gallion silt loam and Roxana silt loam with some Yorktown silty clay. The field was ripped in the fall. A preplant fertilizer of 111-0-60-24 was applied on April 14 and cultivated in. The field was planted on April 15 with Terral TV 26BR41 at 31,500 seeds per acre with a 30 inch row spacing. The field was planted flat since it was pivot irrigated. The final plant stand was 30,400 plants per acre. On May 13, an application of 1 quart of Atrazine plus 1 quart of Glyphosate was applied followed by 300 pounds of Urea (138 units) on the same day. Another application of 1 quart of Atrazine plus 1 quart of Glyphosate was applied on May 25. The pivot was started on June 8, and the field was irrigated 8 times. A pre tassel application of Urea was recommended on June 12. During this time the wind had blown at a very high rate for two weeks. In the River Valley only one pilot is available, and he got behind during this windy time. He put this field on the books but did not get to it in time, so the pre tassel application was not applied. Total fertilizer for this field was 249-0-60-24. The field was harvested on September 17 and yielded 234.04 bushels per acre adjusted to 15.5% moisture.

# **Cross County**

The Cross County corn research verification field was located in the central part of the county just northwest of Wynne. The producer for the field was Mr. Melvin Taylor and the county agent was Mr. Rick Wimberley. The field was 79 acres and the previous crop was soybeans. The soil type was a combination of Crowley and Calloway silt loam. On April 14 the field was cultivated and floated. The preplant fertilizer was a combination of dry fertilizer and liquid fertilizer. The dry fertilize consisted of 175 pounds of Urea (80 units) and 50 lbs of potassium (0-0-60). The dry fertilizer was applied on April 15, and then the field was cultivated on April 16 and then bedded. The bedder/roller applied 6 gallons of 3-18-18 into the bed. The field was then planted with Pioneer 31G71 at a rate of 32,000 seeds per acre with a 30 inch row spacing and 6 gallons of 10-34-0 was applied with the planter. The total preplant fertilizer was 88-37-43. A stand count was taken after the field emerged and a final plant stand of 28,150 plants per acre was determined. Looking at the field, there was a problem noticed on certain rows throughout the field. It was later determined that some of the starter fertilizer from the planter got to close to the seed causing some skippy emergence on certain rows. On May 19 the producer applied 2 quarts of Atrazine plus 1 quart of Glyphosate. The producer applied 30 gallons of 32% UAN (105 units) on May 20. Furrow irrigation was started on June 3 and the field was irrigated 9 times. A pre tassel application of 100 pounds per acre of Urea (46 units) was applied on June 17. Total fertilizer for this field was 239-37-43. A storm came through the field later in the year and very strong winds lodged some of the field on the southeast corner. The field was harvested on September 16 and yielded 170.4 bushels per acre adjusted to 15.5% moisture.

### Independence County

The Independence County corn research verification field was located in the southeast part of the county near Oil Trough. The producer for the field was Mr. Steve Wyatt and the county agent was Mr. Nathan Reinhart. The field was 57.5 acres and the previous crop was soybeans. The soil type was Jackport silty clay loam. This field was planted later in the season due to the extensive flooding of the White River in the Oil Trough area. On April 20 the field was cultivated twice and a preplant fertilize of 84-115-78-24 was applied by the producer. The field was planted on May 20 with Mycogen 2T783 at a seeding rate of 32,800 seeds per acre with a 30 inch row spacing. The field was planted flat. The final plant population was 32,600 plants per acre. On June 1 the producer applied 2 quarts of Atrazine plus 1 quart of Glyphosate. The producer applied 40 gallons of 32% UAN (140 units) on June 2. On June 15 the producer applied 1 quart of Glyphosate for some grass that emerged. The field received some very timely rains, but needed to be irrigated on June 17. The producer pulled levees and flood irrigated on this date. The field received 4 flood irrigations during the season. A pre tassel application of 100 pounds per acre of Urea (46 units) was applied on July 3. The total fertilizer for this field was 270-115-78-24. Since the field was planted late in the season, it was decided to apply a fungicide for foliar diseases. On July 29, 14 ounces of Quilt was applied to the field. The field was harvested on October 15 and yielded 202.1 bushels per acre adjusted to 15.5% moisture.

# Lawrence County

The Lawrence County corn research verification field was located in the Walnut Ridge area of the county. The producer was Mr. Hunter Burris and the county agent was Mr. Herb Ginn. The field was 33 acres and the previous crop was soybeans. The soil type was Dundee silt loam. The field received 1 ton of chicken litter in the fall, then received another ton in April. The analysis for the litter was 0-63-48. Additional commercial fertilizer of 291 lbs/acre of 30-0-21 was added on April 15 and disked in to bring nitrogen and potassium levels up to preplant requirements. The field was bedded, then planted on April 17. The field was planted with Pioneer 33M57 at a seeding rate of 36,800 seed per acre with a 30 inch row spacing. The final plant population was 36,750 plants per acre. On May 9 the producer applied 1 quart of Atrazine plus 22 ounces of Roundup. An application of 270 pounds of Urea (124 units) was applied on May 26. Irrigation was started on June 3. The field was furrow irrigated 7 times. A pre tassel application of 100 pounds per acre of Urea (46 units) was applied on June 27. The total fertilizer for this field was 257-126-155. The field was harvested on September 16 and yielded 215.4 bushels per acre adjusted to 15.5% moisture.

# Lee County

The Lee County corn research verification field was located in the northwest area of the county near Holub. The producer was Mr. Terry Swiney and the county agent was Mr. Mark Brawner. The field was 48 acres and the previous crop was soybeans. The soil type was Calloway and Grenada silt loam. The field was disked on April 25. A preplant fertilizer of 82-46-60 was applied on April 28 along with 30 pounds of zinc sulfate for 10 pounds of actual zinc. The field was bedded then planted in Belle 1646RY at a seeding rate of 33,000 seeds per acre with a 38 inch row spacing. The final plant population was 33,000 plants per acre. On May 21, 1 quart of Atrazine plus 1 quart of Glyphosate was applied to the field. Urea at 270 pounds per acre (124 units) was applied on May 23. Another quart of Atrazine and quart of Glyphosate was applied on May 31. Irrigation was started on June 11. The field was furrow irrigated and received 8 irrigations. A pre tassel application of 100 pounds per acre of Urea (46 units) was applied on June 21. Total fertilizer for the field was 252-46-60-0-10. The field had some lodging (estimated at 15%), but the corn that fell over was laying on other standing stalks, so it

didn't appear to affect harvest. The field was harvested on September 23 and yielded 181.3 bushels per acre adjusted to 15.5% moisture.

# Lonoke County

The Lonoke County corn research verification field was located in the southeastern part of the county near Coy. The producer was Mr. Brad Whitehead and the county agent was Ms. Susan Scott. The field was 133 acres and the previous crop was cotton. The soil type was Caspinana and Herbert silt loam. The field was hipped on March 15. The tops were knocked off the beds on March 25 and the field was re-hipped. A burndown application of Glyphosate and Oracle was applied on April 7 by the producer. A preplant fertilizer of 85-0-0-24 was applied on April 14 along with 30 pounds of zinc sulfate for 10 pounds of actual zinc. The field was planted in Stine 9806VT3 at the rate of 34,000 seeds per acre with a 38 inch row spacing. The final plant population was 33,050 plants per acre. Urea at 300 pounds per acre (138 units) was applied on May 12. 2 quarts of Atrazine plus 1 quart of Glyphosate was applied on May 16. Furrow irrigation was started on June 6, and the field was irrigated 6 times. A pre tassel application of 100 pounds per acre of Urea (46 units) was applied on June 13. Total fertilizer for the field was 269-0-0-24-10. The field was harvested on September 1 and yielded 227.0 bushels per acre adjusted to 15.5% moisture.

# Monroe County

The Monroe County corn research verification field was located in the northern part of the county, just north of Brinkley. The producer was Mr. Bo Mason and the county agent was Mr. Van Dawson. The field was 44 acres and the previous crop was soybeans. The soil type was Grenada silt loam. The field was disked on March 24, cultivated and then floated. A preplant fertilize of 85-46-90-24 was applied April 20, then the field was bedded and then planted in Pioneer 33M57 at a rate of 34,000 seeds per acre with a 30 inch row spacing. On May 21, 2 quarts of Atrazine plus 1 quart of Glyphosate was applied. Urea was applied at 275 pounds per acre (127 units) on May 25. Furrow irrigation was started on June 5. The field was irrigated 7 times. On June 12, a pre tassel application of 100 pounds per acre of Urea (46 units) was applied on half the field followed by irrigation on that side of the field. Total fertilize for this field was 258-46-90-24. Due to the high winds part of the field lodged (estimated field wide lodging of 15%). The field was harvested on September 22 and yielded 207.18 bushels per acre adjusted to 15.5% moisture.

# **Poinsett County**

The Poinsett County corn research verification field was located in the eastern part of the county, just west of Trumann. The producer was Mr. David Gairhan and the county agent was Mr. Rick Thompson. The field was 40 acres and the previous crop was soybeans. The soil type was Dundee silt loam and Sharkey clay. The field was disked once on April 25. A preplant fertilize of 72-60-90-24 was applied on May 1 along with 30 pounds of zinc sulfate for 10 pounds of actual zinc. The field was bedded and planted on May 1 with Pioneer 33M57 at the rate of 35,000 seed per acre with a 38 inch twin row. On May 21 the producer applied 1.5 quarts of Atrazine plus 1 quart of Glyphosate. The field was fertilized on June 4 with 240 pounds of Urea per acre (110 units) and irrigation was started on the same day. The field was furrow irrigated 11 times. Many fields got timely rains, but this field missed those rains. A pre tassel application of 100 pounds per acre of Urea (46 units) was applied on June 23. Total fertilizer for this field was 228-60-90-24-10. The field was harvested on September 25 and yielded 208.9 bushels per acre adjusted to 15.5% moisture.

# **Prairie County**

The Prairie County corn research verification field was planted in the northern part of the county just west of Des Arc. The producer was Mr. Kevin Harvey and the county agent was Mr. Tony Richards. The field was 34 acres and the previous crop was soybeans. The soil type was Calloway and Loring silt loam. The field was burned down with Gramaxone on March 22. The field was then disked and cultivated. A preplant fertilize of 85-69-90 was applied along with 30 pounds of zinc sulfate for 10 pounds of actual zinc on March 25. The field was bedded, and then planted in DeKalb DKC 67-23 at a rate of 34,000 seeds per acre. After the field was planted, it received a 3 inch rain. The field did not come up, and birds devastated the rest of the seed in the ground. It was decided to replant after only minimal seed emerged. The field was cultivated and rebedded on April 16. The field was replanted in DeKalb DKC 64-78 at the rate of 35,500 seeds per acre with a 30 inch twin row. The final plant stand was 35,600 plants per acre, due to some of the first planted seed emerged. On May 5, 1 quart of Atrazine plus 1 quart of Glyphosate was applied. 280 pounds per acre of Urea (129 units) was applied on May 13. After the field reached 12 inches tall, morningglories emerged, so the field was sprayed with 3 ounces of Callisto and 1 quart of Glyphosate. Irrigation was started on May 31. The field was furrow irrigated and was irrigated 10 times. A pre tassel application of 100 pounds of Urea per acre (46 units) was applied on June 13. The total fertilizer for the field was 260-69-90-0-10. The field was harvested on September 10 and yielded 205.3 bushels per acre adjusted to 15.5% moisture.

# Pulaski County

The Pulaski County corn research verification field was located the southeast part of the county at Bredlow Corner. The producer was Mr. Dudley Webb and the county agent was Mr. Allan Beuerman. The field was 36 acres and followed soybeans. The soil type was Rilla silt loam and Perry clay. Chicken litter was applied at the rate of 2 tons per acre on April 1. The 2 tons of chicken litter had a phosphorous and potassium level equal to a 39-80-98. Urea was applied at 185 pounds per acre (85 units) to increase nitrogen level to preplant nitrogen recommendations. The total preplant fertilizer was 85-80-98. The field was ripped and then bedded. The field was planted on April 17 in Belle 1646RY at a rate of 32,000 seeds per acre with a 38 inch row spacing. The final plant population was 30,400 plants per acre. 2 quarts of Atrazine plus 1 quart of Glyphosate was applied on April 30. On May 25, 300 pounds of Urea was applied per acre (138 units) to the field. 1 quart of Glyphosate per acre was applied on May 25 for some grass that was coming up in the field. The pre tassel application of 100 pounds per acre of Urea (46 units) was applied on June 17. The total fertilizer for this field was 269-80-98. The producer had a problem with his power unit and missed the first irrigation, but did receive a rain that helped. The first furrow irrigation was applied on June 18 and the field was irrigated 6 times. The field developed anthracnose later in the year that lead to some lodging in the field (estimated at 15%), but was not perceived to bad enough to cause significant harvest problems. The field was harvested on September 25 and yielded 198.0 bushels per acre adjusted to 15.5% moisture.

### **GRAIN SORGHUM FIELD REVIEWS**

## Ashley County

The Ashley County grain sorghum research verification field was located in the central part of the county near Mist. The producer for this field was Mr. Shan Streeter and the county agents were Gus Wilson and Kevin Norton. The field was 36 acres and the previous crop was soybeans. The soil type was Calhoun and Calloway silt loam. The field was disked twice in March. A preplant fertilize of 52-46-120 was applied on April 12 and a conditioner was pulled over the field. The field was bedded then planted on April 21 in Pioneer 84G62 at a rate of 8.7 pounds per acre with a 22 inch row spacing. The final plant stand was 105,000 plants per acre. Charger Basic was applied at 1.5 pints to the acre right after planting for grass control. Yellow nutsedge was a problem in this field and after consulting with the weed specialist, it was decided to apply Permit with Atrazine. Prior to applying the Permit+Atrazine, a hail storm battered the grain sorghum, causing significant leaf damage. The plants were shredded and in bad shape for 10 days. The plants finally started growing again, and the herbicide application was held off because of the weakened state of the plants. On May 27, the field had finally recovered enough to apply 1.2 quarts of Atrazine plus 1 oz of Permit. 200 pounds of Urea per acre (92 units) was applied on May 29 and the field was starting to look good. The total fertilizer for this field was 144-46-120. The first furrow irrigation was applied on June 19, and the field received 4 irrigations total. After the field headed, corn earworms hit the heads hard and had to be sprayed with 1.82 ounces of Karate on August 1. As the field was getting close to harvest hurricanes Gustav and Ike hit the field dropping up to 10 inches of rain on the field. The seed started to sprout and it was estimated that 5 bushels per acre was on the ground when it was harvested. The field was harvested on September 12 and yielded 91.7 bushels per acre adjusted to 14.0% moisture.

### Lawrence County

The Lawrence County grain sorghum research verification field was located in the north part of the county just north of Walnut Ridge. The producer for this field was Mr. J.D. Beary and the county agent was Mr. Herb Ginn. The field was 31 acres and the previous crop was soybeans. The soil type was Bosket fine sandy loam. This was the only non irrigated field in the program. The field was disked twice on April 16 and 300 pounds of 10-0-40 was applied preplant. On April 23 the field was cultipacked then planted in FFR 322 at a rate of 6.5 pounds per acre with a 30 inch row spacing. The seed was treated with Latitude insecticide for insect control. The final plant stand was 62,700 plants per acre. 1 pint of Parrallel was applied right after planting for grass control. The field had a rough start. As the plants grew the wind blew hard in this area, which caused the soil to blast the plants. An area protected by trees on the north side of the field was protected from the wind and was bigger and further along than the rest of the field all year long. On May 26, 175 pounds of Urea per acre (80 units) was applied to the field. Since the field was non irrigated the producer was going to put Agrotain on the Urea to prevent nitrogen loss, but a rain was on the way and Agrotain was not used. The field received a tenth of an inch of rain which appeared to lead to considerable nitrogen loss. On May 31, 1.2 guarts of Atrazine plus oil was applied to the field. In June the field started showing nitrogen deficiency symptoms. On June 27, 100 pounds of Urea per acre (46 units) was applied on the field, and was rained in. The grain sorghum responded well to the late nitrogen. Total fertilizer for this field was 156-0-120. As the field approached harvest, charcoal rot started showing up and by the time the producer could harvest much of the field was lodged. The field was harvested on August 30 and yielded 55.7 bushels per acre adjusted to 14.0% moisture.

## **Prairie County**

The Prairie County grain sorghum research verification field was located in the northern part of the county near Jasmine. The producer for this field was Mr. Jason Holloway and the county agent was Mr. Tony Richards. The field was 35 acres and the previous crop was soybeans. The soil type was Calhoun and Calloway silt loam. The field was cultivated twice in April. A preplant fertilizer of 52-92-96 was applied by the producer on May 5, then bedded and planted. The field was planted in Pioneer 84G62 at a rate of 9 pounds per acre with a 30 inch row spacing. The seed was treated with Cruiser for insects. The final plant stand was 85,200 plants per acre. Dual was applied at 1.5 pints per acre following planting for grass control. The field was scouted for weeds, but weed pressure was light, so it was decided to wait as long as possible to apply Atrazine. During this time the winds started blowing, and the applicators in the area got behind on spraying. By the time they could get to the field, it was already past 12 inches, so it was decided not to spray a herbicide. This worked good since the field never did have any weed pressure all year long. 200 pounds of Urea per acre (92 units) was applied on May 26. Total fertilizer for this field was 144-92-96. Furrow irrigation started on June 17 and the field was irrigated 4 times total. On July 18, 1.6 ounces of Karate was applied for sorghum midge control. The field looked great at this point and appeared to have a 125 bu/a+ yield potential. After the hurricanes blew through the area, the seed in the heads started sprouting and falling off the heads. When the field was harvested there was 10 to 15 bushels per acre of seed laying on the ground. The field was harvested on September 18 and yielded 109.3 bushels per acre adjusted to 14.0% moisture.

		Row Sp.		Field Size	Fertilizer	
County			Hybrid	(Ac)	N-P-K-S-Zn lbs/acre	Soil Classification
Corn						
Conway	4/15/08	30	Terral TV26BR41	32	249-0-60-24-0	Gallion Silt Loam
Cross	4/16/08	30	Pioneer 31G71	79	239-37-43-0-0	Calloway/Crowley Silt Loam
Independence	5/20/08	30	Mycogen 2T783	57.5	270-115-78-24-0	Jackport Silty Clay Loam
Lawrence	4/17/08	30	Pioneer 33M57	33	257-126-155-0-0	Dundee Silt Loam
Lee	4/28/08	38	Belle 1646RY	48	252-46-60-0-10	Calloway/Grenada Silt Loam
Lonoke	4/14/08	38	Stine 9806VT3	133	269-0-0-24-10	Caspinana/Herbert Silt Loam
Monroe	4/20/08	30	Pioneer 33M57	44	258-46-90-24-0	Grenada Silt Loam
Poinsett	5/1/08	38 twin	Pioneer 33M57	40	228-60-90-24-10	Dundee Silt Loam & Sharkey Clay
Prairie	3/26/08, 4/16/08	30 twin	DeKalb 64-78	34	260-69-90-0-10	Calloway/Loring Silt Loam
Pulaski	4/17/08	38	Belle 1646RY	36	269-80-98-0-0	Rilla Silt Loam & Perry Clay
Grain Sorghum						
Ashley (Irrigated)	4/26/08	22	Pioneer 84G62	36	144-46-120-0-0	Calhoun/Calloway Silt Loam
Prairie (Irrigated)	5/5/08	30	Pioneer 84G62	35	144-92-96-0-0	Calhoun/Calloway Silt Loam
Lawrence (Non-Irr.)	4/23/08	30	30 FFR 322 31		156-0-120-0-0	Bosket Fine Sandy Loam

# Table 1. County, Hybrid, Field Size, Total Fertilizer and Soil Information CGSRVP Fields 2008.

# Table 2. Pesticide Usage, Irrigation, Previous Crop and Yield, CGSRVP 2008.

			Irrigation	Previous	Yield
County	Herbicide, Insecticide & Fungicide	Irrigation	Туре	Crop	(bu/a)
Corn					
Conway	1 qt Atrazine + 1 qt Glyphosate – May 13 & 25	7 times	Pivot	Soybeans	234.0
Cross	2 qt Atrazine + 1 qt Glyphosate – May 19	9 times	Furrow	Soybeans	170.4
	2 qt Atrazine + 1 qt Glyphosate – June 1				202.1
Independence	1 qt Glyphosate – June 15, 14 oz Quilt – July 29	4 times	Flood	Soybeans	
Lawrence	1 qt Atrazine + 22 oz Roundup – May 9	7 times	Furrow	Soybeans	215.4
Lee	1 qt Atrazine + 1 qt Glyphosate – May 21 & 31	8 times	Furrow	Soybeans	181.3
Lonoke	1.75 qt Atrazine + 1 qt Glyphosate – May 16	6 times	Furrow	Cotton	227.0
Monroe	1 qt Atrazine + 1 qt Glyphosate – May 21	7 times	Furrow	Soybeans	207.2
Poinsett	1.5 qt Atrazine + 1 qt Glyphosate – May 21	11 times	Furrow	Soybeans	208.9
	1 qt Atrazine + 1 qt Glyphosate – May 5			-	
Prairie	3 oz Callisto + 1 qt Glyphosate – May 30	10 times	Furrow	Soybeans	206.3
	2 qt Atrazine + 1 qt Glyphosate – April 30				
Pulaski	1 qt Glyphosate – May 25	6 times	Furrow	Soybeans	198.0
Average Yield					205.1
Grain Sorghum					
	1.5 pt Charger Basic at Planting, 1.2 qt Atrazine + 1 oz Permit – May 27				
Ashley (Irrigated)	1.8 oz Karate - Aug 1	4 times	Furrow	Soybeans	91.79
Prairie (Irrigated)	1.5 pt Dual at Planting, 1.6 oz Karate – July 18	4 times	Furrow	Soybeans	109.3
Average Yield (Irr)					100.5
Lawrence (Non-Irr.)	1 pt Parallel at Planting, 1.2 qt Atrazine – May 31	0 times	None	Soybeans	55.7

									Break-even	
County	Ex	al Direct penses <sup>1</sup> (\$/A)	Break-even Price With Direct Costs (\$/Bu)	Tota <sup>2</sup> C	al Fixed costs <sup>3</sup> (\$/A)	Fixe	Direct and ed Costs⁴ (\$/A)	Break-even Price With Total Costs <sup>5</sup> (\$/Bu)	Price With Land Rent Costs <sup>6</sup> (\$/Bu)	Returns Above Total Costs and Land Rent Costs <sup>7</sup> (\$/A)
Corn										
Conway	\$	421.03	\$1.80	\$	97.55	\$	518.58	\$2.22	\$2.95	\$360.83
Cross		510.03	\$2.99	\$	61.57	\$	571.60	\$3.36	\$4.47	\$68.57
Independence	\$	588.64	\$2.91	\$	54.92	\$	643.56	\$3.18	\$4.25	\$115.68
Lawrence	\$	563.72	\$2.62	\$	48.77	\$	612.49	\$2.84	\$3.79	\$196.99
Lee	\$	555.82	\$3.07	\$	45.67	\$	601.49	\$3.32	\$4.42	\$79.56
Lonoke	\$	465.95	\$2.05	\$	47.12	\$	513.07	\$2.26	\$3.01	\$341.39
Monroe	\$	564.24	\$2.72	\$	56.09	\$	620.33	\$2.99	\$3.99	\$158.15
Poinsett	\$	507.78	\$2.43	\$	44.53	\$	552.31	\$2.64	\$3.53	\$232.56
Prairie	\$	705.17	\$3.42	\$	61.68	\$	766.85	\$3.72	\$4.96	\$8.47
Pulaski	\$	511.83	\$2.58	\$	45.44	\$	557.27	\$2.81	\$3.75	\$186.87
Average	\$	526.38	\$2.60	\$	54.42	\$	580.80	\$2.87	\$3.82	\$191.27
Grain Sorghum										
Ashley (Irrigated)	\$	356.54	\$3.89	\$	49.18	\$	405.72	\$4.42	\$5.90	-\$108.64
Lawrence (Non-Irrig.)	\$	235.59	\$4.23	\$	24.29	\$	259.88	\$4.67	\$6.22	-\$79.44
Prairie (Irrigated)	\$	352.75	\$3.23	\$	45.29	\$	398.04	\$3.64	\$4.86	-\$43.88
Average	\$	318.48	\$3.77	\$	40.28	\$	358.76	\$4.23	\$5.64	-\$77.55

# Table 3. Selected Economic Information for the 2008 CGSRVP.

<sup>1</sup> Direct out-of-pocket, operating expenses, such as seed, fertilizer, irrigation, etc.

<sup>2</sup> Price per bushel required by the farmer to equal total direct costs. Does not include land, overhead, risk, and management costs.

<sup>3</sup> Total fixed or ownership costs which include charges for depreciation and opportunity cost of capital.
 <sup>4</sup> Total direct operating costs plus fixed costs which include charges for depreciation and interest on all machinery and irrigation equipment.
 <sup>5</sup> Price per bushel required by the farmer to equal total direct operating and fixed costs. Does not include land, overhead, risk, and management costs.
 <sup>6</sup> Break-even price per bushel plus a 25 percent crop share rent. Does not include overhead, risk, and management costs.
 <sup>7</sup> A 25 percent crop share rent was assumed as a land charge for a renter situation. No cost sharing was assumed.

	Conway	Cross	Independence	Lawrence	Lee	Lonoke	Monroe	Poinsett	Prairie	Pulaski	w	eighted
Acres	32	79	57.5	33	48	133	44	40	34	36		average
Direct Exp.	(\$/acre)	(\$/acre)	(\$/acre)	(\$/acre)	(\$/acre)	(\$/acre)	(\$/acre)	(\$/acre)	(\$/acre)	(\$/acre)	(	\$/acre)
Drying	\$44.47	\$32.37	\$38.39	\$40.93	\$34.44	\$43.21	\$39.55	\$39.69	\$39.20	\$37.63	\$	39.06
Fertilizer	\$134.00	\$195.65	\$295.00	\$245.47	\$232.00	\$158.00	\$250.25	\$174.40	\$279.85	\$215.95	\$	209.20
Fungicides	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$9.10	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$	0.98
Herbicides	\$23.00	\$25.24	\$21.00	\$16.58	\$29.52	\$26.80	\$13.50	\$9.82	\$48.11	\$21.40	\$	23.97
Irrigation Supplies	\$0.00	\$10.30	\$0.00	\$10.30	\$10.30	\$10.30	\$10.30	\$10.30	\$10.30	\$10.30	\$	8.58
Crop Seed	\$74.81	\$76.00	\$77.90	\$87.40	\$78.38	\$80.75	\$80.75	\$83.13	\$101.83	\$76.00	\$	80.78
Custom Hire	\$35.11	\$32.31	\$45.81	\$50.81	\$53.94	\$53.11	\$52.73	\$47.33	\$66.05	\$56.21	\$	48.69
Operator Labor	\$6.88	\$6.97	\$5.91	\$4.42	\$3.91	\$3.31	\$4.97	\$2.55	\$6.65	\$3.24	\$	4.75
Irrigation Labor	\$0.56	\$4.96	\$1.20	\$4.34	\$4.96	\$3.72	\$4.34	\$6.82	\$6.20	\$3.72	\$	4.03
Hand Labor	\$1.97	\$1.56	\$1.33	\$0.89	\$0.81	\$0.51	\$0.51	\$0.46	\$1.54	\$0.75	\$	0.97
Diesel Fuel <sup>1</sup>	\$72.89	\$100.99	\$68.60	\$80.79	\$87.09	\$68.60	\$85.04	\$113.50	\$115.98	\$67.90	\$	83.68
Repairs & Maint.	\$19.63	\$14.19	\$12.87	\$10.64	\$10.13	\$9.26	\$11.82	\$11.92	\$14.62	\$9.26	\$	11.90
Interest on Op. Cap.	\$7.71	\$9.49	\$11.53	\$11.15	\$10.34	\$8.38	\$10.48	\$7.86	\$14.84	\$9.47	\$	9.80
Total Direct Expenses											\$	526.38

Table 4. Estimated Costs per Acre for Corn Fields (all irrigated), CGSRVP 2008

<sup>1</sup>Price of diesel was assumed to be \$3.10 per gallon. <sup>2</sup>Weighted average calculations based on 536.5 total acres.

# Table 5. Estimated Costs per Acre for Grain Sorghum Fields, CGSRVP 2008

	Ashley	Lawrence*	Prairie	weighted avg
Acres	36	31	35	
Direct Exp.	(\$/acre)	(\$/acre)	(\$/acre)	(\$/acre)
Custom Work	\$38.00	\$14.16	\$48.20	\$34.25
Fertilizer	\$177.24	\$167.60	\$185.95	\$177.30
Herbicides	\$35.31	\$11.47	\$19.16	\$22.52
Insecticides	\$5.13		\$4.51	\$3.36
Irrigation Supplies	\$10.30		\$10.30	\$7.17
Crop Seed	\$12.18	\$9.10	\$12.60	\$11.39
Operator Labor	\$4.97	\$5.06	\$3.58	\$4.52
Irrigation Labor	\$2.48		\$2.48	\$1.73
Hand Labor	\$1.11	\$1.45	\$0.77	\$1.10
Diesel Fuel <sup>1</sup>	\$53.95	\$15.41	\$51.65	\$41.45
Repairs & Maint.	\$8.74	\$6.36	\$7.19	\$7.48
Interest on Op. Cap.	\$7.13	\$4.98	\$6.36	\$6.21
Total Direct Expenses				\$318.48

<sup>1</sup>Price of diesel was assumed to be \$3.10 per gallon. <sup>2</sup>Weighted average calculations based on 102 total acres.

# Appendix A

# Corn: Economic Analysis by County

Estimated operating expenses and crop input costs

### Table 1. Estimated costs per acre Corn, TV26BR41, Center Pivot Irrigated, Silt Loam Conway Co.,University of Arkansas, 2008.

ITEM	UNIT	PRICE	QUANTITY	AMOUNT	YOUR FARM
		dollars		dollars	
DIRECT EXPENSES					
GIN/DRY					
Dry Corn	bu	0.19	234.0400	44.47	
FERTILIZERS					
Amm Sulfate (21% N)	lb	0.23	100.0000	23.00	
Potash (0-0-60)	lb	0.26	100.0000	26.00	
Urea - (46% N)	lb	0.17	500.0000	85.00	
HERBICIDES					
Roundup Orig MAX	qt	7.50	2.0000	15.00	
Atrazine 4L	qt	4.00	2.0000	8.00	
CROP SEED					
Corn Seed Bt/RR	thous	2.37	31.5000	74.81	
CUSTOM HIRE					
Cstm Haul Corn	bu	0.15	234.0400	35.11	
OPERATOR LABOR					
Tractors	hour	9.45	0.6008	5.67	
Harvesters	hour	9.45	0.1277	1.21	
IRRIGATION LABOR					
Center pivot Irr.	hour	8.19	0.0649	0.56	
HAND LABOR					
Implements	hour	8.19	0.2411	1.97	
DIESEL FUEL					
Tractors	gal	3.10	5.9336	18.40	
Harvesters	gal	3.10	1.5772	4.89	
Center pivot Irr.	gal	3.10	16.0000	49.60	
REPAIR & MAINTENANCE	-				
Implements	acre	4.20	1.0000	4.20	
Tractors	acre	2.04	1.0000	2.04	
Harvesters	acre	2.19	1.0000	2.19	
Center pivot Irr.	ac-in	1.39	8.0000	11.20	
INTEREST ON OP. CAP.	acre	7.71	1.0000	7.71	
TOTAL DIRECT EXPENSES				421.03	
FIXED EXPENSES					
Implements	acre	10.34	1.0000	10.34	
Tractors	acre	14.37	1.0000	14.37	
Harvesters	acre	9.71	1.0000	9.71	
Center pivot Irr.	each	8206.70	0.0076	63.13	
TOTAL FIXED EXPENSES				97.55	
TOTAL SPECIFIED EXPENSES	5			518.58	

/	/					POWER UN	IT COST	EQUIPMEN	NT COST	ALLOC	LABOR	OPERATING	G/DURABL		
OPERATION/ OPERATING INPUT	SIZE/ UNIT	POWER UNIT SIZE	PERF RATE	TIMES OVER	MTH	DIRECT	FIXED	DIRECT	FIXED	HOURS	COST	AMOUNT	PRICE	COST	TOTAL COST
							dol	lars			dollars			-dollars-	
Subsoiler low-till	8 shank	MFWD 225	0.076	1.00	Nov	3.06	2.18	0.41	1.22	0.07	0.72				7.59
Subsoiler low-till	8 shank	MFWD 225	0.076	1.00	Nov	3.06	2.18	0.41	1.22	0.07	0.72				7.59
Spin Spreader	5 ton	2WD 130	0.042	1.00	Apr	0.97	0.65	0.26	0.59	0.08	0.74				3.21
Amm Sulfate (21% M	J) lb											100.0000	0.23	23.00	23.00
Potash (0-0-60)	lb											100.0000	0.26	26.00	26.00
Urea - (46% N)	lb											200.0000	0.17	34.00	34.00
Field Cultivate	32'	MFWD 225	0.046	1.00	Apr	1.87	1.33	0.31	1.50	0.04	0.44				5.45
Row Cond (Plant)	21'	2WD 190	0.097	1.00	Apr	3.28	2.33	0.19	0.90	0.09	0.92				7.62
Plant - Rigid	8R-30	2WD 190	0.094	1.00	Apr	3.18	2.26	0.79	1.74	0.18	1.66				9.63
Corn Seed Bt/RR	thous				-							31.5000	2.37	74.81	74.81
Spray (Broadcast)	27'	2WD 170	0.062	1.00	May	1.88	1.29	0.16	0.22	0.09	0.85				4.40
Roundup Orig MAX	qt				-							1.0000	7.50	7.50	7.50
Atrazine 4L	qt											1.0000	4.00	4.00	4.00
Spin Spreader	5 ton	2WD 170	0.042	1.00	Mav	1.26	0.86	0.26	0.59	0.08	0.74				3.71
Urea - (46% N)	lb				- 1							300.0000	0.17	51.00	51.00
Spray (Broadcast)	27'	2WD 170	0.062	1.00	May	1.88	1.29	0.16	0.22	0.09	0.85				4.40
Atrazine 4L	qt				- 1							1.0000	4.00	4.00	4.00
Roundup Orig MAX	at											1.0000	7.50	7.50	7.50
Harvest	1 -			1.00	Sep										
Header - Corn	8R-30	240hp	0.127		1	7.08	9.71	1.25	2.14	0.12	1.21				21.39
Cstm Haul Corn	bu	· 1										234.0400	0.15	35.11	35.11
Dry Corn	bu											234.0400	0.19	44.47	44.47
Center pivot Irr.	each			1.00	Jun				63.13			0.0076			63.13
Application 1	ac-in			1.00	Jun			7.60		0.00	0.07	1.0000			7.67
Application 2	ac-in			1.00	Jun			7.60		0.00	0.07	1.0000			7.67
Application 3	ac-in			1.00	Jun			7.60		0.00	0.07	1.0000			7.67
Application 4	ac-in			1.00	Jun			7.60		0.00	0.07	1.0000			7.67
Application 5	ac-in			1.00	Jul			7.60		0.00	0.07	1.0000			7.67
Application 6	ac-in			1.00	Jul			7.60		0.00	0.07	1.0000			7.67
Application 7	ac-in			1.00	Jul			7.60		0.00	0.07	1.0000			7.67
Application 8	ac-in			1.00	Jul			7.60		0.00	0.07	1.0000			7.67
				1.00	041							1.0000			
TOTALS						27.52	24.08	65.00	73.47	1.03	9.41			311.39	510.87
INTEREST ON OPERATIN UNALLOCATED LABOR	IG CAPITAL														7.71 0.00
TOTAL SPECIFIED COST	1														518.58

#### Table 1.B Estimated resource use and costs for field operations, per acre Corn, TV26BR41, Center Pivot Irrigated, Silt Loam Conway Co., University of Arkansas, 2008.

### Table 2. Estimated costs per acre Corn, Pioneer 31G71, Furrow Irrigated, Silt Loam Cross Co., University of Arkansas, 2008.

ITEM	UNIT	PRICE	QUANTITY	AMOUNT	YOUR FARM
		dollars		dollars	
DIRECT EXPENSES					
GIN/DRY					
Dry Corn	bu	0.19	170.3700	32.37	
FERTILIZERS					
Urea, Solid (46% N)	lb	0.23	275.0000	63.25	
Potash (0-0-60)	lb	0.26	50.0000	13.00	
3-18-18	gal	4.60	6.0000	27.60	
10-34-0	gal	4.60	6.0000	27.60	
Liquid Nitrogen 32%	gal	2.14	30.0000	64.20	
HERBICIDES					
Roundup Orig MAX	qt	8.00	1.0000	8.00	
Atrazine 4L	qt	8.62	2.0000	17.24	
IRRIGATION SUPPLIES	-				
IrrPipe+lay+pickup	acre	10.30	1.0000	10.30	
CROP SEED					
Corn Seed Bt/RR	thous	2.37	32.0000	76.00	
CUSTOM HIRE					
Cstm Ap Air Fert	acre	6.75	1.0000	6.75	
Cstm Haul Corn	bu	0.15	170.3700	25.56	
OPERATOR LABOR	200	0.10	1,0,0,00	20.00	
Tractors	hour	9.45	0.5922	5.59	
Harvesters	hour	9.45	0.1277	1.21	
Self-Propelled	hour	9.45	0.0176	0.17	
IRRIGATION LABOR	nour	5.15	0.01/0	0.17	
Furrow Irr.	hour	8.19	0.6034	4.96	
HAND LABOR	nour	0.10	0.0034	4.50	
Implements	hour	8.19	0.1835	1.49	
Self-Propelled	hour	8.19	0.0088	0.07	
DIESEL FUEL	nour	0.19	0.0000	0.07	
Tractors	qal	3.10	6.8198	21.14	
Harvesters	gal	3.10	1.5772	4.89	
	gal gal	3.10	0.1815	0.56	
Self-Propelled Furrow Irr.	2	3.10	24.0001	74.40	
REPAIR & MAINTENANCE	gal	5.10	24.0001	/4.40	
		5.37	1.0000	5.37	
Implements Tractors	acre	2.26	1.0000	2.26	
	acre				
Harvesters	acre	2.19	1.0000	2.19	
Self-Propelled	acre	0.13	1.0000	0.13	
Furrow Irr.	ac-in	0.17	24.0000	4.24	
INTEREST ON OP. CAP.	acre	9.49	1.0000	9.49	
TOTAL DIRECT EXPENSES				510.03	
FIXED EXPENSES				510.05	
Implements	acre	11.70	1.0000	11.70	
Tractors	acre	16.10	1.0000	11.70	
Harvesters		16.10 9.71	1.0000	9.71	
Self-Propelled	acre	9.71 0.97	1.0000	9.71	
1	acre				
Furrow Irr.	each	2770.44	0.0083	23.09	
MOMAL RIVER RVPRAGO					
TOTAL FIXED EXPENSES				61.57	
MOMAL ODDOLDLDD DVDDVDD	-				
TOTAL SPECIFIED EXPENSE:	>			571.60	

	/					POWER UN	IT COST	EQUIPME	NT COST	ALLOC	LABOR	OPERATING			
OPERATION/ OPERATING INPUT	SIZE/ UNIT	POWER UNIT SIZE	PERF RATE	TIMES OVER	MTH	DIRECT	FIXED	DIRECT	FIXED	HOURS	COST	AMOUNT		COST	TOTAI COSI
							dol	lars			dollars			-dollars-	
Field Cultivate	24'	4WD 300	0.062		Apr	3.28	2.12	0.28	1.34	0.06	0.59				7.61
Land Float	18'x50'	MFWD 225	0.071	2.00	Apr	5.71	4.08	0.24	0.72	0.14	1.35				12.10
Spin Spreader	5 ton	2WD 170	0.042	1.00	Apr	1.26	0.86	0.26	0.59	0.08	0.74				3.71
Urea, Solid (46% N												175.0000	0.23	40.25	40.25
Potash (0-0-60)	lb	4775 0.00	0 0 0 0	1 0 0		2 . 0 0	0 1 0		1 0 4	0.00	0 50	50.0000	0.26	13.00	13.00
Field Cultivate	24'	4WD 300	0.062		Apr	3.28	2.12	0.28	1.34	0.06	0.59				7.61
Bedder/Roller-Fold.	30'(12r30)	MFWD 225 MFWD 225	0.062	1.00	Apr	2.49	1.78	0.36	1.09	0.06	0.59				6.31
Fert Appl (Liquid) 3-18-18	12R-30	MEWD 225	0.078	1.00	Apr	3.13	2.24	0.80	1.03	0.11	1.06	C 0000	4.60	27.60	8.26 27.60
Plant - Folding	gal 12R-30	2WD 170	0 062	1.00	7 m m	1.89	1.29	1.10	2.42	0.12	1.10	6.0000	4.60	27.60	27.60
Corn Seed Bt/RR	thous	2WD 170	0.002	1.00	Apr	1.09	1.29	1.10	2.42	0.12	1.10	32.0000	2.37	76.00	76.00
10-34-0	gal											6.0000	4.60	27.60	27.60
Sprayer( 600-750Gal)	2	60 <b>'</b>	0 017	1.00	Mav	0.69	0.97			0.02	0.24	0.0000	4.00	27.00	1.90
Roundup Orig MAX	qt	00	0.01/	1.00	нау	0.05	0.57			0.02	0.24	1.0000	8.00	8.00	8.00
Atrazine 4L	qt											2.0000	8.62	17.24	17.24
Fert Appl (Liquid)	12R-30	2WD 170	0.078	1.00	Mav	2.36	1.61	0.80	1.03	0.11	1.06	2.0000	0.02		6.86
Liquid Nitrogen 32		2.1.2 2.70	0.070	1.00	110.7	2.00		0.00	2.00	0.11	2.00	30.0000	2.14	64.20	64.20
IrrPipe+lay+pickup	acre			1.00	Jun							1.0000	10.30	10.30	10.30
Cstm Ap Air Fert	acre			1.00	Jun							1.0000	6.75	6.75	6.75
Urea, Solid (46% N	I) lb											100.0000	0.23	23.00	23.00
Harvest				1.00	Sep										
Header - Corn	8R-30	240hp	0.127			7.08	9.71	1.25	2.14	0.12	1.21				21.39
Cstm Haul Corn	bu											170.3700	0.15	25.56	25.56
Dry Corn	bu											170.3700	0.19	32.37	32.37
Furrow Irr.	each			1.00	Jun				23.09			0.0083			23.09
Application 1	ac-in			1.00	Jun			9.83		0.07	0.62	3.0000			10.45
Application 2	ac-in			1.00	Jun			9.83		0.07	0.62	3.0000			10.45
Application 3	ac-in			1.00	Jun			9.83		0.07	0.62	3.0000			10.45
Application 4	ac-in			1.00	Jun			9.83		0.07	0.62	3.0000			10.45
Application 5	ac-in			1.00	Jun			9.83		0.07	0.62	3.0000			10.45
Application 6	ac-in			1.00	Jul			9.83		0.07	0.62	3.0000			10.45
Application 7	ac-in			1.00	Jul			9.83		0.07	0.62	3.0000			10.45
Application 8	ac-in			1.00	Aug			9.83		0.07	0.62	3.0000			10.45
TOTALS						31.17	26.78	84.01	34.79	1.53	13.49			371.87	562.11
INTEREST ON OPERATIN	IG CAPITAL														9.49
UNALLOCATED LABOR															0.00
TOTAL SPECIFIED COST	1														571.60

#### Table 2.B Estimated resource use and costs for field operations, per acre Corn, Pionerr 31G71, Furrow Irrigated, Silt Loam Cross Co., University of Arkansas, 2008.

### Table 3 Estimated costs per acre Corn, MY2T783, Flood Irrigated, Silty Clay Loam Independence Co., University of Arkansas, 2008.

ITEM	UNIT	PRICE	QUANTITY	AMOUNT	YOUR FARM
		dollars		dollars	
DIRECT EXPENSES					
GIN/DRY					
Dry Corn	bu	0.19	202.0600	38.39	
FERTILIZERS					
Amm Sulfate (21% N)	lb	0.20	100.0000	20.00	
Urea - Appl. 1	lb	0.25	40.0000	10.00	
DAP 18-46-0	lb	0.50	250.0000	125.00	
Potash (0-0-60)	lb	0.24	130.0000	31.20	
Liquid Nitrogen 32%	gal	1.77	40.0000	70.80	
Urea - Appl. 2	lb	0.38	100.0000	38.00	
FUNGICIDES	10	0.50	100.0000	50.00	
		0 (5	14 0000	9.10	
Quilt	ΟZ	0.65	14.0000	9.10	
HERBICIDES				4 5 . 0 0	
Roundup Orig MAX	qt	7.50	2.0000	15.00	
Atrazine 4L	qt	3.00	2.0000	6.00	
CROP SEED					
Corn Seed Bt/RR	thous	2.37	32.8000	77.90	
CUSTOM HIRE					
Survey Levees-CnSbGs	acre	3.00	1.0000	3.00	
Cstm Ap Air Fert	acre	6.25	1.0000	6.25	
Cstm Ap Air Fung	acre	6.25	1.0000	6.25	
Cstm Haul Corn	bu	0.15	202.0600	30.31	
OPERATOR LABOR	204	0.10	202.0000	00.01	
Tractors	hour	9.45	0.4585	4.34	
Harvesters	hour	9.45	0.1277	1.21	
		9.45		0.36	
Self-Propelled	hour	9.45	0.0386	0.30	
IRRIGATION LABOR	,	0 1 0	0 1 4 4 0	1 0 0	
Flood Irr Crn-Sor	hour	8.19	0.1448	1.20	
HAND LABOR					
Implements	hour	8.19	0.1433	1.17	
Self-Propelled	hour	8.19	0.0193	0.16	
DIESEL FUEL					
Tractors	gal	3.10	4.0803	12.65	
Harvesters	gal	3.10	1.5772	4.89	
Self-Propelled	gal	3.10	0.4752	1.46	
Flood Irr Crn-Sor	gal	3.10	16.0000	49.60	
REPAIR & MAINTENANCE	2				
Implements	acre	4.04	1.0000	4.04	
Tractors	acre	1.47	1.0000	1.47	
Harvesters	acre	2.19	1.0000	2.19	
	acre			0.37	
Self-Propelled		0.37	1.0000		
Flood Irr Crn-Sor		0.30	16.0000	4.80	
INTEREST ON OP. CAP.	acre	11.53	1.0000	11.53	
TOTAL DIRECT EXPENSES				588.64	
FIXED EXPENSES					
Implements	acre	9.18	1.0000	9.18	
Tractors	acre	10.19	1.0000	10.19	
Harvesters	acre	9.71	1.0000	9.71	
Self-Propelled	acre	2.75	1.0000	2.75	
Flood Irr Crn-Sor	each	2770.44	0.0083	23.09	
TOTAL FIXED EXPENSES				54.92	
TOTAL SPECIFIED EXPENSES				643.56	
				0.0.00	

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OPERATION/ OPERATING INPUT	SIZE/ UNIT	POWER UNIT SIZE	RATE	TIMES OVER	MTH	DIRECT	FIXED	DIRECT	FIXED	HOURS	COST	AMOUNT	PRICE	COST	TOTAI COSI
							dol	lars			dollars			-dollars-	
Chisel Plow(Folding)	16'	MFWD 190	0.115	1.00	Mav	3.94	3.10	0.45	0.90	0.11	1.09				9.48
Field Cultivate	32'	MFWD 225	0.046		Mav	3.72	2.66	0.62	2.99	0.09	0.88				10.87
Dry Applicator SP		70'300cuft			-	0.91	1.37			0.02	0.20				2.48
Amm Sulfate (21% N	) lb				- 1							100.0000	0.20	20.00	20.00
Urea - Appl. 1	lb											40.0000	0.25	10.00	10.00
DAP 18-46-0	lb											250.0000	0.50	125.00	125.00
Potash (0-0-60)	lb											130.0000	0.24	31.20	31.20
Plant - Rigid	8R-30	2WD 150	0.094	1.00	May	2.51	1.68	0.79	1.74	0.18	1.66				8.38
Corn Seed Bt/RR	thous				-							32.8000	2.37	77.90	77.90
Sprayer( 600-825Gal)		90'	0.011	1.00	Jun	0.46	0.69			0.01	0.16				1.31
Roundup Orig MAX	qt											1.0000	7.50	7.50	7.50
Atrazine 4L	qt											2.0000	3.00	6.00	6.00
Fert Appl (Liquid)	8R-30	2WD 150	0.098	1.00	Jun	2.61	1.75	0.88	1.12	0.14	1.33				7.69
Liquid Nitrogen 32	% gal											40.0000	1.77	70.80	70.80
Sprayer( 600-825Gal)		90'	0.011	1.00	Jun	0.46	0.69			0.01	0.16				1.31
Roundup Orig MAX	qt											1.0000	7.50	7.50	7.50
Survey Levees-CnSbGs	acre			1.00	Jun							1.0000	3.00	3.00	3.00
Build Inside Levees				2.00	Jun										
Pull Levee (1m/80a	) 8 blade	2WD 150	0.003			0.19	0.13	0.01	0.04	0.00	0.07				0.44
Blade-Scraper	8'-10'	MFWD 105	0.025	1.00	Jun	0.47	0.34	0.03	0.03	0.02	0.24				1.11
Cstm Ap Air Fert	acre			1.00	Jul							1.0000	6.25	6.25	6.25
Urea - Appl. 2	lb											100.0000	0.38	38.00	38.00
Cstm Ap Air Fung	acre			1.00	Jul							1.0000	6.25	6.25	6.25
Quilt	ΟZ											14.0000	0.65	9.10	9.10
Tear Down Levees				1.00	Aug										
Levee Splitter (CL	) 2 blade	MFWD 150	0.025			0.68	0.53	0.01	0.22	0.02	0.24				1.68
Harvest				1.00	Oct										
Header - Corn	8R-30	240hp	0.127			7.08	9.71	1.25	2.14	0.12	1.21				21.39
Cstm Haul Corn	bu											202.0600	0.15	30.31	30.31
Dry Corn	bu											202.0600	0.19	38.39	38.39
Flood Irr Crn-Sor				1.00	Jun				23.09			0.0083			23.09
Application 1	ac-in			1.00	Jun			13.60		0.03	0.30	4.0000			13.90
Application 2	ac-in			1.00	Jun			13.60		0.03	0.30	4.0000			13.90
Application 3	ac-in			1.00	Jul			13.60		0.03	0.30	4.0000			13.90
Application 4	ac-in			1.00	Jul			13.60		0.03	0.30	4.0000			13.90
TOTALS						23.03	22.65	58.44	32.27	0.93	8.44			487.20	632.03
INTEREST ON OPERATIN	G CAPITAL														11.53
UNALLOCATED LABOR															0.00
TOTAL SPECIFIED COST															643.56

### Table 3.B Estimated resource use and costs for field operations, per acre Corn, MY2T783, Flood Irrigated, Silty Clay Loam Independence Co., University of Arkansas, 2008.

# Estimated costs per acre Corn, Pioneer 33M57, Furrow Irrigated, Silt Loam Lawrence Co.,University of Arkansas, 2008. Table 4

ITEM	UNIT	PRICE	QUANTITY	AMOUNT	YOUR FARM
		dollars		dollars	
DIRECT EXPENSES					
GIN/DRY					
Dry Corn	bu	0.19	215.4300	40.93	
FERTILIZERS					
Litter, applied	ton	30.00	2.0000	60.00	
30.1-0-20.6	lbs	0.22	291.0000	64.02	
Urea - (46% N)	lb	0.31	370.0000	114.70	
Agrotain HERBICIDES	lburea	0.02	270.0000	6.75	
Roundup Orig MAX	οz	0.45	22.0000	9.90	
Atrazine 4L	qt	3.34	2.0000	6.68	
IRRIGATION SUPPLIES	-				
IrrPipe+lay+pickup CROP SEED	acre	10.30	1.0000	10.30	
Corn Seed Bt/RR CUSTOM HIRE	thous	2.37	36.8000	87.40	
Cstm Ap Grd Fert	acre	5.75	1.0000	5.75	
Cstm Ap Air Fert	acre	5.75	1.0000	5.75	
Cstm Ap Air Fert 2	acre	7.00	1.0000	7.00	
Cstm Haul Corn OPERATOR LABOR	bu	0.15	215.4300	32.31	
Tractors	hour	9.45	0.3390	3.21	
Harvesters	hour	9.45	0.1277	1.21	
IRRIGATION LABOR	nour	5.15	0.12//	1.21	
Furrow Irr.	hour	8.19	0.5280	4.34	
HAND LABOR		0.10	0.0200		
Implements	hour	8.19	0.1083	0.89	
DIESEL FUEL					
Tractors	gal	3.10	3.4823	10.80	
Harvesters	gal	3.10	1.5772	4.89	
Furrow Irr.	gal	3.10	21.0001	65.10	
REPAIR & MAINTENANCE	-				
Implements	acre	3.53	1.0000	3.53	
Tractors	acre	1.21	1.0000	1.21	
Harvesters	acre	2.19	1.0000	2.19	
Furrow Irr.	ac-in	0.17	21.0000	3.71	
INTEREST ON OP. CAP.	acre	11.15	1.0000	11.15	
FOTAL DIRECT EXPENSES FIXED EXPENSES				563.72	
Implements	acre	7.54	1.0000	7.54	
Tractors	acre	8.43	1.0000	8.43	
Harvesters	acre	9.71	1.0000	9.71	
Furrow Irr.	each	2770.44	0.0083	23.09	
FOTAL FIXED EXPENSES				48.77	
FOTAL SPECIFIED EXPENSES	5			612.49	

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OPERATION/ OPERATING INPUT	SIZE/ UNIT	POWER UNIT SIZE	PERF	TIMES OVER	MTH	DIRECT	FIXED	DIRECT	FIXED	HOURS	COST	AMOUNT	PRICE	COST	TOTAI COSI
							dol	lars			dollars			-dollars-	
Litter, applied	ton			1.00	Nov							1.0000	30.00	30.00	30.00
Disk Harrow	32'	MFWD 225	0.061	1.00	Nov	2.45	1.75	0.55	1.33	0.06	0.58				6.60
Cstm Ap Grd Fert	acre			1.00	Apr							1.0000	5.75	5.75	5.75
30.1-0-20.6	lbs											291.0000	0.22	64.02	64.02
Litter, applied	ton			1.00	Apr							1.0000	30.00	30.00	30.00
Disk Harrow	32'	MFWD 225	0.061	1.00	Apr	2.45	1.75	0.55	1.33	0.06	0.58				6.60
Disk Bed (Hipper)	8R-30	MFWD 225	0.093	1.00	Apr	3.75	2.67	0.29	0.86	0.09	0.89				8.40
Plant - Rigid	8R-30	2WD 150	0.094	1.00	Apr	2.51	1.68	0.79	1.74	0.18	1.66				8.38
Corn Seed Bt/RR	thous											36.8000	2.37	87.40	87.40
Spray (Broadcast)	60'	2WD 170	0.028	1.00	May	0.85	0.58	0.10	0.14	0.04	0.39				2.00
Roundup Orig MAX	οz											22.0000	0.45	9.90	9.90
Atrazine 4L	qt											2.0000	3.34	6.68	6.68
Cstm Ap Air Fert	acre			1.00	May							1.0000	5.75	5.75	5.75
Urea - (46% N)	lb				-							270.0000	0.31	83.70	83.70
Agrotain	lburea											270.0000	0.02	6.75	6.75
IrrPipe+lay+pickup	acre			1.00	Jun							1.0000	10.30	10.30	10.30
Cstm Ap Air Fert 2	acre			1.00	Jun							1.0000	7.00	7.00	7.00
Urea - (46% N)	lb											100.0000	0.31	31.00	31.00
Harvest				1.00	Sep										
Header - Corn	8R-30	240hp	0.127		-	7.08	9.71	1.25	2.14	0.12	1.21				21.39
Cstm Haul Corn	bu	-										215.4300	0.15	32.31	32.31
Dry Corn	bu											215.4300	0.19	40.93	40.93
Furrow Irr.	each			1.00	Jun				23.09			0.0083			23.09
Application 1	ac-in			1.00	Jun			9.83		0.07	0.62	3.0000			10.45
Application 2	ac-in			1.00	Jun			9.83		0.07	0.62	3.0000			10.4
	ac-in			1.00	Jun			9.83		0.07	0.62	3.0000			10.45
	ac-in			1.00	Jun			9.83		0.07	0.62	3.0000			10.4
	ac-in			1.00	Jul			9.83		0.07	0.62	3.0000			10.45
	ac-in			1.00	Jul			9.83		0.07	0.62	3.0000			10.45
	ac-in			1.00	Jul			9.83		0.07	0.62	3.0000			10.45
TOTALS						19.09	18.14	72.34	30.63	1.10	9.65			451.49	601.34
INTEREST ON OPERATING	CAPITAL														11.15
UNALLOCATED LABOR															0.00
TOTAL SPECIFIED COST															612.49

#### Table 4.B Estimated resource use and costs for field operations, per acre Corn, Pioneer 33M57, Furrow Irrigated, Silt Loam Lawrence Co., University of Arkansas, 2008.

### Table 5 Estimated costs per acre Corn, Belle 1646RY, Furrow Irrigated, Silt Loam Lee Co., University of Arkansas, 2008.

ITEM	UNIT	PRICE	QUANTITY	AMOUNT	YOUR FARM
		dollars		dollars	
DIRECT EXPENSES					
GIN/DRY					
Dry Corn	bu	0.19	181.2500	34.44	
FERTILIZERS					
Urea - (46% N)	lb	0.26	510.0000	132.60	
DAP 18-46-0	lb	0.48	100.0000	48.00	
Potash (0-0-60)	lb	0.28	100.0000	28.00	
Zinc (31%)	lb	0.78	30.0000	23.40	
HERBICIDES					
Roundup Orig MAX	qt	11.13	2.0000	22.26	
Atrazine 4L	qt	3.63	2.0000	7.26	
IRRIGATION SUPPLIES					
IrrPipe+lay+pickup	acre	10.30	1.0000	10.30	
CROP SEED					
Corn Seed Bt/RR	thous	2.37	33.0000	78.38	
CUSTOM HIRE					
Cstm Ap Grd Fert	acre	4.50	1.0000	4.50	
Cstm Ap Grd. Herb	acre	5.25	2.0000	10.50	
Cstm Ap Grd Fert 2	acre	5.25	1.0000	5.25	
Cstm Ap Air Fert	acre	6.50	1.0000	6.50	
Cstm Haul Corn	bu	0.15	181.2500	27.19	
OPERATOR LABOR					
Tractors	hour	9.45	0.2797	2.64	
Harvesters	hour	9.45	0.1344	1.27	
IRRIGATION LABOR					
Furrow Irr.	hour	8.19	0.6034	4.96	
HAND LABOR					
Implements	hour	8.19	0.0992	0.81	
DIESEL FUEL					
Tractors	gal	3.10	2.4302	7.54	
Harvesters	gal	3.10	1.6602	5.15	
Furrow Irr.	gal	3.10	24.0001	74.40	
REPAIR & MAINTENANCE					
Implements	acre	2.61	1.0000	2.61	
Tractors	acre	0.97	1.0000	0.97	
Harvesters	acre	2.31	1.0000	2.31	
Furrow Irr.	ac-in		24.0000	4.24	
INTEREST ON OP. CAP.	acre	10.34	1.0000	10.34	
TOTAL DIRECT EXPENSES				555.82	
FIXED EXPENSES				555.02	
Implements	aaro	5.54	1.0000	5.54	
Implements Tractors	acre acre	5.54 6.82	1.0000	5.54 6.82	
		10.22			
Harvesters Furrow Irr.	acre each		1.0000 0.0083	10.22 23.09	
FULLOW III.	each	2//0.44	0.0085	23.09	
TOTAL FIXED EXPENSES				45.67	
TOTAL SPECIFIED EXPENSE	S			601.49	

						POWER UN	ET COST	EQUIPMEN	NT COST	ALLOC	LABOR	OPERATING	G/DURABI		
OPERATION/ OPERATING INPUT	SIZE/ UNIT	POWER UNIT SIZE	PERF RATE	TIMES OVER	MTH	DIRECT	FIXED	DIRECT	FIXED	HOURS	COST	AMOUNT	PRICE	COST	TOTAL COST
							dol	lars			dollars			-dollars-	
	24'	MFWD 190	0.081	1.00	Apr	2.79	2.19	0.58	1.41	0.08	0.77				7.74
±	acre			1.00	Apr							1.0000	4.50	4.50	4.50
Urea - (46% N)	lb											140.0000	0.26	36.40	36.40
DAP 18-46-0	lb											100.0000	0.48	48.00	48.00
Potash (0-0-60)	lb											100.0000	0.28	28.00	28.00
Zinc (31%)	lb											30.0000	0.78	23.40	23.40
	6R-38	MFWD 170	0.098	1.00	-	3.03	2.51	0.26	0.78	0.09	0.93				7.51
	6R-38	MFWD 150	0.099	1.00	Apr	2.69	2.12	0.68	1.49	0.19	1.75				8.73
Corn Seed Bt/RR	thous											33.0000	2.37	78.38	78.38
1	acre			1.00	Мау							1.0000	5.25	5.25	5.25
Roundup Orig MAX	qt											1.0000	11.13	11.13	11.13
Atrazine 4L	qt											1.0000	3.63	3.63	3.63
-	acre			1.00	Мау							1.0000	5.25	5.25	5.25
Urea - (46% N)	lb											270.0000	0.26	70.20	70.20
-	acre			1.00	Мау							1.0000	5.25	5.25	5.25
Roundup Orig MAX	qt											1.0000	11.13	11.13	11.13
Atrazine 4L	qt											1.0000	3.63	3.63	3.63
	acre			1.00								1.0000	10.30	10.30	10.30
-	acre			1.00	Jun							1.0000	6.50	6.50	6.50
Urea - (46% N)	lb											100.0000	0.26	26.00	26.00
Harvest				1.00	Sep										
Header - Corn	6R38"	240hp	0.134			7.46	10.22	1.09	1.86	0.13	1.27				21.90
Cstm Haul Corn	bu											181.2500	0.15	27.19	27.19
Dry Corn	bu											181.2500	0.19	34.44	34.44
	each			1.00	Jun				23.09			0.0083			23.09
	ac-in			1.00	Jun			9.83		0.07	0.62	3.0000			10.45
	ac-in			1.00	Jun			9.83		0.07	0.62	3.0000			10.45
	ac-in			1.00	Jun			9.83		0.07	0.62	3.0000			10.45
1 1	ac-in			1.00	Jul			9.83		0.07	0.62	3.0000			10.45
11	ac-in			1.00	Jul			9.83		0.07	0.62	3.0000			10.45
1 1	ac-in			1.00	Jul			9.83		0.07	0.62	3.0000			10.45
11	ac-in			1.00	Jul			9.83		0.07	0.62	3.0000			10.45
Application 8	ac-in			1.00	Aug			9.83		0.07	0.62	3.0000			10.45
TOTALS						15.97	17.04	81.25	28.63	1.11	9.68			438.58	591.15
INTEREST ON OPERATING	CAPITAL														10.34
UNALLOCATED LABOR															0.00
TOTAL SPECIFIED COST															601.49

#### Table 5.B Estimated resource use and costs for field operations, per acre Corn, Belle 1646RY, Furrow Irrigated, Silt Loam Lee Co. Arkansas, 2008, University of Arkansas, 2008.

### Table 6 Estimated costs per acre Corn, Stine 9803VT3, Furrow Irrigated, Silt Loam Lonoke Co., University of Arkansas, 2008.

ITEM	UNIT	PRICE	QUANTITY	AMOUNT	YOUR FARM
		dollars		dollars	
DIRECT EXPENSES					
GIN/DRY					
Dry Corn	bu	0.19	227.4000	43.21	
FERTILIZERS					
Amm Sulfate (21% N)	lb	0.20	100.0000	20.00	
Urea - (46% N)	lb	0.20	540.0000	108.00	
Zinc (31%)	lb	1.00	30.0000	30.00	
HERBICIDES					
Oracle	pt	5.30	1.0000	5.30	
Roundup Orig MAX	qt	6.50	2.0000	13.00	
Atrazine 4L	qt	4.25	2.0000	8.50	
IRRIGATION SUPPLIES					
IrrPipe+lay+pickup	acre	10.30	1.0000	10.30	
CROP SEED					
Corn Seed Bt/RR	thous	2.37	34.0000	80.75	
CUSTOM HIRE					
Cstm Ap Grd Fert (b)	acre	5.75	2.0000	11.50	
Cstm Ap Air Fert	acre	7.50	1.0000	7.50	
Cstm Haul Corn	bu	0.15	227.4000	34.11	
OPERATOR LABOR					
Tractors	hour	9.45	0.1924	1.82	
Harvesters	hour	9.45	0.1344	1.27	
Self-Propelled	hour	9.45	0.0235	0.22	
IRRIGATION LABOR	nour	5.15	0.0200	0.22	
Furrow Irr.	hour	8.19	0.4525	3.72	
HAND LABOR	nour	0.19	0.4323	5.72	
Implements	hour	8.19	0.0496	0.41	
Self-Propelled	hour	8.19	0.0117	0.10	
DIESEL FUEL	nour	0.19	0.011/	0.10	
Tractors	gal	3.10	2.2293	6.91	
Harvesters	gal qal	3.10	1.6602	5.15	
	2				
Self-Propelled	gal	3.10	0.2419	0.74	
Furrow Irr.	gal	3.10	18.0001	55.80	
REPAIR & MAINTENANCE		0 01	1 0000	0 01	
Implements	acre	2.81	1.0000	2.81	
Tractors	acre	0.78	1.0000	0.78	
Harvesters	acre	2.31	1.0000	2.31	
Self-Propelled	acre	0.18	1.0000	0.18	
Furrow Irr.	ac-in		18.0000	3.18	
INTEREST ON OP. CAP.	acre	8.38	1.0000	8.38	
TOTAL DIRECT EXPENSES FIXED EXPENSES				465.95	
Implements	acre	6.96	1.0000	6.96	
Tractors	acre	5.47	1.0000	5.47	
Harvesters	acre	10.22	1.0000	10.22	
Self-Propelled	acre	1.38	1.0000	1.38	
Furrow Irr.	each	2770.44	0.0083	23.09	
TOTAL FIXED EXPENSES				47.12	
TOTAL SPECIFIED EXPENSES				513.07	

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OPERATION/ OPERATING INPUT	SIZE/ UNIT	POWER UNIT SIZE	PERF RATE	TIMES OVER	MTH	DIRECT	FIXED	DIRECT	FIXED	HOURS	COST	AMOUNT		COST	TOTAI COSI
							dol	lars			dollars			-dollars-	
Disk Bed (Hipper)	12R-38	MFWD 225	0.049	1.00	Mar	1.97	1.40	0.29	0.88	0.04	0.47				5.01
Field Cultivate	32'	MFWD 225	0.046	1.00	Mar	1.87	1.33	0.31	1.50	0.04	0.44				5.45
Bedder/Roller-Fold.	40'(12r38)	MFWD 225	0.046	1.00	Mar	1.87	1.33	0.30	0.91	0.04	0.44				4.85
Sprayer( 600-825Gal)		90'	0.011	1.00	Apr	0.46	0.69			0.01	0.16				1.31
Oracle	pt				-							1.0000	5.30	5.30	5.30
Roundup Orig MAX	qt											1.0000	6.50	6.50	6.50
Cstm Ap Grd Fert (b)	acre			1.00	Apr							1.0000	5.75	5.75	5.75
Amm Sulfate (21% N					1							100.0000	0.20	20.00	20.00
Urea - (46% N)	lb											140.0000	0.20	28.00	28.00
Zinc (31%)	lb											30.0000	1.00	30.00	30.00
Plant - Folding	12R-38	MFWD 225	0.049	1.00	Apr	1.98	1.41	0.82	1.81	0.09	0.88				6.90
Corn Seed Bt/RR	thous				1							34.0000	2.37	80.75	80.75
Cstm Ap Grd Fert (b)	acre			1.00	Mav							1.0000	5.75	5.75	5.75
Urea - (46% N)	lb				- 1							300.0000	0.20	60.00	60.00
Sprayer( 600-825Gal)		90'	0.011	1.00	Mav	0.46	0.69			0.01	0.16				1.31
Roundup Orig MAX	qt				-							1.0000	6.50	6.50	6.50
Atrazine 4L	qt											2.0000	4.25	8.50	8.50
IrrPipe+lay+pickup	acre			1.00	Jun							1.0000	10.30	10.30	10.30
Cstm Ap Air Fert	acre			1.00	Jun							1.0000	7.50	7.50	7.50
Urea - (46% N)	lb											100.0000	0.20	20.00	20.00
Harvest				1.00	Sep										
Header - Corn	6R38"	240hp	0.134		1	7.46	10.22	1.09	1.86	0.13	1.27				21.90
Cstm Haul Corn	bu	. 1										227.4000	0.15	34.11	34.11
Dry Corn	bu											227.4000	0.19	43.21	43.21
Furrow Irr.	each			1.00	Jun				23.09			0.0083			23.09
Application 1	ac-in			1.00	Jun			9.83		0.07	0.62	3.0000			10.45
Application 2	ac-in			1.00	Jun			9.83		0.07	0.62	3.0000			10.45
Application 3	ac-in			1.00	Jun			9.83		0.07	0.62	3.0000			10.45
Application 4	ac-in			1.00	Jun			9.83		0.07	0.62	3.0000			10.45
Application 5	ac-in			1.00	Jul			9.83		0.07	0.62	3.0000			10.45
Application 6	ac-in			1.00	Jul			9.83		0.07	0.62	3.0000			10.45
TOTALS						16.07	17.07	61.79	30.05	0.86	7.54			372.17	504.69
INTEREST ON OPERATIN	IG CAPITAL														8.38
UNALLOCATED LABOR															0.00
TOTAL SPECIFIED COST	۰														513.07

### Table 6.B Estimated resource use and costs for field operations, per acre Corn, Stine 9803VT3, Furrow Irrigated, Silt Loam Lonoke Co., University of Arkansas, 2008.

### Table 7 Estimated costs per acre Corn, Pioneer 33M57, Furrow Irrigated, Silt Loam Monroe Co.,University of Arkansas, 2008.

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lb Lb Lb At	0.40 0.24 0.35	100.0000 150.0000			
lb lb qt	0.24 0.35	150.0000	40.00		
lb It	0.35				
qt		375.0000	36.00		
-	7 50		131.25		
-	7 50				
qt	1.00	1.0000	7.50		
	3.00	2.0000	6.00		
acre	10.30	1.0000	10.30		
hous	2.37	34.0000	80.75		
acre	5.50	1.0000	5.50		
acre	6.00	1.0000	6.00		
acre	3.50	1.0000	3.50		
acre	6.50	1.0000	6.50		
ou	0.15	208.1700	31.23		
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nour	945	0 3983	3 76		
IOUL	5.15	0.12//	1.21		
nour	8.19	0.5280	4.34		
nour	8.19	0.0628	0.51		
gal	3.10	4.8523	15.05		
gal	3.10	1.5772	4.89		
Jal	3.10	21.0001	65.10		
acre	4.31	1.0000	4.31		
acre	1.61	1.0000	1.61		
acre	2.19	1.0000	2.19		
ac-in	0.17	21.0000	3.71		
acre	10.48	1.0000	10.48		
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each	2770.44	0.0083	23.09		
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OPERATION/ OPERATING INPUT	SIZE/ UNIT	POWER UNIT SIZE	PERF RATE	TIMES OVER	MTH	DIRECT	FIXED	DIRECT	FIXED	HOURS	COST	AMOUNT		COST	TOTAI COSI
							dol	lars			dollars	-		-dollars-	
D'-1	32'	4140 200	0 0 0 1	1 0 0		2 0 2	0 00	0 55	1 2 2	0.00	0.58				7.78
Disk Harrow Field Cultivate	32'	4WD 300 4WD 300	0.061	1.00	Mar Mar	3.23 2.45	2.09 1.59	0.55 0.31	1.33 1.50	0.06 0.04	0.58				6.29
Land Float	18'x50'	4WD 300 MFWD 225	0.040	1.00	Mar	2.45	2.04	0.12	0.36	0.04	0.44				6.06
Field Cultivate	32'	MFWD 225 MFWD 225	0.071		Mar	1.87	1.33	0.12	1.50	0.07	0.03				5.45
Cstm Ap Grd Fert	acre	MEWD 225	0.040	1.00	Apr	1.0/	1.00	0.51	1.00	0.04	0.44	1.0000	5.50	5.50	5.50
Urea - (46% N)	lb			1.00	Apr							100.0000	0.22	22.00	22.00
Amm Sulfate (21% N												100.0000	0.22	22.00	22.00
DAP 18-46-0	lb											100.0000	0.21	40.00	40.00
Potash (0-0-60)	lb											150.0000	0.40	36.00	36.00
Field Cultivate	32'	MFWD 225	0.046	1.00	Apr	1.87	1.33	0.31	1.50	0.04	0.44	100.0000	0.24	30.00	5.45
Bedder/Roller-Fold.		MFWD 225 MFWD 225	0.040	1.00	Apr	2.49	1.78	0.36	1.09	0.04	0.59				6.31
Plant - Folding	12R-30	2WD 170	0.062	1.00	Apr	1.89	1.29	1.10	2.42	0.00	1.10				7.80
Corn Seed Bt/RR	thous	200 170	0.002	1.00	дрт	1.05	1.29	1.10	2.92	0.12	1.10	34.0000	2.37	80.75	80.75
Cstm Ap Grd. Herb	acre			1.00	Mav							1.0000	6.00	6.00	6.00
Roundup Orig MAX	qt			1.00	nay							1.0000	7.50	7.50	7.50
Atrazine 4L	qt											2.0000	3.00	6.00	6.00
Cstm Ap Grd Fert (b)	-			1.00	May							1.0000	3.50	3.50	3.50
Urea - (46% N) 2	lb			1.00	nay							275.0000	0.35	96.25	96.25
IrrPipe+lay+pickup	acre			1.00	Jun							1.0000	10.30	10.30	10.30
Cstm Ap Air Fert	acre			0.50	Jun							0.5000	6.50	3.25	3.25
Urea - (46% N) 2	lb			0.00	oun							50.0000	0.35	17.50	17.50
Cstm Ap Air Fert	acre			0.50	Jun							0.5000	6.50	3.25	3.25
Urea - (46% N) 2	lb			0.00	oun							50.0000	0.35	17.50	17.50
Harvest	10			1.00	Sep							00.0000	0.00	17.00	11.00
Header - Corn	8R-30	240hp	0.127	1.00	bep	7.08	9.71	1.25	2.14	0.12	1.21				21.39
Cstm Haul Corn	bu	E TOTIP	0.120				5.71	1.00		0.12		208.1700	0.15	31.23	31.23
Dry Corn	bu											208.1700	0.19	39.55	39.55
Furrow Irr.	each			1.00	Jun				23.09			0.0083			23.09
Application 1	ac-in			1.00	Jun			9.83		0.07	0.62	3.0000			10.45
Application 2	ac-in			1.00	Jun			9.83		0.07	0.62	3.0000			10.45
Application 3	ac-in			1.00	Jun			9.83		0.07	0.62	3.0000			10.45
Application 4	ac-in			1.00	Jul			9.83		0.07	0.62	3.0000			10.45
Application 5	ac-in			1.00	Jul			9.83		0.07	0.62	3.0000			10.45
Application 6	ac-in			1.00	Jul			9.83		0.07	0.62	3.0000			10.45
Application 7	ac-in			1.00	Aug			9.83		0.07	0.62	3.0000			10.45
TOTALS						23.74	21.16	73.12	34.93	1.11	9.82			447.08	609.85
INTEREST ON OPERATIN UNALLOCATED LABOR TOTAL SPECIFIED COST															10.48 0.00 620.33

### Table 7.B Estimated resource use and costs for field operations, per acre Corn, Pioneer 33M57, Furrow Irrigated, Silt Loam Monroe Co.,University of Arkansas, 2008.

### Table 8 Estimated costs per acre Corn, Pioneer 33M57, Furrow Irrigated, Silt Loam Poinsett Co.,University of Arkansas, 2008.

ITEM	UNIT	PRICE	QUANTITY	AMOUNT	YOUR FARM
		dollars		dollars	
DIRECT EXPENSES					
GIN/DRY					
Dry Corn	bu	0.19	208.8800	39.69	
FERTILIZERS					
Amm Sulfate (21% N)	lb	0.14	100.0000	14.00	
Urea - (46% N)	lb	0.20	450.0000	90.00	
Phosphate (0-46-0)	lb	0.23	130.0000	29.90	
Potash (0-0-60)	lb	0.15	150.0000	22.50	
Zinc (31%)	lb	0.60	30.0000	18.00	
HERBICIDES					
Roundup Orig MAX	qt	4.63	1.0000	4.63	
Atrazine 4L	qt	3.46	1.5000	5.19	
IRRIGATION SUPPLIES	-1 -				
IrrPipe+lay+pickup	acre	10.30	1.0000	10.30	
CROP SEED	4010	20.00	1.0000	20.00	
Corn Seed Bt/RR	thous	2.37	35.0000	83.13	
CUSTOM HIRE	CIIOUS	2.57	33.0000	03.13	
Cstm Ap Grd Fert	acre	4.50	2.0000	9.00	
Cstm Ap Gid Feit Cstm Ap Air Fert		7.00	1.0000	7.00	
-	acre				
Cstm Haul Corn	bu	0.15	208.8800	31.33	
OPERATOR LABOR	,	0 4 5	0 1 5 7 0	1 40	
Tractors	hour	9.45	0.1578	1.49	
Harvesters	hour	9.45	0.1009	0.95	
Self-Propelled	hour	9.45	0.0117	0.11	
IRRIGATION LABOR	_				
Furrow Irr.	hour	8.19	0.8297	6.82	
HAND LABOR					
Implements	hour	8.19	0.0496	0.41	
Self-Propelled	hour	8.19	0.0058	0.05	
DIESEL FUEL					
Tractors	gal	3.10	2.0653	6.40	
Harvesters	gal	3.10	1.4285	4.43	
Self-Propelled	gal	3.10	0.1209	0.37	
Furrow Irr.	gal	3.10	33.0001	102.30	
REPAIR & MAINTENANCE					
Implements	acre	3.35	1.0000	3.35	
Tractors	acre	0.68	1.0000	0.68	
Harvesters	acre	1.97	1.0000	1.97	
Self-Propelled	acre	0.09	1.0000	0.09	
Furrow Irr.	ac-in	0.17	33.0000	5.83	
INTEREST ON OP. CAP.	acre	7.86	1.0000	7.86	
	4010		1.0000		
TOTAL DIRECT EXPENSES				507.78	
FIXED EXPENSES				00,.,0	
Implements	acre	7.22	1.0000	7.22	
1		4.83	1.0000	4.83	
Tractors	acre				
Harvesters	acre	8.70	1.0000	8.70	
Self-Propelled	acre	0.69	1.0000	0.69	
Furrow Irr.	each	2770.44	0.0000	23.09	
TOTAL FIXED EXPENSES				44.53	
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TOTAL SPECIFIED EXPENSES	5			552.31	

				TMDO		POWER UN	IT COST	EQUIPME	NT COST	ALLOC	LABOR	OPERATING	/DURABL	E INPUT	
OPERATION/ OPERATING INPUT	SIZE/ UNIT	POWER UNIT SIZE	PERF	TIMES OVER	MTH	DIRECT	FIXED	DIRECT	FIXED	HOURS	COST	AMOUNT	PRICE	COST	TOTAL COSI
							dol	lars			dollars			-dollars-	
Disk Harrow	32'	4WD 300	0 061	1.00	Apr	3.23	2.09	0.55	1.33	0.06	0.58				7.78
Cstm Ap Grd Fert	acre	1112 300	0.001	1.00	May	0.20	2.05	0.00	1.00	0.00	0.00	1.0000	4.50	4.50	4.50
Amm Sulfate (21% N					1							100.0000	0.14	14.00	14.00
Urea - (46% N)	lb											110.0000	0.20	22.00	22.00
Phosphate (0-46-0)	lb											130.0000	0.23	29.90	29.90
Potash (0-0-60)	lb											150.0000	0.15	22.50	22.50
Zinc (31%)	lb											30.0000	0.60	18.00	18.00
Bedder/Roller-Fold.	40'(12r38)	MFWD 225	0 046	1.00	May	1.87	1.33	0.30	0.91	0.04	0.44	30.0000	0.00	10.00	4.85
Plant - Twin Row	12R-38	MFWD 225	0.049	1.00	May	1.98	1.41	1.45	3.19	0.09	0.88				8.91
Corn Seed Bt/RR	thous	111 110 220	0.015	1.00	nay	1.90	1.11	1.10	0.10	0.05	0.00	35.0000	2.37	83.13	83.13
Sprayer( 600-825Gal)	ciioub	90'	0 011	1.00	Mav	0.46	0.69			0.01	0.16	33.0000	2.07	00.10	1.31
Roundup Orig MAX	qt	50	0.011	1.00	nay	0.40	0.05			0.01	0.10	1.0000	4.63	4.63	4.63
Atrazine 4L	qt											1.5000	3.46	5.19	5.19
Cstm Ap Grd Fert	acre			1.00	Jun							1.0000	4.50	4.50	4.50
Urea - (46% N)	lb			1.00	oun							240.0000	0.20	48.00	48.00
IrrPipe+lay+pickup	acre			1.00	Jun							1.0000	10.30	10.30	10.30
Cstm Ap Air Fert	acre			1.00	Jun							1.0000	7.00	7.00	7.00
Urea - (46% N)	lb			1.00	oun							100.0000	0.20	20.00	20.00
Harvest	TD			1.00	Sep							100.0000	0.20	20.00	20.00
Header - Corn	8R-38	275hp	0.100	1.00	seb	6.40	8.70	1.05	1.79	0.10	0.95				18.89
Cstm Haul Corn	bu	275112	0.100			0.40	0.70	1.05	1.19	0.10	0.95	208.8800	0.15	31.33	31.33
Dry Corn	bu											208.8800	0.19	39.69	39.69
Furrow Irr.	each			1.00	Jun				23.09			0.0083	0.19	39.09	23.09
					Jun			9.83	23.09	0.07	0 60	3.0000			10.45
Application 1 Application 2	ac-in ac-in			1.00	Jun			9.83		0.07	0.62 0.62	3.0000			10.45
Application 3	ac-in			1.00	Jun			9.03		0.07	0.62	3.0000			10.45
	ac-in			1.00	Jun			9.83		0.07	0.62	3.0000			10.45
Application 4										0.07		3.0000			10.45
Application 5	ac-in			1.00	Jul			9.83			0.62				
Application 6	ac-in			1.00	Jul			9.83		0.07	0.62	3.0000			10.45
Application 7	ac-in			1.00	Jul			9.83		0.07	0.62	3.0000			10.45
Application 8	ac-in			1.00	Jul			9.83		0.07	0.62	3.0000			10.45
Application 9	ac-in			1.00	Jul			9.83		0.07	0.62	3.0000			10.45
Application 10	ac-in			1.00	Aug			9.83		0.07	0.62	3.0000			10.45
Application 11	ac-in			1.00	Aug			9.83		0.07	0.62	3.0000			10.45
TOTALS						13.94	14.22	111.48	30.31	1.15	9.83			364.67	544.45
INTEREST ON OPERATIN	G CAPITAL														7.86
UNALLOCATED LABOR															0.00
TOTAL SPECIFIED COST															552.31

#### Table 8.B Estimated resource use and costs for field operations, per acre Corn, Pioneer 33M57, Furrow Irrigated, Silt Loam Poinsett Co., University of Arkansas, 2008.

### Table 9 Estimated costs per acre Corn, DK 64-78, Furrow Irrigated, Silt Loam Prairie Co., University of Arkansas, 2008.

ITEM	UNIT	PRICE	QUANTITY	AMOUNT	YOUR FARM
		dollars		dollars	
DIRECT EXPENSES					
GIN/DRY					
Dry Corn	bu	0.19	206.3400	39.20	
FERTILIZERS					
Urea (46% N) 1	lb	0.25	125.0000	31.25	
DAP 18-46-0	lb	0.50	150.0000	75.00	
Potash (0-0-60)	lb	0.24	150.0000	36.00	
Zinc (31%)	lb	1.00	30.0000	30.00	
Urea (46% N) 2	lbs	0.27	280.0000	75.60	
Urea (46% N) 3	lbs	0.32	100.0000	32.00	
HERBICIDES					
Gramoxone Max	pt	4.92	2.5000	12.32	
Roundup Orig MAX	qt	9.00	2.0000	18.00	
Atrazine 4L	qt	4.50	1.0000	4.50	
Callisto	ΟZ	4.43	3.0000	13.29	
IRRIGATION SUPPLIES					
IrrPipe+lay+pickup CROP SEED	acre	10.30	1.0000	10.30	
Corn Seed Bt/RR	thous	2.37	34.0000	80.75	
Corn - Replant	thous	0.59	35.5000	21.08	
CUSTOM HIRE					
Cstm Ap Air Herb	acre	6.75	1.0000	6.75	
Cstm Ap Grd Fert	acre	5.25	2.0000	10.50	
Cstm Ap Grd. Herb	acre	5.25	2.0000	10.50	
Cstm Ap Air Fert	acre	7.35	1.0000	7.35	
Cstm Haul Corn	bu	0.15	206.3400	30.95	
OPERATOR LABOR					
Tractors	hour	9.45	0.5772	5.44	
Harvesters	hour	9.45	0.1277	1.21	
IRRIGATION LABOR	110 0 2	5.10	0.12.77	1.01	
Furrow Irr.	hour	8.19	0.7542	6.20	
HAND LABOR	nour	0.15	0.7542	0.20	
	hour	8.19	0.1885	1.54	
Implements	nour	0.19	0.1003	1.54	
DIESEL FUEL	1	2 1 0	F 0200	10 00	
Tractors	gal	3.10	5.8300	18.09	
Harvesters	gal	3.10	1.5772	4.89	
Furrow Irr.	gal	3.10	30.0001	93.00	
REPAIR & MAINTENANCE					
Implements	acre	4.93	1.0000	4.93	
Tractors	acre	2.20	1.0000	2.20	
Harvesters	acre	2.19	1.0000	2.19	
Furrow Irr.	ac-in	0.17	30.0000	5.30	
INTEREST ON OP. CAP.	acre	14.84	1.0000	14.84	
TOTAL DIRECT EXPENSES				705.17	
FIXED EXPENSES					
Implements	acre	13.31	1.0000	13.31	
Tractors	acre	15.57	1.0000	15.57	
Harvesters	acre	9.71	1.0000	9.71	
Furrow Irr.	each	2770.44	0.0000	23.09	
	Cucii	2770.77	0.0000		
TOTAL FIXED EXPENSES				61.68	
TOTAL SPECIFIED EXPENSE:	5			766.85	

### Table 9.B Estimated resource use and costs for field operations, per acre Corn, DK 64-78, Furrow Irrigated, Silt Loam

Prairie Co., University of Arkansas, 2008.

OPERATION/	SIZE/	POWER UNIT	PERF	TIMES		POWER UN		EQUIPME	NT COST		LABOR	OPERATING			TOTA
OPERATING INPUT	UNIT	SIZE	RATE	OVER	MTH	DIRECT	FIXED	DIRECT	FIXED	HOURS	COST	AMOUNT	PRICE	COST	COS
							dol	lars			dollars	_		-dollars-	
Cstm Ap Air Herb	acre			1.00	Mar							1.0000	6.75	6.75	6.7
Gramoxone Max	pt											2.5000	4.92	12.32	12.3
Disk Harrow	28'	MFWD 225	0.070	1.00	Mar	2.80	2.00	0.57	1.38	0.07	0.66				7.4
Field Cultivate	32'	MFWD 225	0.046	2.00	Mar	3.72	2.66	0.62	2.99	0.09	0.88				10.8
Cstm Ap Grd Fert	acre			1.00	Mar							1.0000	5.25	5.25	5.2
Urea (46% N) 1	lb											125.0000	0.25	31.25	31.2
DAP 18-46-0	lb											150.0000	0.50	75.00	75.0
Potash (0-0-60)	lb											150.0000	0.24	36.00	36.0
Zinc (31%)	lb											30.0000	1.00	30.00	30.0
Bedder/Roller-Fold.	21'	MFWD 190	0.089	1.00	Mar	3.05	2.39	0.30	0.91	0.08	0.84				7.4
Plant - Rigid	8R-30	MFWD 170	0.094	1.00	Mar	2.90	2.40	0.79	1.74	0.18	1.66				9.4
Corn Seed Bt/RR	thous											34.0000	2.37	80.75	80.
Field Cultivate	32'	MFWD 225	0.046	1.00	Apr	1.87	1.33	0.31	1.50	0.04	0.44				5.4
Bedder/Roller-Fold.	21'	MFWD 190	0.089	1.00	Apr	3.05	2.39	0.30	0.91	0.08	0.84				7.4
Plant - Rigid	8R-30	MFWD 170	0.094		Apr	2.90	2.40	0.79	1.74	0.18	1.66				9.4
Corn - Replant	thous				1							35.5000	0.59	21.08	21.0
Cstm Ap Grd. Herb	acre			1.00	Mav							1.0000	5.25	5.25	5.2
Roundup Orig MAX	qt			1.00	nay							1.0000	9.00	9.00	9.1
Atrazine 4L	qt											1.0000	4.50	4.50	4.
Cstm Ap Grd Fert	acre			1.00	Matz							1.0000	5.25	5.25	 5.
Urea (46% N) 2	lbs			1.00	мау							280.0000	0.27	75.60	75.
	acre			1 0 0	More							1.0000	5.25	5.25	,J. 5.
Cstm Ap Grd. Herb Roundup Orig MAX				1.00	May							1.0000	9.00	9.00	э. 9.
	qt														
Callisto	ΟZ			1 00	Mass							3.0000	4.43	13.29	13.
IrrPipe+lay+pickup	acre			1.00	-							1.0000	10.30	10.30	10.
Cstm Ap Air Fert	acre			1.00	Jun							1.0000	7.35	7.35	7.
Urea (46% N) 3	lbs			1 0 0	~							100.0000	0.32	32.00	32.
larvest		0.4.03		1.00	Sep	=	0 54	4 95							
Header - Corn	8R-30	240hp	0.127			7.08	9.71	1.25	2.14	0.12	1.21				21.
Cstm Haul Corn	bu											206.3400	0.15	30.95	30.
Dry Corn	bu											206.3400	0.19	39.20	39.
furrow Irr.	each			1.00	May				23.09			0.0083			23.
Application 1	ac-in			1.00	May			9.83		0.07	0.62	3.0000			10.
Application 2	ac-in			1.00	Jun			9.83		0.07	0.62	3.0000			10.
Application 3	ac-in			1.00	Jun			9.83		0.07	0.62	3.0000			10.
Application 4	ac-in			1.00	Jun			9.83		0.07	0.62	3.0000			10.
Application 5	ac-in			1.00	Jun			9.83		0.07	0.62	3.0000			10.
Application 6	ac-in			1.00	Jul			9.83		0.07	0.62	3.0000			10.
Application 7	ac-in			1.00	Jul			9.83		0.07	0.62	3.0000			10.
Application 8	ac-in			1.00	Jul			9.83		0.07	0.62	3.0000			10.
Application 9	ac-in			1.00	Jul			9.83		0.07	0.62	3.0000			10.
Application 10	ac-in			1.00	Aug			9.83		0.07	0.62	3.0000			10.
FOTALS						27.37	25.28	103.23	36.40	1.64	14.39			545.34	752.
INTEREST ON OPERATIN	IG CAPITAL														14.
OTAL SPECIFIED COST	р														766.

### Table 10 Estimated costs per acre Corn, Belle 1646RY, Furrow Irrigated, Silt Loam Pulaski Co., University of Arkansas, 2008.

ITEM	UNIT	PRICE	QUANTITY	AMOUNT	YOUR FARM
		dollars		dollars	
DIRECT EXPENSES					
GIN/DRY					
Dry Corn	bu	0.19	198.0400	37.63	
FERTILIZERS					
Poultry Litter	ton	29.00	2.0000	58.00	
Urea - (46% N)	lb	0.27	585.0000	157.95	
HERBICIDES					
Roundup Orig MAX	qt	7.50	2.0000	15.00	
Atrazine 4L	qt	3.20	2.0000	6.40	
IRRIGATION SUPPLIES					
IrrPipe+lay+pickup	acre	10.30	1.0000	10.30	
CROP SEED					
Corn Seed Bt/RR	thous	2.37	32.0000	76.00	
CUSTOM HIRE					
Cstm Ap Grd Fert (b)	acre	5.75	2.0000	11.50	
Cstm Ap Grd. Herb	acre	4.50	2.0000	9.00	
Cstm Ap Air Fert	acre	6.00	1.0000	6.00	
Cstm Haul Corn	bu	0.15	198.0400	29.71	
OPERATOR LABOR	Du	0.10	100.0100	20.72	
Tractors	hour	9.45	0.2151	2.03	
Harvesters	hour	9.45	0.1277	1.21	
IRRIGATION LABOR	nour	5.45	0.12//	1.21	
Furrow Irr.	hour	8.19	0.4525	3.72	
HAND LABOR	nour	0.19	0.4525	5.72	
	la	0 1 0	0 0017	0.75	
Implements DIESEL FUEL	hour	8.19	0.0917	0.75	
	1	2 1 0	0 0000	7 01	
Tractors	gal	3.10	2.3260	7.21	
Harvesters	gal	3.10	1.5772	4.89	
Furrow Irr.	gal	3.10	18.0001	55.80	
REPAIR & MAINTENANCE					
Implements	acre	3.04	1.0000	3.04	
Tractors	acre	0.85	1.0000	0.85	
Harvesters	acre	2.19	1.0000	2.19	
Furrow Irr.	ac-in		18.0000	3.18	
INTEREST ON OP. CAP.	acre	9.47	1.0000	9.47	. <u></u>
TOTAL DIRECT EXPENSES				511.83	
FIXED EXPENSES					
Implements	acre	6.67	1.0000	6.67	
Tractors	acre	5.97	1.0000	5.97	
Harvesters	acre	9.71	1.0000	9.71	
Furrow Irr.	each	2770.44	0.0083	23.09	
TOTAL FIXED EXPENSES				45.44	
IOLUD LIVED EVLENSES				43.44	
TOTAL SPECIFIED EXPENSES				557.27	

00000000000	a					POWER UN	IT COST	EQUIPME	NT COST	ALLOC	LABOR	OPERATING	G/DURABL		
OPERATION/ OPERATING INPUT	SIZE/ UNIT	POWER UNIT SIZE	PERF RATE	TIMES OVER	MTH	DIRECT	FIXED	DIRECT	FIXED	HOURS	COST	AMOUNT	PRICE	COST	TOTA COS
							dol	lars			dollars	-		-dollars-	
Spin Spreader	5 ton	MFWD 190	0.042	1.00	Apr	1.44	1.13	0.26	0.59	0.08	0.74				4.1
Poultry Litter	ton											2.0000	29.00	58.00	58.0
Cstm Ap Grd Fert (b)	acre			1.00	Apr							1.0000	5.75	5.75	5.7
Urea - (46% N)	lb											185.0000	0.27	49.95	49.9
Subsoiler low-till	8 shank	MFWD 225	0.076	1.00	Apr	3.06	2.18	0.41	1.22	0.07	0.72				7.5
Bedder/Roller-Fold.	40'(12r38)	MFWD 225	0.046	1.00	Apr	1.87	1.33	0.30	0.91	0.04	0.44				4.8
Plant - Folding	12R-38	MFWD 190	0.049	1.00	Apr	1.69	1.33	0.82	1.81	0.09	0.88				6.5
Corn Seed Bt/RR	thous											32.0000	2.37	76.00	76.0
Cstm Ap Grd. Herb	acre			1.00	Apr							1.0000	4.50	4.50	4.5
Roundup Orig MAX	qt				-							1.0000	7.50	7.50	7.5
Atrazine 4L	qt											2.0000	3.20	6.40	6.4
Cstm Ap Grd Fert (b)	acre			1.00	Mav							1.0000	5.75	5.75	5.7
Urea - (46% N)	lb				-							300.0000	0.27	81.00	81.0
Cstm Ap Grd. Herb	acre			1.00	Jun							1.0000	4.50	4.50	4.5
Roundup Orig MAX	qt											1.0000	7.50	7.50	7.5
Cstm Ap Air Fert	acre			1.00	Jun							1.0000	6.00	6.00	6.0
Urea - (46% N)	lb											100.0000	0.27	27.00	27.0
IrrPipe+lay+pickup	acre			1.00	Jun							1.0000	10.30	10.30	10.3
Harvest				1.00	Sep										
Header - Corn	8R-30	240hp	0.127		1	7.08	9.71	1.25	2.14	0.12	1.21				21.3
Cstm Haul Corn	bu	1										198.0400	0.15	29.71	29.7
Dry Corn	bu											198.0400	0.19	37.63	37.6
Furrow Irr.	each			1.00	Jun				23.09			0.0083			23.0
Application 1	ac-in			1.00	Jun			9.83		0.07	0.62	3.0000			10.4
Application 2	ac-in			1.00	Jun			9.83		0.07	0.62	3.0000			10.4
Application 3	ac-in			1.00	Jun			9.83		0.07	0.62	3.0000			10.4
Application 4	ac-in			1.00	Jul			9.83		0.07	0.62	3.0000			10.4
Application 5	ac-in			1.00	Jul			9.83		0.07	0.62	3.0000			10.4
Application 6	ac-in			1.00	Jul			9.83		0.07	0.62	3.0000			10.4
±															
TOTALS						15.14	15.68	62.02	29.76	0.88	7.71			417.49	547.8
INTEREST ON OPERATIN	IG CAPITAL														9.4
UNALLOCATED LABOR															0.0
TOTAL SPECIFIED COST															557.2

#### Table 10.B Estimated resource use and costs for field operations, per acre Corn, Belle 1646RY, Furrow Irrigated, Silt Loam Pulaski Co., University of Arkansas, 2008.

# Appendix B

# Grain Sorghum: Economic Analysis by County

Estimated operating expenses and crop input costs

ITEM	UNIT	PRICE	QUANTITY	AMOUNT	YOUR FARM
		dollars		dollars	
DIRECT EXPENSES					
FERTILIZERS					
Urea - Appl. 1b	lb	0.26	74.0000	19.24	
DAP 18-46-0	lb	0.50	100.0000	50.00	
0-0-60	lb	0.23	200.0000	46.00	
Urea - (46% N)	lb	0.31	200.0000	62.00	
HERBICIDES					
Charger Basic	pt	9.50	1.5000	14.25	
Permit 75	ΟZ	17.00	1.0000	17.00	
Atrazine 4L	pt	1.69	2.4000	4.06	
INSECTICIDES					
Karate Z	ΟZ	2.82	1.8200	5.13	
IRRIGATION SUPPLIES					
IrrPipe+lay+pickup	acre	10.30	1.0000	10.30	
CROP SEED					
Sorghum Hybrid	lb	1.40	8.7000	12.18	
CUSTOM HIRE					
Cstm Ap Air Herb	acre	6.00	2.0000	12.00	
Cstm Ap Air Fert	acre	6.00	1.0000	6.00	
Cstm Ap Air Insect c	acre	6.25	1.0000	6.25	
Cstm Haul Sorghum	bu	0.15	91.6900	13.75	
OPERATOR LABOR					
Tractors	hour	9.45	0.4234	4.00	
Harvesters	hour	9.45	0.1021	0.97	
IRRIGATION LABOR					
Furrow Irr.	hour	8.19	0.3017	2.48	
HAND LABOR					
Implements	hour	8.19	0.1363	1.11	
DIESEL FUEL					
Tractors	gal	3.10	4.1407	12.84	
Harvesters	gal	3.10	1.2617	3.91	
Furrow Irr.	gal	3.10	12.0000	37.20	
REPAIR & MAINTENANCE					
Implements	acre	3.44	1.0000	3.44	
Tractors	acre	1.42	1.0000	1.42	
Harvesters	acre	1.76	1.0000	1.76	
Furrow Irr.	ac-in	0.17	12.0000	2.12	
INTEREST ON OP. CAP.	acre	7.13	1.0000	7.13	
FOTAL DIRECT EXPENSES				356.54	
FIXED EXPENSES					
Implements	acre	8.18	1.0000	8.18	
Tractors	acre	10.14	1.0000	10.14	
Harvesters	acre	7.77	1.0000	7.77	
Furrow Irr.	each	2770.44	0.0083	23.09	
FOTAL FIXED EXPENSES				49.18	
TOTAL SPECIFIED EXPENSES				405.72	

### Table 11 Estimated costs per acre Grain Sorghum, Furrow Irrigated, Ashley co. Research Verification,University of Arkansas, 2008.

Table 11.B Estimated resource use and costs for field operations, per acre Grain Sorghum, Furrow Irrigated, Ashley co.

Research Verification, University of Arkansas, 2008.

00000	a					POWER UN	IT COST	EQUIPMEN	NT COST	ALLOC	LABOR	OPERATING	/DURABL		
OPERATION/ OPERATING INPUT	SIZE/ UNIT	POWER UNIT SIZE	PERF RATE	TIMES OVER	MTH	DIRECT	FIXED	DIRECT	FIXED	HOURS	COST	AMOUNT	PRICE	COST	TOTA: COS
							dol	lars			dollars			-dollars-	
Disk Harrow	28'	2WD 190	0 070	2.00	Mar	4.72	3.36	1.15	2.76	0.14	1.33				13.3
Spin Spreader	5 ton	2WD 190 2WD 190		1.00		1.42	1.01	0.26	0.59	0.08	0.74				4.0
Urea - Appl. 1b	lb	200 190	0.042	1.00	npr	1.12	1.01	0.20	0.00	0.00	0.74	74.0000	0.26	19.24	19.2
DAP 18-46-0	lb											100.0000	0.50	50.00	50.0
0-0-60	lb											200.0000	0.23	46.00	46.0
Row Cond (Harrow)	26'	2WD 190	0.057	1.00	Apr	1.93	1.37	0.14	0.66	0.05	0.54	200.0000	0.25	40.00	4.6
Bedder/Roller-Rigid	21'	2WD 190 2WD 190	0.089	1.00	Apr	3.01	2.14	0.30	0.00	0.08	0.84				7.2
Grain Drill	20'	2WD 190 2WD 190	0.094		Apr	3.18	2.26	1.12	2.45	0.08	1.66				10.6
Sorghum Hybrid	lb	200 190	0.004	1.00	дрт	5.10	2.20	1.12	2.45	0.10	1.00	8.7000	1.40	12.18	12.18
Cstm Ap Air Herb	acre			1.00	Apr							1.0000	6.00	6.00	6.0
Charger Basic	pt			1.00	npr							1.5000	9.50	14.25	14.2
Cstm Ap Air Herb	acre			1.00	Mav							1.0000	6.00	6.00	6.0
Permit 75	oz			1.00	nay							1.0000	17.00	17.00	17.0
Atrazine 4L	pt											2.4000	1.69	4.06	4.0
Cstm Ap Air Fert	acre			1.00	Mav							1.0000	6.00	6.00	6.0
Urea $-$ (46% N)	lb			1.00	nay							200.0000	0.31	62.00	62.0
IrrPipe+lay+pickup	acre			1.00	מווד							1.0000	10.30	10.30	10.3
Cstm Ap Air Insect o				1.00								1.0000	6.25	6.25	6.2
Karate Z	oz			1.00	mug							1.8200	2.82	5.13	5.1
Header Wheat/Sorghum		240hp	0.102	1.00	Sep	5.67	7.77	0.47	0.81	0.10	0.97	1.0200	2.02	0.10	15.6
Cstm Haul Sorghum	bu	2 10112	0.102	1.00	bep	0.07		0.17	0.01	0.10	0.97	91.6900	0.15	13.75	13.7
Furrow Irr.	each			1.00	Jun				23.09			0.0083	0.10	10.00	23.0
Application 1	ac-in			1.00	Jun			9.83	20.00	0.07	0.62	3.0000			10.4
Application 2	ac-in			1.00	Jul			9.83		0.07	0.62	3.0000			10.4
Application 3	ac-in			1.00	Jul			9.83		0.07	0.62	3.0000			10.4
Application 4	ac-in			1.00	Aug			9.83		0.07	0.62	3.0000			10.4
TOTALS						19.93	17.91	42.76	31.27	0.96	8.56			278.16	398.5
INTEREST ON OPERATIN	IG CAPITAL														7.1
UNALLOCATED LABOR															0.00
TOTAL SPECIFIED COST	1														405.72

### Table 12. Estimated costs per acre Grain Sorghum, Lawrence co. Research Verification, University of Arkansas, 2008.

ITEM	UNIT	PRICE	QUANTITY	AMOUNT	YOUR FARM
		dollars		dollars	
DIRECT EXPENSES					
FERTILIZERS					
10-0-40	lb	0.27	300.0000	82.35	
Urea - (46% N)	lb	0.31	275.0000	85.25	
HERBICIDES					
Parallel	pt	5.16	1.0000	5.16	
Atrazine 4L	pt	1.69	2.4000	4.06	
CROP SEED					
Sorghum Hybrid	lb	1.40	6.5000	9.10	
ADJUVANTS					
Crop Oil	pt	1.12	2.0000	2.25	
CUSTOM HIRE					
Cstm Ap Grd Fert (b)	acre	5.75	1.0000	5.75	
Cstm Ap Air Fert	lb	0.06	1.0000	0.06	
Cstm Haul Sorghum	bu	0.15	55.6900	8.35	
OPERATOR LABOR					
Tractors	hour	9.45	0.4184	3.96	
Harvesters	hour	9.45	0.1161	1.10	
HAND LABOR					
Implements	hour	8.19	0.1786	1.45	
DIESEL FUEL					
Tractors	qal	3.10	3.5376	10.97	
Harvesters	gal	3.10	1.4338	4.44	
REPAIR & MAINTENANCE	5=				
Implements	acre	3.10	1.0000	3.10	
Tractors	acre	1.26	1.0000	1.26	
Harvesters	acre	2.00	1.0000	2.00	
INTEREST ON OP. CAP.	acre	4.98	1.0000	4.98	
INTEREST ON OF. CAT.	acre	4.50	1.0000		
TOTAL DIRECT EXPENSES				235.59	
FIXED EXPENSES				200.00	
Implements	acre	6.52	1.0000	6.52	
Tractors	acre	8.95	1.0000	8.95	
Harvesters	acre	8.82	1.0000	8.82	
1141 VC5 CC15	acre	0.02	1.0000	0.02	
TOTAL FIXED EXPENSES				24.29	
TOTAL SPECIFIED EXPENSES				259.88	

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Table 12.B Estimated resource use and costs for field operations, per acre Grain Sorghum, Lawrence co.

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/	/					POWER UN	IT COST	EQUIPMEN	NT COST	ALLOC	LABOR	OPERATING	G/DURABI	E INPUT	
OPERATION/ OPERATING INPUT	SIZE/ UNIT	POWER UNIT SIZE	PERF RATE	TIMES OVER	MTH	DIRECT	FIXED	DIRECT	FIXED	HOURS	COST	AMOUNT	PRICE	COST	TOTAL COST
							dol	lars			dollars			-dollars-	
Disk Harrow	32'	MFWD 190	0.061	2.00	Apr	4.18	3.29	1.10	2.66	0.12	1.16				12.39
Cstm Ap Grd Fert (b)	acre			1.00	Apr							1.0000	5.75	5.75	5.75
10-0-40	lb											300.0000	0.27	82.35	82.35
Cultipacker	20'	MFWD 190	0.074	1.00	Apr	2.54	2.00	0.20	0.32	0.07	0.71				5.77
Plant - Rigid	8R-30	2WD 190	0.094	1.00	Apr	3.18	2.26	0.79	1.74	0.18	1.66				9.63
Sorghum Hybrid	lb											6.5000	1.40	9.10	9.10
Spray (Broadcast)	40'	2WD 105	0.042	1.00	Apr	0.78	0.50	0.11	0.15	0.06	0.57				2.11
Parallel	pt											1.0000	5.16	5.16	5.16
Spin Spreader	5 ton	2WD 105	0.042	1.00	May	0.77	0.40	0.26	0.59	0.08	0.74				2.76
Urea - (46% N)	lb											175.0000	0.31	54.25	54.25
Spray (Broadcast)	40'	2WD 105	0.042	1.00	May	0.78	0.50	0.11	0.15	0.06	0.57				2.11
Atrazine 4L	pt											2.4000	1.69	4.06	4.06
Crop Oil	pt											2.0000	1.12	2.25	2.25
Cstm Ap Air Fert	lb			1.00	Jun							1.0000	0.06	0.06	0.06
Urea - (46% N)	lb											100.0000	0.31	31.00	31.00
Header Wheat/Sorghum	22' Rigid	240hp	0.116	1.00	Aug	6.44	8.82	0.53	0.91	0.11	1.10				17.80
Cstm Haul Sorghum	bu											55.6900	0.15	8.35	8.35
TOTALS						18.67	17.77	3.10	6.52	0.71	6.51			202.33	254.90
INTEREST ON OPERATIN	IG CAPITAL														4.98
UNALLOCATED LABOR															0.00
TOTAL SPECIFIED COST															259.88

ITEM	UNIT	PRICE	QUANTITY	AMOUNT	YOUR H	ARM
		dollars		dollars		
DIRECT EXPENSES						
FERTILIZERS						
Urea, Solid (46%N) b		0.25	35.0000	8.75		
18-46-0	lb	0.38	200.0000	76.00		
Potash (0-0-60)	lb	0.27	160.0000	43.20		
Urea - Appl. 1	lb	0.29	200.0000	58.00		
HERBICIDES		10 77	1 5000	10 10		
Dual II Magnum INSECTICIDES	pt	12.77	1.5000	19.16		
Karate Z	oz	2.82	1.6000	4.51		
IRRIGATION SUPPLIES	02	2.02	1.0000	1.01		
IrrPipe+lay+pickup	acre	10.30	1.0000	10.30		
CROP SEED	uere	10.00	1.0000	10.00		
Sorghum Hybrid	lb	1.40	9.0000	12.60		
CUSTOM HIRE						
Cstm Ap Grd Fert	acre	5.00	1.0000	5.00		
Cstm Ap Grd. Herb	acre	5.00	1.0000	5.00		
Cstm Ap Air Fert (c)	lb	0.07	200.0000	14.70		
Cstm Ap Air Insect b		7.10	1.0000	7.10		
Cstm Haul Sorghum	bu	0.15	109.3100	16.40		
OPERATOR LABOR						
Tractors	hour	9.45	0.2769	2.61		
Harvesters	hour	9.45	0.1021	0.97		
IRRIGATION LABOR						
Furrow Irr.	hour	8.19	0.3017	2.48		
HAND LABOR						
Implements	hour	8.19	0.0942	0.77		
DIESEL FUEL						
Tractors	gal	3.10	3.3972	10.54		
Harvesters	gal	3.10	1.2617	3.91		
Furrow Irr.	gal	3.10	12.0000	37.20		
REPAIR & MAINTENANCE						
Implements	acre	2.18	1.0000	2.18		
Tractors	acre	1.13	1.0000	1.13		
Harvesters	acre	1.76	1.0000	1.76		
Furrow Irr.	ac-in	0.17	12.0000	2.12		
INTEREST ON OP. CAP.	acre	6.36	1.0000	6.36		
TOTAL DIRECT EXPENSES				352.75		
FIXED EXPENSES						
Implements	acre	6.45	1.0000	6.45		
Tractors	acre	7.98	1.0000	7.98		
Harvesters	acre	7.77	1.0000	7.77		
Furrow Irr.	each	2770.44	0.0083	23.09		
TOTAL FIXED EXPENSES				45.29		
TOTAL SPECIFIED EXPENSES				398.04		

### Table 13. Estimated costs per acre Grain Sorghum, Furrow Irrigated, Prairie co. Research Verification,University of Arkansas, 2008.

### Table 13.B Estimated resource use and costs for field operations, per acre Grain Sorghum, Furrow Irrigated, Prairie co.

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		DOUED INTE	DEDE	THE		POWER UN	IT COST	EQUIPME	NT COST	ALLOC	LABOR	OPERATING	/DURABI	E INPUT	
OPERATION/ OPERATING INPUT	SIZE/ UNIT	POWER UNIT SIZE	PERF TIME RATE OVE	OVER	MTH	DIRECT	FIXED	DIRECT	FIXED	HOURS	COST	AMOUNT	PRICE	COST	TOTAL COST
							dol	lars			dollars			-dollars-	
Field Cultivate	32'	4WD 300	0.046	2.00	Apr	4.92	3.18	0.62	2.99	0.09	0.88				12.5
Cstm Ap Grd Fert	acre			1.00	Mav							1.0000	5.00	5.00	5.0
Urea, Solid (46%N)	b lb				-							35.0000	0.25	8.75	8.7
18-46-0	lb											200.0000	0.38	76.00	76.0
Potash (0-0-60)	lb											160.0000	0.27	43.20	43.2
Bedder/Roller-Rigid	21'	MFWD 225	0.089	1.00	May	3.57	2.54	0.30	0.91	0.08	0.84				8.1
Plant - Rigid	8R-30	2WD 190	0.094	1.00	Mav	3.18	2.26	0.79	1.74	0.18	1.66				9.6
Sorghum Hybrid	lb				- 1							9.0000	1.40	12.60	12.6
Cstm Ap Grd. Herb	acre			1.00	Mav							1.0000	5.00	5.00	5.0
Dual II Magnum	pt				- 1							1.5000	12.77	19.16	19.1
Cstm Ap Air Fert (c)	-			1.00	May							200.0000	0.07	14.70	14.7
Urea - Appl. 1	lb				-							200.0000	0.29	58.00	58.0
IrrPipe+lay+pickup	acre			1.00	Jun							1.0000	10.30	10.30	10.3
Cstm Ap Air Insect b				1.00	Jul							1.0000	7.10	7.10	7.1
Karate Z	οz											1.6000	2.82	4.51	4.5
Header Wheat/Sorghum	25' Rigid	240hp	0.102	1.00	Sep	5.67	7.77	0.47	0.81	0.10	0.97				15.6
Cstm Haul Sorghum	bu	1			1							109.3100	0.15	16.40	16.4
Furrow Irr.	each			1.00	Jun				23.09			0.0083			23.0
Application 1	ac-in			1.00	Jun			9.83		0.07	0.62	3.0000			10.4
Application 2	ac-in			1.00	Jul			9.83		0.07	0.62	3.0000			10.4
Application 3	ac-in			1.00	Jul			9.83		0.07	0.62	3.0000			10.4
Application 4	ac-in			1.00	Aug			9.83		0.07	0.62	3.0000			10.4
TOTALS						17.34	15.75	41.50	29.54	0.77	6.83			280.72	 391.6
INTEREST ON OPERATIN	G CAPITAL														6.3
UNALLOCATED LABOR															0.0
TOTAL SPECIFIED COST															398.0