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Yields, Inputs, and Variable Costs



Volume I

Southeast Region

ABSTRACT

This report contains estimates of variable costs of producing major crops in nine production areas in the Southeast region of the United States. Crops include cotton, corn, soybeans, wheat, oats, barley, grain sorghum, peanuts, and tobacco. Budgets show the quantity and value of specific preharvest and harvest inputs, total preharvest costs per acreplanted, and total variable costs per acre planted. Detailed breakdowns of seasonal labor use, crop yields, and rates of fertilization are also included.

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INTRODUCTION

This report is one of a set presenting estimates of variable costs of producing major crops in different regions of the United States. Regions, in addition to the Southeast, include the North Central, Great Plains, South Central, Southwest, and Northwest (fig. 1).

These budgets were developed by the Farm Production Economics Division of the Economic Research Service specifically for use in its Aggregate Production Analysis System (APAS).^{1/} Similar assumptions and methodology were used in estimating the data in all six regions. Consequently, the budgets provide comparable estimates of crop yields and variable production costs both within and among the major crop-producing areas of the United States.

These reports are primarily for the use of other analysts and researchers; the budgets include only variable costs and are not intended to represent total production costs. Input items in the budgets are expressed in both physical and monetary terms. Thus, when appropriate, physical levels, price levels, or both can be adjusted to reflect up-to-date information. The budgets are a key data input to APAS and are adjusted as new information or circumstances require.

Geographic coverage, assumptions, and definitions are detailed in subsequent sections.

^{1/} This system is designed to provide estimates of response in aggregate production and resource use to changes in costs, prices, resource availabilities, and Government programs. For a description and analysis of this system and its organization see: W. Neill Schaller. "A National Model of Agricultural Production Response." Agr. Econ. Res. 20(2), Apr. 1968; and Jerry A. Sharples and W. Neill Schaller. "Predicting Short-Run Aggregate Adjustment to Policy Alternatives." Amer. Jour. Agr. Econ. 50(5), Dec. 1968.

PRODUCTION AREAS AND RESOURCE SITUATIONS

The United States has been divided into seven major production regions for convenience within APAS, with each region being subdivided into specific areas having similar production characteristics (fig. 1). Specific resource situations are also defined in each production area.

The Southeast includes nine production areas, as shown in figure 1, and 19 resource situations. The latter have been differentiated to account for effects of farm size and soil type on production costs. A description of these resource situations by areas follows:

Area	Description	Farm size or soil group		
		1	2	3
A	Southern Piedmont	Small <u>1/</u>	Large <u>2/</u>	
B	Southeastern Coastal Plain	Small	Large	
C	Southern Coastal Plain	Small	Large	
D	Limestone Valley and Sand Mountain	Small	Large	Small
		(Valley)	(Valley)	(Mountain)
E	Clay Hills (Alabama and Tennessee)	Large	Small	Small
		(Soil I)	(Soil II)	(Soil III)
F	Black Prairie (Alabama)	Large		
G	Tennessee Brown Loam	Small	Large	
		(Soil I)	(Soil I)	
		Small	Large	
		(Soil II)	(Soil II)	
H	North Carolina Piedmont	Small		
I	North Carolina Coastal Plain	Small		

1/ Less than 100 acres of cropland.

2/ 100 acres of cropland and over.

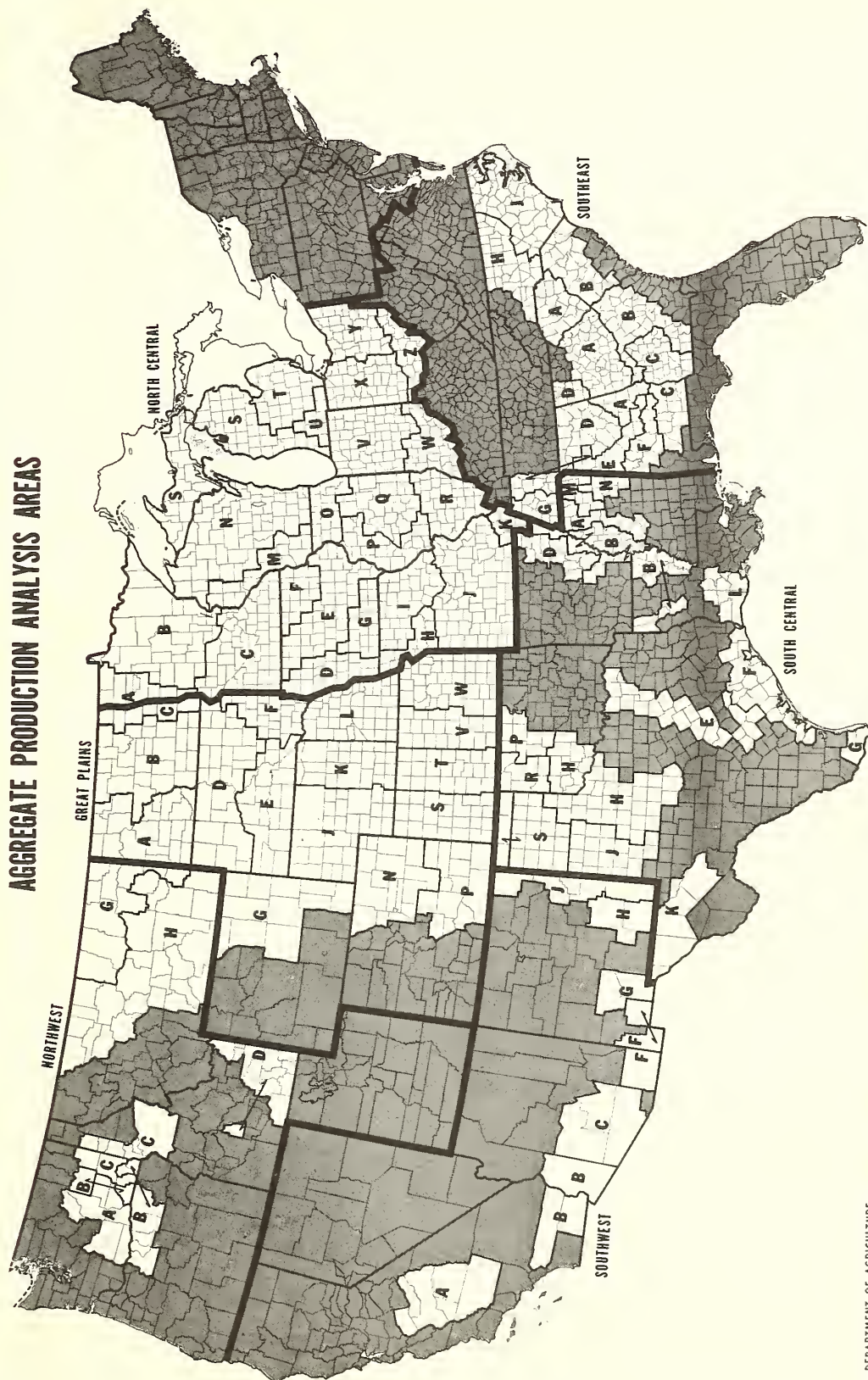
ASSUMPTIONS AND DEFINITIONS

Historical data were used to develop estimates of expected yields and prices of inputs for major crops by production areas.^{2/} The technical coefficients are based largely on data from past regional studies. These coefficients have been updated to 1970 with data from field surveys, experimental tests, and the judgment of agricultural scientists in the region.

Estimates of yields in 1970 are based on historical acreages and production reported by the Statistical Reporting Service, U.S. Department of Agriculture. Estimates of fertilizer rates, pesticide use, crop insurance, and methods of harvesting crops are based on published and unpublished data from the Statistical Reporting Service and the Economic Research Service.

^{2/} From Annual Summaries of Agricultural Prices, and State Summaries of Production, Statis. Rpt. Serv., U.S. Dept. Agr., 1962-69.

AGGREGATE PRODUCTION ANALYSIS AREAS



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Figure 1

Average Costs

Crop budgets reflect mean costs rather than modal or typical costs; that is, estimates relate to mean fertilizer and pesticide practices, average cost experience, etc., for all production in the respective producing areas. Harvesting costs are the weighted average costs of all important harvesting methods used in the respective areas. For example, the small grain budgets show both custom harvesting and harvesting by owned equipment, the share of each depending on the average ratio for the crop in the area.

In many cases, the information shown in the average budgets is sufficient to estimate the underlying typical budget. For example, the cost of harvesting wheat with an owned combine may be estimated by expanding the labor and equipment costs to cover the custom combined portion currently shown in the budget.

Labor

The budgets include two categories of labor. Regular labor is defined as operator labor and regular hired labor of full-time wage workers. A charge of \$1.25 per hour was made for all regular labor. Seasonal labor, the second category, is defined as unskilled labor hired on a short-term basis and paid by the hour or day. Labor paid on a piece-rate basis such as handpicking of cotton is excluded from the labor totals shown in the budgets. Labor used as part of a custom operation also is excluded from total labor for each crop.

Power and Equipment

It is assumed that two-row equipment is used on small farms, and a combination of two-row and four-row equipment on large farms. Tractor and equipment costs include fuel, lubricants, and repairs.

Custom services are assumed for harvesting crops on small farms, and owned equipment on large farms.

Cotton harvest costs reflect a composite of machine harvest and handpicking. The proportion harvested by each method is indicated in the budgets.

Interest Charge

Interest on operating capital was charged at 7 percent for the time borrowed money was actually used. This charge was made on all preharvest costs except the cost of operator and regular hired labor.

Input Prices and Crop Yields

Input prices and crop yields reflect projected 1970 levels, assuming normal weather conditions and average technology, and should not be interpreted as recommendations or as predictions of expected prices or yields at any future time.

ENTERPRISE BUDGETS

Enterprise budgets are shown for cotton, corn, soybeans, wheat, oats, barley, grain sorghum, peanuts, and tobacco. These budgets indicate the quantity and value of specific preharvest and harvest inputs, total preharvest costs per acre planted, harvesting costs per acre harvested and per acre planted, and total variable costs per acre planted. Detailed breakdowns of seasonal labor use, crop yields, and rates of fertilization are also included.

Production and Costs Summarized

Summaries of individual crop budgets, presented in tables 1-7, provide comparisons of interarea cost differences as well as cost differences among crops within areas. These tables show estimates of yield per acre planted and per acre harvested, and total variable cost per acre planted and per unit of production (pound or bushel) for each crop and for each resource situation specified.

Cotton

Tables 8-19 present cotton budgets and related information for the various resource situations defined in the Southeast region. Budgets are included for solid planted cotton in all areas in the region, and for skip-row cotton in the Southern Coastal Plain (area C) and the Limestone Valley (area D). Skip-row planted cotton is more important in areas C and D than in other areas of the region. The cotton yields shown at the end of each budget represent net pounds of lint per acre.

Corn

Budgets showing corn harvested for grain in each area and resource situation are presented in tables 20-29.

Soybeans

Tables 30-41 contain budgets for soybeans. These budgets cover all production areas and all resource situations except the Sand Mountain small farm situation (area D) and the Soil III situation in the Clay Hills (area E) where soybean production is of no consequence.

Wheat and Oats

Wheat budgets are shown in tables 42-48, and oats harvested for grain in tables 49-57. Wheat budgets are included for all areas except the Clay Hills (area E) and two resource situations in the Limestone Valley (area D). All resource situations are included in the oats budgets except one in the Clay Hills and two in the Limestone Valley.

Other Crops

Other crop budgets include barley (tables 58-60) in the Southern Piedmont (area A), Southeastern Coastal Plain (area B), and the North Carolina Piedmont (area H) and Coastal Plain (area J); grain sorghum (table 61) in area H in North Carolina; peanuts (tables 62-64) in the Southeastern Coastal Plain (area B), the Southern Coastal Plain (area C), and the North Carolina Coastal Plain (area J); and tobacco (tables 65-66) in areas B, H, and J.

Table 1.--Summary of production and variable costs for cotton, Southeast Region

Area and resource situation	Yield		Total variable cost	
	Per planted	Per harvested	Per planted	Per pound a/
	acre	acre	acre	
	Pounds	Pounds	Dollars	Dollars
Area A-Southern Piedmont				
Small farm.....	371	386	104.02	0.248
Large farm.....	430	448	101.07	.202
Area B-Southeastern Coastal Plain				
Small farm.....	405	422	116.99	.256
Large farm.....	489	509	111.72	.196
Area C-Southern Coastal Plain				
Solid planting pattern:				
Small farm.....	418	435	113.91	.240
Large farm.....	459	478	99.48	.184
Plant-two-rows, skip-two rows pattern:				
Small farm.....	577	601	146.09	.221
Large farm.....	632	658	126.31	.167
Area D-Limestone Valley and Sand Mountain				
Solid planting pattern:				
Small farm (Valley).....	468	477	112.22	.207
Large farm (Valley).....	563	574	101.62	.148
Small farm (Sand Mountain).....	497	508	117.03	.203
Plant-two-row, skip-two-row pattern:				
Small farm (Valley).....	613	626	138.12	.193
Large farm (Valley).....	708	723	109.16	.122
Area E-Clay Hills				
Large farm (Soil I).....	555	584	101.07	.162
Small farm (Soil II).....	491	516	121.96	.216
Small farm (Soil III).....	427	449	115.97	.239
Area F-Black Prairie				
Large farm.....	423	432	97.27	.198
Area G-Tennessee Brown Loam				
Small farm (Soil I).....	563	592	130.11	.197
Small farm (Soil II).....	479	504	121.04	.218
Large farm (Soil I).....	639	673	107.28	.134
Large farm (Soil II).....	556	585	103.48	.152
Area H-North Carolina Piedmont				
Small farm.....	351	370	99.36	.250
Area J-North Carolina Coastal Plain				
Small farm.....	360	379	98.53	.241

a/ Total variable cost minus value of cottonseed divided by net pounds of lint cotton per planted acre.

Table 2.--Summary of production and variable costs for corn, Southeast Region

Area and resource situation	Yield		Total variable cost	
	Per planted	Per harvested	Per planted	Per bushel
	acre	acre	acre	
	<u>Bushels</u>	<u>Bushels</u>	<u>Dollars</u>	<u>Dollars</u>
Area A-Southern Piedmont				
Small farm.....	41.6	42.5	40.94	0.98
Large farm.....	41.6	42.5	32.21	.77
Area B-Southeastern Coastal Plain				
Small farm.....	56.0	59.0	46.41	.83
Large farm.....	56.0	59.0	37.81	.68
Area C-Southern Coastal Plain				
Small farm.....	51.0	52.0	40.33	.79
Large farm.....	51.0	52.0	33.52	.66
Area D-Limestone Valley and Sand Mountain				
Small farm (Valley)	46.1	47.5	39.62	.86
Large farm (Valley)	46.1	47.5	33.84	.73
Small farm (Sand Mountain).....	46.1	47.5	39.49	.86
Area E-Clay Hills				
Large farm (Soil I)	55.0	55.0	37.67	.68
Small farm (Soil II).....	68.8	68.8	47.62	.69
Small farm (Soil III)	45.8	45.8	43.90	.96
Area F-Black Prarie				
Large farm.....	39.2	40.0	35.89	.92
Area G-Tennessee Brown Loam				
Small farm (Soil I)	68.0	68.0	47.62	.70
Small farm (Soil II).....	50.0	50.0	43.90	.88
Large farm (Soil I)	68.0	68.0	39.34	.58
Large farm (Soil II).....	50.0	50.0	36.10	.72
Area H-North Carolina Piedmont				
Small farm.....	54.0	60.0	42.50	.79
Area J-North Carolina Coastal Plain				
Small farm.....	63.0	70.0	47.00	.75

Table 3.--Summary of production and variable costs for soybeans, Southeast Region

Area and resource situation	Yield		Total variable cost	
	Per planted	Per harvested	Per planted	Per bushel
	acre	acre	acre	
	<u>Bushels</u>	<u>Bushels</u>	<u>Dollars</u>	<u>Dollars</u>
Area A-Southern Piedmont				
Small farm.....	25.0	26.3	30.22	1.21
Large farm.....	25.0	26.3	24.70	.99
Soybeans following small grain				
Small farm.....	18.8	19.8	26.84	1.43
Large farm.....	18.8	19.8	21.34	1.14
Area B-Southeastern Coastal Plain				
Small farm.....	25.0	26.3	33.86	1.35
Large farm.....	25.0	26.3	27.60	1.10
Soybeans following small grain				
Small farm.....	19.9	20.9	29.45	1.48
Large farm.....	19.9	20.9	23.49	1.18
Area C-Southern Coastal Plain				
Small farm.....	27.0	27.5	36.86	1.37
Large farm.....	27.0	27.5	30.23	1.12
Soybeans following small grain				
Small farm.....	22.4	22.9	32.08	1.43
Large farm.....	22.4	22.9	26.00	1.16
Area D-Limestone Valley and Sand Mountain				
Small farm (Valley)	30.1	31.0	37.19	1.24
Large farm (Valley)	30.1	31.0	32.13	1.07
Area E-Clay Hills				
Large farm (Soil I).....	27.0	27.0	25.32	.94
Small farm (Soil II)	32.0	32.0	37.71	1.18
Area F-Black Prarie				
Large farm	27.4	28.5	30.21	1.10
Area G-Tennessee Brown Loam				
Small farm (Soil I).....	30.0	30.0	37.84	1.26
Small farm (Soil II)	23.0	23.0	35.78	1.56
Large farm (Soil I).....	30.0	30.0	27.06	.90
Large farm (Soil II)	23.0	23.0	25.70	1.12
Area H-North Carolina Piedmont				
Small farm	22.8	24.0	34.66	1.52
Area J-North Carolina Coastal Plain				
Small farm	23.5	24.7	36.60	1.56

Table 4.--Summary of production and variable costs for wheat, Southeast Region

Area and resource situation	Yield		Total variable cost	
	Per planted	Per harvested	Per planted	Per
	acre	acre	acre	bushel
	<u>Bushels</u>	<u>Bushels</u>	<u>Dollars</u>	<u>Dollars</u>
Area A-Southern Piedmont				
Small farm.....	28.5	30.0	34.27	1.20
Large farm.....	28.5	30.0	29.36	1.03
Area B-Southeastern Coastal Plain				
Small farm.....	31.8	33.5	37.42	1.18
Large farm.....	31.8	33.5	32.52	1.02
Area C-Southern Coastal Plain				
Small farm.....	33.3	35.0	36.32	1.09
Large farm.....	33.3	35.0	31.12	.93
Area D-Limestone Valley				
Large farm (Valley)	31.0	32.0	33.15	1.07
Area G-Tennessee Brown Loam				
Small farm (Soil I)	34.2	38.0	37.84	1.11
Small farm (Soil II).....	31.5	35.0	35.48	1.13
Large farm (Soil I)	34.2	38.0	28.54	.83
Large farm (Soil II).....	31.5	35.0	26.86	.85
Area H-North Carolina Piedmont				
Small farm.....	43.5	50.0	36.40	.84
Area J-North Carolina Coastal Plain				
Small farm.....	43.5	50.0	36.56	.84

Table 5.--Summary of production and variable costs for oats, Southeast Region

Area and resource situation	Yield		Total variable cost	
	Per planted	Per harvested	Per planted	Per bushel
	acre	acre	acre	
	<u>Bushels</u>	<u>Bushels</u>	<u>Dollars</u>	<u>Dollars</u>
Area A-Southern Piedmont				
Small farm.....	43.5	45.8	29.69	.68
Large farm.....	43.5	45.8	24.79	.57
Area B-Southeastern Coastal Plain				
Small farm.....	40.8	45.3	30.40	.75
Large farm.....	40.8	45.3	26.59	.65
Area C-Southern Coastal Plain				
Small farm.....	46.1	48.5	32.54	.71
Large farm.....	46.1	48.5	27.26	.59
Area D-Limestone Valley				
Large farm(Valley).....	46.1	48.0	28.24	.61
Area E-Clay Hills				
Large farm (Soil I)	49.5	55.0	27.18	.55
Small farm (Soil III)	34.2	38.0	28.83	.84
Area F-Black Prarie				
Large farm.....	38.0	40.0	27.88	.73
Area G-Tennessee Brown Loam				
Small farm (Soil I)	45.0	50.0	35.34	.79
Small farm (Soil II).....	43.2	48.0	33.14	.77
Large farm (Soil I)	49.5	55.0	26.76	.54
Large farm (Soil II).....	44.1	49.0	25.08	.57
Area H-North Carolina Piedmont				
Small farm.....	47.5	50.0	37.05	.78
Area J-North Carolina Coastal Plain				
Small farm.....	54.2	57.0	37.20	.69

Table 6.--Summary of production and variable costs for barley and grain sorghum,
Southeast Region

Area and resource situation	Yield		Total variable cost	
	Per planted	Per harvested	Per planted	Per bushel
	acre	acre	acre	Per bushel
	<u>Bushels</u>	<u>Bushels</u>	<u>Dollars</u>	<u>Dollars</u>
Barley:				
Area A-Southern Piedmont				
Small farm.....	40.1	42.2	32.19	.80
Large farm.....	40.1	42.2	27.29	.68
Area B-Southeastern Coastal Plain				
Small farm.....	37.0	38.9	31.17	.84
Large farm.....	37.0	38.9	26.27	.71
Area H-North Carolina Piedmont				
Small farm.....	44.7	47.0	37.88	.85
Area J-North Carolina Coastal Plain				
Small farm.....	44.7	47.0	38.04	.85
Grain sorghum:				
Area H-North Carolina Piedmont				
Small farm.....	45.0	50.0	32.61	.72

Table 7.--Summary of production and variable costs for peanuts and tobacco,
Southeast Region

Area and resource situation	Yield		Total variable cost	
	Per planted	Per harvested	Per planted	Per pound
	acre	acre	acre	
	<u>Pounds</u>	<u>Pounds</u>	<u>Dollars</u>	<u>Dollars</u>
<u>Peanuts</u>				
Area B-Southeastern Coastal Plain				
Small farm.....	1,862	1,960	100.00	0.054
Large farm.....	1,862	1,960	85.50	.046
Area C-Southern Coastal Plain				
Small farm.....	1,824	1,920	95.06	.052
Large farm.....	1,824	1,920	83.45	.046
Area J-North Carolina Coastal Plain				
Small farm.....	2,328	2,400	127.91	.055
<u>Tobacco</u>				
Area B-Southeastern Coastal Plain				
Small and large farm.....	1,800	1,800	738.60	.410
Area H-North Carolina Piedmont				
Small farm.....	1,880	1,880	648.42	.345
Area J-North Carolina Coastal Plain				
Small farm.....	2,000	2,000	716.57	.358

Table 8.--Cotton: Estimated inputs and variable costs per planted acre, selected resource situations, Southern Piedmont Area (A)

Category	Unit	Price	Small farm		Large farm	
			Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
			Dollars			
Preharvest costs:						
Labor:						
Regular.....	Hour	1.25	5.99	7.49	4.17	5.21
Seasonal	do.	1.00	6.75	6.75	4.90	4.90
Seed:						
Cottonseed, 75 percent acid delinted						
25 percent machine delinted	Pound	.14	20.63	2.89	20.63	2.89
Fertilizer and lime:						
Mixed fertilizer	Cwt.	---	5.00	11.25	6.00	13.40
Nitrogen fertilizer.....	do.	3.60	1.25	4.50	1.80	6.48
Lime, ground	Ton	7.75	.167	1.29	.167	1.29
Power and equipment:						
Tractor (2-R) fuel, lubricant, and repair.....	Hour	1.08	5.99	6.47	.85	.92
Tractor (4-R) fuel, lubricant, and repair.....	do.	1.82	---	---	2.34	4.26
Equipment, repair and lubricant	do.	---	---	1.77	---	2.37
Truck, fuel, lubricant, and repairs	do.	---	.40	.36	.40	.46
Insecticides:						
Materials, various	Acre	---	1.00	11.48	1.00	14.37
Aerial application, 2 times, custom.....	do.	1.50	1.00	1.50	1.00	1.50
Herbicides:						
Preemerge application.....	do.	---	1.00	4.20	1.60	6.06
Postemerge application	do.	---	.20	.35	1.50	2.61
Interest on operating expenses,						
8 months at 7 percent.....	Dollar	.07	52.81	2.47	61.51	2.87
Total preharvest	Acre	---	1.0	62.77	1.0	69.59

Labor required per acre (hours)

Resource situation	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Dec.	Total	Regular	Seasonal
Small farm	1.03	2.18	1.72	5.11	1.20	.60	.26	.26	.90	13.26	6.51	6.75
Large farm	.78	1.54	1.70	3.60	.56	.28	1.63	1.32	.61	12.02	5.45	6.57

--Continued

Table 8.--Cotton: Estimated inputs and variable costs per planted acre, selected resource situations, Southern Piedmont Area--Continued

Category	Unit	Price	Small farm		Large farm	
			Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
			Dollars			
Harvest costs per harvested acre:						
Labor:						
Regular.....	Hour	1.25	.52	0.65	1.28	1.60
Seasonal	do.	1.00	---	---	1.67	1.67
Pick cotton.....	Cwt.	2.85	2.64	7.52	1.23	3.51
Power and equipment:						
2-R self-propelled picker, fuel, lubricant, and repair	Hour	5.73	---	---	1.13	6.47
Truck fuel, lubricant, and repair	do.	---	.85	.76	.66	.77
Trailer repairs and lubricant	do.	---	.54	.05	.54	.08
Custom hire:						
Apply defoliant, aerial	Acre	1.50	.75	1.12	.90	1.35
Cottonpicker	Cwt.	6.00	3.02	18.12	---	---
Defoliant.....	Gallon	8.75	.19	1.66	.225	1.97
Other expenses:						
Ginning and wrapping	Cwt.	2.96	4.02	11.90	4.67	13.82
Warehouse costs and commission fee	do.	---	4.02	1.64	4.67	1.90
Total harvest cost per harvested acre (95 percent harvested).....	Acre	---	1.0	43.42	1.0	33.14
Total harvest cost per planted acre.....	do.	---	1.0	41.25	1.0	31.48
Total variable cost per planted acre	do.	---	1.0	104.02	1.0	101.07
Additional information:						
Resource situation	Lint cotton per acre		Fertilizer (lbs. per acre)			
	Planted	Harvested	Machine harvest	N	P ₂ O ₅	K ₂ O
Small farm	371 pounds	386 pounds	75 percent	78	57	63
Large farm	430 pounds	448 pounds	90 percent	92	64	74

Table 9.--Cotton: Estimated inputs and variable costs per planted acre, selected resource situations, Southeastern Coastal Plain Area (B)

Category	Unit	Small farm			Large farm								
		Quantity	Value	Dollars	Quantity	Value	Dollars						
<u>Dollars</u>													
Preharvest costs:													
Labor:													
Regular.....	Hour	7.08	1.25	8.85	4.91	6.14							
Seasonal	do.	6.92	1.00	6.92	5.36	5.36							
Seed:													
Cottonseed, 75 percent acid delinted, 25 percent machine delinted.....	Pound	20.63	.14	2.89	20.63	2.89							
Fertilizer and lime:													
Mixed fertilizer.....	Cwt.	5.25	2.20	11.55	6.25	13.75							
Nitrogen fertilizer	do.	1.30	3.60	4.68	1.70	6.12							
Lime,ground	Ton	.167	7.75	1.29	.167	1.29							
Power and equipment:													
Tractor (2-R), fuel, lubricant, and repair	Hour	7.08	1.08	7.65	.89	.96							
Tractor (4-R), fuel, lubricant, and repair	do.	---	1.82	---	2.62	4.77							
Equipment repairs and lubricant ...	do.	---	---	1.99	---	3.07							
Truck fuel, lubricant and repairs...	do.	.40	---	.36	.40	.46							
Insecticides:													
Materials, various.....	Acre	1.00	---	15.95	1.00	20.21							
Aerial application (2 times).....	do.	1.00	1.50	1.50	1.00	1.50							
Herbicides:													
Preemerge application	do.	1.00	---	4.70	1.00	6.06							
Postemerge application.....	do.	1.00	---	.35	1.00	2.61							
Interest on operating expenses, 8 months at 7 percent	Dollar	59.83	.07	2.79	69.05	3.22							
Total preharvest.....	Acre	---	---	71.47	---	78.41							
Labor required per acre (hours)													
Resource situation		Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Total	Regular	Seasonal
Small farm		1.62	2.18	2.18	4.72	1.20	1.20	.47	.37	.90	14.84	7.92	6.92
Large farm		1.14	1.54	1.70	3.60	1.12	.56	1.85	.79	.61	12.91	5.96	6.95

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Table 9.--Cotton: Estimated inputs and variable costs per planted acre, selected resource situations, Southeastern Coastal Plain Area (B)--Continued

Category	Unit	Price	Small farm		Large farm	
			Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
			Dollars			
Harvest cost per harvested acre:						
Labor:						
Regular.....	Hour	1.25	.84	1.05	1.05	1.31
Seasonal	do.	1.00	--	--	1.59	1.59
Picking cotton	Cwt.	2.85	2.22	6.33	1.07	3.05
Power and equipment:						
2-R self-propelled cotton picker, fuel, lubricant and repairs	Hour	5.73	---	---	1.05	6.02
Truck, fuel, lubricant, and repairs....	do.	---	.79	.70	.54	.63
Trailer, repairs and lubricant	do.	---	.54	.05	.54	.08
Custom hire:						
Apply defoliant, aerial.....	Acre	1.50	.80	1.20	1.00	1.50
Cotton picker.....	Cwt.	6.00	3.52	21.12	---	---
Defoliant.....	Gallon	8.75	.20	1.75	.25	2.19
Other expenses:						
Ginning and wrapping	Cwt.	3.06	4.40	13.46	5.30	16.22
Warehouse cost and commission fee.....	do.	---	4.40	1.76	5.30	2.11
Total harvest cost per harvested acre, 96 percent harvested	Acre	---	1.0	47.42	1.0	34.70
Total harvest cost per planted acre.....	do.	---	1.0	45.52	1.0	33.31
Total variable cost per planted acre	do.	---	1.0	116.99	1.0	111.72
Additional information						
Resource situation	Lint cotton per acre:		Machine harvest	Fertilizer (lbs. per acre)		
	Planted	Harvested		N	P ₂ O ₅	K ₂ O
Small farm	405 pounds	422 pounds	80 percent	61	55	70
Large farm	489 pounds	509 pounds	92 percent	87	62	85

Table 10.--Cotton: Estimated inputs and variable costs per planted acre, selected resource situations, Southern Coastal Plain Area (C)

Category	Unit	Price	Small farm		Large farm							
			Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value						
			Dollars		Dollars							
Preharvest costs:												
Labor:												
Regular.....	Hour	1.25	6.91	8.64	4.69	5.86						
Seasonal	do.	1.00	7.05	7.05	4.51	4.51						
Seed:												
Cottonseed, 75 percent delinted, 25 percent machine delinted	Pound	.156	20.62	3.22	20.62	3.22						
Fertilizer and lime:												
Mixed fertilizer	Cwt.	2.30	5.50	12.65	6.50	14.95						
Nitrogen fertilizer.....	do.	3.80	1.50	5.70	1.75	6.65						
Lime, ground	Ton	7.75	.167	1.29	.167	1.29						
Power and equipment:												
Tractor (2-R) fuel, lubricant and repairs	Hour	1.08	6.51	7.03	.33	.36						
Tractor (4-R) fuel, lubricant and repairs	do.	1.82	---	---	3.96	7.21						
Equipment, repairs and lubricant....	do.	---	---	1.84	---	1.83						
Truck fuel, lubricant and repair ...	do.	---	.40	.36	.40	.46						
Insecticides:												
Materials, various	Acre	---	---	12.00	---	15.00						
Aerial application, 2 times custom...	do.	.75	2.00	1.50	2.00	1.50						
Herbicides:												
Preemerge application.....	do.	5.65	.80	4.52	1.00	5.65						
Interest on operating expenses, 8 months at 7 percent.....	Dollar	.07	57.16	2.67	62.63	2.92						
Total preharvest	Acre	---	---	68.47	---	71.41						
Labor required per acre (hours)												
Resource situation	Jan.- Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov. Dec.	Total	Regular	Seasonal
Small farm	1.32	1.89	1.49	6.69	1.00	.90	.49	.21	.67	14.66	7.61	7.05
Large farm	1.18	1.21	.91	4.07	.64	.64	.94	.40	.55	10.54	5.33	5.21

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Table 10.--Cotton: Estimated inputs and variable costs per planted acre, selected resource situations, Southern Coastal Plain Area (C)--Continued

Category	Unit	Price	Small farm		Large farm	
			Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
		Dollars		Dollars		Dollars
Harvest costs per harvested acre:						
Labor:						
Regular.....	Hour	1.25	.70	.88	.64	.80
Seasonal	do.	1.00	---	---	.70	.70
Picking cotton	Cwt.	2.85	1.14	3.25	1.26	3.59
Power and equipment:						
2-R, self-propelled cotton picker, fuel, lubricant and repairs	Hour	---	---	---	.64	3.67
Truck, fuel, lubricant and repairs	do.	---	.70	.62	.70	.81
Trailer, lubricant and repairs	do.	---	.70	.07	.70	.10
Custom hire:						
Apply defoliant, aerial.....	Acre	1.50	.90	1.35	.92	1.38
Cotton picker.....	Cwt.	6.00	4.08	24.48	---	---
Defoliant.....	Gallon	8.75	.225	1.97	.23	2.01
Other expenses:						
Ginning and wrapping	Cwt.	2.82	4.53	12.77	4.98	14.04
Warehouse cost and commission fee....	do.	---	4.53	1.94	4.98	2.14
Total harvest cost per harvested acre						
96 percent harvested	Acre	---	1.0	47.33	1.0	29.24
Total harvest cost per planted acre.....	do.	---	1.0	45.44	1.0	28.07
Total variable cost per planted acre	do.	---	1.0	113.91	1.0	99.48
Additional information						
Resource situation	Lint cotton per acre		Fertilizer (lbs. per acre)			
	Planted	Harvested	N	P ₂ O ₅	K ₂ O	
Small farm	418 pounds	435 pounds	78	55	82	
Large farm	459 pounds	478 pounds	90	65	98	

Table 11.--Cotton (plant-two-rows, skip-two-rows planting pattern): Estimated inputs and variable costs per planted acre of cotton, selected resource situations, Southern Coastal Plain Area (C)

Category	Unit	Price	Small farm		Large farm							
			Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value						
			Dollars									
Preharvest costs:												
Labor:												
Regular.....	Hour	1.25	11.00	13.75	9.08	11.35						
Seasonal	do.	1.00	8.67	8.67	6.87	6.87						
Seed:												
Cottonseed, 75 percent acid delinted, 25 percent machine delinted	Pound	.156	20.62	3.22	20.62	3.22						
Fertilizer and lime:												
Mixed fertilizer	Cwt.	2.30	7.75	17.83	8.50	19.55						
Nitrogen fertilizer.....	do.	3.80	1.50	5.70	1.75	6.65						
Lime, ground	Ton	7.75	.167	1.29	.167	1.29						
Power and equipment:												
Tractor (2-R) fuel, lubricant, repairs	Hour	1.08	10.60	11.45	6.59	7.12						
Tractor (4-R) fuel, lubricant, repairs.....	do.	1.82	---	---	2.49	4.53						
Truck, fuel, lubricant, and repairs..	do.	---	.40	.36	.40	.46						
Equipment.....	do.	---	---	3.16	---	3.87						
Insecticides:												
Materials, various	Acre	---	---	12.00	---	15.00						
Herbicides:												
Preemerge application.....	do.	5.65	.80	4.52	1.00	5.65						
Interest on operating expenses, 8 months at 7 percent.....	Dollar	.07	68.20	3.18	74.21	3.47						
Total preharvest	Acre	---	1.0	85.13	1.0	89.03						
Labor required per acre (hours)												
Resource situation	Jan.- Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.- Dec.	Total	Regular	Seasonal
Small farm	2.55	3.58	3.74	5.09	.69	3.08	.40	.30	.94	20.37	11.70	8.67
Large farm	1.78	1.82	2.50	6.20	1.52	1.52	1.51	.65	.61	18.11	10.31	7.80

Table 11.--Cotton (plant-two-rows, skip-two-rows planting pattern): Estimated inputs and variable costs per planted acre of cotton, selected resource situations, Southern Coastal Plain Area (C)--Continued

Category	Unit	Price	Small farm		Large farm	
			Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
			Dollars			
Dollars						
Harvest costs per harvested acre:						
Labor:						
Regular.....	Hour	1.25	.70	.88	1.23	1.54
Seasonal	do.	1.00	---	---	.93	.93
Picking cotton	Cwt.	2.85	1.58	4.50	1.39	3.96
Power and equipment:						
2-R Cotton picker .fuel, lubricant						
and repairs.....	Hour	---	---	---	---	5.63
Truck fuel, lubricant and repairs	do.	---	.70	.62	.70	.81
Tractor, 2-R, fuel, lubricant						
and repairs	do.	1.08	---	---	.27	.29
Trailer lubricant and repairs	do.	---	.70	.07	.70	.10
Custom hire:						
Apply defoliant.....	Acre	1.50	.90	1.35	.90	1.35
Cotton picker.....	Cwt.	6.00	5.63	33.78	---	---
Defoliant.....	Gallon	8.75	.225	1.97	.225	1.97
Other expenses:						
Ginning and wrapping.....	Cwt.	2.82	6.26	17.65	6.85	19.32
Warehouse cost and commission fee.....	do.	---	6.26	2.68	6.85	2.93
Total harvest cost per harvested acre,						
(96 percent harvested)	Acre	---	1.0	63.50	1.0	38.83
Total harvest cost per planted acre.....	do.	---	1.0	60.96	1.0	37.28
Total variable cost per planted acre	do.	---	1.0	146.09	1.0	126.31
Additional information						
Resource situation	Lint cotton per acre		Machine harvest	Fertilizer (lbs. per acre)		
	Planted	Harvested		N	P ₂ O ₅	K ₂ O
Small farm	577 pounds	601 pounds	90 percent	88	78	116
Large farm	632 pounds	658 pounds	92 percent	98	85	128

Table 12.--Cotton: Estimated inputs and variable costs per planted acre, selected resource situations, Limestone Valley Area (D)

Category	Unit	Price	Small farm (Valley)				Large farm (Valley)							
			Quantity		Value	Quantity		Value						
			Dollars		Dollars	Dollars		Dollars						
Preharvest costs:														
Labor:														
Regular.....	Hour	1.25	5.88	7.35	4.29	5.36								
Seasonal.....	do.	1.00	7.05	7.05	4.51	4.51								
Seed:														
Cottonseed, 75 percent acid delinted, 25 percent machine delinted.....	Pound	.169	20.62	3.48	20.62	3.48								
Fertilizer and lime:														
Mixed fertilizer.....	Cwt.	2.30	5.00	11.50	6.00	13.80								
Nitrogen fertilizer.....	do.	3.80	1.50	5.70	1.80	6.84								
Lime, ground.....	Ton	7.75	.167	1.29	.167	1.29								
Power and equipment:														
Tractor (2-R) fuel, lubricant, and repairs.....	Hour	1.08	6.51	7.03	1.88	2.03								
Tractor (4-R) fuel, lubricant, and repairs.....	do.	---	---	---	2.41	4.39								
Equipment, repairs and lubricant	do.	---	---	1.80	---	7.42								
Truck, fuel, lubricant and repairs ..	do.	---	.40	.36	.40	.46								
Insecticides:														
Materials, various.....	Acre	---	1.00	9.60	1.00	9.60								
Herbicides:														
Preemerge application.....	do.	5.65	.75	4.24	1.00	5.65								
Interest on operating expenses, 8 months at 7 percent.....	Dollar	.07	52.05	2.43	59.47	2.78								
Total preharvest.....	Acre	---	1.0	61.83	1.0	67.61								
Labor required per acre (hours)														
Resource situation			Jan.- Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.- Dec.	Total	Regular	Seasonal
Small farm (Valley)			1.09	1.79	1.39	6.19	.90	.90	.35	.35	.67	13.63	6.58	7.05
Large farm (Valley)			.92	1.17	.87	4.03	.60	.60	.85	.97	.45	10.46	5.95	4.51

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Table 12.--Cotton: Estimated inputs and variable costs per planted acre, selected resource situations, Limestone Valley Area (D)--Continued

Category	Unit	Price	Small farm (Valley)		Large farm (Valley)	
			Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
<u>Dollars</u>						
Harvest costs per harvested acre:						<u>Dollars</u>
Labor:						
Regular.....	Hour	1.25	.70	.87	1.66	2.07
Pick cotton	Cwt.	2.85	1.31	3.73	1.26	3.59
Power and equipment:						
2-R self-propelled picker, fuel, lubricant, and repairs	Hour	5.73	---	---	.96	5.50
Truck, fuel, lubricant, and repairs..	do.	---	.70	.62	.70	.81
Trailer, repairs and lubricant	do.	---	.70	.07	.70	.10
Custom hire:						
Apply defoliant, aerial.....	Acre	1.50	.90	1.35	.92	1.38
Cottonpicker	Cwt.	6.00	4.47	26.82	---	---
Defoliant	Gallon	8.75	.225	1.97	.23	2.01
Other expenses:						
Ginning and wrapping	Cwt.	2.79	4.97	13.87	5.98	16.68
Warehouse costs and commission fee...	do.	---	4.97	2.12	5.98	2.56
Total harvest cost per harvested acre (98 percent harvested).....	Acre	---	1.0	51.42	1.0	34.70
Total harvest cost per planted acre	do.	---	1.0	50.39	1.0	34.01
Total variable cost per planted acre	do.	---	1.0	112.22	1.0	101.62
Additional information:						
Resource situation	Lint cotton per acre		Machine harvest	Fertilizer (lbs. per acre)		
	Planted	Harvested		N	P ₂ O ₅	K ₂ O
Small farm (Valley)	468 pounds	477 pounds	90 percent	75	50	75
Large farm (Valley)	563 pounds	574 pounds	92 percent	90	60	90

Table 13.--Cotton: Estimated inputs and variable costs per planted acre, Sand Mountain resource situation, Limestone Valley Area (D)

Category	Unit	Price	Small farm (Sand Mountain)									
			Quantity	Value								
			<u>Dollars</u>									
<u>Preharvest costs:</u>												
<u>Labor:</u>												
Regular.....	Hour	1.25	6.40	8.00								
Seasonal	do.	1.00	6.45	6.45								
<u>Seed:</u>												
Cottonseed, 75 percent acid delinted,												
25 percent machine delinted.....	Pound	.169	20.62	3.48								
<u>Fertilizer and lime:</u>												
Mixed fertilizer	Cwt.	2.35	5.50	12.92								
Nitrogen fertilizer.....	do.	3.80	1.65	6.27								
Lime, ground	Ton	7.75	.167	1.29								
<u>Power and equipment:</u>												
Tractor (2-R) fuel, lubricant,												
and repairs.....	Hour	1.08	6.40	6.91								
Equipment, repairs and lubricant	do.	---	---	1.77								
Truck, fuel, lubricant, and repairs.....	do.	---	.40	.36								
<u>Insecticides:</u>												
Materials, various	Acre	---	1.00	9.60								
<u>Herbicides:</u>												
Preemerge application	do.	5.65	.75	4.24								
Interest on operating expenses,												
8 months at 7 percent.....	Dollar	.07	53.29	2.49								
Total preharvest	Acre	---	1.0	63.78								
<u>Labor required per acre (hours)</u>												
Resource situation	Jan.- Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.- Dec.	Total	Regular	Seasonal
Small farm (S and Mountain)	1.09	1.79	1.39	5.88	.90	.90	.36	.56	.68	13.55	7.10	6.45

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Table 13.--Cotton: Estimated inputs and variable costs per planted acre, Sand Mountain resource situation, Limestone Valley Area (D)--Continued

Category	Unit	Price	Small farm (Sand Mountain)	
			Quantity	Value
<u>Dollars</u>				
Harvest costs per harvested acre:				<u>Dollars</u>
Labor:				
Regular.....	Hour	1.25	.70	.87
Picking cotton.....	do.	2.85	1.36	3.88
Power and equipment:				
Truck, fuel, lubricant and repairs	Hour	.89	.70	.62
Trailer repairs and lubricant	do.	.10	.70	.07
Custom hire:				
Apply defoliant, aerial	Acre	1.50	.90	1.35
Cottonpicker.....	Cwt.	6.00	4.76	28.56
Defoliant.....	Gallon	8.75	.225	1.97
Other expenses:				
Ginning and wrapping	Cwt.	2.79	5.29	14.76
Warehouse cost and commission fee.....	do.	---	5.29	2.26
Total harvest cost per harvested acre (98 percent harvested).....	Acre	---	1.0	54.34
Total harvest cost per planted acre.....	do.	---	1.0	53.25
Total variable cost per planted acre	do.	---	1.0	117.03
Additional information:				
Resource situation	Lint cotton per acre		Machine	Fertilizer (lbs. per acre)
	Planted	Harvested	harvest	N : P ₂ O ₅ : K ₂ O
Small farm (Sand Mountain)	497 pounds	508 pounds	90 percent	83 55 83

Table 14.--Cotton (plant-two-rows, skip-two-rows planting pattern): Estimated inputs and variable costs per planted acre of cotton, selected resource situations, Limestone Valley Area (D)

Category	Unit	Price	Small farm (Valley)		Large farm (Valley)	
			Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
<u>Dollars</u>						
Preharvest costs:						
Labor:						
Regular.....	Hour	1.25	9.57	11.96	5.81	7.26
Seasonal	do.	1.00	7.64	7.64	4.51	4.51
Seed:						
Cotton seed, 75 percent acid delinted, 25 percent machine delinted.....	Pound	.169	20.62	3.48	20.62	3.48
Fertilizer and lime:						
Mixed fertilizer.....	Cwt.	2.35	5.50	12.93	6.60	15.51
Nitrogen fertilizer	do.	3.80	1.50	5.70	1.80	6.84
Lime, ground.....	Ton	7.75	.167	1.29	.167	1.29
Power and equipment:						
2-R tractor, fuel, lubricant and repairs.....	Hour	1.08	9.57	10.34	1.68	1.81
4-R tractor, fuel, lubricant and repairs	do.	1.82	---	---	4.13	7.52
Equipment, lubricant and repairs.....	do.	---	---	2.78	---	2.96
Truck, fuel, lubricant and repairs...	do.	---	.40	.36	.40	.46
Insecticides:						
Materials, various.....	Acre	---	---	9.60	---	9.60
Herbicides:						
Preemerge application	do.	5.65	.75	4.24	1.00	5.65
Interest on operating expenses, 8 months at 7 percent	Dollar	.07	58.36	2.73	59.63	2.78
Total preharvest.....	Acre	---	1.0	73.05	1.0	69.67

Labor required per acre (hours)											
Resource situation	Jan.-Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.-Dec.	Total	Regular : Seasonal
Small farm (Valley)	1.82	2.16	1.79	6.99	1.80	1.14	.90	.56	1.29	18.45	10.54 7.91
Large farm (Valley)	1.54	1.25	1.14	4.30	.60	.60	.85	.97	.73	11.98	6.77 5.21

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Table 14.--Cotton (plant-two-rows, skip-two-rows planting pattern): Estimated inputs and variable costs per planted acre of cotton, selected resource situations, Limestone Valley Area (D)--Continued

Category	Unit	Price	Small farm (Valley)		Large farm (Valley)	
			Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
		Dollars		Dollars		Dollars
Harvest costs per harvested acre:						
Labor:						
Regular	Hour	1.25	.97	1.21	.96	1.20
Seasonal	do.	1.00	.27	.27	.70	.70
Picking cotton	Cwt.	2.85	1.65	4.70	1.53	4.36
Power and equipment:						
2-R cotton picker, fuel, lubricant						
and repairs	Hour	---	---	---	---	5.50
Truck, fuel, lubricant and						
repairs	do.	---	.70	.62	.70	.81
Trailer, repairs and lubricant	do.	---	.70	.07	.70	.10
Custom hire:						
Apply defoliant, aerial	Acre	1.50	.90	1.35	.92	1.38
Cottonpicker	Cwt.	6.00	5.87	35.22	---	---
Defoliant	Gallon	8.75	.225	1.97	.23	2.01
Other expenses:						
Ginning and wrapping	Cwt.	2.79	6.52	18.19	7.53	21.01
Warehouse cost and commission fee..	do.	---	6.52	2.80	7.53	3.23
Total harvest cost per harvested acre,						
(98 percent harvested)	Acre	---	1.0	66.40	1.0	40.30
Total harvest cost per planted acre....	do.	---	1.0	65.07	1.0	39.49
Total variable cost per planted acre	do.	---	1.0	138.12	1.0	109.16
Additional information						
Resource situation	Lint cotton per acre		Machine harvest	Fertilizer (lbs. per acre)		
	Planted	Harvested		N	P	K
Small farm (Valley)	613 pounds	626 pounds	90 percent	78	55	83
Large farm (Valley)	703 pounds	723 pounds	92 percent	93	66	99

Table 15.--Cotton: Estimated inputs and variable costs per planted acre, selected resource situations,
Clay Hills Area (E)

Category	Unit	Price	Large farm (Soil I)		Small farm (Soil II)							
			Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value						
			Dollars									
Preharvest costs:												
Labor:												
Regular.....	Hour	1.25	3.88	4.85	6.59	8.24						
Seasonal	do.	1.00	7.50	7.50	7.50	7.50						
Seed:												
Cottonseed, 10 percent replanted	Pound	.148	24	3.55	24	3.55						
Fertilizer and lime:												
Mixed fertilizer	Cwt.	2.30	5.20	11.96	5.20	11.96						
Nitrogen fertilizer.....	do.	3.86	1.32	5.10	.937	3.62						
Lime, ground	Ton	4.00	.30	1.20	.30	1.20						
Power and equipment:												
Tractor (2-R) fuel, lubricant, and repairs	Hour	1.08	.06	.06	6.59	7.12						
Tractor (4-R) fuel, lubricant, and repairs	do.	1.82	3.00	5.46	---	---						
Equipment, lubricant and repairs	do.	---	---	2.59	---	2.14						
Truck, fuel, lubricant and repairs ..	do.	---	.10	.12	.10	.09						
Insecticides:												
Materials, various	Acre	---	---	10.50	---	10.50						
Aerial application, (2-times, custom)	do.	1.50	2.00	3.00	2.00	3.00						
Herbicides:												
Preemerge, postemerge, and lay-by applications	do.	---	1.00	5.56	1.00	5.56						
Interest on operating expenses	Dollar	.07	56.60	2.64	56.24	2.63						
Total preharvest	Acre	---	1.0	64.09	1.0	67.11						
Labor required per acre (hours)												
Resource situation	Jan.- Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.- Dec.	Total	Regular	Seasonal
Large farm (Soil I)	0.90	.65	.61	1.19	7.70	0	.99	.56	.33	12.93	4.93	8.00
Small farm (Soil II)	1.28	1.05	1.15	2.23	7.93	0	.09	.06	.45	14.24	6.74	7.50

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Table 15.--Cotton: Estimated inputs and variable costs per planted acre, selected resource situations, Clay Hills Area (E)--Continued

Category	Unit	Price	Large farm (Soil I)		Small farm (Soil II)	
			Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
			<u>Dollars</u>		<u>Dollars</u>	
Harvest costs per harvested acre:						
Labor:						
Regular.....	Hour	1.25	1.05	1.31	.15	.19
Seasonal	do.	1.00	.50	.50	---	---
Picking cotton	Cwt.	3.25	2.40	7.80	2.12	6.89
Power and equipment:						
2-R self-propelled cotton picker--						
fuel, lubricant and repairs	Hour	5.73	.90	5.16	---	---
Truck, fuel, lubricant and repairs ..	do.	---	.70	.80	.15	.15
Trailer, lubricant and repairs.....	do.	---	.70	.10	---	---
Custom hire:						
Apply defoliant, aerial.....	Acre	1.50	.85	1.28	.85	1.28
Cotton picker, truck and trailers....	Cwt.	6.47	---	---	4.57	29.57
Defoliant.....	Acre	2.18	.85	1.85	.85	1.85
Other expenses:						
Ginning and wrapping	Cwt.	3.11	6.08	18.91	5.38	16.73
Warehouse charge	do.	.20	6.08	1.22	5.38	1.08
Total harvest cost per harvested acre, (95 percent harvested)	Acre	---	1.0	38.93	1.0	57.74
Total harvest cost per planted acre.....	do.	---	1.0	36.98	1.0	54.85
Total variable cost per planted acre	do.	---	1.0	101.07	1.0	121.96
Additional information						
Resource situation	Lint cotton per acre		Fertilizer (lbs. per acre)			
	Planted	Harvested	Machine harvest	N	P ₂ O ₅	K ₂ O
Large farm (Soil I)	555 pounds	584 pounds	85 percent	75	52	78
Small farm (Soil II)	491 pounds	516 pounds	85 percent	64	52	78

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Table 15.--Cotton: Estimated inputs and variable costs per planted acre, selected resource situations, Clay Hills Area--Continued

Category	Unit	Price	Small farm (Soil III)									
			Quantity	Value	Dollars							
Preharvest costs:												
Labor:												
Regular.....	Hour	1.25	6.48	8.10								
Seasonal	do.	1.00	7.50	7.50								
Seed:												
Cottonseed, 10 percent replanted	Pound	.148	24	3.55								
Fertilizer and lime:												
Mixed fertilizer	Cwt.	5.00	2.30	11.50								
Nitrogen fertilizer.....	do.	1.36	3.70	5.03								
Lime, ground	Ton	4.00	.30	1.20								
Power and equipment:												
Tractor (2-R) fuel, lubricant and repairs..	Hour	1.08	6.48	7.00								
Equipment.....	do.	---	---	2.10								
Truck.....	do.	.89	.10	.09								
Insecticides:												
Materials, various	Acre	---	1.00	10.50								
Aerial application (2-times, custom)	do.	1.50	2.00	3.00								
Herbicides:												
Preemerge, postemerge, and lay-by applications.....	do.	---	1.00	5.56								
Interest on operating expenses, 8 months at 7 percent.....	Dollar	.07	57.03	2.66								
Total preharvest	Acre	---	1.0	67.79								
Labor required per acre (hours)												
Resource situation	Jan.-Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.-Dec.	Total	Regular	Seasonal
Small farm (Soil III)	1.28	1.05	1.15	2.12	7.93	0	.09	.06	.45	14.13	6.63	7.50

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Table 15.--Cotton: Estimated inputs and variable costs per planted acre, selected resource situations,
Clay Hills Area (E)--Continued

Category	Unit	Price	Small farm (Soil III)	
			Quantity	Value
				Dollars
Harvest costs per harvested acre:				
Labor:				
Regular.....	Hour	1.25	.15	.19
Picking cotton	Cwt.	3.25	1.85	6.01
Power and equipment:				
Truck and trailer (fuel, lubricant and repairs).....	Hour	.99	.15	.15
Custom hire:				
Apply defoliant.....	Acre	1.50	.85	1.28
Cotton picker, trucks, trailer	Cwt.	6.47	3.98	25.75
Defoliant.....	Acre	2.18	.85	1.85
Other expenses:				
Ginning and wrapping	Cwt.	3.11	4.68	14.55
Wholesale charge	do.	.20	4.68	.94
Total harvest cost per harvested acre, (95 percent harvested).....	Acre	---	1.0	50.72
Total harvest cost per planted acre.....	do.	---	1.0	48.18
Total variable cost per planted acre	do.	---	1.0	115.97
Additional information				
Resource situation	Lint cotton per acre		Fertilizer (lbs. per acre)	
	Planted	Harvested	N	P ₂ O ₅ K ₂ O
Small farm (Soil III):	427 pounds	449 pounds	70	50 75
			85 percent	

Table 16.--Cotton: Estimated inputs and variable costs per planted acre, Black Prairie Area (F)

Category	Unit	Price	Large farm									
			Quantity	Value								
Dollars												
Preharvest costs:												
Labor:												
Regular.....	Hour	1.25	3.89	4.86								
Seasonal	do.	1.00	5.68	5.68								
Seed:												
Cottonseed, 75 percent acid delinted, 25 percent machine delinted.....	Pound	.17	20.62	3.51								
Fertilizer and lime:												
Mixed fertilizer	Cwt.	2.15	5.50	11.82								
Nitrogen fertilizer.....	do.	3.80	1.40	5.32								
Lime, ground	Ton	.20	7.75	1.55								
Power and equipment:												
Tractor (2-R) fuel, lubricant and repairs..	Hour	1.08	1.64	1.77								
Tractor (4-R) fuel, lubricant and repairs..	do.	1.82	2.35	4.28								
Equipment, lubricant and repairs	do.	---	---	1.78								
Truck, fuel, lubricant and repairs.....	do.	---	.40	.46								
Insecticides:												
Materials, various	Acre	---	1.00	12.00								
Aerial application (2-times, custom)	do.	.75	2.00	1.50								
Herbicides:												
Preemerge application.....	do.	5.65	.80	4.52								
Interest on operating expenses,												
8 months at 7 percent.....	Dollar	.07	54.19	2.53								
Total preharvest	Acre	---	1.0	61.58								
Labor required per acre (hours)												
Resource situation	Jan.-Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.-Dec.	Total	Regular	Seasonal
Large farm	1.26	1.16	.67	5.21	.40	.40	.63	.64	.47	10.84	4.78	6.06

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Table 16.--Cotton: Estimated inputs and variable costs per planted acre, Black Prairie Area (F)--Continued

Category	Unit	Price	Large farm		Value
			Quantity	:	
					Dollars
Harvest costs per harvested acre:					
Labor:					
Regular.....	Hour	1.25	.89		1.11
Seasonal	do.	1.00	.38		.38
Picking cotton	Cwt.	2.85	1.78		5.07
Power and equipment:					
2-R self-propelled cotton picker,					
(fuel, lubricant and repairs)	Hour	5.73	.57		3.27
Trailer, lubricant and repairs	do.	.14	.70		.10
Truck, fuel, lubricant and repairs	do.	1.16	.70		.81
Custom hire:					
Apply defoliant (aerial)	Acre	1.50	.85		1.28
Cotton picker.....	Cwt.	6.00	1.35		8.10
Defoliant.....	Gallon	8.75	.212		1.86
Other expenses:					
Ginning and wrapping	Cwt.	2.78	4.50		12.51
Warehouse costs and commission fee	do.	---	4.50		1.93
Total harvest cost per harvested acre,					
(98 percent harvested).....	Acre	---	1.0		36.42
Total harvest cost per planted acre					
	do.	---	1.0		35.69
Total variable cost per planted acre.....					
	do.	---	1.0		97.27
Additional information:					
Resource situation	Lint cotton per acre		Fertilizer (lbs. per acre)		
	planted	Harvested	N	P ₂ O ₅	K ₂ O
Large farm	423 pounds	432 pounds	69	66	66

Table 17.--Cotton: Estimated inputs and variable costs per planted acre, selected resource situations, Tennessee Brown Loan Area (G)

Category	Unit	Price	Small farm (Soil I)			Small farm (Soil II)						
			Quantity	Value	Dollars	Quantity	Value	Dollars				
			<u>Dollars</u>									
Preharvest costs:												
Labor:												
Regular.....	Hour	1.25	6.21	7.76		6.21	7.76					
Seasonal	do.	1.00	9.00	9.00		9.00	9.00					
Seed:												
Cottonseed, 10 percent replanted ..	Pound	.148	24	3.55		24	3.55					
Fertilizer and lime:												
Mixed fertilizer	Cwt.	2.30	5.50	12.65		5.50	12.65					
Nitrogen fertilizer.....	do.	3.70	1.36	5.03		1.36	5.03					
Lime, ground	Ton	4.00	.30	1.20		.30	1.20					
Power and equipment:												
Tractor (2-R) fuel, lubricant and repairs	Hour	1.08	6.21	6.71		6.21	6.71					
Equipment, lubricant and repairs...	do.	---	---	2.07		---	2.07					
Truck, fuel, lubricant and repairs	do.	.89	.10	.09		.10	.09					
Insecticides:												
Materials, various	Acre	---	1.00	9.00		1.00	9.00					
Aerial application (2-times custom)	do.	1.50	2.00	3.00		2.00	3.00					
Herbicides:												
Preemerge, postemerge and lay-by applications	do.	---	1.00	3.30		1.00	3.30					
Interest on operating expenses,												
8 months at 7 percent	Dollar	.07	55.60	2.60		55.60	2.60					
Total preharvest	Acre	---	1.0	65.96		1.0	65.96					
Labor required per acre (hours)												
Resource situation	Jan.-Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.-Dec.	Total	Regular	Seasonal
Small farm (Soil I)	1.28	1.02	1.06	5.41	6.00	0	.06	.04	.44	15.31	6.31	9.00
Large farm (Soil II)	1.28	1.02	1.06	5.41	6.00	0	.06	.04	.44	15.31	6.31	9.00

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Table 17.--Cotton: Estimated inputs and variable costs per planted acre, selected resource situations,
Tennessee Brown Loam Area (G)--Continued

Category	Unit	Price	Small farm (Soil I)		Small farm (Soil II)	
			Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
			Dollars			
Harvest costs per harvested acre:						
Labor:						
Regular.....	Hour	1.25	.10	.12	.10	.12
Picking cotton	Cwt.	3.25	1.62	5.26	1.38	4.48
Power and equipment:						
Truck and trailer fuel, lubricant and repairs,	Hour	.99	.10	.10	.10	.10
Custom hire:						
Apply defoliant, aerial.....	Acre	1.50	.90	1.35	.90	1.35
Cotton picker, truck, trailer.....	Cwt.	6.47	5.55	35.91	4.72	30.54
Defoliant.....	Acre	2.18	.90	1.96	.90	1.96
Other expenses:						
Ginning and wrapping	Cwt.	3.48	6.17	21.47	5.25	18.27
Warehouse charge.....	do.	.22	6.17	1.36	5.25	1.16
Total harvest cost per harvested acre, (95 percent harvested)	Acre	---	1.0	67.53	1.0	57.98
Total harvest cost per planted acre.....	do.	---	1.0	64.15	1.0	55.08
Total variable cost per planted acre	do.	---	1.0	130.11	1.0	121.04
Additional information:						
Resource situation	Lint cotton per acre		Machine harvest	Fertilizer (lbs. per acre)		
	Planted	Harvested		N	P ₂ O ₅	K ₂ O
Small farm (Soil I)	563 pounds	592 pounds	90 percent	72	55	82
Small farm (Soil II)	479 pounds	504 pounds	90 percent	72	55	82

Table 18.--Cotton: Estimated inputs and variable costs per planted acre, selected resource situations, Tennessee Brown Loam Area (G)

Category	Unit	Price	Large farm (Soil I)		Large farm (Soil II)							
			Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value						
			Dollars									
Preharvest costs:												
Labor:												
Regular.....	Hour	1.25	4.52	5.65	4.57	5.71						
Seasonal	do.	1.00	2.70	2.70	2.70	2.70						
Seed:												
Cottonseed, 10 percent replanted ...	Pound	.148	24	3.55	24	3.55						
Fertilizer and lime:												
Mixed fertilizer	Cwt.	2.30	6.50	14.95	6.50	14.95						
Nitrogen fertilizer.....	do.	5.50	.61	3.36	.61	3.36						
Lime, ground	Ton	4.00	.40	1.60	.40	1.60						
Power and equipment:												
Tractor (2-R) fuel, lubricant, and repairs	Hour	1.08	.37	0.40	.37	.40						
Tractor (4-R) fuel, lubricant, and repairs	do.	1.82	3.25	5.92	3.30	6.01						
Equipment, lubricant and repairs....	do.	---	---	2.68	---	2.69						
Truck, fuel, lubricant and repairs...	do.	1.16	.10	.12	.10	.12						
Insecticides:												
Materials, various	Acre	---	1.00	10.50	1.00	10.50						
Aerial application (2 times, custom)	do.	1.50	2.00	3.00	2.00	3.00						
Herbicides:												
Preemerge, post emerge and lay-by applications	do.	---	1.00	9.13	1.00	9.13						
Interest on operating expenses, 8 months at 7 percent.....	Dollar	.07	57.91	2.70	58.01	2.71						
Labor required per acre (hours)												
Resource situation												
	Jan.-Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.-Dec.	Total	Regular	Seasonal
Large farm (Soil I)	1.22	.71	.45	1.25	.56	2.70	1.10	.45	.33	8.77	5.57	3.20
Large farm (Soil II)	1.26	.71	.60	1.39	.28	2.70	1.10	.45	.33	8.82	5.62	3.20

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Table 18.--Cotton: Estimated inputs and variable costs per planted acre, selected resource situations, Tennessee Brown Loam Area(G)--Continued

Category	Unit	Price	Large farm (Soil I)		Large farm (Soil II)	
			Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
Dollars						
Harvest cost per harvested acre:						
Labor:						
Regular.....	Hour	1.25	1.05	1.31	1.05	1.31
Seasonal	do.	1.00	.50	.50	.50	.50
Picking cotton	Cwt.	3.25	1.84	5.98	1.60	5.20
Power and equipment:						
2-R self-propelled cottonpicker, fuel, lubricant and repairs	Hour	5.73	.945	5.42	.945	5.42
Truck, fuel, lubricant, and repairs	do.		.56	.65	.56	.65
Trailer, lubricant and repairs	do.		.56	.08	.56	.08
Custom hire:						
Apply defoliant, aerial.....	Acre	1.50	.90	1.35	.90	1.35
Defoliant.....	do.	2.18	.90	1.96	.90	1.96
Other expenses:						
Ginning and wrapping	Cwt.	3.48	7.01	24.39	6.09	21.19
Warehouse charge	do.	.22	7.01	1.54	6.09	1.34
Total harvest cost per harvested acre,						
95 percent harvested	Acre	---	1.0	43.18	1.0	39.00
Total harvest cost per planted acre						
	do.	---	1.0	41.02	1.0	37.05
Total variable cost per planted acre						
	do.	---	1.0	107.28	1.0	103.48
Additional information:						
Resource situation	Lint cotton per acre		Fertilizer (lbs. per acre)			
	Planted	Harvested	Machine harvest	N	P ₂ O ₅	K ₂ O
Large farm (Soil I)	639 pounds	673 pounds	90 percent	83	65	98
Large farm (Soil II):	556 pounds	585 pounds	90 percent	83	65	98

Table 19.--Cotton: Estimated inputs and variable costs per planted acre, North Carolina Piedmont (H) and Coastal Plain (J) Areas

Category	Unit	Price	Small farm (Piedmont)			Small farm (Coastal Plain)						
			Quantity	Value	Dollars	Quantity	Value	Dollars				
Preharvest costs:												
Labor:												
Regular.....	Hour	1.25	9.18	11.48		11.12	13.90					
Seasonal	do.	1.00	7.60	7.60		7.60	7.60					
Seed:												
Cottonseed, 20 percent replanted	Pound	.08	29	2.32		29	2.32					
Fertilizer and lime:												
Mixed fertilizer	Cwt.	2.25	4.00	9.00		4.00	9.00					
Nitrogen fertilizer.....	do.	3.88	2.00	7.76		2.00	7.76					
Power and equipment:												
Tractor (2-R) fuel, lubricant, and repairs	Hour	1.08	9.11	9.84		8.32	8.98					
Equipment, lubricant and repairs.....	do.	---	---	2.04		---	1.98					
Insecticides:												
Materials, various	Acre	---	1.00	12.00		1.00	12.00					
Herbicides:												
Preemerge application.....	do.	6.00	.80	4.80		.80	4.80					
Interest on operating expenses, 8 months at 7 percent.....	Dollar	.07	55.36	2.59		54.44	2.54					
Total preharvest	Acre	---	1.0	69.43		1.0	70.88					
Labor required per acre (hours)												
Resource situation	Jan.-Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.-Dec.	Total	Regular	Seasonal
Small farm (Piedmont)	1.28	.30	2.10	7.30	4.02	2.50	.85	.80	.33	19.48	10.83	8.65
Small farm (Coastal Plain)	1.28	.30	2.33	7.60	4.26	2.50	1.10	1.00	.45	20.82	12.17	8.65

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Table 19.--Cotton: Estimated inputs and variable costs per planted acre, North Carolina Piedmont (H) and Coastal Plain (J) Areas--Continued

Category	Unit	Price	Small farm (Piedmont)		Small farm (Coastal Plain)	
			Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
			Dollars			
Harvest costs per harvested acre:						
Labor:						
Resident.....	Hour	1.25	1.65	2.06	1.05	1.31
Seasonal.....	do.	1.00	1.05	1.05	1.05	1.05
Picking cotton.....	Cwt.	2.85	1.52	4.33	1.04	2.96
Power and equipment:						
Tractor (2-R) fuel, lubricant and repairs.....	Hour	1.08	.33	.36	.50	.54
Tractor and trailer, fuel, lubricant and repairs.....	do.	1.68	.50	.84	---	---
Cotton picker, fuel, lubricant and repairs.....	do.	5.73	.89	5.10	.945	5.41
Truck, other machinery.....	do.	---	1.00	.95	.50	.50
Custom hire;						
Apply defoliant, aerial	Acre	1.60	.85	1.36	.90	1.44
Defoliant.....	Gallon	8.34	.238	1.98	.25	2.08
Other expenses:						
Ginning and wrapping.....	Cwt.	3.14	3.85	12.09	3.95	12.40
Warehouse charge.....	do.	.36	3.85	1.39	3.95	1.42
Total harvest cost per harvested acre, (95 percent harvested).....	Acre	---	1.0	31.51	1.0	29.11
Total harvest cost per planted acre.....	do.	---	1.0	29.93	1.0	27.65
Total variable cost per planted acre....	do.	---	1.0	99.36	1.0	98.53
Additional information:						
Resource situation	Lint cotton per acre		Fertilizer (lbs. per acre)			
	Planted	Harvested	Machine harvest	N	P ₂ O ₅	K ₂ O
Small farm (Piedmont):	351 pounds	370 pounds	85 percent	60	40	40
Small farm (Coastal Plain)	360 pounds	379 pounds	90 percent	60	40	40

Table 20.--Corn: Estimated inputs and variable costs per planted acre, selected resource situations, Southern Piedmont Area (A)

Category	Unit	Price	Small farm		Large farm				
			Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value			
			Dollars		Dollars				
Preharvest costs:									
Labor:									
Regular.....	Hour	1.25	3.64	4.55	2.29	2.86			
Seasonal	do.	1.00	1.35	1.35	.76	.76			
Seed:									
Corn	Pound	.25	10.00	2.50	10.00	2.50			
Fertilizer and lime:									
Mixed fertilizer	Cwt.	2.25	4.00	9.00	4.00	9.00			
Nitrogen fertilizer.....	do.	3.60	1.30	4.68	1.30	4.68			
Lime, ground	Ton	7.75	.167	1.29	.167	1.29			
Power and equipment:									
Tractor (2-R) fuel, lubricant and repairs	Hour	1.08	3.64	3.93	.52	0.56			
Tractor (4-R) fuel, lubricant and repairs	do.	1.82	---	---	1.77	3.22			
Equipment, repairs and lubricant	do.	---	---	1.18	---	1.23			
Truck, fuel, lubricant and repairs	do.	---	.20	.18	.20	.23			
Herbicides:									
Preemerge application.....	Acre	5.70	.20	1.14	.20	1.14			
Postemerge application	do.	.49	.20	.10	.20	.10			
Interest on operating expenses, 8 months at 7 percent.....	Dollar	.07	25.35	1.18	24.71	1.15			
Total preharvest	Acre	---	1.0	31.08	1.0	28.72			
Labor required per acre (hours)									
Resource situation	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	Oct.	Total	Regular	Seasonal
Small farm	0.22	1.28	1.76	.49	1.24	.50	5.49	4.14	1.35
Large farm	0.16	.62	1.30	.27	.70	1.00	4.05	2.79	1.26

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Table 20.--Corn: Estimated inputs and variable costs per planted acre, selected resource situations, Southern Piedmont Area (A)--Continued

Category	Unit	Price	Small farm		Large farm	
			Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
			<u>Dollars</u>			
<u>Dollars</u>						
Harvest costs per harvested acre:						
Labor:						
Regular.....	Hour	1.25	.50	.62	.50	.62
Seasonal	do.	1.00	---	---	.50	.50
Power and equipment:						
Combine (self-propelled) fuel,						
lubricant and repairs	do.	3.71	---	---	.50	1.86
Truck, fuel, lubricant and repairs...	do.	---	.50	.44	.50	.58
Custom hire:						
Corn harvester	Acre	9.00	1.00	9.00	---	---
Total harvest cost per harvested acre,						
(98 percent harvested)	do.	---	1.0	10.06	1.0	3.56
Total harvest cost per planted acre.....						
	do.	---	1.0	9.86	1.0	3.49
Total variable cost per planted acre						
	do.	---	1.0	40.94	1.0	32.21
Additional information:						
Resource situation	Bushels of corn per acre		Fertilizer (lbs. per acre)			
	Planted	Harvested	N	P ₂ O ₅	K ₂ O	
Small farm	41.6	42.5	68	48	48	
Large farm	41.6	42.5	68	48	48	

Table 21.--Corn: Estimated inputs and variable costs per planted acre, selected resource situations,
Southeastern Coastal Plain Area (B)--Continued

Category	Unit	Price	Small farm		Large farm	
			Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
			Dollars			
Harvest costs per harvested acre:						
Labor:						
Regular.....	Hour	1.25	.50	.62	.50	.62
Seasonal	do.	1.00	---	---	.50	.50
Power and equipment:						
Combine, fuel, lubricant and repairs	do.	3.71	---	---	.50	1.86
Truck, fuel, lubricant and repairs	do.	---	.50	.44	.50	.58
Custom hire:						
Corn harvester	Acre	9.00	1.00	9.00	---	---
Total harvest cost per harvested acre, (95 percent harvested)						
	do.	---	1.0	10.06	1.0	3.56
Total harvest cost per planted acre....						
	do.	---	1.0	9.56	1.0	3.38
Total variable cost per planted acre						
	do.	---	1.0	46.41	1.0	37.81
Additional information:						
Resource situation	Bushels of corn per acre		Fertilizer (lbs. per acre)			
	Planted	Harvested	N	P ₂ O ₅	K ₂ O	
Small farm	56	59	86	54		69
Large farm	56	59	86	54		69

Table 22.--Corn: Estimated inputs and variable costs per planted acre, selected resource situations, Southern Coastal Plain Area (C)

Category	Unit	Price	Small farm		Large farm						
			Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value					
			Dollars		Dollars						
Preharvest costs:											
Labor:											
Regular.....	Hour	1.25	3.99	4.99	2.64	3.30					
Seasonal	do.	1.00	1.02	1.02	.52	.52					
Seed:											
Corn	Pound	.245	10.00	2.45	10.00	2.45					
Fertilizer and lime:											
Mixed fertilizer	Cwt.	2.30	4.00	9.20	4.00	9.20					
Nitrogen fertilizer.....	do.	3.80	1.50	5.70	1.50	5.70					
Lime, ground	Ton	7.75	.167	1.29	.167	1.29					
Power and equipment:											
Tractor (2-R) fuel, lubricant and repairs	Hour	1.08	3.99	4.31	.81	.87					
Tractor (4-R) fuel, lubricant and repairs	do.	1.82	---	---	2.05	3.73					
Equipment, fuel, lubricant and repairs	do.	---	---	1.44	---	1.48					
Herbicides:											
Preemerge application.....	Acre	1.00	.20	.20	.30	.30					
Interest on operating expenses, 8 months at 7 percent.....	Dollar	.07	25.61	1.20	25.54	1.19					
Total preharvest	Acre	---	1.0	31.80	1.0	30.03					
Labor required per acre (hours)											
Resource situation	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Total	Regular	Seasonal
Small farm	.45	.58	1.02	1.53	.98	.65	.68	.20	6.09	4.89	1.20
Large farm	.28	.51	.79	.79	.46	.60	.58	.15	4.16	3.14	1.02

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Table 22.--Corn: Estimated inputs and variable costs per planted acre, selected resource situations,
Southern Coastal Plain Area (C)--Continued

Category	Unit	Price	Small farm		Large farm	
			Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
			Dollars			
Harvest costs per harvested acre:						
Labor:						
Regular.....	Hour	1.25	.90	1.13	.50	.62
Seasonal	do.	1.00	.18	.18	.50	.50
Power and equipment:						
Combine, fuel, lubricant						
and repairs	do.	---	---	---	---	1.86
Truck, fuel, lubricant and						
repairs	do.	1.16	---	---	.50	.58
Tractor, fuel, lubricant and						
repairs	do.	1.08	1.08	1.17	---	---
Equipment, lubricant and repairs...	do.	---	---	.22	---	---
Custom hire:						
Corn harvester	Acre	7.50	.80	6.00	---	---
Total harvest cost per harvested acre,						
(98 percent harvested)	Acre	---	1.0	8.70	1.0	3.56
Total harvest cost per planted acre....						
	do.	---	1.0	8.53	1.0	3.49
Total variable cost per planted acre ..						
	do.	---	1.0	40.33	1.0	33.52
Additional information:						
Resource situation	Bushels of corn per acre		Fertilizer (lbs. per acre)			
	Planted	Harvested	N	P ₂ O ₅	K ₂ O	
Small farm	51	52	72	40		60
Large farm	51	52	72	40		60

Table 23.--Corn: Estimated inputs and variable costs per planted acre, selected resource situations, Limestone Valley Area (D)

Category	Unit	Price	Small farm (Valley)		Large farm (Valley)					
			Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value				
			Dollars							
Preharvest costs:										
Labor:										
Regular.....	Hour	1.25	3.96	4.95	2.86	3.58				
Seasonal	do.	1.00	1.05	1.05	.65	.65				
Seed:										
Corn	Pound	.24	10.00	2.40	10.00	2.40				
Fertilizer and lime:										
Mixed fertilizer	Cwt.	2.15	3.50	7.53	3.50	7.53				
Nitrogen fertilizer.....	do.	3.80	1.75	6.65	1.75	6.65				
Lime, ground	Ton	7.75	.167	1.29	.167	1.29				
Power and equipment:										
Tractor (2-R) fuel, lubricant and repairs	Hour	1.08	3.96	4.28	.54	.58				
Tractor (4-R) fuel, lubricant and repairs	do.	1.82	---	---	2.32	4.22				
Equipment, lubricant and repairs...	do.	---	---	1.27	---	2.32				
Herbicides:										
Preemerge application.....	Acre	1.00	.30	.30	.30	.30				
Interest on operating expenses, 8 months at 7 percent.....	Dollar	.07	24.77	1.16	25.94	1.21				
Total preharvest	Acre	---	1.0	30.88	1.0	30.73				
Labor required per acre (hours)										
Resource situation	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Total	Regular	Seasonal
Small farm (Valley)	.55	.99	1.59	.98	.54	.99	.45	6.09	4.86	1.23
Large farm (Valley)	.45	.71	.93	.81	.50	.80	.31	4.51	3.36	1.15

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Table 23.--Corn: Estimated inputs and variable costs per planted acre, selected resource situations, Limestone Valley Area (D)--Continued

Category	Unit	Price	Small farm (Valley)		Large farm (Valley)	
			Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
			Dollars		Dollars	
Harvest costs per harvested acre:						
Labor:						
Regular	Hour	1.25	.90	1.13	.50	.62
Seasonal	do.	1.00	.18	.18	.50	.50
Power and equipment:						
Tractor (2-R) fuel, lubricant and repairs	do.	1.08	.18	.19	---	---
Truck, fuel, lubricant and repairs.	do.	---	---	.80	---	.58
Combine, fuel, lubricant and repairs	do.	2.93	---	---	.50	1.46
Trailer, lubricant and repairs.....	do.	---	---	.01	---	.05
Custom hire:						
Corn harvester	Acre	---	---	6.70	---	---
Total harvest cost per harvested acre, (97 percent harvested)	do.	---	1.0	9.01	1.0	3.21
Total harvest cost per planted acre....	do.	---	1.0	8.74	1.0	3.11
Total variable cost per planted acre....	do.	---	1.0	39.62	1.0	33.84
Additional information:						
Resource situation	Bushels of corn per acre		Fertilizer (lbs. per acre)			
	Planted	Harvested	N	P ₂ O ₅	K ₂ O	
Small farm (Valley) :	46.1	47.5	73	42		42
Large farm (Valley) :	46.1	47.5	73	42		42

Table 24.--Corn: Estimated inputs and variable costs per planted acre, Sand Mountain resource situation, Limestone Valley Area (D)

Category	Unit	Price	Small farm (Sand Mountain)							
			Quantity	:	Value					
<u>Dollars</u>										
Preharvest costs:										
Labor:										
Regular.....	Hour	1.25	3.96		4.95					
Seasonal.....	do.	1.00	1.05		1.05					
Seed:										
Corn.....	Pound	.24	10.00		2.40					
Fertilizer and lime:										
Mixed fertilizer.....	Cwt.	2.15	3.50		7.53					
Nitrogen fertilizer.....	do.	3.80	1.75		6.65					
Lime, ground.....	Ton	7.75	.167		1.29					
Power and equipment:										
Tractor (2-R) fuel, lubrican and repairs.....	Hour	1.08	3.78		4.08					
Truck, fuel, lubricant and repairs.....	do.	---	---		---					
Trailer, lubricant and repairs.....	do.	---	---		---					
Equipment, lubricant and reparis.....	do.	---	---		1.27					
Herbicides:										
Preemerge application.....	Acre	1.00	.30		.30					
Interest on operating expenses,										
8 months at 7 percent.....	Dollar	.07	24.57		1.15					
Total preharvest.....	Acre	---	1.0		30.67					
<u>Labor required per acre (hours)</u>										
Resource situation	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Total	Regular	Seasonal
Small farm (Sand Mountain)	.55	.99	1.59	.98	.54	.99	.45	6.09	4.86	1.23

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Table 24.--Corn: Estimated inputs and variable costs per planted acre, Sand Mountain resource situation, Limestone Valley Area (D)--Continued

Category	Unit	Price	Small farm (Sand Mountain)	
			Quantity	Value
			Dollars	
Harvest costs per harvested acre:				
Labor:				
Regular.....	Hour	1.25	.90	1.13
Seasonal	do.	1.00	.18	.18
Power and equipment:				
Tractor (2-R) fuel, lubricant				
and repairs.....	do.	1.08	.18	.19
Truck, fuel, lubricant and repairs.....	do.	.89	.90	.80
Trailer, lubricant and repairs.....	do.	.10	.90	.09
Custom hire:				
Corn harvester.....	Acre	---	---	6.70
Total harvest cost per harvested acre,				
(97 percent harvested).....	do.	---	1.0	9.09
Total harvest cost per planted acre.....	do.	---	1.0	8.82
Total variable cost per planted acre.....	do.	---	1.0	39.49

Additional information:

Resource situation	Bushels of corn per acre		Fertilizer (lbs. per acre)			
	Planted	Harvested	N	P2 O5	K2 O	
Small farm (Sand Mountain)	46.1	47.5	73	42	42	

Table 25.--Corn: Estimated inputs and variable costs per planted acre, selected resource situations, Clay Hills Area (E)

Category	Unit	Large farm (Soil I)		Small farm (Soil II)							
		Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value						
		<u>Dollars</u>									
<u>Dollars</u>											
Preharvest costs:											
Labor:											
Regular.....	Hour	2.75	3.44	3.89	4.86						
Seasonal	do.	.25	.25	.33	.33						
Seed:											
Corn.....	Pound	12.00	2.40	12.00	2.40						
Fertilizer and lime:											
Mixed fertilizer.....	Cwt.	4.00	8.00	5.00	10.00						
Nitrogen, anhydrous ammonia.....	do.	.40	2.20	.50	2.75						
Nitrogen, ammonium nitrate.....	do.	1.00	4.00	1.25	5.00						
Lime, ground.....	Ton	.40	1.60	.40	1.60						
Power and equipment:											
Tractor (2-R) fuel, lubricant and repairs.....	Hour	.68	.73	3.89	4.20						
Tractor (4-R) fuel, lubricant and repairs.....	do.	2.07	3.77	---	---						
Truck, fuel, lubricant and repairs.....	do.	---	.31	---	---						
Equipment, lubricant and repairs.....	do.	---	1.40	---	1.53						
Herbicides:											
Preemerge application.....	Pound	1.33	3.99	1.20	3.60						
Interest on operating expenses, 8 months at 7 percent.....	Dollar	28.65	1.34	31.41	1.47						
Total preharvest.....	Acre	1.0	33.43	1.0	37.74						
<u>Dollars</u>											
Labor required per acre (hours)											
Resource situation	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Total	Regular	Seasonal
Large farm (Soil I)	.50	.62	.89	.12	.59	.60	.82	.20	4.34	3.42	.92
Small farm (Soil II)	.66	.83	1.29	.17	.82	.40	.50	.24	4.91	4.58	.33

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Table 25.--Corn: Estimated inputs and variable costs per planted acre, selected resource situations, Clay Hills Area (E)--Continued

Category	Unit	Price	Large farm (Soil I)		Small farm (Soil II)	
			Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
			<u>Dollars</u>			
<u>Dollars</u>						
Harvest costs per harvested acre:						
Labor:						
Regular.....	Hour	1.25	.67	.84	.69	.86
Seasonal.....	do.	1.00	.67	.67	---	---
Power and equipment:						
Tractor (2-R) fuel, lubricant and repairs.....	do.	1.08	.37	.40	.69	.75
Tractor (4-R) fuel, lubricant and repairs.....	do.	1.82	.37	.67	---	---
Truck, fuel, lubricant and repairs...	do.	---	---	.38	---	---
Equipment, lubricant and repairs.....	do.	---	---	1.28	---	.07
Custom hire:						
Corn harvester.....	Acre	7.00	---	---	.60	4.20
Corn sheller.....	do.	10.00	---	---	.40	4.00
Total harvest cost per harvested acre, (100 percent harvested).....	Acre	---	1.0	4.24	1.0	9.88
Total harvest cost per planted acre.....	do.	---	1.0	4.24	1.0	9.88
Total variable cost per planted acre.....	do.	---	1.0	37.67	1.0	47.62
Additional information:						
Resource situation	Bushels of corn per acre		Fertilizer (lbs. per acre)			
	Planted	Harvested	N	P ₂ O ₅	K ₂ O	
Large farm (Soil I)	55.0	55.0	90	48		48
Small farm (Soil II)	68.8	68.8	112	60		60

Table 25.--Corn: Estimated inputs and variable costs per planted acre, selected resource situations, Clay Hills Area (E)

Category	Unit	Price	Small farm (Soil III)			
			Quantity	Value		
<u>Dollars</u>						
Preharvest costs:						
Labor:						
Regular.....	Hour	1.25	3.89	4.86		
Seasonal	do.	1.00	.33	.33		
Seed:						
Corn	Pound	.20	12.00	2.40		
Fertilizer and lime:						
Mixed fertilizer	Cwt.	2.00	4.00	8.00		
Nitrogen, anhydrous ammonia.....	do.	5.50	.40	2.20		
Nitrogen, ammonium nitrate	do.	4.00	1.00	4.00		
Lime, ground	Ton	4.00	.40	1.60		
Power and equipment:						
Tractor (2-R) fuel, lubricant						
and repairs	Hour	1.08	3.89	4.20		
Equipment.....	do.	---	---	1.53		
Herbicides:						
Preemerge application.....	Pound	3.00	1.20	3.60		
Interest on operating expenses,						
8 months at 7 percent.....	Dollar	.07	27.86	1.30		
Total preharvest	Acre	---	1.0	34.02		
Labor required per acre (hours)						
Resource situation						
	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	Oct.
						Nov.
						Dec.
					Total	Regular
						Seasonal
Small farm (Soil III)	.66	.83	1.29	.17	.82	.40
				.50	.24	4.91
					4.58	.33

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Table 25.--Corn: Estimated inputs and variable costs per planted acre, selected resource situations, Clay Hills Area (E)--Continued

Category	Unit	Price	Small farm (Soil III)	
			Quantity	Value
			<u>Dollars</u>	
<u>Dollars</u>				
Harvest costs per harvested acre:				
Labor:				
Regular.....	Hour	1.25	.69	.86
Power and equipment:				
Tractor (2-R) fuel, lubricant	do.	1.08	.69	.75
and repairs	do.	.10	.69	.07
Trailer.....				
Custom hire:				
Corn harvester	Acre	7.00	.60	4.20
Corn sheller	do.	10.00	.40	4.00
Total harvest cost per harvested acre,				
(100 percent harvested).....	do.	---	1.0	9.88
Total harvest cost per planted acre	do.	---	1.0	9.88
Total variable cost per planted acre.....	do.	---	1.0	43.90
Additional information:				
Resource situation	Bushels of corn per acre		Fertilizer (lbs. per acre)	
	Planted	Harvested	N	P ₂ O ₅ : K ₂ O
Small farm (Soil III):	45.8	45.8	90	48 48

Table 26.--Corn: Estimated inputs and variable costs per planted acre, selected resource situations, Black Prairie Area (F)

Category	Unit	Price	Large farm									
			Quantity									
			Value									
<u>Dollars</u>												
Preharvest costs:												
Labor:												
Regular.....	Hour	1.25	4.11								5.14	
Seasonal.....	do.	1.00	1.16								1.16	
Seed:												
Corn.....	Pound	.24	10.00								2.40	
Fertilizer and lime:												
Mixed fertilizer.....	Cwt.	2.15	2.75								5.91	
Nitrogen fertilizer.....	do.	3.80	1.75								6.65	
Lime, ground.....	Ton	7.75	.20								1.55	
Power and equipment:												
Tractor (2-R) fuel, lubricant and repairs....	Hour	1.08	4.11								4.44	
Equipment, lubricant and repairs.....	do.	---	---								1.32	
Herbicides:												
Preemerge application.....	Acre	1.00	.20								.20	
Interest on operating expenses,												
8 months at 7 percent.....	Dollar	.07	23.63								1.10	
Total preharvest.....	Acre	---	1.0								29.87	
Labor required per acre (hours)												
Resource situation	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Total	Regular	Seasonal
Large farm	.42	.41	.45	1.58	.49	1.47	.86	.81	.22	6.71	5.01	1.70

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Table 26.--Corn: Estimated inputs and variable costs per planted acre, selected resource situations, Black Prairie Area (F)--Continued

Category	Unit	Price	Large farm	
			Quantity	Value
<u>Dollars</u>				
Harvest costs per harvested acre:				
Labor:				
Regular.....	Hour	1.25	.90	1.13
Seasonal.....	do.	1.00	.54	.54
Power and equipment:				
Tractor (2-R) fuel, lubricant and repairs.....	do.	1.08	.54	.58
Truck, fuel, lubricant and repairs.....	do.	.89	.90	.80
Equipment, lubricant and repairs.....	do.	---	---	.49
Custom hire:				
Corn harvester.....	Acre	6.50	.40	2.60
Total harvest cost per harvested acre, (98 percent harvested).....	do.	---	1.0	6.14
Total harvest cost per planted acre.....	do.	---	1.0	6.02
Total variable cost per planted acre.....	do.	---	1.0	35.89

Additional information:

Resource situation	Bushels of corn per acre		Fertilizer (lbs. per acre)				
	Planted	Harvested		N	P ₂ O ₅	K ₂ O	
Large farm	39.2	40		70	33	33	

Table 27.--Corn: Estimated inputs and variable costs per planted acre, selected resource situations, Tennessee Brown Loam Area (G)

Category	Unit	Small farm (Soil I)			Small farm (Soil II)							
		Price	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Value					
			Dollars									
Preharvest costs:												
Labor:												
Regular.....	Hour	1.25	3.89	4.86	3.89	4.86	4.86					
Seasonal.....	do.	1.00	.33	.33	.33	.33	.33					
Seed:												
Corn.....	Pound	.20	12.00	2.40	12.00	2.40	2.40					
Fertilizer and lime:												
Mixed fertilizer.....	Gwt.	2.00	5.00	10.00	4.00	8.00	8.00					
Nitrogen, anhydrous ammonia.....	do.	5.50	.50	2.75	.40	2.20	2.20					
Nitrogen, ammonium nitrate.....	do.	4.00	1.25	5.00	1.00	4.00	4.00					
Lime, ground.....	Ton	4.00	.40	1.60	.40	1.60	1.60					
Power and equipment:												
Tractor (2-R) fuel, lubricant												
and repairs.....	Hour	1.08	3.89	4.20	3.89	4.20	4.20					
Equipment, lubrication and repairs...	do.	---	---	1.53	---	1.53	1.53					
Herbicides:												
Preemerge application.....	Pound	3.00	1.20	3.60	1.20	3.60	3.60					
Interest on operating expenses,												
8 months at 7 percent.....	Dollar	.07	31.41	1.47	27.86	1.30	1.30					
Total preharvest.....	Acre	---	1.0	37.74	1.0	34.02	34.02					
Labor required per acre (hours)												
Resource situation												
		Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Total	Regular	Seasonal
Small farm (Soil I)		.66	.83	1.29	.17	.82	.40	.50	.24	4.91	4.58	.33
Small farm (Soil II)		.66	.83	1.29	.17	.82	.40	.50	.24	4.91	4.58	.33

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Table 27.--Corn: Estimated inputs and variable costs per planted acre, selected resource situations, Tennessee Brown Loam Area (G)--Continued

Category	Unit	Price	Small farm (Soil I)		Small farm (Soil II)	
			Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
			<u>Dollars</u>			
<u>Dollars</u>						
Harvest costs per harvested acre:						
Labor:						
Regular.....	Hour	1.25	.69	.86	.69	.86
Power and equipment:						
Tractor (2-R) fuel, lubricant						
and repairs.....	do.	1.08	.69	.75	.69	.75
Trailer, lubricant and repairs.....	do.	.10	.69	.07	.69	.07
Custom hire:						
Corn harvester.....	Acre	7.00	.60	4.20	.60	4.20
Corn sheller.....	do.	10.00	.40	4.00	.40	4.00
Total harvest cost per harvested acre						
(100 percent harvested).....	do.	---	1.0	9.88	1.0	9.88
Total harvest cost per planted acre.....	do.	---	1.0	9.88	1.0	9.88
Total variable cost per planted acre.....	do.	---	1.0	47.62	1.0	43.90
Additional information:						
Resource situation	Bushels of corn per acre		Fertilizer (lbs. per acre)			
	Planted	Harvested	N	P ₂ O ₅	K ₂ O	
Small farm (Soil I)	68	68	112	60	60	
Small farm (Soil II)	50	50	90	48	48	

Table 28.--Corn: Estimated inputs and variable costs per planted acre, selected resource situations, Tennessee Brown Loam Area (G)

Category	Unit	Price	Large farm (Soil I)		Large farm (Soil II)	
			Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
			Dollars			
Preharvest costs:						
Labor:						
Regular.....	Hour	1.25	2.69	3.36	2.69	3.36
Seasonal.....	do.	1.00	.25	.25	.25	.25
Seed:						
Corn.....	Pound	.20	12.00	2.40	12.00	2.40
Fertilizer and lime:						
Mixed fertilizer.....	Cwt.	2.00	5.00	10.00	4.00	8.00
Nitrogen fertilizer.....	do.	5.50	1.00	5.50	.80	4.40
Lime, ground	Ton	4.00	.40	1.60	.40	1.60
Power and equipment:						
Tractor (2-R) fuel, lubricant and repairs.....	Hour	1.08	.59	.64	.59	.64
Tractor (4-R) fuel, lubricant, and repairs.....	do.	1.82	2.10	3.82	2.10	3.82
Equipment.....	do.	---	---	1.71	---	1.71
Herbicides:						
Preemerge application.....	Pound	3.00	1.50	4.50	1.50	4.50
Interest on operating expenses, 8 months at 7 percent.....						
	Dollar	.07	30.42	1.42	27.32	1.28
Total preharvest.....	Acre	---	1.0	35.20	1.0	31.96

Labor required per acre (hours)

Resource situation	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Total	Regular	Seasonal
Large farm (Soil I)	.50	.62	.90	.11	.53	.46	.92	.20	4.24	3.34	.90
Large farm (Soil II)	.50	.62	.90	.11	.53	.46	.92	.20	4.24	3.34	.90

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Table 28.--Corn: Estimated inputs and variable costs per planted acre, selected resource situations, Tennessee Brown Loam Area (G)--Continued

Category	Unit	Price	Large farm (Soil I)		Large farm (Soil II)	
			Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
		Dollars		Dollars		Dollars
Harvest costs per harvested acre:						
Labor:						
Regular.....	Hour	1.25	.65	.81	.65	.81
Seasonal.....	do.	1.00	.65	.65	.65	.65
Power and equipment:						
Tractor (2-R) fuel, lubricant, and repairs.....	do.	1.08	.23	.25	.23	.25
Tractor (4-R) fuel, lubricant, and repairs.....	do.	1.82	.23	.42	.23	.42
Truck, fuel, lubricant and repairs...	do.	---	---	.53	---	.53
Equipment, lubricant and repairs.....	do.	---	---	1.48	---	1.48
Total harvest cost per harvested acre, (100 percent harvested).....	Acre	---	1.0	4.14	1.0	4.14
Total harvest cost per planted acre.....	do.	---	1.0	4.14	1.0	4.14
Total variable cost per planted acre.....	do.	---	1.0	39.34	1.0	36.10
Additional information:						
Resource situation	Bushels of corn per acre		Fertilizer (lbs. per acre)			
	Planted	Harvested	N	P ₂ O ₅	K ₂ O	
Large farm (Soil I)	68	68	112	60	60	
Large farm (Soil II)	50	50	90	48	48	

Table 29.--Corn: Estimated inputs and variable costs per planted acre, selected resource situations, North Carolina Piedmont (H) and Coastal Plain (J) Areas

Category	Unit	Small farm (Piedmont)			Small farm (Coastal Plain)		
		Price	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Value
		Dollars		Dollars		Dollars	Dollars
Preharvest costs:							
Labor:							
Regular.....	Hour	1.25	3.42	4.28	3.42	4.28	4.28
Seasonal.....	do.	1.00	1.09	1.09	1.09	1.09	1.09
Seed:							
Corn.....	Pound	.24	15.40	3.70	12.20	2.93	2.93
Fertilizer and lime:							
Mixed fertilizer.....	Cwt.	2.25	5.00	11.25	5.00	11.25	11.25
Nitrogen fertilizer.....	do.	3.20	2.50	8.00	2.90	9.28	9.28
Lime, ground.....	Ton	---	---	---	---	---	---
Power and equipment:							
Tractor (2-R) fuel, lubricant	Hour	1.08	3.42	3.69	3.42	3.69	3.69
and repairs.....	do.	---	---	1.29	---	1.29	1.29
Equipment.....							
Herbicides:							
Preemerge application.....	Pound	2.85	1.20	3.42	1.20	3.42	3.42
Postemerge application.....	do.	1.06	.50	.53	.50	.53	.53
Interest on operating expenses,							
8 months at 7 percent.....	Dollar	.07	32.97	1.54	33.48	1.56	1.56
Total preharvest.....	Acre	---	1.0	38.79	1.0	39.32	39.32
Labor required per acre (hours)							
Resource situation	Apr.	May	June	Oct.	Nov.	Total	Seasonal
Small farm (Piedmont)	1.28	1.50	1.28	2.00	.45	6.51	4.42
Small farm (Coastal Plain)	1.28	1.50	1.28	3.80	.45	8.31	5.42

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Table 29.--Corn: Estimated inputs and variable costs per planted acre, selected resource situations, North Carolina Piedmont (H) and Coastal Plain (J) Areas --Continued

Category	Unit	Price	Small farm (Piedmont)		Small farm (Coastal Plain)	
			Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
			<u>Dollars</u>		<u>Dollars</u>	
Harvest costs per harvested acre:						
Labor:						
Resident.....	Hour	1.25	1.00	1.25	2.00	2.50
Seasonal.....	do.	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.80	1.80
Power and equipment:						
Tractor (2-R) fuel, lubricant						
and repairs.....	do.	1.08	1.50	1.62	1.00	1.08
Picker, lubricant and repairs.....	do.	---	---	.20	---	.40
Trailer, lubricant and repairs.....	do.	---	---	.05	---	---
Truck, fuel, lubricant and						
and repairs.....	do.	---	---	---	---	2.75
Total harvest cost per harvested acre						
(90 percent harvested).....	Acre	---	1.0	4.12	1.0	8.53
Total harvest cost per planted acre.....						
	do.	---	1.0	3.71	1.0	7.68
Total variable cost per planted acre.....						
	do.	---	1.0	42.50	1.0	47.00

Additional information:

Resource situation	Bushels of corn per acre		Fertilizer (lbs. per acre)			
	Planted	Harvested	N	P ₂ O ₅	K ₂ O	
Small farm (Piedmont):	54	60	105	50	50	50
Small farm (Coastal Plain)	63	70	120	50	50	50

Table 30.--Soybeans: Estimated inputs and variable costs per planted acre, selected resource situations, Southern Piedmont Area (A)--Continued

Category	Unit	Price	Small farm		Large farm	
			Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
			<u>Dollars</u>			
<u>Dollars</u>						
Harvest costs per harvested acre:						
Labor:						
Regular.....	Hour	1.25	.50	.63	.50	.63
Seasonal.....	do.	1.00	---	---	.50	.50
Power and equipment:						
Combine, self-propelled, fuel,						
lubricant and repairs.....	do.	2.93	---	---	.50	1.47
Truck.....	do.	---	---	.44	---	.58
Custom hire:						
Combine.....	Acre	6.00	1.00	6.00	---	---
Total harvest cost per harvested acre,						
(95 percent harvested).....	do.	---	1.0	7.07	1.0	3.18
Total harvest cost per planted acre....						
	do.	---	1.0	6.72	1.0	3.02
Total variable cost per planted acre....						
	do.	---	1.0	30.22	1.0	24.70
Additional information:						
Resource situation	Bushels of soybeans per acre		Fertilizer (lbs. per acre)			
	Planted	Harvested	N	P ₂ O ₅	K ₂ O	
Small farm	25.0	26.3	4	40		40
Large farm	25.0	26.3	4	40		40

Table 31.--Soybeans following small grain: Estimated inputs and variable costs per planted acre, selected resource situations, Southern Piedmont Area (A)

Category	Unit	Price	Small farm		Large farm	
			Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
			Dollars			
Preharvest costs:						
Labor:						
Regular.....	Hour	1.25	3.24	4.05	2.01	2.51
Seasonal.....	do.	1.00	.74	.74	.41	.41
Seed:						
Soybeans.....	Bushel	4.60	.75	3.45	.75	3.45
Incolant.....	Pound	1.20	.25	.30	.25	.30
Fertilizer and lime:						
Mixed fertilizer.....	Cwt.	2.15	2.00	4.30	2.00	4.30
Nitrogen fertilizer.....	do.	---	---	---	---	---
Lime, ground.....	Ton	7.75	.083	.65	.083	.65
Power and equipment:						
Tractor (2-R) fuel, lubricant and repairs.....	Hour	1.08	3.24	3.50	.23	.25
Tractor (4-R) fuel, lubricant and repairs.....	do.	1.82	---	---	1.77	3.22
Equipment, lubricant and repairs.....	do.	---	---	1.13	---	1.19
Truck, fuel, lubricant and repairs...	do.	---	---	.18	---	.23
Insecticides:						
Materials, various.....	Acre	1.44	.10	.14	.10	.14
Herbicides:						
Preemerge application.....	do.	3.75	.20	.74	.20	.74
Postemerge application.....	do.	1.46	.15	.22	.15	.22
Interest on operating expenses, 8 months at 7 percent.....	Dollar	.07	15.35	.72	15.10	.71
Total preharvest.....	Acre	---	1.0	20.12	1.0	18.32
Labor required per acre (hours)						
Resource situation	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Nov.	Total
Small farm	.83	2.50	.59	.06	.50	4.48
Large farm	.62	1.45	.33	.02	1.0	3.42
						3.74
						2.51
						.74
						.91

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Table 31.--Soybeans following small grain: Estimated inputs and variable costs per planted acre, selected resource situations, Southern Piedmont Area (A)--Continued

Category	Unit	Price	Small farm		Large farm	
			Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
			Dollars		Dollars	
Harvest costs per harvested acre:						
Labor:						
Regular.....	Hour	1.25	.50	.63	.50	.63
Seasonal.....	do.	1.00	---	---	.50	.50
Power and equipment:						
Combine, self-propelled, fuel,						
lubricant and repairs.....	do.	2.93	---	---	.50	1.47
Truck.....	do.	---	---	.44	---	.58
Custom hire:						
Combine.....	Acre	6.00	1.00	6.00	---	---
Total harvest cost per harvested acre, (95 percent harvested).....						
	Acre	---	1.0	7.07	1.0	3.18
Total harvest cost perplanted acre.....						
	do.	---	1.0	6.72	1.0	3.02
Total variable cost per planted acre.....						
	do.	---	1.0	26.84	1.0	21.34
Additional information:						
Resource situation	Bushels of soybeans per acre		Fertilizer (lbs. per acre)			
	Planted	Harvested	N	P ₂ O ₅	K ₂ O	
Small farm	18.8	19.8	8	10		20
Large farm	18.8	19.8	8	10		20

Table 32.--Soybeans: Estimated inputs and variable costs per planted acre, selected resource situations, Southeastern Coastal Plain Area (B)

Category	Unit	Price	Small farm		Large farm	
			Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
				Dollars		Dollars
Preharvest costs:						
Labor:						
Regular.....	Hour	1.25	3.75	4.69	2.26	2.83
Seasonal.....	do.	1.00	1.31	1.31	.70	.70
Seed:						
Soybeans.....	Bushel	4.60	.75	3.45	.75	3.45
Inoculant.....	Pound	1.20	.25	.30	.25	.30
Fertilizer and lime:						
Mixed fertilizer.....	Cwt.	2.02	3.00	6.06	3.00	6.06
Lime, ground.....	Ton	7.75	.167	1.29	.167	1.29
Power and equipment:						
Tractor (2-R) fuel, lubricant and repairs.....	Hour	1.08	3.75	4.05	.25	.27
Tractor (4-R) fuel, lubricant and repairs.....	do.	1.82	---	---	1.77	3.22
Equipment, lubricant and repairs.....	do.	---	---	1.17	---	1.62
Truck, fuel, lubricant and repairs.....	do.	---	---	.18	---	.23
Insecticides:						
Materials, various.....	Acre	---	---	1.77	---	1.77
Herbicides:						
Preemerg application.....	do.	3.75	.40	1.50	.40	1.50
Postemerg application.....	do.	1.46	.25	.37	.25	.37
Interest on operating expenses, 8 months at 7 percent.....	Dollar	.07	21.45	1.00	20.78	.97
Total preharvest.....	Acre	---	1.0	27.14	1.0	24.58

Labor required per acre (hours)									
Resource situation	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Oct.	Total	Regular	Seasonal
Small farm	.83	2.07	.49	.65	1.02	.50	5.56	4.25	1.31
Large farm	.62	1.22	.27	.37	.48	1.0	3.96	2.76	1.20

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Table 32.--Soybeans: Estimated inputs and variable costs per planted acre, selected resource situations, Southeastern Coastal Plain Area (B) -- Continued

Category	Unit	Small farm			Large farm		
		Price	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Value
		<u>Dollars</u>			<u>Dollars</u>		
Harvest costs per harvested acre:							
Labor:							
Regular.....	Hour	1.25	.50	.63	.50	.63	
Seasonal.....	do.	1.00	---	---	.50	.50	
Power and equipment:							
Combine, self-propelled, fuel,							
lubricant and repairs.....	do.	2.93	---	---	.50	1.47	
Truck.....	do.	---	---	.44	---	.58	
Custom hire:							
Combine.....	Acre	6.00	1.00	6.00	---	---	
Total harvest cost per harvested acre,							
(95 percent harvested).....	do.	---	1.0	7.07	1.0	3.18	
Total harvest cost per planted acre.....							
	do.	---	1.0	6.72	1.0	3.02	
Total variable cost per planted acre.....							
	do.	---	1.0	33.86	1.0	27.60	
Additional information:							
Resource situation	Bushels of soybeans per acre			Fertilizer (lbs. per acre)			
	Planted	Harvested	N	P ₂ O ₅	K ₂ O		
Small farm	25.0	26.3	3	37		46	
Large farm	25.0	26.3	3	37		46	

Table 33.--Soybeans following small grain: Estimated inputs and variable costs per planted acre, selected resource situations, Southeastern Coastal Plain Area (B)

Category	Unit	Price	Small farm		Large farm	
			Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
		<u>Dollars</u>		<u>Dollars</u>		<u>Dollars</u>
Preharvest costs:						
Labor:						
Regular.....	Hour	1.25	3.54	4.43	2.16	2.70
Seasonal.....	do.	1.00	1.06	1.06	.57	.57
Seed:						
Soybeans.....	Bushel	4.60	.75	3.45	.75	3.45
Inoculant.....	Pound	1.20	.25	.30	.25	.30
Fertilizer and lime:						
Mixed fertilizer.....	Cwt.	2.15	2.00	4.30	2.00	4.30
Lime, ground.....	Ton	7.75	.083	.65	.083	.65
Power and equipment:						
Tractor (2-R) fuel, lubricant and repairs.....	Hour	1.08	3.54	3.82	.25	.27
Tractor (4-R) fuel, lubricant and repairs.....	do.	1.82	---	---	1.77	3.22
Equipment, lubricant and repairs.....	do.	---	---	1.16	---	1.43
Truck, fuel, lubricant and repairs.....	do.	---	---	.18	---	.23
Insecticides:						
Materials, various.....	Acre	---	---	1.25	---	1.25
Herbicides:						
Preemerge application.....	do.	3.75	.25	.94	.25	.94
Postemerge application.....	do.	1.46	.25	.37	.25	.37
Interest on operating expenses, 8 months at 7 percent.....	Dollar	.07	17.48	.82	16.98	.79
Total preharvest.....	Acre	---	1.0	22.73	1.0	20.47
Labor required per acre (hours)						
Resource situation	June	July	Aug.	Oct.	Total	Seasonal
Small farm	2.86	.49	1.25	.50	5.10	1.06
Large farm	1.81	.27	.65	1.0	3.73	1.07

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Table 33.--Soybeans following small grain: Estimated inputs and variable costs per planted acre, selected resource situations, Southeastern Coastal Plain Area (B)--Continued

Category	Unit	Price	Small farm		Large farm	
			Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
			Dollars			
Harvest costs per harvested acre:						
Labor:						
Regular.....	Hour	1.25	.50	.63	.50	.63
Seasonal.....	do.	1.00	---	---	.50	.50
Power and equipment:						
Combine, self-propelled, fuel, lubricant and repairs.....	do.	2.93	---	---	.50	1.47
Truck, fuel, lubricant and repairs.....	do.	---	---	.44	---	.58
Custom hire:						
Combine.....	Acre	6.00	1.00	6.00	---	---
Total harvest cost per harvested acre, (95 percent harvested).....						
	do.	---	1.0	7.07	1.0	3.18
Total harvest cost per planted acre.....						
	do.	---	1.0	6.72	1.0	3.02
Total variable cost per planted acre...						
	do.	---	1.0	29.45	1.0	23.49
Additional information:						
Resource situation	Bushels of soybeans per acre		Fertilizer (lbs. per acre)			
	Planted	Harvested	N	P ₂ O ₅	K ₂ O	
Small farm	19.9	20.9	7	9		25
Large farm	19.9	20.9	7	9		25

Table 34.--Soybeans: Estimated inputs and variable costs per planted acre, selected resource situations, Southern Coastal Plain Area (C)

Category	Unit	Price	Small farm		Large farm	
			Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
			Dollars			
Preharvest costs:						
Labor:						
Regular.....	Hour	1.25	3.94	4.93	2.20	2.75
Seasonal.....	do.	1.00	.87	.87	.57	.57
Seed:						
Soybeans.....	Bushel	4.64	1.00	4.64	1.00	4.64
Inoculant.....	Can	.60	.167	.10	.167	.10
Fertilizer and lime:						
Mixed fertilizer.....	Cwt.	2.30	3.60	8.28	3.60	8.28
Lime, ground.....	Ton	7.75	.167	1.29	.167	1.29
Power and equipment:						
Tractor (2-R) fuel, lubricant and repairs.....	Hour	1.08	3.94	4.26	.52	.56
Tractor (4-R) fuel, lubricant and repairs.....	do.	1.82	---	---	1.70	3.09
Equipment, lubricant and repairs....	do.	---	---	1.41	---	1.23
Insecticides:						
Materials, various.....	Acre	---	---	.69	---	.69
Herbicides:						
Preemerge application.....	Ounces	.27	8.00	2.16	10.0	2.70
Interest on operating expenses,						
8 months at 7 percent.....	Dollar	.07	23.70	1.11	23.15	1.08
Total preharvest.....	Acre	---	1.0	29.74	1.0	26.98

Labor required per acre (hours)									
	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	Sept.	Total	Regular	Seasonal
Resource situation									
Small farm	.45	.84	.84	1.59	1.09	.50	5.31	4.44	.87
Large farm	.28	.65	.65	.67	.52	1.00	3.77	2.70	1.07

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Table 34.--Soybeans: Estimated inputs and variable costs per planted acre, selected resource situations,
Southern Coastal Plain Area (C)--Continued

Category	Unit	Small farm			Large farm		
		Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
		Dollars					
Harvest costs per harvested acre:							
Labor:							
Regular.....	Hour	.50	.63		.50	.63	
Seasonal.....	do.	---	---		.50	.50	
Power and equipment:							
Tractor (2-R) fuel, lubricant							
and repairs.....	do.	.50	.54	---	---	---	
Combine, self-propelled, fuel,							
lubricant and repairs.....	do.	---	---	.50		1.47	
Equipment, lubricant and repairs...	do.	---	.10	---		.14	
Truck, fuel, lubricant and							
repairs.....	do.	---	---	.50		.58	
Custom hire:							
Combine.....	Acre	1.00	6.00	---		---	
Total harvest cost per harvested acre,							
(98 percent harvested).....	do.	1.0	7.27	1.0		3.32	
Total harvest cost per planted acre....							
	do.	1.0	7.12	1.0		3.25	
Total variable cost per planted acre....							
	do.	1.0	36.86	1.0		30.23	
Additional information:							
Resource situation	Bushels of soybeans per acre			Fertilizer (lbs. per acre)			
	Planted	Harvested	N	P ₂ O ₅	K ₂ O		
Small farm	27.0	27.5	18	36		54	
Large farm	27.0	27.5	18	36		54	

Table 35.--Soybeans following small grain: Estimated inputs and variable costs per planted acre, selected resource situations, Southern Coastal Plain Area (C)

Category	Unit	Price	Small farm		Large farm	
			Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
			Dollars			
Preharvest costs:						
Labor:						
Regular.....	Hour	1.25	3.46	4.33	2.17	2.71
Seasonal.....	do.	1.00	1.08	1.08	.66	.66
Seed:						
Soybeans.....	Bushel	4.64	.90	4.18	.90	4.18
Inoculant.....	Can	.60	.167	.10	.167	.10
Fertilizer and lime:						
Mixed fertilizer.....	Cwt.	2.30	3.00	6.90	3.00	6.90
Lime, ground.....	Ton	7.75	.083	.65	.083	.65
Power and equipment:						
Tractor (2-R) fuel, lubricant and repairs.....	Hour	1.08	3.46	3.74	.33	.36
Tractor (4-R) fuel, lubricant and repairs.....	do.	1.82	---	---	1.84	3.35
Equipment.....	do.	---	---	1.23	---	1.25
Insecticide:						
Materials, various.....	Acre	---	---	.69	---	.69
Herbicides:						
Premerge application.....	Ounces	.27	2.40	.65	4.00	1.08
Interest on operating expenses, 8 months at 7 percent.....	Dollar	.07	19.22	.90	19.22	.90
Total preharvest.....	Acre	--	1.0	24.45	1.0	22.83
Labor required per acre (hours)						
Resource situation	June	July	Aug.	Oct.	Total	Regular : Seasonal
Small farm	2.96	1.09	.49	.90	5.44	3.46 : 1.98
Large farm	1.89	.67	.27	1.00	3.83	2.67 : 1.16

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Table 35.--Soybeans following small grain: Estimated inputs and variable costs per planted acre, selected resource situations, Southern Coastal Plain Area (C)--Continued

Category	Unit	Price	Small farm		Large farm	
			Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
			<u>Dollars</u>			
<u>Dollars</u>						
Harvest costs per harvested acre:						
Labor:						
Regular.....	Hour	1.25	---	---	.63	
Seasonal.....	do.	1.00	.90	.90	.50	
Power and equipment:						
Combine, self-propelled, fuel,						
lubricant and repairs.....	do.	2.93	---	---	1.47	
Equipment.....	do.	---	---	---	.63	
Custom hire:						
Combine.....	Acre	6.00	1.00	6.00	---	
Total harvest cost per harvested acre,						
(98 percent harvested).....	do.	---	1.0	7.79	3.23	
Total harvest cost per planted acre.....						
	do.	---	1.0	7.63	3.17	
Total variable cost per planted acre.....						
	do.	---	1.0	32.08	26.00	

Additional information:

Resource situation	Bushels of soybeans per acre		Fertilizer (lbs. per acre)		
	Planted	Harvested	N	P ₂ O ₅	K ₂ O
Small farm	22.4	22.9	15	30	45
Large farm	22.4	22.9	15	30	45

Table 36.--Soybeans: Estimated inputs and variable costs per planted acre, selected resource situations,
Limestone Valley Area (D)--Continued

Category	Unit	Price	Small farm (Valley)		Large farm (Valley)	
			Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
			Dollars			
Harvest costs per harvested acre:						
Labor:						
Regular.....	Hour	1.25	.50	.63	.50	.63
Seasonal.....	do.	1.00	---	---	.50	.50
Power and equipment:						
Combine, self-propelled, fuel, lubricant and repairs.....	do.	2.93	---	---	.50	1.47
Equipment, lubricant and repairs....	do.	---	---	.01	---	.05
Truck, fuel, lubricant and repairs...	do.	---	---	.44	---	.58
Custom hire:						
Combine.....	Acre	6.00	1.00	6.00	---	---
Total harvest cost per harvested acre, (97 percent harvested).....						
	do.	---	1.0	7.08	1.0	3.23
Total harvest cost per planted acre.....						
	do.	---	1.0	6.87	1.0	3.13
Total variable cost per planted acre.....						
	do.	---	1.0	37.19	1.0	32.13

Additional information:

Resource situation	Bushels of soybeans per acre			Fertilizer (lbs. per acre)		
	Planted	Harvested	N	P ₂ O ₅	K ₂ O	
Small farm (Valley)	30.1	31.0	0	60		60
Large farm (Valley)	30.1	31.0	0	60		60

Table 37.--Soybeans: Estimated inputs and variable costs per planted acre, selected resource situations, Clay Hills Area (E)

Category	Unit	Price	Large farm (Soil I)		Small farm (Soil II)	
			Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
			<u>Dollars</u>			
Preharvest costs:						
Labor:						
Regular.....	Hour	1.25	2.35	2.94	3.98	4.98
Seasonal.....	do.	1.00	.09	.09	---	---
Seed:						
Soybeans.....	Pound	.06	55.00	3.30	55.00	3.30
Inoculant.....	Can	.75	1.00	.75	1.00	.75
Fertilizer and lime:						
Mixed fertilizer.....	Cwt.	---	2.00	5.90	2.00	7.20
Lime, ground.....	Ton	4.00	.40	1.60	.40	1.60
Power and equipment:						
Tractor (2-R) fuel, lubricant and repairs.....	Hour	1.08	.77	.83	3.98	4.30
Tractor (4-R) fuel, lubricant and repairs.....	do.	1.82	1.67	3.04	---	---
Equipment, lubricant and repairs.....	do.	---	---	1.57	---	1.57
Herbicides:						
Preemerge application.....	Acre	---	---	1.85	---	1.85
Interest on operating expenses, 8 months at 7 percent.....	Dollar	.07	18.93	.88	20.57	.96
Total preharvest.....	Acre	---	1.0	22.75	1.00	26.51

Labor required per acre (hours)

Resource situation	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Oct.	Nov.	Total	Regular	Seasonal
Large farm (Soil I)	1.18	.16	.40	.40	.30	.40	.40	3.24	2.75	.49
Small farm (Soil II)	1.73	.26	.72	.72	.55	0	0	3.98	3.98	0

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Table 37.--Soybeans: Estimated inputs and variable costs per planted acre, selected resource situations, Clay Hills Area (E)--Continued

Category	Unit	Price	Large farm (Soil I)		Small farm (Soil II)	
			Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
			<u>Dollars</u>		<u>Dollars</u>	
Harvest costs per harvested acre:						
Labor:						
Regular.....	Hour	1.25	.40	.50	---	---
Seasonal.....	do.	1.00	.40	.40	---	---
Power and equipment:						
Combine, self-propelled, fuel, lubricant and repairs.....	do.	2.93	.40	1.17		
Truck, fuel, lubricant and repairs.....	do.	---	---	.50		
Custom hire:						
Combine.....	Acre	8.00	---	---	1.00	8.00
Hauling.....	Bushel	.10	---	---	32.00	3.20
Total harvest cost per harvested acre, (100 percent harvested).....	Acre	---	1.0	2.57	1.0	11.20
Total harvest cost per planted acre....	do.	---	1.0	2.57	1.0	11.20
Total variable cost per planted acre	do.	---	1.0	25.32	1.0	37.71

Additional information:

Resource situation	Bushels of soybeans per acre		Fertilizer (lbs. per acre)			
	Planted	Harvested	N	P ₂ O ₅	K ₂ O	
Large farm (Soil I)	27	27	0	40		40
Small farm (Soil II)	32	32	10	20		20

Tabel 38.--Soybeans: Estimated inputs and variable costs per planted acre, selected resource situations, Black Prairie Area (F)

Category	Unit	Price	Large farm		Value
			Quantity	:	
			Dollars	Dollars	
Preharvest costs:					
Labor:					
Regular.....	Hour	1.25	2.45		3.06
Seasonal.....	do.	1.00	.55		.55
Seed:					
Soybeans.....	Bushel	4.35	1.00		4.35
Inoculant.....	Can	.60	.167		.10
Fertilizer and lime:					
Mixed fertilizer.....	Cwt.	2.90	2.85		8.27
Lime, ground.....	Ton	7.75	.20		1.55
Power and equipment:					
Tractor (2-R) fuel, lubricant and repairs....	Hour	1.08	.40		.43
Tractor (4-R) fuel, lubricant and repairs....	do.	1.82	2.05		3.73
Equipment, lubricant and repairs.....	do.	---	---		1.40
Insecticides:					
Materials, various.....	Acre	---	---		.69
Herbicides:					
Preemerge application.....	do.	---	---		.43
Interest on operating expenses, 8 months at 7 percent.....	Dollar	.07	21.50		1.00
Total preharvest.....		---	1.0		25.56

Labor required per acre (hours)

Resource situation	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	Sept.	Total	Regular	Seasonal
Large farm	.62	.74	.97	.67	.80	3.80	2.95	.85

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Table 38.--Soybeans: Estimated inputs and variable costs per planted acre, selected resource situations, Black Prairie Area (F)--Continued

Category	Unit	Price	Large farm	
			Quantity	Value
<u>Dollars</u>				
Harvest costs per harvested acre:				
Labor:				
Regular.....	Hour	1.25	.50	.63
Seasonal.....	do.	1.00	.30	.30
Power and equipment:				
Combine, self-propelled, fuel, lubricant				
and repairs.....	do.	---	---	.93
Truck, fuel, lubricant and repairs.....	do.	---	---	.58
Custom hire:				
Combine.....	Acre	6.00	.40	2.40
Total harvest cost per harvested acre,				
(96 percent harvested).....	do.	---	1.0	4.84
Total harvest cost per planted acre.....				
	do.	---	1.0	4.65
Total variable cost per planted acre.....				
	do.	---	1.0	30.21

Additional information:

Resource situation	Bushels of soybeans per acre		Fertilizer (lbs. per acre)		
	Planted	Harvested	N	P ₂ O ₅	K ₂ O
Large farm	27.4	28.5	0	57	57

Table 39.--Soybeans: Estimated inputs and variable costs per planted acre, selected resource situations, Tennessee Brown Loam Area (G)

Category	Unit	Price	Small farm (Soil I)		Small farm (Soil II)	
			Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
			<u>Dollars</u>			
<u>Dollars</u>						
Preharvest costs:						
Labor:						
Regular.....	Hour	1.25	3.94	4.93	3.94	4.93
Seed:						
Soybeans.....	Pound	.06	55.00	3.30	55.00	3.30
Inoculant.....	Pack- age	.75	1.00	.75	1.00	.75
Fertilizer and lime:						
Mixed fertilizer.....	Cwt.	---	2.00	7.20	2.00	5.90
Lime, ground.....	Ton	4.00	.40	1.60	.40	1.60
Power and equipment:						
Tractor (2-R) fuel, lubricant and repairs.....	Hour	1.08	3.94	4.26	3.94	4.26
Equipment.....	do.	---	---	1.57	---	1.57
Herbicides:						
Preemergence application.....	Acre	---	---	2.25	---	2.25
Interest on operating expenses, 8 months at 7 percent.....						
	Dollar	.07	20.93	.98	19.63	.92
Total preharvest.....						
	Acre	---	1.0	26.84	1.0	25.48
<u>Dollars</u>						
Labor required per acre (hours)						
Resource situation	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Total
Small farm (Soil I)	1.73	.31	.72	.68	.50	3.94
						0
Large farm (Soil II)	1.73	.31	.72	.68	.50	3.94
						0

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Table 39.--Soybeans: Estimated inputs and variable costs per planted acre, selected resource situations, Tennessee Brown Loam Area (G)--
Continued

Category	Unit	Price	Small farm (Soil I)		Small farm (Soil II)	
			Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
			<u>Dollars</u>			
Harvest costs per harvested acre:						
Custom hire:						
Combine.....	Acre	8.00	1.00	8.00	1.00	8.00
Hauling.....	Bushel	.10	30.00	3.00	23.00	2.30
Total harvest cost per harvested acre, (100 percent harvested).....	Acre	---	1.0	11.00	1.0	10.30
Total harvest cost per planted acre.....	do.	---	1.0	11.00	1.0	10.30
Total variable cost per planted acre.....	do.	---	1.0	37.84	1.0	35.78

Additional information:

Resource situation	Bushels of soybeans per acre		Fertilizer (lbs. per acre)		
	Planted	Harvested	N	P ₂ O ₅	K ₂ O
Small farm (Soil I)	30	30	10	40	40
Small farm (Soil II)	23	23	0	40	40

Table 40.--Soybeans: Estimated inputs and variable costs per planted acre, selected resource situations,
Tennessee Brown Loam Area (G)--Continued

Category	Unit	Price	Large farm (Soil I)		Large farm (Soil II)	
			Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
			<u>Dollars</u>		<u>Dollars</u>	
Harvest costs per harvested acre:						
Labor:						
Regular.....	Hour	1.25	.40	.50	.40	.50
Seasonal.....	do.	1.00	.40	.40	.40	.40
Power and equipment:						
Combine, self-propelled, fuel,						
lubricant and repairs.....	do.	2.93	.40	1.17	.40	1.17
Truck, fuel, lubricant and						
repairs.....	do.	---	---	.50	---	.50
Total harvest cost per harvested acre,						
(100 percent harvested).....	Acre	---	1.0	2.57	1.0	2.57
Total harvest cost per planted acre.....						
	do.	---	1.0	2.57	1.0	2.57
Total variable cost per planted acre.....						
	do.	---	1.0	27.06	1.0	25.70
Additional information:						
Resource situation	Bushels of soybeans per acre		Fertilizer (lbs. per acre)			
	Planted	Harvested	N	P ₂ O ₅	K ₂ O	
Large farm (Soil I)	30	30	10	40		40
Large farm (Soil II)	23	23	0	40		40

Table 41.--Soybeans: Estimated inputs and variable costs per planted acre, selected resource situations,
North Carolina Piedmont (H) and Coastal Plain (J) Areas

Category	Unit	Price	Small farm (Piedmont)		Small farm (Coastal Plain)	
			Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
			Dollars			
Preharvest costs:						
Labor:						
Regular.....	Hour	1.25	3.08	3.85	3.46	4.33
Seasonal.....	do.	1.00	.60	.60	.60	.60
Seed:						
Soybeans.....	Pound	.067	50.00	3.45	50.00	3.45
Inoculant.....	Acre	.24	1.00	.24	1.00	.24
Fertilizer and lime:						
Mixed fertilizer.....	Cwt.	2.30	4.00	9.20	4.00	9.20
Lime, ground.....	Ton	---	.40	2.80	.40	3.10
Power and equipment:						
Tractor (2-R) fuel, lubricant						
and repairs.....	Hour	1.08	3.08	3.33	3.46	3.74
Equipment, lubricant and repairs.....	do.	---	---	1.14	---	1.14
Insecticides:						
Materials, various.....	Acre	---	---	1.06	---	.84
Interest on operating expenses,						
8 months at 7 percent.....	Dollar	.07	21.82	1.02	22.31	1.04
Total preharvest.....	Acre	---	1.0	26.69	1.0	27.68

Labor required per acre (hours)

Resource situation	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	Aug.	Oct.	Total	Regular	Seasonal
Small farm (Piedmont)	.45	.45	1.50	.98	.30	.50	4.18	3.58	.60
Small farm (Coastal Plain)	.83	.45	1.50	.98	.30	.50	4.56	3.96	.60

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Table 41.--Soybeans: Estimated inputs and variable costs per planted acre, selected resource situations, North Carolina Piedmont (H) and Coastal Plain (J) Areas--Continued

Category	Unit	Price	Small farm (Piedmont)		Small farm (Coastal Plain)	
			Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
			<u>Dollars</u>		<u>Dollars</u>	
Harvest costs per harvested acre:						
Labor:						
Regular.....	Hour	1.25	.50	.63	.50	
Power and equipment:						
Truck, fuel, lubricant and repairs...	do.	---	---	.76	---	
Custom hire:						
Combine.....	Acre	---	1.00	7.00	1.00	
Total harvest cost per harvested acre, (95 percent harvested).....	do.	---	1.0	8.39	1.0	
Total harvest cost per planted acre.....	do.	---	1.0	7.97	1.0	
Total variable cost per planted acre.....	do.	---	1.0	34.66	1.0	

Additional information:

Resource situation	Bushels of soybeans per acre		Fertilizer (lbs. per acre)			
	Planted	Harvested	N	P ₂ O ₅	K ₂ O	
Small farm (Piedmont)	22.8	24.0	0	40	80	
Small farm (Coastal Plain)	23.5	24.7	0	40	80	

Table 42.--Wheat: Estimated inputs and variable costs per planted acre, selected resource situations, Southern Piedmont Area (A)

Category	Unit	Price	Small farm			Large farm		
			Quantity	Value	Dollars	Quantity	Value	Dollars
Preharvest costs:								
Labor:								
Regular.....	Hour	1.25	2.62	3.28		1.84	2.30	
Seasonal.....	do.	1.00	1.04	1.04		.74	.74	
Seed:								
Wheat.....	Bushe	3.50	1.50	5.25		1.50	5.25	
Fertilizer and lime:								
Mixed fertilizer.....	Cwt.	2.15	3.50	7.53		3.50	7.53	
Nitrogen fertilizer.....	do.	3.60	1.00	3.60		1.00	3.60	
Lime, ground.....	Ton	7.75	.167	1.29		.167	1.29	
Power and equipment:								
Tractor (2-R) fuel, lubricant and repairs.....	Hour	1.08	2.62	2.83		.51	.55	
Tractor (4-R) fuel, lubricant and repairs.....	do.	1.82	---	---		1.30	2.37	
Equipment, lubricant and repairs...	do.	---	---	1.06		---	1.00	
Truck, fuel, lubricant and repairs.....	do.	---	---	.18		---	.23	
Insecticides:								
Materials, various.....	Acre	---	---	.12		---	.12	
Herbicides:								
Postemerge application.....	do.	---	---	.29		---	.29	
Interest on operating expenses, 8 months at 7 percent.....	Dollar	.07	23.19	1.08		22.97	1.07	
Total preharvest.....	Acre	---	1.0	27.55		1.0	26.34	
Labor required per acre (hours)								
Resource situation	Mar.	Apr.	June	Oct.	Nov.	Total	Regular	Seasonal
Small farm	.66	.32	.50	.83	1.85	4.16	3.12	1.04
Large farm	.50	.18	1.00	.62	1.28	3.58	2.34	1.24

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Table 42.--Wheat: Estimated inputs and variable costs per planted acre, selected resource situations, Southern Piedmont Area (A)--Continued

Category	Unit	Price	Small farm		Large farm	
			Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
			Dollars			
Harvest costs per harvested acre:						
Labor:						
Regular.....	Hour	1.25	.50	.63	.50	.63
Seasonal.....	do.	1.00	---	---	.50	.50
Power and equipment:						
Combine, self-propelled, fuel,						
lubricant and repairs.....	do.	2.93	---	---	.50	1.47
Truck, fuel, lubricant and						
repairs.....	do.	---	---	.44	---	.58
Custom hire:						
Combine.....	Acre	6.00	1.00	6.00	---	---
Total harvest cost per harvested acre,						
(95 percent harvested).....	do.	---	1.0	7.07	1.00	3.18
Total harvest cost per planted acre.....						
	do.	---	1.0	6.72	1.0	3.02
Total variable cost per planted acre....						
	do.	---	1.0	34.27	1.0	29.36
Additional information:						
Resource situation	Bushels of wheat per acre		Fertilizer (lbs. per acre)			
	Planted	Harvested	N	P ₂ O ₅	K ₂ O	
Small farm	28.5	30.0	48	42		42
Large farm	28.5	30.0	48	42		42

Table 43.--Wheat: Estimated inputs and variable costs per planted acre, selected resource situations, Southeastern Coastal Plain Area (B)

Category	Unit	Price	Small farm			Large farm		
			Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
			Dollars			Dollars		
Preharvest costs:								
Labor:								
Regular.....	Hour	1.25	2.62	3.28	1.84	2.30		
Seasonal.....	do.	1.00	1.04	1.04	.74	.74		
Seed:								
Wheat.....	Bushe1	3.50	1.50	5.25	1.50	5.25		
Fertilizer and lime:								
Mixed fertilizer.....	Cwt.	2.15	4.15	8.92	4.15	8.92		
Nitrogen fertilizer.....	do.	3.60	1.45	5.22	1.45	5.22		
Lime, ground.....	Ton	7.75	.167	1.29	.167	1.29		
Power and equipment:								
Tractor (2-R) fuel, lubricant and repairs.....	Hour	1.08	2.62	2.83	.51	.55		
Tractor (4-R) fuel, lubricant and repairs.....	do.	1.82	---	---	1.30	2.37		
Equipment, lubricant and repairs....	do.	---	---	1.06	---	1.01		
Truck, fuel, lubricant and repairs..	do.	---	---	.18	---	.23		
Insecticides:								
Materials, various.....	Acre	---	---	.12	---	.12		
Herbicides:								
Postemerge application.....	do.	---	---	.29	---	.29		
Interest on operating expense, 8 months at 7 percent.....	Dollar	.07	26.20	1.22	25.99	1.21		
Total preharvest.....	Acre	---	1.0	30.70	1.0	29.50		
Labor required per acre (hours)								
Resource situation	Feb.	Mar.	June	Oct.	Nov.	Total	Regular	Seasonal
Small farm	.66	.32	.50	1.28	1.40	4.16	3.12	1.04
Large farm	.50	.18	1.00	.90	1.00	3.58	2.34	1.24

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Table 43.--Wheat: Estimated inputs and variable costs per planted acre, selected resource situations, Southeastern Coastal Plain Area (B)--Continued

Category	Unit	Price	Small farm		Large farm	
			Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
			Dollars			
Harvest costs per harvested acre:						
Labor:						
Regular.....	Hour	1.25	.50	.63	.50	.63
Seasonal.....	do.	1.00	---	---	.50	.50
Power and equipment:						
Combine, self-propelled, fuel, lubricant and repairs.....	do.	2.93	---	---	.50	1.47
Truck, fuel, lubricant and repairs.....	do.	---	---	.44	---	.58
Custom hire:						
Combine.....	Acre	6.00	1.00	6.00	---	---
Total harvest cost per harvested acre, (95 percent harvested).....						
	do.	---	1.0	7.07	1.0	3.18
Total harvest cost per planted acre.....						
	do.	---	1.0	6.72	1.0	3.02
Total variable cost per planted acre.....						
	do.	---	1.0	37.42	1.0	32.52

Additional information:

Resource situation	Bushels of wheat per acre		Fertilizer (lbs. per acre)			
	Planted	Harvested	N	P ₂ O ₅	K ₂ O	
Small farm	31.8	33.5	65	50	50	
Large farm	31.8	33.5	65	50	50	

Table 44.--Wheat: Estimated inputs and variable costs per planted acre, selected resource situations,
Southern Coastal Plain Area (C)

Category	Unit	Price	Small farm		Large farm	
			Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
			Dollars			
Preharvest costs:						
Labor:						
Regular.....	Hour	1.25	2.77	3.46	1.98	2.48
Seasonal.....	do.	1.00	.77	.77	.56	.56
Seed:						
Wheat.....	Bushel	3.00	1.25	3.75	1.25	3.75
Fertilizer and lime:						
Mixed fertilizer.....	Cwt.	2.30	3.75	8.63	3.75	8.63
Nitrogen fertilizer.....	do.	3.80	1.50	5.70	1.50	5.70
Lime, ground.....	Ton	7.75	.167	1.29	.167	1.29
Power and equipment:						
Tractor (2-R) fuel, lubricant and repairs.....	Hour	1.08	2.77	2.99	.40	.43
Tractor (4-R) fuel, lubricant and repairs.....	do.	1.82	---	---	1.58	2.88
Equipment, lubricant and repairs.....	do.	---	---	1.33	---	1.20
Interest on operating expenses, 8 months at 7 percent.....						
	Dollar	.07	24.46	1.14	24.44	1.14
Total preharvest						
	Acre	---	1.0	29.06	1.0	28.06

Labor required per acre (hours)

Resource situation	Mar.	June	Oct.	Nov.	Total	Regular	Seasonal
Small farm	.66	1.0	.77	2.11	4.54	3.77	.77
Large farm	.50	1.0	.58	1.46	3.54	2.48	1.06

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Table 44.--Wheat: Estimated inputs and variable costs per planted acre, selected resource situations,
Southern Coastal Plain Area (C)--Continued

Category	Unit	Price	Small farm		Large farm	
			Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
			Dollars			
Harvest costs per harvested acre:						
Labor:						
Regular.....	Hour	1.25	1.00	1.25	.50	.63
Seasonal.....	do.	1.00	---	---	.50	.50
Power and equipment:						
Combine, self-propelled, fuel,						
lubricant and repairs.....	do.	---	---	---	---	1.51
Truck, fuel, lubricant and						
repairs.....	do.	---	---	.89	---	.58
Custom hire:						
Combine.....	Acre	5.50	1.00	5.50	---	---
Total harvest cost per harvested acre,						
(95 percent harvested).....	do.	---	1.0	7.64	1.0	3.22
Total harvest cost per planted acre.....						
	do.	---	1.0	7.26	1.0	3.06
Total variable cost per planted acre.....						
	do.	---	1.0	36.32	1.0	31.12

Additional information:

Resource situation	Bushels of wheat per acre			Fertilizer (lbs. per acre)			
	Planted	Harvested	N	P ₂ O ₅	K ₂ O		
Small farm	33.3	35.0	69	37			56
Large farm	33.3	35.0	69	37			56

Table 45.--Wheat: Estimated inputs and variable costs per planted acre, selected resource situations, Limestone Valley Area (D)

Category	Unit	Price	Large farm (Valley)	
			Quantity	Value
<u>Dollars</u>				
Preharvest costs:				
Labor:				
Regular.....	Hour	1.25	1.90	2.38
Seasonal.....	do.	1.00	.56	.56
Seed:				
Wheat.....	Bushel	3.00	1.75	5.25
Fertilizer and lime:				
Mixed fertilizer.....	Cwt.	2.15	3.30	7.10
Nitrogen fertilizer.....	do.	3.80	2.15	8.17
Lime, ground.....	Ton	7.75	.167	1.29
Power and equipment				
Tractor (2-R) fuel, lubricant and repairs....	Hour	1.08	.60	.65
Tractor (4-R) fuel, lubricant and repairs....	do.	1.82	1.30	2.37
Equipment, lubricant and repairs.....	do.	---	---	1.06
Interest on operating expenses, 8 months at 7 percent.....	Dollar	.07	26.45	1.24
Total preharvest.....	Acre	---	1.0	30.07

Labor required per acre (hours)

Resource situation	Mar.	June	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Total	Regular	Seasonal
Large farm (Valley)	.50	1.0	.28	1.12	.56	3.46	2.40	1.06

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Table 45.--Wheat: Estimated inputs and variable costs per planted acre, selected resource situations, Limestone Valley Area (D)--Continued

Category	Unit	Price	Large farm (Valley)	
			Quantity	Value
		Dollars		Dollars
Harvest costs per harvested acre:				
Labor:				
Regular.....	Hour	1.25	.50	.63
Seasonal.....	do.	1.00	.50	.50
Power and equipment:				
Combine, self-propelled, fuel, lubricant				
and repairs.....	do.	2.93	.50	1.47
Truck.....	do.	---	---	.58
Total harvest cost per harvested acre,				
(97 percent harvested).....	Acre	---	1.0	3.18
Total harvest cost per planted acre.....	do.	---	1.0	3.08
Total variable cost per planted acre.....	do.	---	1.0	33.15

Additional information:

Resource situation	Bushels of wheat per acre		Fertilizer (lbs. per acre)			
	Planted	Harvested	N	P ₂ O ₅	K ₂ O	
Large farm (Valley)	31.0	32.0	85	40	40	

Table 46.--Wheat: Estimated inputs and variable costs per planted acre, selected resource situations,
Tennessee Brown Loam Area (G)

Category	Unit	Price	Small farm (Soil I)		Small farm (Soil II)	
			Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
			<u>Dollars</u>			
<u>Dollars</u>						
Preharvest costs:						
Labor:						
Regular.....	Hour	1.25	2.91	3.64	2.91	3.64
Seasonal.....	do.	1.00	---	---	---	---
Seed:						
Wheat.....	Bushel	3.00	1.50	4.50	1.50	4.50
Fertilizer and lime:						
Mixed fertilizer.....	Cwt.	2.00	4.00	8.00	3.00	6.00
Nitrogen fertilizer.....	do.	4.00	1.00	4.00	1.00	4.00
Lime, ground.....	Ton	4.00	.40	1.60	.40	1.60
Power and equipment:						
Tractor (2-R) fuel, lubricant						
and repairs.....	Hour	1.08	2.91	3.14	2.91	3.14
Equipment.....	do.	---	---	1.29	---	1.29
Interest on operating expenses,						
8 months at 7 percent.....	Dollar	.07	22.53	1.05	20.53	.96
Total preharvest.....	Acre	---	1.0	27.22	1.0	25.13

Labor required per acre(hours)

Resource situation	Feb.	Sept.	Oct.	Total	Regular	Seasonal
Small farm (Soil I)	.33	2.30	.28	2.91	2.91	0
Small farm (Soil II)	.33	2.30	.28	2.91	2.91	0

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Table 46.--Wheat: Estimated inputs and variable costs per planted acre, selected resource situations,
Tennessee Brown Loam Area (G)--Continued

Category	Unit	Price	Small farm (Soil I)		Small farm (Soil II)	
			Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
			<u>Dollars</u>		<u>Dollars</u>	
Harvest costs per harvested acre:						
Custom hire:						
Combine.....	Acre	8.00	1.00	8.00	1.00	8.00
Hauling grain.....	Bushel	.10	38.00	3.80	35.00	3.50
Total harvest cost per harvested acre, (90 percent harvested).....	Acre	---	1.0	11.80	1.0	11.50
Total harvest cost per planted acre....	do.	---	1.0	10.62	1.0	10.35
Total variable cost per planted acre....	do.	---	1.0	37.84	1.0	35.48

Additional information:

Resource situation	Bushels of wheat per acre		Fertilizer (lbs. per acre)			
	Planted	Harvested	N	P ₂ O ₅	K ₂ O	
Small farm (Soil I)	34.2	38.0	57	48		48
Small farm (Soil II)	31.5	35.0	51	36		36

Table 47.--Wheat: Estimated inputs and variable costs per planted acre, selected resource situations, Tennessee Brown Loam Area (G)

Category	Unit	Large farm (Soil I)			Large farm (Soil II)		
		Quantity		Price	Quantity		Value
							Dollars
Preharvest costs:							
Labor:							
Regular.....	Hour	2.03		1.25	2.03	2.03	2.54
Seed:							
Wheat.....	Bushel	1.50		3.00	1.50	1.50	4.50
Fertilizer and lime:							
Mixed fertilizer.....	Cwt.	4.00		2.00	4.00	3.00	6.00
Nitrogen fertilizer.....	do.	1.00		4.00	1.00	1.00	4.00
Lime, ground.....	Ton	.40		4.00	.40	.40	1.60
Power and equipment:							
Tractor (2-R) fuel, lubricant and repairs.....	Hour	.45		1.08	.45	.76	.82
Tractor (4-R) fuel, lubricant and repairs.....	do.	1.58		1.82	1.58	1.62	2.95
Equipment, lubricant and repairs.....	do.	---		---	---	---	1.16
Interest on operating expenses, 8 months at 7 percent.....	Dollar	22.63		.07	22.63	21.03	.98
Total preharvest.....	Acre	1.0		---	1.0	1.0	24.55

Labor required per acre (hours)

Resource situation	Feb.	June	Sept.	Oct.	Total	Regular	Seasonal
Large farm (Soil I)	.25	.80	1.58	.20	2.83	2.43	.40
Large farm (Soil II)	.25	.80	1.58	.20	2.83	2.43	.40

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Table 47.--Wheat: Estimated inputs and variable costs per planted acre, selected resource situations,
Tennessee Brown Loam Area (C)--Continued

Category	Unit	Price	Large farm (Soil I)			Large farm (Soil II)		
			Quantity	Value	Dollars	Quantity	Value	Dollars
Harvest costs per harvested acre:								
Labor:								
Regular.....	Hour	1.25	.40	.50		.40	.50	
Seasonal.....	do.	1.00	.40	.40		.40	.40	
Power and equipment:								
Combine, self-propelled, fuel,								
lubricant and repairs.....	do.	2.93	.40	1.17		.40	1.17	
Truck, fuel, lubricant and								
repairs.....	do.	---	---	.50		---	.50	
Total harvest cost per harvested acre,								
(90 percent harvested).....	Acre	---	1.0	2.57		1.0	2.57	
Total harvest cost per planted acre.....								
	do.	---	1.0	2.31		1.0	2.31	
Total variable cost per planted acre.....								
	do.	---	1.0	28.54		1.0	26.86	

Additional information:

Resource situation	Bushels of wheat per acre		Fertilizer (lbs. per acre)				
	Planted	Harvested	N	P	O	K	
Large farm (Soil I)	34.2	38.0	57	48			48
Large farm (Soil II)	31.5	35.0	51	36			36

Table 48.--Wheat: Estimated inputs and variable costs per planted acre, selected resource situations, North Carolina Piedmont (H) and Coastal Plain (J) Areas

Category	Unit	Small farm (Piedmont)			Small farm (Coastal Plain)		
		Quantity	Value	Dollars	Quantity	Value	Dollars
Preharvest costs:							
Labor:							
Regular.....	Hour	2.68	3.35		2.68	3.35	
Seasonal.....	do.	1.10	1.10		1.10	1.10	
Seed:							
Wheat.....	Bushel	2.00	6.00		2.00	6.00	
Fertilizer and lime:							
Mixed fertilizer.....	Cwt.	2.50	5.63		2.50	5.63	
Nitrogen fertilizer.....	do.	3.00	8.10		3.00	8.10	
Lime, ground.....	Ton	---	1.40		---	1.55	
Power and equipment:							
Tractor (2-R) fuel, lubricant							
and repairs.....	Hour	2.68	2.89		2.68	2.89	
Equipment, lubricant and repairs....	do.	---	1.39		---	1.39	
Interest on operating expenses,							
8 months at 7 percent.....	Dollar	26.51	1.24		26.66	1.25	
Total preharvest.....	Acre	1.0	31.10		1.0	31.26	
Labor required per acre (hours)							
Resource situation	Feb.	June	Sept.	Oct.	Total	Regular	Seasonal
Small farm (Piedmont)	1.10	2.00	.83	1.85	5.78	3.68	2.10
Small farm (Coastal Plain)	1.10	2.00	.83	1.85	5.78	3.68	2.10

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Table 48.--Wheat: Estimated inputs and variable costs per planted acre, selected resource situations, North Carolina Piedmont (H) and Coastal Plain (J) Areas--Continued

Category	Unit	Small farm (Piedmont)		Small farm (Coastal Plain)	
		Price	Quantity	Quantity	Value
Dollars					
Harvest costs per harvested acre:					
Labor:					
Regular.....	Hour	1.25	1.00	1.25	1.25
Seasonal.....	do.	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00
Power and equipment:					
Tractor (2-R) fuel, lubricant					
and repairs.....	do.	1.08	1.00	1.08	1.08
Combine, lubricant and repairs.....	do.	2.00	1.00	2.00	2.00
Truck, fuel, lubricant and repairs.	do.	---	---	.76	.76
Total harvest cost per harvested acre,					
(87 percent harvested).....	Acre	---	1.0	6.09	6.09
Total harvest cost per planted acre.....					
	do.	---	1.0	5.30	5.30
Total variable cost per planted acre.....					
	do.	---	1.0	36.40	36.56
Additional information:					
Resource situation	Bushels of wheat per acre		Fertilizer (lbs. per acre)		
	Planted	Harvested	N	P ₂ O ₅	K ₂ O
Small farm (Piedmont)	43.5	50.0	103	25	25
Small farm (Coastal Plain)	43.5	50.0	103	25	25

Table 49.--Oats: Estimated inputs and variable costs per planted acre, selected resource situations, Southern Piedmont Area (A)

Category	Unit	Price	Small farm			Large farm		
			Quantity	Value	Dollars	Quantity	Value	Dollars
Preharvest costs:								
Labor:								
Regular.....	Hour	1.25	2.62	3.28		1.84	2.30	
Seasonal.....	do.	1.00	1.04	1.04		.74	.74	
Seed:								
Oats.....	Bushel	1.80	2.00	3.60		2.00	3.60	
Fertilizer and lime:								
Mixed fertilizer.....	Cwt.	2.15	2.65	5.70		2.65	5.70	
Nitrogen fertilizer.....	do.	3.60	.75	2.70		.75	2.70	
Lime, ground.....	Ton	7.75	.167	1.29		.167	1.29	
Power and equipment:								
Tractor (2-R) fuel, lubricant and repairs.....	Hour	1.08	2.62	2.83		.51	.55	
Tractor (4-R) fuel, lubricant and repairs.....	do.	1.82	---	---		1.30	2.37	
Equipment, lubricant and repairs....	do.	---	---	1.06		---	1.01	
Truck, fuel, lubricant and repairs..	do.	---	---	.18		---	.23	
Insecticides:								
Materials, various.....	Acre	---	---	.12		---	.12	
Herbicides:								
Postemerge application.....	do.	---	---	.29		---	.29	
Interest on operating expenses, 8 months at 7 percent.....	Dollar	.07	18.81	.88		18.60	.87	
Total preharvest.....	Acre	---	1.0	22.97		1.0	21.77	
Labor required per acre (hours)								
Resource situation	Mar.	Apr.	June	Sept.	Oct.	Total	Regular	Seasonal
Small farm	.66	.32	.50	1.58	1.10	4.16	3.12	1.04
Large farm	.50	.18	1.00	1.10	.80	3.58	2.34	1.24

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Table 49.--Oats: Estimated inputs and variable costs per planted acre, selected resource situations, Southern Piedmont Area (A) -- Continued

Category	Small farm		Large farm	
	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
	<u>Dollars</u>			
Harvest costs per harvested acre:				
Labor:				
Regular.....	Hour	1.25	.50	.63
Seasonal.....	do.	1.00	---	.50
Power and equipment:				
Combine, self-propelled, fuel,				
lubricant and repairs.....	do.	2.93	---	1.47
Truck, fuel, lubricant and repairs....	do.	---	---	.58
Custom hire:				
Combine.....	Acre	6.00	1.00	---
Total harvest cost per harvested acre,				
(95 percent harvested).....	do.	---	1.0	3.18
Total harvest cost per planted acre.....	do.	---	1.0	3.02
Total variable cost per planted acre....	do.	---	1.0	24.79
Additional information:				
Resource situation	Bushels of oats per acre		Fertilizer (lbs. per acre)	
	Planted	Harvested	N	P ₂ O ₅ K ₂ O
Small farm	43.5	45.8	36	32
Large farm	43.5	45.8	36	32

Table 50.-- Oats: Estimated inputs and variable costs per planted acre, selected resource situations, Southeastern Coastal Plain Area (B)

Category	Unit	Price	Small farm		Large farm	
			Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
			Dollars			
Preharvest costs:						
Labor:						
Regular.....	Hour	1.25	2.62	3.28	1.84	2.30
Seasonal.....	do.	1.00	1.04	1.04	.74	.74
Seed:						
Oats.....	Bushel	1.80	1.75	3.15	1.75	3.15
Fertilizer and lime:						
Mixed fertilizer.....	Cwt.	2.15	3.00	6.45	3.25	6.99
Nitrogen fertilizer.....	do.	3.60	1.00	3.60	1.10	3.96
Lime, ground.....	Ton	7.75	.167	1.29	.167	1.29
Power and equipment:						
Tractor (2-R) fuel, lubricant and repairs.....	Hour	1.08	2.62	2.83	.51	.55
Tractor (4-R) fuel, lubricant and repairs.....	do.	1.82	---	---	1.30	2.37
Equipment, lubricant and repairs.....	do.	---	---	1.06	---	1.01
Insecticides:						
Materials, various.....	Acre	---	---	.12	---	.12
Herbicides:						
Postemerge application.....	do.	---	---	.29	---	.29
Interest on operating expenses, 8 months at 7 percent.....	Dollar	.07	19.83	.93	20.47	.96
Total preharvest.....	Acre	---	1.0	24.04	1.0	23.73

Labor required per acre (hours)

Resource situation	Feb.	Mar.	June	Sept.	Oct.	Total	Regular	Seasonal
Small farm	.66	.32	.50	.83	1.85	4.16	3.12	1.04
Large farm	.50	.18	1.00	.62	1.28	3.58	2.34	1.24

Table 50.-- Oats: Estimated inputs and variable costs per planted acre, selected resource situations, Southeastern Coastal Plain Area (B)--Continued

Category	Unit	Price	Small farm		Large farm	
			Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
			Dollars			
Harvest costs per harvested acre:						
Labor:						
Regular.....	Hour	1.25	.50	.63	.50	.63
Seasonal.....	do.	1.00	---	---	.50	.50
Power and equipment:						
Combine, self-propelled, fuel, lubricant and repairs.....	do.	2.93	---	---	.50	1.47
Truck, fuel, lubricant and repairs...	do.	---	---	.44	---	.58
Custom hire:						
Combine.....	Acre	6.00	1.00	6.00	---	---
Total harvest cost per harvested acre, (90 percent harvested).....						
	do.	---	1.0	7.07	1.0	3.18
Total harvest cost per planted acre.....						
	do.	---	1.0	6.36	1.0	2.86
Total variable cost per planted acre.....						
	do.	---	1.0	30.40	1.0	26.59

Additional information:

Resource situation	Bushels of oats per acre		Fertilizer (lbs. per acre)			
	Planted	Harvested	N	P ₂ O ₅	K ₂ O	
Small farm	40.8	45.3	45	36	36	
Large farm	40.8	45.3	50	39	39	

Table 51.--Oats: Estimated inputs and variable costs per planted acre, selected resource situations,
Southern Coastal Plain Area (C)

Category	Unit	Price	Small farm		Large farm	
			Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
			Dollars			
Preharvest costs:						
Labor:						
Regular.....	Hour	1.25	2.77	3.46	1.98	2.48
Seasonal.....	do.	1.00	.77	.77	.56	.56
Seed:						
Oats.....	Bushel	1.84	2.00	3.68	2.00	3.68
Fertilizer and lime:						
Mixed fertilizer.....	Cwt.	2.30	3.00	6.90	3.00	6.90
Nitrogen fertilizer.....	do.	3.80	1.00	3.80	1.00	3.80
Lime, ground.....	Ton	7.75	.167	1.29	.167	1.29
Power and equipment:						
Tractor (2-R) fuel, lubricant and repairs.....	Hour	1.08	2.77	2.99	.40	.43
Tractor (4-R) fuel, lubricant and repairs.....	do.	1.82	---	---	1.58	2.88
Equipment, lubricant and repairs.....	do.	---	---	1.33	---	1.20
Interest on operating expenses, 8 months at 7 percent.....	Dollar	.07	20.76	.97	20.74	.97
Total preharvest.....	Acre	---	1.0	25.19	1.0	24.19

Labor required per acre (hours)

Resource situation	Mar.	June	Oct.	Nov.	Total	Regular	Seasonal
Small farm	.66	1.0	.77	2.11	4.54	3.77	.77
Large farm	.50	1.0	.58	1.46	3.54	2.48	1.06

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Table 5L.--Oats: Estimated inputs and variable costs per planted acre, selected resource situations,
Southern Coastal Plain Area (C)--Continued

Category	Unit	Price	Small farm		Large farm	
			Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
			<u>Dollars</u>			
<u>Dollars</u>						
Harvest costs per harvested acre:						
Labor:						
Regular.....	Hour	1.25	1.00	1.25	.50	.63
Seasonal.....	do.	1.00	---	---	.50	.50
Power and equipment:						
Combine, self-propelled, fuel,						
lubricant and repairs.....	do.	2.93	---	---	.50	1.47
Equipment, lubricant and repairs....	do.	---	---	.10	---	.05
Truck, fuel, lubricant and repairs..	do.	---	---	.89	---	.58
Custom hire:						
Combine.....	Acre	5.50	1.00	5.50	---	---
Total harvest cost per harvested acre,						
(95 percent harvested).....	do.	---	1.0	7.74	1.0	3.23
Total harvest cost per planted acre.....	do.	---	1.0	7.35	1.0	3.07
Total variable cost per planted acre....	do.	---	1.0	32.54	1.0	27.26

Additional information:

Resource situation	Bushels of oats per acre		Fertilizer (lbs. per acre)				
	Planted	Harvested	N	P ₂ O ₅	K ₂ O		
Small farm	46.1	48.5	49	30		45	
Large farm	46.1	48.5	51	35		52	

Table 52.--Oats: Estimated inputs and variable costs per planted acre, selected resource situations, Limestone Valley Area (D)

Category	Unit	Price	Large farm (Valley)		Value
			Quantity	:	
			Dollars	Dollars	
Preharvest costs:					
Labor:					
Regular.....	Hour	1.25	1.90		2.38
Seasonal.....	do.	1.00	.56		.56
Seed:					
Oats.....	Bushel	1.73	2.0		3.46
Fertilizer and lime:					
Mixed fertilizer.....	Cwt.	2.30	3.30		7.59
Nitrogen fertilizer.....	do.	3.80	1.25		4.75
Lime, ground.....	Ton	7.75	.167		1.29
Power and equipment:					
Tractor (2-R) fuel, lubricant and repairs...	Hour	1.08	.60		.65
Tractor (4-R) fuel, lubricant and repairs...	do.	1.82	1.30		2.37
Equipment, lubricant and repairs.....	do.	---	---		1.06
Interest on operating expenses,					
8 months at 7 percent.....	Dollar	.07	21.73		1.01
Total preharvest.....	Acre	---	1.0		25.12

Labor required per acre (hours)

Resource situation	Mar.	June	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Total	Regular	Seasonal
Large farm (Valley)	.41	1.25	.28	1.12	.40	3.46	2.40	1.06

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Table 52.--Oats: Estimated inputs and variable costs per planted acre, selected resource situations, Limestone Valley Area (D)--Continued

Category	Unit	Price	Large farm (Valley)		Value
			Quantity	:	
		<u>Dollars</u>			<u>Dollars</u>
Harvest costs per harvested acre:					
Labor:					
Regular.....	Hour	1.25	.50		.63
Seasonal.....	do.	1.00	.50		.50
Power and equipment:					
Combine, self-propelled, fuel, lubricant					
and repairs.....	do.	2.93	.50		1.47
Trailer, lubricant and repairs.....	do.	.14	.50		.07
Truck, fuel, lubricant and repairs.....	do.	1.16	.50		.58
Total harvest cost per harvested acre,					
(96 percent harvested).....	Acre	---	1.0		3.25
Total harvest cost per planted acre.....	do.	---	1.0		3.12
Total variable cost per planted acre.....	do.	---	1.0		28.24

Additional information:

Resource situation	Bushels of oats per acre		Fertilizer (lbs. per acre)	
	Planted	Harvested	N	P ₂ O ₅
Large farm (Valley)	46.1	48.0	58	33
				50

Table 53.--Oats: Estimated inputs and variable costs per planted acre, selected resource situations, Clay Hills Area (E)

Category	Unit	Price	Large farm (Soil I)		Small farm (Soil III)	
			Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
			Dollars			
Preharvest costs:						
Labor:						
Regular.....	Hour	1.25	2.03	2.54	2.91	3.64
Seasonal.....	do.	1.00	---	---	---	---
Seed:						
Oats.....	Bushel	1.40	2.00	2.80	2.00	2.80
Fertilizer and lime:						
Mixed fertilizer.....	Cwt.	2.00	4.00	8.00	2.00	4.00
Nitrogen fertilizer.....	do.	4.00	1.00	4.00	.60	2.40
Lime, ground.....	Ton	4.00	.40	1.60	.40	1.60
Power and equipment:						
Tractor (2-R) fuel, lubricant and repairs.....	Hour	1.08	.76	.82	2.91	3.14
Tractor (4-R) fuel, lubricant and repairs.....	do.	1.82	1.62	2.95	---	---
Equipment, lubricant and repairs....	do.	---	---	1.16	---	1.29
Interest on operating expenses, 8 months at 7 percent.....						
	Dollar	.07	21.33	1.00	15.23	.71
Total preharvest.....	Acre	---	1.0	24.87	1.0	19.58
Labor required per acre (hours)						
Resource situation	Feb.	June	Sept.	Oct.	Total	Seasonal
Large farm (Soil I)	.25	.80	1.58	.20	2.83	.40
Small farm (Soil III)	.33	0	2.30	.28	2.91	0

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Table 53.--Oats: Estimated inputs and variable costs per planted acre, selected resource situations, Clay Hills Area (E)--Continued

Category	Unit	Price	Large farm (Soil I)		Small farm (Soil III)	
			Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
			<u>Dollars</u>			
Harvest costs per harvested acre:						
Labor:						
Regular.....	Hour	1.25	.40	.50	---	---
Seasonal.....	do.	1.00	.40	.40	---	---
Power and equipment:						
Combine, self-propelled, fuel, lubricant and repairs.....	do.	2.93	.40	1.17	---	---
Truck, fuel, lubricant and repairs....	do.	---	---	.50	---	---
Custom hire:						
Combine.....	Acre	8.00	---	---	1.00	8.00
Hauling.....	Bushel	.06	---	---	38.00	2.28
Total harvest cost per harvested acre, (90 percent harvested).....						
	Acre	---	1.0	2.57	1.0	10.28
Total harvest cost per planted acre						
	do.	---	1.0	2.31	1.0	9.25
Total variable cost per planted acre						
	do.	---	1.0	27.18	1.0	28.83
Additional information:						
Resource situation	Bushels of oats per acre		Fertilizer (lbs. per acre)			
	Planted	Harvested	N	P ₂ O ₅	K ₂ O	
Large farm (Soil I)	49.5	55.0	57	48		48
Small farm (Soil III)	34.2	38.0	32	24		24

Table 54.--Oats: Estimated inputs and variable costs per planted acre, selected resource situations, Black Prairie Area (F)

Category	Unit	Price	Large farm		Value
			Quantity	:	
<u>Dollars</u>					
Preharvest costs:					
Labor:					
Regular.....	Hour	1.25	2.46		3.08
Seasonal.....	do.	1.00	.25		.25
Seed:					
Oats.....	Bushel	1.70	2.00		3.40
Fertilizer and lime:					
Mixed fertilizer.....	Cwt.	2.15	2.00		4.30
Nitrogen fertilizer.....	do.	3.80	1.25		4.75
Lime, ground.....	Ton	7.75	.20		1.55
Power and equipment:					
Tractor (2-R) fuel, lubricant and repairs.....	Hour	1.08	2.46		2.66
Equipment, lubricant and repairs.....	do.	---	---		1.09
Interest on operating expenses,					
8 months at 7 percent.....	Dollar	.07	18.00		.84
Total preharvest.....	Acre	---	1.0		21.92

Labor required per acre (hours)

Resource situation	Mar.	June	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Total	Regular	Seasonal
Large farm	.33	1.17	.45	.83	1.10	3.88	3.36	.52

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Table 54.--Oats: Estimated inputs and variable costs per planted acre, selected resource situations, Black Prairie Area (F)--Continued

Category	Unit	Price	Large farm		Value
			Quantity	:	
		<u>Dollars</u>		:	<u>Dollars</u>
Harvest costs per harvested acre:					
Labor:					
Regular.....	Hour	1.25	.90		1.13
Seasonal.....	do.	1.00	.27		.27
Power and equipment:					
Tractor (2-R) fuel, lubricant and repairs.....	do.	1.08	.54		.58
Combine, lubricant and repairs.....	do.	---	---		1.09
Truck, fuel, lubricant and repairs.....	do.	.89	.90		.80
Custom hire:					
Combine.....	Acre	6.00	.40		2.40
Total harvest cost per harvested acre, (95 percent harvested).....	do.	---	1.0		6.27
Total harvest cost per planted acre.....	do.	---	1.0		5.96
Total variable cost per planted acre.....	do.	---	1.0		27.88
Additional information:					
Resource situation	Bushels of oats per acre		Fertilizer (lbs. per acre)		
	Planted	Harvested	N	P ₂ O ₅	K ₂ O
Large farm	38	40	50	24	24

Table 55.--Oats: Estimated inputs and variable costs per planted acre, selected resource situations, Tennessee Brown Loam Area (G)

Category	Unit	Price	Small farm (Soil I)		Small farm (Soil II)	
			Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
			Dollars			
Preharvest costs:						
Labor:						
Regular.....	Hour	1.25	2.91	3.64	2.91	3.64
Seed:						
Oats.....	Bushel	1.40	2.00	2.80	2.00	2.80
Fertilizer and lime:						
Mixed fertilizer.....	Cwt.	2.00	4.00	8.00	3.00	6.00
Nitrogen fertilizer.....	do.	4.00	1.00	4.00	1.00	4.00
Lime, ground.....	Ton	4.00	.40	1.60	.40	1.60
Power and equipment:						
Tractor (2-R) fuel, lubricant						
and repairs.....	Hour	1.08	2.91	3.14	2.91	3.14
Equipment, lubricant and repairs...	do.	---	---	1.29	---	1.29
Interest on operating expenses,						
8 months at 7 percent.....	Dollar	.07	20.83	.97	18.83	.88
Total preharvest.....	Acre	---	1.0	25.44	1.0	23.35

Labor required per acre (hours)

Resource situation	Feb.	Sept.	Oct.	Total	Regular	Seasonal
Small farm (Soil I)	.33	2.30	.28	2.91	2.91	0
Small farm (Soil II)	.33	2.30	.28	2.91	2.91	0

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Table 55.--Oats: Estimated inputs and variable costs per planted acre, selected resource situations, Tennessee Brown Loam Area (G)--Continued

Category	Unit	Price	Small farm (Soil I)		Small farm (Soil II)	
			Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
			<u>Dollars</u>			
Harvest costs per harvested acre:						
Custom hire:						
Combine.....	Acre	8.00	1.00	8.00	1.00	8.00
Hauling.....	Bushel	.06	50.00	3.00	48.00	2.88
Total harvest cost per harvested acre, (90 percent harvested).....	Acre	---	1.0	11.00	1.0	10.88
Total harvest cost per planted acre....	do.	---	1.0	9.90	1.0	9.79
Total variable cost per planted acre....	do.	---	1.0	35.34	1.0	33.14

Additional information:

Resource situation	Bushels of oats per acre	Fertilizer (lbs. per acre)			
		Harvested	N	P ₂ O ₅	K ₂ O
	Planted				
Small farm (Soil I)	45.0	50.0	57	48	48
Small farm (Soil II)	43.2	48.0	51	36	36

Table 56.--Oats: Estimated inputs and variable costs per planted acre, selected resource situations, Tennessee Brown Loam Area (G)

Category	Unit	Price	Large farm (Soil I)		Large farm (Soil II)	
			Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
			Dollars			
Preharvest costs:						
Labor:						
Regular.....	Hour	1.25	2.03	2.54	2.03	2.54
Seed:						
Oats.....	Bushel	1.40	2.00	2.80	2.00	2.80
Fertilizer and lime:						
Mixed fertilizer.....	Cwt.	2.00	4.00	8.00	3.00	6.00
Nitrogen fertilizer.....	do.	4.00	1.00	4.00	1.00	4.00
Lime, ground.....	Ton	4.00	.40	1.60	.40	1.60
Power and equipment:						
Tractor (2-R) fuel, lubricant and repairs.....	Hour	1.08	.45	.49	.76	.82
Tractor (4-R) fuel, lubricant and repairs.....	do.	1.82	1.58	2.88	1.62	2.95
Equipment, lubricant and repairs....	do.	---	---	1.16	---	1.16
Interest on operating expenses, 8months at 7 percent.....	Dollar	.07	20.93	.98	19.33	.90
Total preharvest.....	Acre	---	1.0	24.45	1.0	22.77

Labor required per acre (hours)

Resource situation	Feb.	June	Sept.	Oct.	Total	Regular	Seasonal
Large farm (Soil I)	.25	.80	1.58	.20	2.83	2.43	.40
Large farm (Soil II)	.25	.80	1.58	.20	2.83	2.43	.40

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Table 56.--Oats: Estimated inputs and variable costs per planted acre, selected resource situations, Tennessee Brown Loam Area (c)--Continued

Category	Unit	Price	Large farm (Soil I)		Large farm (Soil II)	
			Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
			<u>Dollars</u>			
<u>Dollars</u>						
Harvest costs per harvested acre:						
Labor:						
Regular.....	Hour	1.25	.40	.50	.40	.50
Seasonal.....	do.	1.00	.40	.40	.40	.40
Power and equipment:						
Combine, self-propelled, fuel,						
lubricant and repairs.....	do.	2.93	.40	1.17	.40	1.17
Truck, fuel, lubricant and repairs..	do.	---	---	.50	---	.50
Total harvest cost per harvested acre,						
(90 percent harvested).....	Acre	---	1.0	2.57	1.0	2.57
Total harvest cost per planted acre.....	do.	---	1.0	2.31	1.0	2.31
Total variable cost per planted acre....	do.	---	1.0	26.76	1.0	25.08

Additional information:

Resource situation	Bushels of oats per acre		Fertilizer (lbs. per acre)				
	Planted	Harvested	N	P ₂ O ₅	K ₂ O		
Large farm (Soil I)	49.5	55.0	57	48		48	
Large farm (Soil II)	44.1	49.0	51	36		36	

Table 57.--Oats: Estimated inputs and variable costs per planted acre, selected resource situations, North Carolina Piedmont (H) and Coastal Plain (J) Areas

Category	Unit	Small farm (Piedmont)		Small farm (Coastal Plain)			
		Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value		
		<u>Dollars</u>					
<u>Dollars</u>							
Preharvest costs:							
Labor:							
Regular.....	Hour	2.68	3.35	2.68	3.35		
Seasonal.....	do.	1.10	1.10	1.10	1.10		
Seed:							
Oats.....	Bushel	2.00	3.20	2.00	3.20		
Fertilizer and lime:							
Mixed fertilizer.....	Cwt.	5.00	11.25	5.00	11.25		
Nitrogen fertilizer.....	do.	1.40	5.43	1.40	5.43		
Lime, ground.....	Ton	---	1.40	---	1.55		
Power and equipment:							
Tractor (2-R) fuel, lubricant and repairs.....	Hour	2.68	2.89	2.68	2.89		
Equipment, lubricant and repairs....	do.	---	1.39	---	1.39		
Interest on operating expenses, 8 months at 7 percent.....	Dollar	26.66	1.25	26.81	1.25		
Total preharvest.....	Acre	1.0	31.26	1.0	31.41		
Labor required per acre (hours)							
Resource situation	Feb.	June	Sept.	Oct.	Total	Regular	Seasonal
Small farm (Piedmont)	1.10	2.00	.83	1.85	5.78	3.68	2.10
Small farm (Coastal Plain)	1.10	2.00	.83	1.85	5.78	3.68	2.10

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Table 57.--Oats: Estimated inputs and variable costs per planted acre, selected resource situations,
North Carolina Piedmont (H) and Coastal Plain (J) Areas--Continued

Category	Unit	Price	Small farm (Piedmont)		Small farm (Coastal Plain)	
			Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
			Dollars		Dollars	
Harvest cost per harvested acre:						
Labor:						
Regular.....	Hour	1.25	1.00	1.25	1.00	1.25
Seasonal.....	do.	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00
Power and equipment:						
Tractor (2-R) fuel, lubricant						
and repairs.....	do.	1.08	1.00	1.08	1.00	1.08
Combine, lubricant and repairs.....	do.	2.00	1.00	2.00	1.00	2.00
Truck, fuel, lubricant and repairs...	do.	---	---	.76	---	.76
Total harvest cost per harvested acre, (95 percent harvested).....	Acre	---	1.0	6.09	1.0	6.09
Total harvest cost per planted acre.....	do.	---	1.0	5.79	1.0	5.79
Total variable cost per planted acre.....	do.	---	1.0	37.05	1.0	37.20
Additional information:						
Resource situation	Bushels of oats per acre		Fertilizer (lbs. per acre)			
	Planted	Harvested	N	P ₂ O ₅	K ₂ O	
Small farm (Piedmont)	47.5	50.0	72	50	50	
Small farm (Coastal Plain)	54.2	57.0	72	50	50	

Table 58.--Barley: Estimated inputs and variable costs per planted acre, selected resource situations, Southern Piedmont Area (A)

Category	Unit	Price	Small farm		Large farm	
			Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
			Dollars			
Preharvest costs:						
Labor:						
Regular.....	Hour	1.25	2.62	3.28	1.84	2.30
Seasonal.....	do.	1.00	1.04	1.04	.74	.74
Seed:						
Barley.....	Bushel	2.80	2.00	5.60	2.00	5.60
Fertilizer and lime:						
Mixed fertilizer.....	Cwt.	2.15	2.75	5.91	2.75	5.91
Nitrogen fertilizer.....	do.	3.60	.80	2.88	.80	2.88
Lime, ground.....	Ton	7.75	.167	1.29	.167	1.29
Power and equipment:						
Tractor (2-R) fuel, lubricant and repairs.....	Hour	1.08	2.62	2.83	.51	.55
Tractor (4-R) fuel, lubricant and repairs.....	do.	1.82	---	---	1.30	2.37
Equipment, lubricant and repairs.....	do.	---	---	1.06	---	1.01
Truck, fuel, lubricant and repairs....	do.	---	---	.18	---	.23
Insecticides:						
Materials, various.....	Acre	---	---	.12	---	.12
Herbicides:						
Postemerge application.....	do.	---	---	.29	---	.29
Interest on operating expenses, 8 months at 7 percent.....	Dollar	.07	21.20	.99	20.99	.98
Total preharvest.....	Acre	---	1.0	25.47	1.0	24.27
Labor required per acre (hours)						
Resource situation	Mar.	Apr.	June	Sept.	Oct.	Total
Small farm	.66	.32	.50	1.58	1.10	4.16
Large farm	.50	.18	1.00	1.10	.80	3.58

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Table 58.--Barley: Estimated inputs and variable costs per planted acre, selected resource situations, Southern Piedmont Area (A)--Continued

Category	Unit	Price	Small farm		Large farm	
			Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
			Dollars			
Harvest costs per harvested acre:						
Labor:						
Regular.....	Hour	1.25	.50	.63	.50	.63
Seasonal.....	do.	1.00	---	---	.50	.50
Power and equipment:						
Combine, self-propelled, fuel, lubricant and repairs.....	do.	2.93	---	---	.50	1.47
Truck, fuel, lubricant and repairs.....	do.	---	---	.44	---	.58
Custom hire:						
Combine.....	Acre	6.00	1.00	6.00	---	---
Total harvest cost per harvested acre, (95 percent harvested).....	do.	---	1.0	7.07	1.0	3.18
Total harvest cost per planted acre.....	do.	---	1.0	6.72	1.0	3.02
Total variable cost per planted acre.....	do.	---	1.0	32.19	1.0	27.29
Additional information:						
Resource situation	Bushels of barley per acre		Fertilizer (lbs. per acre)			
	Planted	Harvested	N	P ₂ O ₅	K ₂ O	
Small farm	40.1	42.2	38	33		33
Large farm	40.1	42.2	38	33		33

Table 59.--Barley: Estimated inputs and variable costs per planted acre, selected resource situations, Southeastern Coastal Plain Area (B)

Category	Unit	Price	Small farm		Large farm	
			Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
			Dollars			
Preharvest costs:						
Labor:						
Regular.....	Hour	1.25	2.62	3.28	1.84	2.30
Seasonal.....	do.	1.00	1.04	1.04	.74	.74
Seed:						
Barley.....	Bushel	2.75	1.75	4.81	1.75	4.81
Fertilizer and lime:						
Mixed fertilizer.....	Cwt.	2.15	2.75	5.91	2.75	5.91
Nitrogen fertilizer.....	do.	3.60	.75	2.70	.75	2.70
Lime, ground.....	Ton	7.75	.167	1.29	.167	1.29
Power and equipment:						
Tractor (2-R) fuel, lubricant and repairs.....	Hour	1.08	2.62	2.83	.51	.55
Tractor (4-R) fuel, lubricant and repairs.....	do.	1.82	---	---	1.30	2.37
Equipment, lubricant and repairs.....	do.	---	---	1.06	---	1.01
Truck, fuel, lubricant and repairs....	do.	---	---	.18	---	.23
Insecticides:						
Materials, various.....	Acre	---	---	.12	---	.12
Herbicides:						
Postemerge application.....	do.	---	---	.29	---	.29
Interest on operating expenses, 8 months at 7 percent.....	Dollar	.07	20.23	.94	20.02	.93
Total preharvest.....	Acre	---	1.0	24.45	1.0	23.25
Labor required per acre (hours)						
Resource situation	Feb.	Mar.	May	Sept.	Oct.	Total
Small farm	.66	.32	.50	.83	1.85	4.16
Large farm	.50	.18	1.00	.62	1.28	3.58
						3.12
						2.34
						1.04
						1.24

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Table 59.--Barley: Estimated inputs and variable costs per planted acre, selected resource situations,
Southeastern Coastal Plain Area (B)--Continued

Category	Unit	Small farm		Large farm	
		Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
		Dollars			
Harvest cost per harvested acre:					
Labor:					
Regular.....	Hour	.50	.63	.50	.63
Seasonal.....	do.	---	---	.50	.50
Power and equipment:					
Combine, self-propelled, fuel,					
lubricant and repairs.....	do.	---	---	.50	1.47
Truck, fuel, lubricant					
and repairs.....	do.	---	.44	---	.58
Custom hire:					
Combine.....	Acre	1.00	6.00	---	---
Total harvest cost per harvested acre,					
(95 percent harvested).....	do.	1.0	7.07	1.0	3.18
Total harvest cost per planted acre.....					
	do.	1.0	6.72	1.0	3.02
Total variable cost per planted acre.....					
	do.	1.0	31.17	1.0	26.27
Additional information:					
Resource situation	Bushels of barley per acre		Fertilizer (lbs. per acre)		
	Planted	Harvested	N	P ₂ O ₅	K ₂ O
Small farm	37.0	38.9	36	33	33
Large farm	37.0	38.9	36	33	33

Table 60--Barley: Estimated inputs and variable costs per planted acre, selected resource situations, North Carolina Piedmont (H) and Coastal Plain (J) Areas

Category	Unit	Small farm (Piedmont)		Small farm (Coastal Plain)	
		Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
		<u>Dollars</u>			
<u>Dollars</u>					
Preharvest costs:					
Labor:					
Regular.....	Hour	2.68	3.35	2.68	3.35
Seasonal.....	do.	1.10	1.10	1.10	1.10
Seed:					
Barley.....	Bushel	2.00	4.00	2.00	4.00
Fertilizer and lime:					
Mixed fertilizer.....	Cwt.	5.00	11.25	5.00	11.25
Nitrogen fertilizer.....	do.	1.40	5.43	1.40	5.43
Lime, ground.....	Ton	---	1.40	---	1.55
Power and equipment:					
Tractor (2-R) fuel, lubricant and repairs.....	Hour	2.68	2.89	2.68	2.89
Equipment, lubricant and repairs....	do.	---	1.39	---	1.39
Interest on operating expenses, 8 months at 7 percent.....					
	Dollar	27.46	1.28	27.61	1.29
Total preharvest.....					
	Acre	1.0	32.09	1.0	32.25

Labor required per acre (hours)

Resource situation	Feb.	June	Sept.	Oct.	Total	Regular	Seasonal
Small farm (Piedmont)	1.10	2.00	.83	1.85	5.78	3.68	2.10
Small farm (Coastal Plain)	1.10	2.00	.83	1.85	5.78	3.68	2.10

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Table 60.--Barley: Estimated inputs and variable costs per planted acre, selected resource situations, North Carolina Piedmont (H) and Coastal Plain (J) Areas--Continued

Category	Unit	Small farm (Piedmont)		Small farm (Coastal Plain)	
		Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
		<u>Dollars</u>			
Harvest costs per harvested acre:					
Labor:					
Regular.....	Hour	1.00	1.25	1.00	1.25
Seasonal.....	do.	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00
Power and equipment:					
Tractor (2-R) fuel, lubricant and repairs.....	do.	1.00	1.08	1.00	1.08
Combine, lubricant and repairs.....	do.	1.00	2.00	1.00	2.00
Truck, fuel, lubricant and repairs.....	do.	---	.76	---	.76
Total harvest cost per harvested acre, (95 percent harvested).....	Acre	1.0	6.09	1.0	6.09
Total harvest cost per planted acre.....	do.	1.0	5.79	1.0	5.79
Total variable cost per planted acre....	do.	1.0	37.88	1.0	38.04
Additional information:					
Resource situation	Bushels of barley per acre		Fertilizer (lbs. per acre)		
	Planted	Harvested	N	P ₂ O ₅	K ₂ O
Small farm (Piedmont)	44.7	47.0	72	50	50
Small farm (Coastal Plain)	44.7	47.0	72	50	50

Table 61.--Grain sorghum: Estimated inputs and variable costs per planted acre, selected resource situations, North Carolina Piedmont Area (H)

Category	Unit	Price	Small farm (Piedmont)				
			Quantity	Value	Dollars		
Preharvest costs:							
Labor:							
Regular.....	Hour	1.25	3.35	4.19			
Seasonal.....	do.	1.00	1.28	1.28			
Seed:							
Grain sorghum.....	Pound	.20	8.00	1.60			
Fertilizer and lime:							
Mixed fertilizer.....	Cwt.	2.15	3.00	6.45			
Nitrogen fertilizer.....	do.	3.60	1.00	3.60			
Lime, ground.....	Ton	7.75	.167	1.29			
Power and equipment:							
Tractor (2-R) fuel, lubricant and repairs....	Hour	1.08	3.35	3.62			
Equipment, lubricant and repairs.....	do.	---	---	1.18			
Truck, fuel, lubricant and repairs.....	do.	---	---	.18			
Insecticides:							
Materials, various.....	Acre	---	---	.38			
Herbicides:							
Preemerge application.....	do.	---	---	1.42			
Postemerge application.....	do.	---	---	.07			
Interest on operating expenses, 8 months at 7 percent.....	Dollar	.07	21.07	.98			
Total preharvest.....	Acre	---	1.0	26.24			
Labor required per acre (hours)							
Resource situation	Mar.	April	May	June	Aug.	Oct.	Total
Small farm (Piedmont)	.83	.45	2.15	1.08	.12	.50	5.13
							3.85
							1.28

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Table 61.--Grain Sorghum: Estimated inputs and variable costs per planted acre, selected resource situations, North Carolina Piedmont Area (H)--Continued

Category	Unit	Price	Small farm (Piedmont)		Value
			Quantity	:	
<u>Dollars</u>					
Harvest costs per harvested acre:					
Labor:					
Regular.....	Hour	1.25	.50		.63
Power and equipment:					
Truck, fuel, lubricant and repairs.....	do.	.89	.50		.45
Custom hire:					
Combine.....	Acre	6.00	1.00		6.00
Total harvest cost per harvested acre, (90 percent harvested).....	do.	---	1.0		7.08
Total harvest cost per planted acre.....	do.	---	1.0		6.37
Total variable cost per planted acre.....	do.	---	1.0		32.61

Additional information:

Resource situation	Bushels of grain sorghum per acre		Fertilizer (lbs. per acre)		
	Planted	Harvested	N	P ₂ O ₅	K ₂ O
Small farm (Piedmont)	45	50	46	36	36

Table 62.--Peanuts: Estimated inputs and variable costs per planted acre, selected resource situations, Southeastern Coastal Plain Area (B)

Category	Unit	Price	Small farm		Large farm						
			Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value					
			Dollars								
Preharvest costs:											
Labor:											
Regular.....	Hour	1.25	6.09	7.61	3.65	4.56					
Seasonal.....	do.	1.00	2.29	2.29	1.66	1.66					
Seed:											
Peanuts.....	Pound	.34	65.00	22.10	65.00	22.10					
Fertilizer and lime:											
Mixed fertilizer.....	Cwt.	---	3.50	7.62	3.50	7.62					
Gypsum.....	do.	.85	4.25	3.61	4.25	3.61					
Lime, ground.....	Ton	7.75	.167	1.29	.167	1.29					
Power and equipment:											
Tractor (2-R) fuel, lubricant and repairs.....	Hour	1.08	6.09	6.58	.52	.56					
Tractor (4-R) fuel, lubricant and repairs.....	do.	1.82	---	---	2.57	4.68					
Equipment, lubricant and repairs....	do.	---	---	1.89	---	2.79					
Truck, fuel, lubricant and repairs.....	do.	---	---	.27	---	.35					
Insecticides:											
Materials, various.....	Acre	---	---	6.04	---	6.04					
Herbicides:											
Preemerge application.....	do.	---	---	5.57	---	5.57					
Postemerge application.....	do.	---	---	.51	---	.51					
Interest on operating expenses, 8 months at 7 percent.....	Dollar	.07	57.77	2.70	56.78	2.65					
Total preharvest.....	Acre	---	1.0	68.08	1.0	63.99					
Labor required per acre (hours)											
Resource situation	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Nov.	Total	Regular	Seasonal
Small farm	1.94	1.40	1.15	1.09	1.75	.60	3.45	.45	11.83	8.54	3.29
Large farm	1.40	1.16	.59	.55	1.05	.28	3.33	.28	8.64	5.98	2.66

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Table 62.--Peanuts: Estimated inputs and variable costs per planted acre, selected resource situations,
Southeastern Coastal Plain Area (B)--Continued

Category	Unit	Price	Small farm		Large farm	
			Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
			Dollars			
Harvest costs per harvested acre:						
Labor:						
Regular.....	Hour	1.25	2.45	3.06	2.33	2.91
Seasonal.....	do.	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00
Power and equipment:						
Tractor (2-R) fuel, lubricant and repairs.....	do.	1.08	1.45	1.57	.33	.36
Tractor (4-R) fuel, lubricant and repairs.....	do.	1.82	---	---	2.00	3.64
Equipment, lubricant and repairs.....	do.	---	---	.32	---	1.81
Truck, fuel, lubricant and repairs...	do.	---	---	.89	---	1.16
Custom hire:						
Combine.....	Acre	15.00	1.00	15.00	---	---
Cleaning and drying.....	Ton	11.00	.98	10.78	.98	10.78
Other costs:						
Commodity Commission.....	do.	1.00	.98	.98	.98	.98
Total harvest cost per harvested acre, (95 percent harvested).....	Acre	---	1.0	33.60	1.0	22.64
Total harvest cost per planted acre.....	do.	---	1.0	31.92	1.0	21.51
Total variable cost per planted acre....	do.	---	1.0	100.0	1.0	85.50
Additional information:						
Resource situation	Pounds of peanuts per acre		Fertilizer (lbs. per acre)			
	Planted	Harvested	N	P ₂ O ₅	K ₂ O	
Small farm	1,862	1,960	15	40	50	
Large farm	1,862	1,960	15	40	50	

Table 63.--Peanuts: Estimated inputs and variable costs per planted acre, selected resource situations, Southern Coastal Plain Area (C)

Category	Unit	Price	Small farm		Large farm					
			Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value				
			Dollars							
Preharvest costs:										
Labor:										
Regular.....	Hour	1.25	5.72	7.15	3.72	4.65				
Seasonal.....	do.	1.00	5.30	5.30	3.38	3.38				
Seed:										
Peanuts.....	Pound	.332	80.00	26.56	80.00	26.56				
Fertilizer and lime:										
Mixed fertilizer.....	Cwt.	2.15	3.58	7.70	3.58	7.70				
Gypsum.....	do.	.875	3.75	3.28	3.75	3.28				
Lime, ground.....	Ton	7.75	.167	1.29	.167	1.29				
Power and equipment:										
Tractor (2-R) fuel, lubricant and repairs.....	Hour	1.08	5.72	6.18	1.65	1.78				
Tractor (4-R) fuel, lubricant and repairs.....	do.	1.82	---	---	2.07	3.77				
Equipment, lubricant and repairs.....	do.	---	---	1.49	---	1.48				
Insecticides:										
Materials, various.....	Acre	---	---	4.20	---	4.20				
Herbicides:										
Preemerge application.....	do.	---	---	1.50	---	2.10				
Interest on operating expenses, 8 months at 7 percent.....	Dollar	.07	57.50	2.69	55.54	2.59				
Total preharvest.....	Acre	---	1.0	67.34	1.0	62.78				
Labor required per acre (hours)										
Resource situation	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Total	Regular	Seasonal
Small farm	1.48	.96	2.45	4.93	1.20	.50	.50	12.02	6.72	5.30
Large farm	1.12	.57	1.49	3.12	.80	1.50	1.50	10.10	5.72	4.38

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Table 63.--Peanuts: Estimated inputs and variable costs per planted acre, selected resource situations,
Southern Coastal Plain Area (C)--Continued

Category	Unit	Small farm		Large farm	
		Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
		Dollars			
Harvest costs per harvested acre:					
Labor:					
Regular.....	Hour	1.00	1.25	2.00	2.50
Seasonal.....	do.	---	---	1.00	1.00
Power and equipment:					
Tractor (2-R) fuel, lubricant and repairs.....	do.	1.00	1.08	---	---
Tractor (4-R) fuel, lubricant and repairs.....	do.	---	---	2.00	3.64
Equipment, lubricant and repairs.....	do.	---	.33	---	1.94
Truck, fuel, lubricant and repairs.....	do.	---	---	---	1.16
Custom hire:					
Combine.....	Acre	1.00	15.00	---	---
Other costs:					
Cleaning and drying.....	Ton	.96	10.56	.96	10.56
Commodity Commission.....	do.	.96	.96	.96	.96
Total harvest cost per harvested acre, (95 percent harvested).....					
		1.0	29.18	1.0	21.76
Total harvest cost per planted acre.....					
		1.0	22.72	1.0	20.67
Total variable cost per planted acre.....					
		1.0	95.06	1.0	83.45
Additional information:					
Resource situation	Pounds of peanuts per acre		Fertilizer (lbs. per acre)		
	Planted	Harvested	N	P ₂ O ₅	K ₂ O
Small farm	1,824	1,920	14	43	43
Large farm	1,824	1,920	14	43	43

Table 64.--Peanuts: Estimated inputs and variable costs per planted acre, selected resource situations, North Carolina Coastal Plain Area (J)

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Table 64.--Peanuts: Estimated inputs and variable costs per planted acre, selected resource situations,
North Carolina Coastal Plain Area (J)--Continued

Category	Unit	Price	Small farm (Coastal Plain)	
			Quantity	Value
		Dollars		Dollars
Harvest costs per harvested acre:				
Labor:				
Regular.....	Hour	1.25	5.20	6.50
Seasonal.....	do.	1.00	4.40	4.40
Power and equipment:				
Tractor (2-R) fuel, lubricant and repairs.....	do.	1.08	2.00	2.16
Equipment, lubricant and repairs.....	do.	---	---	1.25
Truck, fuel, lubricant and repairs.....	do.	---	---	3.06
Other costs:				
Curing and drying.....	Cwt.	.12	24.00	2.88
Total harvest cost per harvested acre, (97 percent harvested).....	Acre	---	1.0	20.25
Total harvest cost per planted acre.....	do.	---	1.0	19.64
Total variable cost per planted acre.....	do.	---	1.0	127.91
Additional information:				
Resource situation	Pounds of peanuts per acre		Fertilizer (lbs. per acre)	
	Planted	Harvested	N	P ₂ O ₅ K ₂ O
Small farm (Coastal Plain)	2,328	2,400	0	30 30

Table 65.--Tobacco: Estimated inputs and variable costs per planted acre, Southeastern Coastal Plain Area (B)

Category	Unit	Price	Small and large farms											
			Quantity											
			Value											
Dollars														
Preharvest costs:														
Labor:														
Regular.....	Hour	1.25	33.35										41.69	
Seasonal.....	do.	1.00	59.63										59.63	
Seed:														
Plant bed (excluding labor).....	Acre		1.0										27.02	
Cover crop seed.....	Bushel	1.80	3.0										5.40	
Fertilizer and lime:														
Mixed fertilizer.....	Cwt.		13.00										45.95	
Nitrogen fertilizer.....	do.	2.90	1.00										2.90	
Mixed fertilizer--cover crop.....	do.	2.15	5.00										10.75	
Power and equipment:														
Tractor (2-R) fuel, lubricant and repairs.....	Hour	1.08	15.66										16.91	
Equipment, lubricant and repairs.....	do.	---	---										8.75	
Truck, fuel, lubricant and repairs.....	do.	.89	2.50										2.22	
Curing barn repairs.....			---										6.50	
Insecticides and fungicides:														
Materials, various.....	Acre		1.0										10.26	
Fumigant.....	do.		1.0										14.50	
Other expenses:														
Sucker control.....	Gallon	17.50	1.0										17.50	
Crop insurance.....	Acre		1.0										25.00	
Curing barn insurance	do.												25.00	
Interest on operating expenses, 8 months at 7 percent.....		.07	278.29										13.00	
Total preharvest	do.	---	1.0										332.98	
Labor required per acre (hours)														
Resource situation	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Dec.	Total	Regular	Seasonal
Small and Large farm	3.00	3.88	9.00	42.92	9.56	15.30	124.20	127.20	4.95	2.68	6.19	348.88	80.15	268.73

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Table 65.--Tobacco: Estimated inputs and variable costs per planted acre, Southeastern Coastal Plain Area (B)--Continued

Category	Unit	Price	Small and large farms	
			Quantity	Value
<u>Dollars</u>				
Harvest costs per harvested acre:				<u>Dollars</u>
Labor:				
Regular.....	Hour	1.25	46.80	58.50
Seasonal.....	do.	1.00	209.10	209.10
Power and equipment:				
Tractor (2-R) fuel, lubricant and repairs...	do.	1.08	21.00	22.68
Truck, fuel, lubricant and repairs.....	do.	.89	6.00	5.34
Equipment.....	do.	---	---	2.10
Other expenses:				
Heating fuel.....	Gallon	.18	3.30	59.40
Twine.....	Pound	1.00	7.50	7.50
Sticks.....	Each	.10	50.00	5.00
Marketing charge.....	Cwt.	2.00	18.00	36.00
Total harvest cost per harvested acre, (100 percent harvested).....	Acre	---	1.0	405.62
Total harvest cost per planted acre.....	do.	---	1.0	405.62
Total variable cost per planted acre.....	do.	---	1.0	738.60
Additional information:				
Resource situation	Yield per acre		Fertilizer (lbs. per acre)	
	Planted	Harvested	N	P ₂ O ₅ K ₂ O
Small and Large farm	1,800 lbs.	1,800 lbs.	64	96
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^{a/} Excludes fertilizer for cover crop amounting to 20 lbs. of N, 60 lbs. of P₂O₅ and 60 lbs. of K₂O.

Table 66.--Tobacco: Estimated inputs and variable costs per planted acre, Piedmont (H) and Coastal Plain (J) Areas of North Carolina

Category	Unit	Small farm (Piedmont)		Small farm (Coastal Plain)	
		Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
		Dollars			
Preharvest costs:					
Labor:					
Regular.....	Hour	29.37	36.71	38.31	47.89
Seasonal.....	do.	51.19	51.19	69.40	69.40
Seed.....	Ounces	.20	3.00	.25	3.75
Fertilizer and lime:					
Mixed fertilizer.....	Cwt.	14.60	41.17	15.60	44.81
Lime, ground.....	Ton	.20	1.40	.20	1.40
Power and equipment:					
Tractor (2-R) fuel, lubricant and repairs.....	Hour	16.47	17.79	20.51	22.15
Equipment, repairs and lubricant.....	do.	---	2.76	---	2.47
Insecticides:					
Insect, disease and Nematode Control..	Acre	1.0	17.90	1.0	22.80
Herbicides:					
Plant bed.....	do.	1.0	9.80	1.0	9.80
Irrigation water.....	do.	.50	6.36	---	---
Other expenses:					
Sucker control agents.....	do.	1.0	20.00	1.0	20.00
Plant bed preparation.....	do.	1.0	15.00	1.0	15.10
Insurance.....	do.	1.0	30.65	1.0	30.65
Interest on operating expenses, 8 months at 7 percent.....	Dollar	217.12	10.14	242.33	11.32
Total preharvest.....	Acre	1.0	263.87	1.0	301.54

Labor required per acre (hours)

	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Total	Regular	Seasonal
Resource situation												
Small farm (Piedmont)	13.00	---	5.58	40.40	10.45	213.00	16.00	17.28	12.85	328.56	57.37	271.19
Small farm (Coastal Plain)	6.55	6.55	3.78	40.80	16.00	118.97	158.71	20.50	2.85	374.71	65.91	308.80

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Table 66.--Tobacco: Estimated inputs and variable costs per planted acre, Piedmont (H) and Coastal Plain (J) Areas of North Carolina--Continued

Category	Unit	Price	Small farm (Piedmont)		Small farm (Coastal Plain)	
			Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
				Dollars		Dollars
Harvest costs per harvested acre:						
Labor:						
Regular.....	Hour	1.25	28.00	35.00	27.60	34.50
Seasonal.....	do.	1.00	220.00	220.00	239.40	239.40
Power and equipment:						
Tractor (2-R) fuel, lubricant and repairs.....	do.	1.08	14.0	15.12	15.00	16.20
Truck, fuel, lubricant and repairs....	do.	---	---	5.00	---	5.46
Equipment, lubricant and repairs.....	do.	---	---	5.50	---	5.50
Other expenses:						
Twine.....	Acre	---	1.0	3.95	1.0	4.20
Fuel oil.....	do.	---	1.0	45.00	1.0	52.27
Insurance on barns.....	do.	---	1.0	15.50	1.0	15.50
Marketing.....	do.	---	1.0	39.48	1.0	42.00
Total harvest cost per harvested acre, (100 percent harvested).....	do.	---	1.0	384.55	1.0	415.03
Total harvest cost per planted acre.....	do.	---	1.0	384.55	1.0	415.03
Total variable cost per planted acre.....	do.	---	1.0	648.42	1.0	716.57

Additional information:

Resource situation	Yield per acre		Fertilizer (lbs. per acre)			
	Planted	Harvested	N	P	O	K ₂ O
Small farm (Piedmont)	1,880 lbs.	1,880 lbs.	65		106	176
Small farm (Coastal Plain)	2,000 lbs.	2,000 lbs.	73		106	200

Table 67. --Counties by APAT production areas, Southeast Region

<u>Southeast</u>		
<u>Area A - Ga.</u>	<u>Area A - Ga. --Cont.</u>	<u>Area B - Ga. --Cont.</u>
Baldwin	Stephens	Bacon
Banks	Talbot	Berrien
Barrow	Taliaferro	Bibb
Butts	Troup	Bleckley
Carroll	Upson	Brooks
Cherokee	Walton	Bulloch
Clark	Warren	Burke
Clayton	Wilkes	Candler
Cobb		Chattahoochee
Columbia	<u>Area A - Ala.</u>	Coffee
Coweta		Colquitt
De Kalb	Chambers	Cook
Douglas	Clay	Crawford
Elbert	Cleburne	Dodge
Fayette	Coosa	Emanuel
Forsyth	Lee	Evans
Franklin	Randolph	Glascock
Fulton	Russell	Jeff Davis
Greene	Tallapoosa	Jefferson
Gwinnett		Jenkins
Hall	<u>Area A - S. C.</u>	Johnson
Hancock		Lanier
Haralson	Anderson	Laurens
Harris	Cherokee	Lowndes
Hart	Chester	Marion
Heard	Abbeville	Montgomery
Henry	Edgefield	Muscogee
Jackson	Fairfield	Richmond
Jasper	Greenville	Screven
Jones	Greenwood	Tattnall
Lamar	Lancaster	Taylor
Lincoln	Laurens	Telfair
McDuffie	McCormick	Thomas
Madison	Newberry	Toombs
Meriwether	Oconee	Treutlen
Monroe	Pickens	Twiggs
Morgan	Saluda	Washington
Newton	Spartanburg	Wheeler
Oconee	Union	Wilkinson
Oglethorpe	York	
Paulding		<u>Area B - S. C.</u>
Pike	<u>Area B - Ga.</u>	
Putnam		Aiken
Rockdale	Appling	Allendale
Spalding	Atkinson	Bamberg

Table 67.--Counties by APAT production areas, Southeast Region--Continued

<u>Southeast</u>		
<u>Area B - S.C.--Cont.</u>	<u>Area C - Ga.--Cont.</u>	<u>Area D - Ga.</u>
Barnwell	Grady	Bartow
Calhoun	Houston	Catoosa
Chesterfield	Irwin	Chattooga
Clarendon	Lee	Dade
Darlington	Macon	Floyd
Dillon	Miller	Gordon
Florence	Mitchell	Murray
Hampton	Peach	Polk
Horry	Pulaski	Walker
Kershaw	Quitman	Whitfield
Lee	Randolph	
Lexington	Schley	<u>Area E - Ala.</u>
Marion	Seminole	Autauga
Marlboro	Stewart	Bibb
Orangeburg	Sumter	Chilton
Richland	Terrell	Elmore
Sumter	Tift	Fayette
Williamsburg	Turner	Franklin
	Webster	Lamar
<u>Area C - Ala.</u>	Wilcox	Macon
Barbour	Worth	Marion
Butler		Pickens
Coffee	<u>Area D - Ala.</u>	Tuscaloosa
Conecuh	Blount	Winston
Covington	Calhoun	
Crenshaw	Cherokee	<u>Area E - Tenn.</u>
Dale	Colbert	Benton
Geneva	Cullman	Carroll
Henry	De Kalb	Chester
Houston	Etowah	Decatur
Monroe	Jackson	Hardin
Pike	Jefferson	Henderson
	Lauderdale	Henry
<u>Area C - Ga.</u>	Lawrence	McNairy
Baker	Limestone	Weakley
Ben Hill	Madison	
Calhoun	Marshall	<u>Area F - Ala.</u>
Clay	Morgan	Bullock
Crisp	St. Clair	Dallas
Decatur	Shelby	Greene
Dooly	Talladega	Hale
Dougherty	Walker	Lowndes
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Table 67.--Counties by APAT production areas, Southeast Region--Continued

<u>Southeast</u>		
<u>Area F - Ala.--Cont.</u>	<u>Area H - N. C.--Cont.</u>	<u>Area J - N. C.--Cont.</u>
Marengo	Randolph	Onslow
Montgomery	Rockingham	Pamlico
Perry	Rowan	Pasquotank
Sumter	Rutherford	Pender
Wilcox	Stanly	Perquimans
	Stokes	Pitt
<u>Area G - Tenn.</u>	Surry	Richmond
Crockett	Union	Robeson
Dyer	Vance	Sampson
Fayette	Wake	Scotland
Gibson	Warren	Tyrrell
Hardeman	Yadkin	Washington
Haywood		Wayne
Lake	<u>Area J - N. C.</u>	Wilson
Lauderdale	Beaufort	
Madison	Bertie	
Obion	Bladen	
Shelby	Brunswick	
Tipton	Camden	
	Carteret	
<u>Area H - N. C.</u>	Chowan	
Alamance	Columbus	
Anson	Craven	
Cabarrus	Cumberland	
Caswell	Currituck	
Catawba	Dare	
Chatham	Duplin	
Cleveland	Edgecombe	
Davidson	Gates	
Davie	Greene	
Durham	Halifax	
Forsyth	Harnett	
Franklin	Hertford	
Gaston	Hoke	
Granville	Hyde	
Guilford	Johnston	
Iredell	Jones	
Lincoln	Lee	
Mecklenburg	Lenoir	
Montgomery	Martin	
Orange	Moore	
Person	Nash	
Polk	New Hanover	
	Northampton	

