TABLE 6. Alfalfa establishment, flood-irrigated, budgeted per acre costs and returns for a 200 acre farm with above average management, Virden area, Hidalgo County, Projected 2015
Planting dates: August 15 - October 15

Planting dates: August 15 - O	PRICE	QUANTITY	PURCHASED INPUTS					TOTAL
PURCHASED INPUTS								
SEED	\$6.00	25 LBS	\$150.00					\$150.00
NITROGEN (N) PHOSPHATE (P2O5)	\$0.45 \$0.40	20 LBS 50 LBS	\$9.00 \$20.00					\$9.00 \$20.00
PUMP WATER*	φ0.40	5 AC. IN.	φ20.00					φ20.00
CANAL WATER		15 AC. IN.						\$0.00
SUBTOTAL			\$179.00				-	\$179.00
	POWER	ACCOMPLISHMENT	PURCHASED		FUEL &		FIXED	
PREHARVEST OPERATIONS	UNIT	RATE	INPUTS	LABOR	LUBE	REPAIRS	COST	TOTAL
DISC	145 HP	0.17 HR		\$1.45	\$4.91	\$1.15	\$2.71	\$10.22
PLOW	145 HP	0.67 HR		\$5.73	\$19.34	\$5.44	\$12.51	\$43.03
DISC	145 HP	0.17 HR		\$1.45	\$4.91	\$1.15	\$2.71	\$10.22
FLOAT	145 HP	0.24 HR		\$2.05	\$6.93	\$0.96	\$2.75	\$12.69
FERTILIZE	65 HP	0.05 HR		\$0.43	\$0.61	\$0.11	\$1.49	\$2.63
LISTER	65 HP	0.18 HR		\$1.54	\$2.19	\$0.59	\$1.52	\$5.84
MULCHER	145 HP	0.15 HR		\$1.28	\$4.33	\$1.29	\$4.43	\$11.34
SEEDER	65 HP	0.05 HR		\$0.43	\$0.61	\$0.11	\$1.49	\$2.63
MULCHER	145 HP	0.15 HR		\$1.28	\$4.33	\$1.29	\$4.43	\$11.34
LISTER	65 HP	0.18 HR		\$1.54	\$2.19	\$0.59	\$1.52	\$5.84
IRRIGATE (4X)		2.00 HR		\$15.00	\$5.05	\$0.00	\$1.93	\$21.98
SUBTOTAL		4.01 HR		\$32.19	\$55.39	\$12.69	\$37.51	\$137.77
OVERHEAD EXPENSES								
DOWNTIME		0.50 HR		\$4.30				\$4.30
EMPLOYEE BENEFITS				\$5.79				\$5.79
INSURANCE			\$0.64					\$0.64
SUPERVISION AND MANAGEMENT				\$24.89				\$24.89
SUBTOTAL		0.50 HR	\$0.64	\$34.98				\$35.62
TOTAL OPERATING EXPENSES		4.51 HR	\$179.64	\$67.16	\$55.39	\$12.69	\$37.51	\$352.40

^{*} Pump water costs are shown under irrigation in the preharvest operation section.

TABLE 7. Alfalfa hay, flood-irrigated, budgeted per acre costs and returns for a 200 acre farm with above average management, Virden area, Hidalgo County, Projected 2015

Harvest dates: June 1 - October 10

ITEM	PRICE		YIELD						TOTAL
GROSS RETURNS ALFALFA HAY GRAZING	\$235.00 \$15.00		6.50 TONS (1.00 ACRE	IN FIELD)					\$1,527.50 \$15.00
TOTAL									\$1,542.50
PURCHASED INPUTS	PRICE	Q	UANTITY	PURCHASED INPUTS				FIXED COST	TOTAL
WIRE ESTABLISHMENT: Principal : Interest CANAL WATER PUMP WATER*	1.32		56 LBS 3 YEARS 36 AC. IN. 18 AC. IN.	\$73.53				\$117.47 \$11.75 \$45.00	\$73.53 \$117.47 \$11.75 \$45.00
SUBTOTAL				\$73.53				\$174.22	\$247.75
PREHARVEST OPERATIONS	POWER UNIT	ACCO	MPLISHMENT RATE	PURCHASED INPUTS	LABOR	FUEL & LUBE	REPAIRS	FIXED COST	TOTAL
IRRIGATE (9X)			4.50 HR		\$33.75	\$18.18	\$0.00	\$6.96	\$58.90
SUBTOTAL			4.50 HR		\$33.75	\$18.18	\$0.00	\$6.96	\$58.90
HARVEST OPERATIONS									
SWATHER (5X) BALER, PTO (5X)	14 FT 145 HP		0.80 HR 1.05 HR		\$6.84 \$8.98	\$10.48 \$30.32	\$0.46 \$4.33	\$34.61 \$19.90	\$52.39 \$63.52
SUBTOTAL			1.85 HR		\$15.82	\$40.80	\$4.80	\$54.50	\$115.92
OVERHEAD EXPENSES									
DOWNTIME EMPLOYEE BENEFITS INSURANCE LAND TAXES SUPERVISION AND MANAGEMEI OTHER EXPENSES	NT		0.46 HR	\$0.99 \$114.00	\$3.95 \$8.92 \$113.40			\$2.57	\$3.95 \$8.92 \$0.99 \$2.57 \$113.40 \$114.00
SUBTOTAL			0.46 HR	\$115.00	\$126.28			\$2.57	\$243.85
TOTAL OPERATING EXPENSES			6.81 HR	\$188.53	\$175.84	\$58.98	\$4.80	\$238.26	\$666.41
NET OPERATING PROFIT									\$876.09
INTEREST ON OPERATING CAPI INTEREST ON EQUIPMENT INVE		(\$4	¥5.11 @	5.50%)				\$2.48 \$19.71
RETURN TO LAND AND RISK									\$853.91
* Pump water costs are shown und	•	est operation sold							
GROSS RETURN VARIABLE OPERATING EXPENSE RETURN OVER VARIABLE EXPENS FIXED EXPENSES	SES	\$1,54 252.30 \$1,29 238.26		SS MARGIN)					

GROSS RETURN		\$1,542.50	
VARIABLE OPERATING EXPENSES	\$252.30		
RETURN OVER VARIABLE EXPENSES		\$1,290.20	(GROSS MARGIN)
FIXED EXPENSES	\$238.26		
NET FARM INCOME		\$1,051.94	(RETURN TO CAPITAL, LABOR, LAND & RISK)
LABOR AND MANAGEMENT COST	\$175.84		
NET OPERATING PROFIT		\$876.09	(RETURN TO CAPITAL, LAND & RISK)
CAPITAL COSTS	\$22.19		
RETURN TO LAND AND RISK		\$853.91	

TABLE 8. Corn silage, flood-irrigated, budgeted per acre costs and returns for a 200 acre farm with above average management, Virden area, Hidalgo County, Projected 2015

Planting dates: April 15 - May 31 Harvest dates: August 15 - October 15

RETURN TO LAND AND RISK

Harvest dates: August 15 - Oct	PRICE		YIEL	D						TOTAI
GROSS RETURNS										
CORN SILAGE	\$55.00		25.00	TONS (S	TANDING)					\$1,375.00
TOTAL										\$1,375.00
PURCHASED INPUTS	PRICE		QUANT	ΓΙΤΥ	PURCHASED INPUTS				FIXED COST	TOTAI
SEED NITROGEN (N) PHOSPHATE (P205) CANAL WATER PUMP WATER*	\$3.26 \$0.45 \$0.40		32 40 36	000 LBS LBS AC. IN. AC. IN.	\$97.88 \$14.40 \$16.00				\$45.00	\$97.88 \$14.40 \$16.00 \$45.00
SUBTOTAL					\$128.28				\$45.00	\$173.28
PREHARVEST OPERATIONS	POWER UNIT		ACCOMPLIS RAT		PURCHASED INPUTS	LABOR	FUEL & LUBE	REPAIRS	FIXED COST	TOTAI
FERTILIZE DISC CHISEL DISC FLOAT LISTER PRE-IRRIGATE MULCHER PLANTER CULTIVATOR (2X) ROTOBUCK (3X) IRRIGATE (7X) SUBTOTAL OVERHEAD EXPENSES DOWNTIME EMPLOYEE BENEFITS INSURANCE LAND TAXES SUPERVISION AND MANAGEMENT OTHER EXPENSES	65 HP 145 HP 145 HP 65 HP 65 HP 145 HP 145 HP 145 HP		0.05 0.17 0.20 0.17 0.24 0.18 0.75 0.15 0.26 0.42 0.09 3.50 6.18	HR H	\$0.97 \$114.00	\$0.43 \$1.45 \$1.71 \$1.45 \$2.05 \$1.54 \$5.63 \$1.28 \$2.22 \$3.59 \$0.77 \$26.25 \$48.38 \$3.93 \$8.71	\$0.61 \$4.91 \$5.77 \$4.91 \$2.92 \$2.19 \$1.77 \$4.33 \$7.51 \$5.11 \$2.60 \$12.37	\$0.11 \$1.15 \$1.09 \$1.15 \$0.31 \$0.59 \$0.00 \$1.29 \$1.46 \$1.32 \$0.36 \$0.00	\$1.49 \$2.71 \$3.56 \$2.71 \$1.06 \$1.52 \$0.68 \$4.43 \$7.56 \$2.24 \$1.80 \$4.74 \$34.50	\$2.63 \$10.22 \$12.14 \$10.22 \$6.34 \$5.84 \$8.07 \$11.34 \$18.75 \$12.26 \$5.53 \$43.36 \$146.70 \$3.93 \$8.71 \$0.97 \$2.57 \$101.42 \$114.00
SUBTOTAL			0.46	HR	\$114.97	\$114.06			\$2.57	\$231.61
TOTAL OPERATING EXPENSES NET OPERATING PROFIT INTEREST ON OPERATING CAPITAL		,	6.64 \$80.09	HR @	\$243.25 5.50%	\$162.44	\$54.99	\$8.84	\$82.07	\$551.58 \$823.42 \$4.41
INTEREST ON EQUIPMENT INVESTMENT	Г	(φου.υθ	@	3.30 %)				\$18.27
RETURN TO LAND AND RISK										\$800.75
* Pump water costs are shown under irrigation	on in the preh	•	ation section. SUMMARY \$1,375.00							
VARIABLE OPERATING EXPENSES RETURN OVER VARIABLE EXPENSES FIXED EXPENSES		\$307.07 \$82.07	\$1,067.93	`	S MARGIN)	ADOD LAN	O & DIOLA			
NET FARM INCOME LABOR AND MANAGEMENT COST NET OPERATING PROFIT CAPITAL COSTS PETURN TO LAND AND PISK		\$162.44 \$22.67	\$985.86 \$823.42	`	RN TO CAPITAL, L		,			

\$800.75

TABLE 9. Upland cotton (picker), flood-irrigated, budgeted per acre costs and returns for a 200 acre farm with average management, Virden area, Hidalgo County, Projected 2015

Planting dates: April 10 - April 30
Harvest dates: October 15 - December 15

Tialvest dates. October 13	- December 13			
ITEM	PRICE	YIELD	BASE	TOTAL
GROSS RETURNS				
LINT	\$0.90	600.00 LBS		\$540.00
SEED	\$0.07	960.00 LBS		\$62.40
DIRECT PAYMENT	\$0.0000	600.00 LBS	0.85	\$0.00
COUNTER CYCLICAL PAYMENT	\$0.0000	1,060.00 LBS	0.85	\$0.00
TOTAL				***

COUNTER CYCLICAL PAYMENT	\$0.0000	1,060.00 LBS	0.85					\$0.00
TOTAL							<u>-</u>	\$602.40
PURCHASED INPUTS	PRICE	QUANTITY	PURCHASED INPUTS				FIXED COST	TOTAL
SEED	\$7.55	17 LBS	\$128.35					\$128.35
NITROGEN (N)	\$0.45	80 LBS	\$36.00					\$36.00
PHOSPHATE (P205)	\$0.40	60 LBS	\$24.00					\$24.00
HERBICIDE \	\$14.08	1 ACRE	\$14.08					\$14.08
CANAL WATER		24 AC. IN.	\$0.00				\$45.00	\$45.00
PUMP WATER*		12 AC. IN.						
CROP INSURANCE SUBTOTAL	\$0.74		\$0.74 \$203.17				\$45.00	\$0.74 \$248.17
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	POWER	ACCOMPLISHMENT			FUEL &		FIXED	
PREHARVEST OPERATIONS	UNIT	RATE	INPUTS	LABOR	LUBE	REPAIRS	COST	TOTAL
FERTILIZE	65 HP	0.05 HR		\$0.43	\$0.61	\$0.11	\$1.49	\$2.63
DISC	145 HP	0.17 HR		\$1.45	\$4.91	\$1.15	\$2.71	\$10.22
PLOW	145 HP	0.67 HR		\$5.73	\$19.34	\$5.44	\$12.51	\$43.03
DISC & SPRAY	145 HP	0.15 HR		\$1.28	\$4.33	\$1.11	\$3.61	\$10.34
FLOAT	65 HP	0.24 HR		\$2.05	\$2.92	\$0.31	\$1.06	\$6.34
LISTER	145 HP	0.18 HR		\$1.54	\$5.20	\$1.07	\$2.79	\$10.60
PRE-IRRIGATE	445.110	0.75 HR		\$5.63	\$1.35	\$0.00	\$0.52	\$7.49
MULCHER	145 HP	0.14 HR		\$1.20	\$4.04	\$1.21	\$4.14	\$10.58
PLANTER	145 HP	0.26 HR		\$2.22	\$7.51	\$1.46	\$7.56	\$18.75
CULTIVATOR (4X) HOEING (CUSTOM)	65 HP	0.84 HR	\$24.00	\$7.18	\$10.21	\$2.65	\$4.48	\$24.52 \$24.00
ROTOBUCK (3X)	145 HP	0.03 HR	\$24.00	\$0.26	\$0.87	\$0.12	\$0.60	\$24.00 \$1.84
IRRIGATE (8X)	145111	4.00 HR		\$30.00	\$10.77	\$0.12	\$4.13	\$44.90
SUBTOTAL		7.48 HR	\$24.00	\$58.97	\$72.05	\$14.64	\$45.60	\$215.25
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HARVEST OPERATIONS								
COTTON PICKER (2X)	2 ROW	1.24 HR		\$10.60	\$26.25	\$8.87	\$92.51	\$138.23
COTTON TRAILER (2X)	HALF TON	2.50 HR		\$21.38	\$39.38	\$1.62	\$17.29	\$79.66
GIN COTTON (CUSTOM)			\$68.52					\$68.52
SUBTOTAL		3.74 HR	\$68.52	\$31.98	\$65.62	\$10.49	\$109.80	\$286.41
POSTHARVEST OPERATIONS								
SHREDDER	65 HP	0.29 HR		\$2.48	\$3.52	\$0.43	\$3.49	\$9.93
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SUBTOTAL		0.29 HR		\$2.48	\$3.52	\$0.43	\$3.49	\$9.93
OVERHEAD EXPENSES								
DOWNTIME		1.56 HR		\$13.32				\$13.32
EMPLOYEE BENEFITS				\$16.82				\$16.82
INSURANCE			\$1.87					\$1.87
LAND TAXES							\$2.57	\$2.57
SUPERVISION AND MANAGEMENT				\$49.28				\$49.28
OTHER EXPENSES			\$114.00					\$114.00
SUBTOTAL		1.56 HR	\$115.87	\$79.42			\$2.57	\$197.86
TOTAL OPERATING EXPENSES		13.07 HR	\$411.56	\$172.84	\$141.20	\$25.56	\$206.47	\$957.62
NET OPERATING PROFIT								(\$355.22)
INTEREST ON OPERATING CAPITAL INTEREST ON EQUIPMENT INVESTM		(\$136.30 @	5.50%)				\$7.50 \$75.35
RETURN TO LAND AND RISK								(\$438.07)

Pump water costs	are shown under imgation in the prenarvest operation section.
	BUDGET SUMMARY

GROSS RETURN		\$602.40	
VARIABLE OPERATING EXPENSES	\$578.32		
RETURN OVER VARIABLE EXPENSES		\$24.08	(GROSS MARGIN)
FIXED EXPENSES	\$206.47		
NET FARM INCOME		(\$182.38)	(RETURN TO CAPITAL, LABOR, LAND & RISK)
LABOR AND MANAGEMENT COST	\$172.84		
NET OPERATING PROFIT		(\$355.22)	(RETURN TO CAPITAL, LAND & RISK)
CAPITAL COSTS	\$82.84		
RETURN TO LAND AND RISK		(\$438.07)	

TABLE 10. Grain sorghum, flood-irrigated, budgeted per acre costs and returns for a 200 acre farm with above average management, Virden area, Hidalgo County, Projected 2015

Planting dates: May 1 - June 15

Harvesting dates: October 15 - I			YIELD		BVSE					TOT^
	PRICE		YIELD		BASE					TOTA
GROSS RETURNS GRAIN SORGHUM	\$7.06		60.00	CWT						\$423.86
DIRECT PAYMENT	\$0.00			CWT	0.85					\$0.00
COUNTER CYCLICAL PAYMENT	\$0.50			CWT	5.55					\$0.00
GRAZING	\$10.00			ACRE						\$10.00
TOTAL										# 400 00
TOTAL										\$433.86
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PURCHASED INPUTS	PRICE		QUANTI	ГΥ	PURCHASED INPUTS				FIXED COST	TOTA
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SEED	\$1.31 \$0.45			LBS LBS	\$10.48 \$14.40					\$10.48 \$14.40
NITROGEN (N) PHOSPHATE (P205)	\$0.45 \$0.40			LBS	\$14.40 \$16.00					\$14.40 \$16.00
HERBICIDE	\$0.40 \$14.08			ACRE	\$14.08					\$14.08
INSECTICIDE	\$11.30			ACRE	\$11.30					\$11.30
CANAL WATER	ψ11.00			AC. IN.					\$45.00	\$45.00
PUMP WATER*				AC. IN.					V 10100	V 10101
CROP INSURANCE	\$1.47				\$1.47					\$1.47
SUBTOTAL	·			-	\$67.73				\$45.00	\$112.73
	POWER		ACCOMPLISH	HMFNT	PURCHASED		FUEL &		FIXED	
PREHARVEST OPERATIONS	UNIT		RATE	IIVILIVI	INPUTS	LABOR	LUBE	REPAIRS	COST	TOTA
FERTILIZER	65 HP		0.15	HP		\$1.28	\$1.82	\$0.33	\$4.47	\$7.90
DISC	145 HP		0.13			\$1.20 \$1.71	\$5.77	\$1.35	\$3.19	\$12.03
CHISEL	145 HP		0.20			\$3.42	\$11.55	\$2.18	\$7.12	\$24.28
DISC	145 HP		0.40			\$1.71	\$5.77	\$1.35	\$3.19	\$12.03
FLOAT	145 HP		0.25			\$2.14	\$7.22	\$1.00	\$2.87	\$13.22
SPRAYER	65 HP		0.20			\$1.71	\$2.43	\$0.39	\$2.25	\$6.78
LISTER	65 HP		0.50			\$4.28	\$6.08	\$1.64	\$4.22	\$16.21
PRE-IRRIGATE			0.75			\$5.63	\$2.02	\$0.00	\$0.77	\$8.42
MULCHER	145 HP		0.20	HR		\$1.71	\$5.77	\$1.72	\$5.91	\$15.12
PLANTER	145 HP		0.25	HR		\$2.14	\$7.22	\$1.40	\$7.27	\$18.03
SPRAYER	65 HP		0.20	HR		\$1.71	\$2.43	\$0.39	\$2.25	\$6.78
CULTIVATOR (2X)	65 HP		0.60			\$5.13	\$7.29	\$1.89	\$3.20	\$17.52
ROTOBUCK (3X)	145 HP		0.25			\$2.14	\$7.22	\$1.00	\$4.99	\$15.35
IRRIGATE (5X)			2.50	HR		\$18.75	\$10.10	\$0.00	\$3.87	\$32.72
SUBTOTAL		•	6.65	HR		\$53.45	\$82.70	\$14.66	\$55.58	\$206.38
HARVEST OPERATIONS										
COMBINE (CUSTOM)					\$25.20					\$25.20
HAUL (CUSTOM)					\$11.40					\$11.40
SUBTOTAL			0.00	HR	\$36.60					\$36.60
COBTOTAL			0.00	1111	ψ00.00					Ψ00.00
OVERHEAD EXPENSES										
DOWNTIME			0.61	HR		\$5.24				\$5.24
EMPLOYEE BENEFITS						\$9.62				\$9.62
INSURANCE					\$1.07					\$1.07
LAND TAXES						# 00 40			\$2.57	\$2.57
SUPERVISION AND MANAGEMENT					C444 00	\$32.40				\$32.40
OTHER EXPENSES					\$114.00					\$114.00
SUBTOTAL		•	0.61	HR	\$115.07	\$47.25			\$2.57	\$164.90
TOTAL OPERATING EXPENSES		-	7.26	HR	\$219.41	\$100.70	\$82.70	\$14.66	\$103.15	\$520.61
NET OPERATING PROFIT										(\$86.76
INTEREST ON OPERATING CAPITAL		(\$61.26	@	5.50%)				\$3.37
INTEREST ON EQUIPMENT INVESTMENT										\$29.42
RETURN TO LAND AND RISK										(\$119.55
* Pump water costs are shown under irrigation	n in the prehar	•	n section. SUMMARY							
GROSS RETURN		·	\$433.86							
VARIABLE OPERATING EXPENSES		\$316.77								
RETURN OVER VARIABLE EXPENSES		A 405.15	\$117.09	(GRC	OSS MARGIN)					

	\$433.86	
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	\$117.09	(GROSS MARGIN)
\$103.15		
		\$316.77 \$117.09

NET FARM INCOME \$13.94 (RETURN TO CAPITAL, LABOR, LAND & RISK) LABOR AND MANAGEMENT COST \$100.70

NET OPERATING PROFIT (\$86.76) (RETURN TO CAPITAL, LAND & RISK) CAPITAL COSTS \$32.79

RETURN TO LAND AND RISK (\$119.55)

TABLE 11. Summary of per acre costs and returns for a 200 acre farm with above average management, Virden area, Hidalgo County, Projected 2015

Projected 2015	ALFALFA	ALFALFA	CORN	PICKER	GRAIN
	ESTABLISHMENT	HAY	SILAGE	COTTON	SORGHUM
		TONS	TONS	LBS	CWT
PRIMARY YIELD		6.50	25.00	600.00	60.00
PRIMARY PRICE		\$235.00	\$55.00	\$0.90	\$7.06
GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS		\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
SECOND INCOME		\$15.00	\$0.00	\$62.40	\$10.00
GROSS RETURN		\$1,542.50	\$1,375.00	\$602.40	\$433.86
CASH OPERATING EXPENSES					
SEED	\$150.00		\$97.88	\$128.35	\$10.48
FERTILIZER	\$29.00		\$30.40	\$60.00	\$30.40
CHEMICALS				\$14.08	\$25.38
CROP INSURANCE				\$0.74	\$1.47
OTHER PURCHASED INPUTS		\$73.53			
CANAL WATER	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
FUEL, OIL & LUBRICANTS-EQUIPMENT	\$50.34	\$40.80	\$40.84	\$129.08	\$70.58
FUEL-IRRIGATION	\$5.05	\$18.18	\$14.14	\$12.12	\$12.12
REPAIRS	\$12.69	\$4.80	\$8.84	\$25.56	\$14.66
CUSTOM CHARGES LAND TAXES		40 57	40 E 7	\$92.52 \$2.57	\$36.60
OTHER EXPENSES	\$0.64	\$2.57 \$115.00	\$2.57 \$114.97	\$2.57 \$115.87	\$2.57 \$115.07
OTHER EXPENSES	φ0.04 	φ115.00	ф114.97	φ115.0 <i>1</i>	φ115.0 <i>1</i>
TOTAL CASH EXPENSES	\$247.72	\$254.88	\$309.65	\$580.89	\$319.34
RETURN OVER CASH EXPENSES	(\$247.72)	\$1,287.62	\$1,065.35	\$21.51	\$114.52
FIXED EXPENSES	\$37.51	\$235.69	\$79.50	\$203.89	\$100.58
TOTAL EXPENSES	\$285.23	\$490.56	\$389.14	\$784.78	\$419.92
NET FARM INCOME	(\$285.23)	\$1,051.94	\$985.86	(\$182.38)	\$13.94
LABOR AND MANAGEMENT COSTS	\$67.16	\$175.84	\$162.44	\$172.84	\$100.70
NET OPERATING PROFIT	(\$352.40)	\$876.09	\$823.42	(\$355.22)	(\$86.76)
CAPITAL COSTS					
INTEREST ON OPERATING CAPITAL		\$2.48	\$4.41	\$7.50	\$3.37
INTEREST ON EQUIPMENT INVESTMENT		\$19.71	\$18.27	\$75.35	\$29.42
TOTAL CAPITAL COSTS	\$0.00	\$22.19	\$22.67	\$82.84	\$32.79
RETURN TO LAND AND RISK	(\$352.40)	\$853.91	\$800.75	(\$438.07)	(\$110 FF)
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TABLE 12. Whole farm summary, Virden area, Hidalgo County, Projected 2015

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GROSS RETURNS ALFALFA HAY CROP	45.00 ACRES	\$68,738	
GRAZING CORN SILAGE	43.00 ACRES	\$675	
CROP UPLAND COTTON	68.00 ACRES	\$59,125	
LINT SEED DIRECT PAYMENT		\$36,720 \$4,243 \$0	
COUNTER CYCLICAL F GRAIN SORGHUM CROP	PAYMENT 34.00 ACRES	\$0 \$14,411	
DIRECT PAYMENT COUNTER CYCLICAL F GRAZING	PAYMENT	\$0 \$0 \$340	
GROSS RETURN			\$183,912
CASH OPERATING EXPENSED FERTILIZER CHEMICALS CROP INSURANCE OTHER PURCHASED CANAL WATER FUEL, OIL & LUBRICA FUEL-IRRIGATION REPAIRS CUSTOM CHARGES LAND TAXES OTHER EXPENSES	INPUTS ANTS-EQUIPMENT	\$15,543 \$6,856 \$1,820 \$100 \$3,309 \$0 \$15,525 \$2,738 \$3,023 \$7,536 \$489 \$21,920	78 858
RETURN OVER CASH EX	H EXPENSES	\$	\$105,054
FIXED EXPENSES	AT ENGLS	\$26,585	\$105,054
TOTAL EXP	ENSES		05,444
NET FARM INCOME			\$78,468
LABOR AND MANAGEME	ENT COSTS	\$31,082	
NET OPERATING PROFI	Т		\$47,386
CAPITAL COSTS INTEREST ON OPERA INTEREST ON EQUIP		\$925 \$7,796	
TOTAL CAP	ITAL COSTS		\$8,722
RETURN TO LAND AND	RISK		\$38,665

	RETURN	RETURN ON
LAND VALUE	TO RISK*	INVESTMENT**
\$700 /ACRE	\$34,465	19.87%
\$900 /ACRE	\$33,265	17.02%
\$1,100 /ACRE	\$32,065	14.88%
\$1,300 /ACRE	\$30,865	13.22%
\$1,500 /ACRE	\$29,665	11.89%
\$1,700 /ACRE	\$28,465	10.81%
\$1,900 /ACRE	\$27,265	9.90%

^{*} RETURN TO LAND AND RISK MINUS (INTEREST RATE TIMES LAND VALUE TIMES ACREAGE)
** NET OPERATING PROFIT DIVIDED BY (MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT VALUE PLUS LAND VALUE)