

AGRICULTURAL EXTENSION SERVICE
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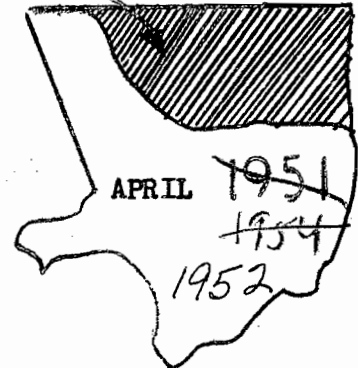
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~~87.35~~ AN ACRE TO GROW
MILO MAIZE
 IN THE ANTELOPE VALLEY
 OF LOS ANGELES COUNTY

or

cost of \$2.50 per cwt. based on
 a 3500 pound yield per acre

Built

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ITEM OF EXPENSE	SAMPLE COSTS		YOUR COSTS	
	Per acre	Per cwt.	Per acre	Per cwt.
LAND PREPARATION - Labor and power				
Plowing	5.00			
Discing (once)	\$2.50			
List or dyke (once) <i>Furrow on border</i>	1.25			
Pre-irrigate (once)	1.25			
Disc (once)	.80			
Float or level (2 times)	1.25			
	2.25	.50		
SUB TOTAL	9.30	\$.27		
CULTURAL - Labor and power				
Planting - list	1.50			
Cultivating (2 times)	2.50			
Fertilizing (once)*	1.00			
Irrigating (6 times)	4.00	.40		
Miscellaneous	.50			
SUB TOTAL	8.50	.24		
HARVESTING (Custom) <i>Shell row</i>				
Combine (Custom)	7.00			
Hauling - \$1.50 per ton	10.00			
	2.00			
SUB TOTAL	12.00	.34		
MATERIALS				
Irrigation water - 300 3/2 9F @ 6.40	10.00	22.40		
Certified seed - 8 lbs. per acre @ 6¢	.48			
Fertilizer*	15.00			
Sacks (30 sacks)	7.50			
SUB TOTAL	17.98	.51		
CASH OVERHEAD COSTS				
General expense - (5% of above costs) 2.00	2.32			
Taxes	4.00			
Compensation insurance 6.75	1.25			
Miscellaneous*				
SUB TOTAL	7.57	.22		
DEPRECIATION				
SUB TOTAL	2.00	.06		
LAND - INTEREST OR RENT				
SUB TOTAL	30.00	.86		
GRAND TOTAL ALL COSTS	87.35	2.50		

* For your entry where it may be needed.

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