

SAMPLE COSTS TO PRODUCE RICE IN GLENN COUNTY

Expected average yield: 3500 lbs. dry paddy

Labor at \$1.25 ^{1/}

PREHARVEST

Cost per acre

Plow	\$3.00
Disc (2x)	4.00
Float	1.00
Survey	.50
Check	3.70
Disc and harrow	2.00
Fertilize	3.00
Fertilizer, 60# N	9.00
Flood: labor	.50
Seed: plane	1.50
Seed, 150 lbs.	12.00
Irrigate	4.00
Irrigation water	7.50
Spray once	3.00
Drain and open checks	.10
Bird control, man and plane	1.00
Total Preharvest Cost	\$55.80

HARVESTING

Combine 38 bags at 50¢	\$17.50
Haul to mill	1.35
Dry 38 cwt. at 30¢	11.40
Storage 35 cwt. at \$3.16 per ton	5.53
Total Harvest Cost	\$35.78

MISCELLANEOUS

Taxes	\$2.00
Other cash	5.00
Interest on land and irrigation system	15.00
Total Miscellaneous Cost	\$22.00
TOTAL COST PER ACRE	\$113.58
TOTAL COST PER CWT.	3.25

Interest and depreciation on tractor and equipment are included in the charge for each operation and will total from \$15 to \$20 per acre.

^{1/} Current wage rates vary from \$1.00 to \$1.25 for unskilled labor and \$1.35 to \$1.50 for tractor and machine labor.

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