

SAMPLE COSTS TO PRODUCE Pears

Sutter County 1963

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Yield - 20 tons

Sutter

Operation	Date	Hours Per Acre	Cash and Labor Cost Per Acre			Total
			Labor	Fuel and Repairs	Materials	
Cultural						
Prune 109 trees @ 100			109-			109 ⁰⁰
Remove Brush		1.5	2.50	3.50		6 ⁰⁰
Fertilize		1.3	1.50	1.75	Nitrogen 150 lb @ 15¢	23.75
Disc 4 times		2.0	3.30	6.50		9.80
Ridge 2 times		1.0	1.65	2.50		4.15
Irrigate 5 times		5.0	6.75	2.00	Water 2.5' @ 3.50	17.50
Spray 5 times		3.0	4.95	16.35	Material	46.30
Dust		1.2	2.00	3.00	Copper 50 lb @ 13¢	11.50
Total Cultural			130.65	34.60	62.75	228 ⁰⁰
Harvest						
Harvest 20 tm @ \$15						300 ⁰⁰
				Misc overhead	26.70	
				Management 5% of 20 tm @ 70	70 ⁰⁰	
				Misc overhead		96.70
Total Harvest						
Total Cash & Labor Cost						

		Annual Cost		
<u>INVESTMENT</u>	<u>Per Acre</u>	<u>Depreciation</u>	<u>Interest</u>	<u>Taxes + Ins</u>
Land	1200		72 ⁰⁰	15 ⁰⁰
Irrig System	150	7.50	4.50	1.85
Buildings	65	2.60	1.95	1.80
Equipment	555	55.50	16.65	6.95
Trees	2500	62.50	75 ⁰⁰	12.50
Total		128.10	170.10	37.10
Total Cost Per Acre				
Cost Per <u>tm</u> @ <u>20 tm</u> Yield				
				335.30
				960 ⁰⁰
				48 ⁰⁰