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2012 Nebraska Farm Custom Rates – Part II

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Every two years a survey of custom operators is conducted to determine the current rates charged for specific machinery operations. The survey is divided into two parts: Part I and Part II. Part I includes the spring and summer operations such as planting and small grains harvest, and Part II includes information about fall and miscellaneous operations.

The responses are grouped by Agricultural Statistics Reporting Districts shown on the map below. Custom rates reported include charges for the use of necessary equipment, fuel and supplies such as baling wire or twine provided by the custom operator, and labor. Seed, fertilizer, and chemical costs are not included.

This survey is not based on a random sample of custom operators in Nebraska. Questionnaires were sent to all the individuals on our custom operator's mailing list. Thus, the results reflect the average of those who responded to the specific questions, but may not be representative of the rates charged in a particular area. The **Average Rate** for a specific operation provides an estimate of the prevailing charge with its reliability improving as the number of responses increase. The **Most Common Rate** is the rate reported more often than any other for that practice. Usually the Average Rate and the Most Common Rate are similar. The Average Rate is calculated to the nearest cent, while the Most Common Rate is more generally reported to the nearest dollar.

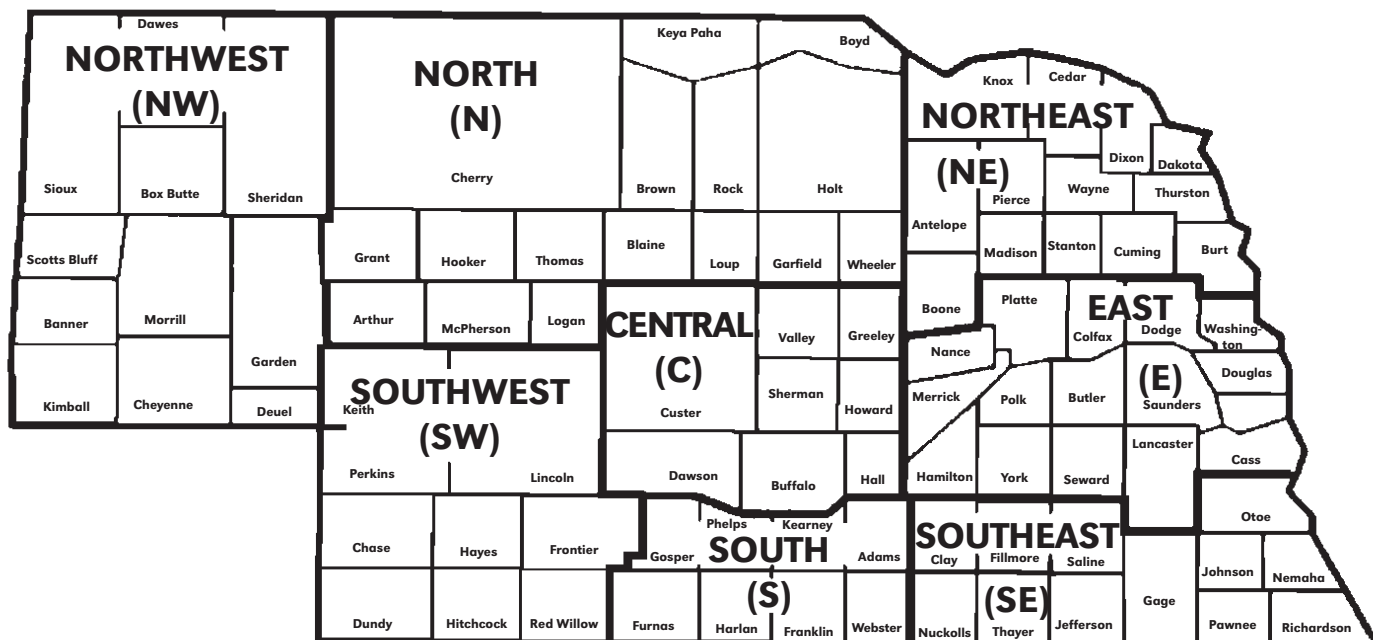


Figure 1. USDA Agricultural Statistics Services reporting districts for Nebraska.

The **Range** gives the minimum and the maximum amounts reported. It may be indicative of different conditions under which the work was performed. The range also may reflect the fact that some rates consider travel to and from the field while others do not.

The rates do not necessarily measure the full economic cost of performing the work specified. Some custom operators may only charge for fuel and labor. Other operators may charge for all costs including depreciation on equipment and a charge for risk and a management return. Field conditions such as size, terrain, and location vary, which will account for some of the range in the rates charged.

Estimates of the costs of owning and operating farm machinery are available to compare with these custom rates. One source of estimated costs of owning and operating machines is the University of Minnesota Extension's "Machinery Cost Estimates." It is available electronically at: www.extension.umn.edu/agbusinessmanagement/components/pdfs/mf2009.pdf.

The information presented here should be used only as a guide. Rates change from year to year due to cost changes and the availability of custom operators. For example, the rates reported in this presentation were the prevailing rates in the spring of 2012. In determining the rates for 2013, custom operators and farm owners should consider changes in the cost of machinery, labor, and fuel.

Factoring in the difference in fuel cost is essential for obtaining an accurate estimate for the cost associated with custom farming. This survey was conducted when expected fuel prices were \$3.50 per gallon (see page 10 of the report). As the prices vary, fuel consumption rates and the change in fuel price can be used to update the custom rates to current prices. For example, if the farm diesel price is \$3.50 per gallon with a consumption rate of .80 gallons per acre, $\$3.50 \times .80 = \2.80 that could be allocated to the per acre custom rate. If farm diesel prices increased to \$3.75 per gallon, an estimate of the additional cost due to the fuel increase would be $\$.25 \times .80 = \$.20$. This price then can be added to the custom rate quoted here. If additional information is needed concerning fuel cost refer to the Fuel Cost Estimator which can be located online at: lancaster.unl.edu/ag/farm-mgt/FuelCostEstimator.xls.

Inquiries or requests to be added to the respondents' list should go to:

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2012 CUSTOM FARM RATES (PART II)
Reported by Crop Reporting District in Dollars Unless otherwise Specified

	NW	N	NE	C	E	SW	S	SE	State
HARVESTING GRAIN & SOYBEANS (EXCLUDING HAULING TO STORAGE)									
COMBINING IRRIGATED CORN, flat charge per acre									
Number Reporting	14	4	21	9	28	#	3	38	119
Average Rate	29.57	31.25	30.67	35.50	33.32	-	29.00	31.26	31.77
Range	17.00-36.00	30.00-35.00	22.00-40.00	25.00-50.00	27.00-45.00	-	23.00-34.00	12.00-50.00	12.00-50.00
Most Common	32.00	30.00	32.00	-	35.00	-	-	30.00	30.00
COMBINING IRRIGATED CORN, flat charge per acre plus per bushel fee for all bushels harvested									
Number Reporting	#	#	4	#	7	#	#	4	21
Average Rate	-	-	25.00	-	25.29	-	-	27.50	25.24
Range	-	-	15.00-35.00	-	20.00-32.00	-	-	20.00-35.00	15.00-35.00
Most Common	-	-	-	-	25.00	-	-	-	25.00
Avg Per Bushel Fee	-	-	0.08	-	0.10	-	-	0.08	0.17
Range Per Bushel Fee	-	-	.04-.10	-	.03-.24	-	-	.05-.10	.01-.40
COMBINING IRRIGATED CORN, flat charge per acre plus extra charge per bushel exceeding 142 bushels (avg reported)									
Number Reporting	#	#	#	#	3	#	#	3	10
Average Rate	-	-	-	-	29.67	-	-	33.33	31.00
Range	-	-	-	-	25.00-32.00	-	-	30.00-35.00	22.00-35.00
Most Common	-	-	-	-	32.00	-	-	35.00	35.00
Avg Per Bushel Fee	-	-	-	-	0.01	-	-	0.10	0.10
Range Per Bushel Fee	-	-	-	-	.01-.01	-	-	.05-.15	.01-.25
COMBINING DRYLAND CORN, flat charge per acre									
Number Reporting	6	#	20	6	36	5	3	62	140
Average Rate	25.17	-	30.20	31.42	31.85	33.00	26.33	29.60	30.14
Range	17.00-35.00	-	20.00-40.00	25.00-42.50	25.00-40.00	20.00-60.00	20.00-34.00	12.00-50.00	12.00-60.00
Most Common	25.00	-	30.00	32.00	30.00	-	-	30.00	30.00
COMBINING DRYLAND CORN, flat charge per acre plus per bushel fee for all bushels harvested									
Number Reporting	#	#	5	#	8	#	#	6	24
Average Rate	-	-	24.60	-	23.38	-	-	28.17	25.00
Range	-	-	15.00-35.00	-	20.00-32.00	-	-	18.00-35.00	15.00-35.00
Most Common	-	-	-	-	20.00	-	-	30.00	20.00
Avg Per Bushel Fee	-	-	0.08	-	0.08	-	-	0.10	0.16
Range Per Bushel Fee	-	-	.04-.10	-	.03-.20	-	-	.03-.29	.03-.40
COMBINING DRYLAND CORN, flat charge per acre plus extra charge per bushel exceeding 116 bushels (avg reported)									
Number Reporting	#	#	#	#	3	#	#	4	9
Average Rate	-	-	-	-	25.67	-	-	27.50	26.33
Range	-	-	-	-	20.00-32.00	-	-	22.00-35.00	20.00-35.00
Most Common	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	20.00
Avg Per Bushel Fee	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.10	0.09
Range Per Bushel Fee	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	.05-.15	.04-.15
PICKING DRYLAND EAR CORN (without shelling), flat charge per acre									
Number Reporting	#	#	#	#	#	#	#	#	6
Average Rate	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	22.50
Range	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	15.00-30.00
Most Common	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	25.00
COMBINING SOYBEANS, flat charge per acre									
Number Reporting	#	4	25	14	38	4	5	58	149
Average Rate	-	29.25	30.12	32.54	31.21	39.25	34.00	29.32	30.62
Range	-	27.00-30.00	24.00-40.00	17.00-42.50	20.00-40.00	35.00-42.00	30.00-40.00	14.00-50.00	14.00-50.00
Most Common	-	30.00	35.00	38.00	30.00	40.00	30.00	30.00	30.00
COMBINING SOYBEANS, flat charge per acre plus extra charge per bushel (no yield for additional charge reported)									
Number Reporting	#	#	#	#	3	#	#	7	13
Average Rate	-	-	-	-	24.00	-	-	28.29	28.85
Range	-	-	-	-	22.00-25.00	-	-	23.00-35.00	22.00-42.00
Most Common	-	-	-	-	25.00	-	-	28.00	28.00
Avg Per Bushel Fee	-	-	-	-	0.16	-	-	0.10	0.13
Range Per Bushel Fee	-	-	-	-	.10-.22	-	-	.05-.20	.05-.35
COMBINING GRAIN SORGHUM (without pickup header), flat charge per acre									
Number Reporting	#	#	#	#	6	#	#	17	31
Average Rate	-	-	-	-	28.83	-	-	28.82	27.52
Range	-	-	-	-	25.00-40.00	-	-	22.00-35.00	20.00-40.00
Most Common	-	-	-	-	25.00	-	-	30.00	30.00

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	NW	N	NE	C	E	SW	S	SE	State
COMBINING GRAIN SORGHUM (without pickup header), flat charge per acre plus extra charge per bushel (no yield for additional charge reported)									
Number Reporting	#	#	#	#	#	#	#	#	6
Average Rate	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	26.00
Range	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	20.00-35.00
Most Common	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Avg Per Bushel Fee	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.11
Range Per Bushel Fee	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	.03-.24
COMBINING GRAIN SORGHUM (with pickup or bean-sorghum header), flat charge per acre									
Number Reporting	#	#	#	#	#	#	#	5	13
Average Rate	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	32.40	29.15
Range	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	25.00-35.00	22.00-35.00
Most Common	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	35.00	35.00
COMBINING GRAIN SORGHUM (with pickup header), flat charge per acre plus extra charge per bushel (no yield for additional charge reported)									
Number Reporting	#	#	#	#	#	#	#	#	4
Average Rate	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	28.00
Range	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	24.00-30.00
Most Common	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	30.00
Avg Per Bushel Fee	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.12
Range Per Bushel Fee	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	.03-.28
COMBINING MILLET (with pickup header), flat charge per acre									
Number Reporting	5	#	#	#	#	#	#	#	10
Average Rate	20.20	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	21.15
Range	12.00-23.00	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12.00-26.00
Most Common	22.00	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	22.00
COMBINING MILLET (with pickup header), flat charge per acre plus extra charge per bushel (no yield for additional charge reported)									
Number Reporting	#	#	#	#	#	#	#	#	4
Average Rate	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	23.50
Range	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	22.00-26.00
Most Common	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	22.00
Avg Per Bushel Fee	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.22
Range Per Bushel Fee	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	.04-.40
COMBINING MILLET (without pickup header), flat charge per acre									
Number Reporting	#	#	#	#	#	#	#	#	6
Average Rate	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	24.08
Range	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	18.00-36.00
Most Common	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	26.00
COMBINING MILLET (without pickup header), flat charge per acre									
Number Reporting	#	#	#	#	#	#	#	#	6
Average Rate	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	24.08
Range	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	18.00-36.00
Most Common	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	26.00
COMBINING MILLET (without pickup header), flat charge per acre									
Number Reporting	#	#	#	#	#	#	#	#	6
Average Rate	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	24.08
Range	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	18.00-36.00
Most Common	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	26.00
COMBINING SUNFLOWERS (without pickup header), flat charge per acre									
Number Reporting	3	#	#	#	#	3	#	#	10
Average Rate	29.67	-	-	-	-	32.00	-	-	27.80
Range	24.00-35.00	-	-	-	-	28.00-35.00	-	-	20.00-35.00
Most Common	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	35.00
DRYLAND GRAIN SWATHING, flat charge per acre									
Number Reporting	3	#	#	#	#	#	#	#	10
Average Rate	10.00	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12.60
Range	8.00-12.00	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8.00-17.00
Most Common	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12.00
HARVESTING OTHER CROPS									
COMBINING ALFALFA, per acre									
Number Reporting	#	#	#	#	#	#	#	#	4
Average Rate	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	33.00
Range	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	20.00-50.00
Most Common	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
CUTTING DRY EDIBLE BEANS, per acre									
Number Reporting	#	#	#	#	#	#	#	#	4
Average Rate	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	33.75
Range	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	20.00-50.00
Most Common	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

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	NW	N	NE	C	E	SW	S	SE	State
WINDROWING DRY EDIBLE BEANS, per acre									
Number Reporting	#	#	#	#	#	#	#	#	4
Average Rate	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	20.13
Range	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12.50-35.00
Most Common	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
CUTTING AND WINDROWING DRY EDIBLE BEANS, per acre									
Number Reporting	#	#	#	#	#	#	#	#	6
Average Rate	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	24.00
Range	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	15.00-35.00
Most Common	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	20.00
COMBINING DRY EDIBLE BEANS, per acre									
Number Reporting	#	#	#	#	#	#	#	#	3
Average Rate	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	40.00
Range	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	35.00-50.00
Most Common	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	35.00
HAULING OPERATIONS									
HAULING GRAIN FROM COMBINE WITH TRACTOR AND GRAIN CART, per acre									
Number Reporting	#	#	5	#	5	#	#	8	19
Average Rate	-	-	6.60	-	4.90	-	-	5.50	5.39
Range	-	-	1.00-15.00	-	2.00-7.50	-	-	2.00-10.00	1.00-15.00
Most Common	-	-	-	-	5.00	-	-	6.00	5.00
HAULING GRAIN FROM COMBINE WITH TRACTOR AND GRAIN CART, per bushel									
Number Reporting	3	#	4	#	10	3	#	12	34
Average Rate	0.05	-	0.09	-	0.07	0.12	-	0.05	0.07
Range	.02-.07	-	.03-.20	-	.03-.35	.02-.30	-	.02-.10	.02-.35
Most Common	-	-	-	-	0.03	-	-	0.05	0.05
HAULING GRAIN FROM COMBINE WITH TRACTOR AND GRAIN CART, per hour									
Number Reporting	#	#	5	#	4	#	#	6	16
Average Rate	-	-	91.00	-	47.50	-	-	61.67	65.94
Range	-	-	30.00-165.00	-	20.00-60.00	-	-	40.00-100.00	20.00-165.00
Most Common	-	-	-	-	60.00	-	-	40.00	50.00
HAULING GRAIN WITH GRAIN TRUCK, flat charge, per bushel, (average distance = 14 miles)									
Number Reporting	11	#	14	16	37	4	6	45	135
Average Rate	0.16	-	0.12	0.11	0.11	0.10	0.10	0.10	0.11
Range	.09-.25	-	.08-.18	.05-.18	.05-.25	.05-.15	.05-.15	.05-.16	.05-.25
Most Common	0.15	-	0.10	0.12	0.10	-	0.15	0.10	0.10
HAULING GRAIN WITH GRAIN TRUCK, extra charge for additional distance, per bushel									
Number Reporting	#	#	5	5	15	3	5	16	50
Average Rate	-	-	0.10	0.04	0.06	0.05	0.02	0.04	0.05
Range	-	-	.02-.32	.01-.12	.00-.20	.00-.10	.01-.03	.01-.16	.00-.32
Most Common	-	-	0.02	0.01	0.01	-	0.02	0.02	0.01
HAULING GRAIN WITH GRAIN TRUCK, extra charge for additional distance, for each mile									
Number Reporting	#	#	5	#	11	#	#	12	34
Average Rate	-	-	1.23	-	2.82	-	-	2.98	2.27
Range	-	-	.00-3.50	-	.00-10.00	-	-	.00-10.00	.00-10.00
Most Common	-	-	-	-	0.01	-	-	1.00	0.01
HAULING HAY									
HAULING LARGE ROUND BALES BY TRUCK, per loaded mile, (avg load 28,000 lbs.)									
Number Reporting	#	#	3	3	6	#	#	8	26
Average Rate	-	-	3.17	3.83	3.83	-	-	3.66	3.58
Range	-	-	2.00-4.00	3.50-4.00	3.00-5.00	-	-	2.00-7.50	1.80-7.50
Most Common	-	-	-	4.00	4.00	-	-	4.00	4.00
HAULING SMALL SQUARE BALES BY TRUCK, per loaded mile, (avg load 34,000 lbs.)									
Number Reporting	#	#	#	#	#	#	#	#	6
Average Rate	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.08
Range	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.00-4.50
Most Common	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.00
HAULING LARGE SQUARE BALES BY TRUCK, per loaded mile, (avg load 36,000 lbs.)									
Number Reporting	#	#	3	#	#	#	#	3	9
Average Rate	-	-	3.10	-	-	-	-	3.00	3.20
Range	-	-	2.00-3.80	-	-	-	-	2.00-4.50	2.00-4.50
Most Common	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.00

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	NW	N	NE	C	E	SW	S	SE	State
HAULING LIVESTOCK									
HAULING CATTLE BY STRAIGHT TRUCK, per cwt. (avg distance 50 miles)									
Number Reporting	#	#	#	#	#	#	#	#	4
Average Rate	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.79
Range	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	.33-1.08
Most Common	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
HAULING CATTLE BY SEMI-TRAILER TRUCK, per cwt. (avg distance 53 miles)									
Number Reporting	#	#	3	#	#	#	#	#	10
Average Rate	-	-	0.57	-	-	-	-	-	0.52
Range	-	-	.33-.70	-	-	-	-	-	.24-.72
Most Common	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.50
HAULING CATTLE BY GOOSE-NECKED STOCK TRAILER, per cwt. (avg distance 50 miles)									
Number Reporting	#	#	#	#	#	#	#	#	4
Average Rate	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.66
Range	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	.36-1.04
Most Common	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
HAULING HOGS BY STRAIGHT TRUCK, per loaded mile. (avg load 26,000 lbs)									
Number Reporting	#	#	#	#	#	#	#	#	3
Average Rate	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.17
Range	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.00-3.50
Most Common	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
HAULING HOGS BY SEMI-TRAILER TRUCK, per loaded mile. (avg load 48,000 lbs)									
Number Reporting	#	#	#	#	#	#	#	#	6
Average Rate	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.09
Range	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.25-4.50
Most Common	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
HAULING HOGS BY GOOSE-NECKED STOCK TRAILER, per loaded mile. (avg load 12,000 lbs)									
Number Reporting	#	#	#	#	#	#	#	#	4
Average Rate	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.70
Range	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	.80-4.50
Most Common	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
HAULING FEEDER CATTLE BY STRAIGHT TRUCK, per loaded mile. (avg load 16,000 lbs)									
Number Reporting	#	#	3	#	#	#	#	#	5
Average Rate	-	-	2.83	-	-	-	-	-	2.72
Range	-	-	2.00-3.50	-	-	-	-	-	1.00-4.10
Most Common	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
HAULING FEEDER CATTLE BY SEMI-TRAILER TRUCK, per loaded mile. (avg load 62,000 lbs)									
Number Reporting	#	#	3	#	#	#	#	4	11
Average Rate	-	-	3.23	-	-	-	-	3.23	3.56
Range	-	-	2.00-3.90	-	-	-	-	2.50-4.00	2.00-4.50
Most Common	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.00
HAULING FEEDER CATTLE BY GOOSE-NECKED STOCK TRAILER, per loaded mile. (avg load 13,000 lbs)									
Number Reporting	#	#	#	#	#	#	#	4	8
Average Rate	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.29	2.77
Range	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	.80-4.00	.80-4.50
Most Common	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.00
MAKING SILAGE									
ALFALFA SILAGE, flat charge per hour (FIELD CHOPPING, HAULING, FILLING AND PACKING SILO)									
Number Reporting	#	#	#	#	#	#	#	#	4
Average Rate	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	181.25
Range	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	75.00-400.00
Most Common	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ALFALFA SILAGE, flat charge per ton (FIELD CHOPPING, HAULING, FILLING AND PACKING SILO)									
Number Reporting	#	#	#	#	#	#	#	#	5
Average Rate	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9.05
Range	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.00-12.00
Most Common	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ALFALFA SILAGE, flat charge per hour (FIELD CHOPPING AND HAULING WITH WAGONS AND TRUCKS)									
Number Reporting	#	#	#	#	#	#	#	#	3
Average Rate	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	198.33
Range	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	95.00-400.00
Most Common	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ALFALFA SILAGE, flat charge per ton (FIELD CHOPPING AND HAULING WITH WAGONS AND TRUCKS)									
Number Reporting	#	#	#	#	#	#	#	#	6
Average Rate	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7.29
Range	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.00-9.00
Most Common	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9.00

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ALFALFA SILAGE, flat charge per hour (FIELD CHOPPING ONLY)									
Number Reporting	#	#	4	#	#	#	#	#	6
Average Rate	-	-	368.75	-	-	-	-	-	372.50
Range	-	-	100.00-550.00	-	-	-	-	-	100.00-550.00
Most Common	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	400.00
ALFALFA SILAGE, flat charge per ton (FIELD CHOPPING ONLY)									
Number Reporting	#	#	#	#	#	#	#	#	5
Average Rate	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.15
Range	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.00-7.00
Most Common	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
CORN SILAGE, flat charge per hour (FIELD CHOPPING, HAULING, FILLING AND PACKING SILO)									
Number Reporting	#	#	3	#	#	#	#	#	9
Average Rate	-	-	500.00	-	-	-	-	-	319.44
Range	-	-	200.00-800.00	-	-	-	-	-	75.00-800.00
Most Common	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	150.00
CORN SILAGE, flat charge per ton (FIELD CHOPPING, HAULING, FILLING AND PACKING SILO)									
Number Reporting	#	#	3	#	#	#	3	3	15
Average Rate	-	-	7.67	-	-	-	6.75	10.08	8.13
Range	-	-	5.00-10.00	-	-	-	6.00-7.75	8.50-12.00	5.00-12.00
Most Common	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.00
CORN SILAGE, flat charge per hour (FIELD CHOPPING AND HAULING WITH WAGONS AND TRUCKS)									
Number Reporting	#	#	#	#	#	#	#	#	6
Average Rate	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	220.00
Range	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	75.00-500.00
Most Common	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
CORN SILAGE, flat charge per ton (FIELD CHOPPING AND HAULING WITH WAGONS AND TRUCKS)									
Number Reporting	3	#	#	#	#	#	3	3	13
Average Rate	7.33	-	-	-	-	-	6.17	6.73	6.73
Range	6.50-8.00	-	-	-	-	-	3.50-8.00	3.50-10.00	3.50-10.00
Most Common	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8.00	8.00
CORN SILAGE, flat charge per hour (FIELD CHOPPING ONLY)									
Number Reporting	#	#	6	#	#	#	#	3	13
Average Rate	-	-	414.17	-	-	-	-	146.67	293.08
Range	-	-	200.00-500.00	-	-	-	-	110.00-190.00	75.00-500.00
Most Common	-	-	500.00	-	-	-	-	-	500.00
CORN SILAGE, flat charge per ton (FIELD CHOPPING ONLY)									
Number Reporting	#	#	#	#	#	#	#	#	8
Average Rate	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.94
Range	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.50-6.00
Most Common	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.00
HAULING SILAGE									
HAULING SILAGE FROM FIELD TO SILO BY TRUCK, per hour									
Number Reporting	#	#	8	#	#	#	#	#	12
Average Rate	-	-	77.00	-	-	-	-	-	72.58
Range	-	-	41.00-100.00	-	-	-	-	-	30.00-100.00
Most Common	-	-	85.00	-	-	-	-	-	85.00
HAULING SILAGE FROM FIELD TO SILO BY TRUCK, per ton									
Number Reporting	#	#	#	#	#	#	#	#	6
Average Rate	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.89
Range	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.50-3.00
Most Common	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.00
EXTRA CHARGE, per ton, hauls over 2.14 miles (average distance reported)									
Number Reporting	#	#	#	#	#	#	#	#	4
Average Rate	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.25
Range	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	.20-.35
Most Common	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.20
OTHER CUSTOM OPERATIONS									
DRYING GRAIN, (exclude hauling) per point of moisture removed, per bushel									
Number Reporting	#	#	#	#	3	#	#	#	6
Average Rate	-	-	-	-	0.05	-	-	-	0.04
Range	-	-	-	-	.03-.06	-	-	-	.03-.06
Most Common	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.03
CLEANING ONLY, WHEAT, per bushel									
Number Reporting	7	#	#	#	#	#	#	9	20
Average Rate	0.53	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.81	0.64
Range	.40-.65	-	-	-	-	-	-	.45-1.25	.10-1.25
Most Common	0.50	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.00	0.50

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CLEANING ONLY, SOYBEANS, per bushel									
Number Reporting	#	#	#	#	#	#	#	5	7
Average Rate	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.94	0.76
Range	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	.60-1.35	.10-1.35
Most Common	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.00	1.00
TREATING WHEAT SEED GRAIN (include cost of chemical), per bushel									
Number Reporting	#	#	#	#	#	#	#	5	6
Average Rate	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.75	2.04
Range	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	.75-3.00	.75-3.50
Most Common	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TREATING SOYBEANS SEED GRAIN (include cost of chemical), per bushel									
Number Reporting	#	#	#	#	3	#	#	#	5
Average Rate	-	-	-	-	13.00	-	-	-	12.50
Range	-	-	-	-	13.00-13.00	-	-	-	10.00-13.50
Most Common	-	-	-	-	13.00	-	-	-	13.00
ELEVATING GRAIN (on farm), per bushel									
Number Reporting	#	#	#	#	#	#	#	#	8
Average Rate	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.04
Range	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	.02-.10
Most Common	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.02
CHECKING PIVOTS DURING IRRIGATION SEASON (per acre)									
Number Reporting	#	3	#	#	4	#	#	#	14
Average Rate	-	13.50	-	-	10.25	-	-	-	15.11
Range	-	10.50-15.00	-	-	8.00-15.00	-	-	-	8.00-25.00
Most Common	-	15.00	-	-	8.00	-	-	-	15.00
CHECKING CATTLE, per head									
Number Reporting	#	#	#	#	#	#	#	#	3
Average Rate	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.73
Range	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	.20-1.00
Most Common	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.00
GRINDING AND MIXING FEED, per ton									
Number Reporting	#	#	#	#	#	#	#	#	3
Average Rate	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	20.00
Range	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8.00-40.00
Most Common	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
GRINDING DRY HAY, per ton									
Number Reporting	#	#	4	#	#	#	#	#	9
Average Rate	-	-	8.13	-	-	-	-	-	7.83
Range	-	-	6.00-12.00	-	-	-	-	-	5.00-12.00
Most Common	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8.00
GRINDING DRY HAY, per hour									
Number Reporting	#	#	#	#	#	#	#	7	10
Average Rate	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	252.14	265.00
Range	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	120.00-375.00	120.00-510.00
Most Common	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	300.00	300.00
CUSTOM OPERATOR INFORMATION									
ACRES COVERED PER YEAR IN CUSTOM WORK									
Number Reporting	11	#	19	9	28	6	3	42	120
Average Rate	3,018	-	1,254	1,444	2,056	14,367	717	734	2,100
Range	400-9,000	-	220-4,000	500-3,500	30-2,720	400-4,000	150-1,000	70-3,000	30-9,000
HOURS SPENT PER YEAR ON CUSTOM WORK OPERATION									
Number Reporting	6	#	15	5	19	#	4	27	79
Average Rate	608	-	507	151	471	-	245	143	331
Range	60-3,000	-	40-3,100	30-375	12-4,000	-	30-600	8-500	8-4,000

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