## Estimated Returns to Farrow to Finish, Iowa ¹

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### Costs of Producing 270 lb Finished Pig

#### Feed costs
- Corn, $/hd: 34.43, 34.47
- Soybean meal, $/hd: 13.58, 13.51
- Dried distiller grain, $/hd: 9.59, 9.66
- Complete feeds & other ingredients, $/hd: 14.74, 14.79
- Feed processing, $/hd: 4.58, 4.58

**Total, $/hd**: 76.92, 77.01

#### Nonfeed costs
- Variable costs, $/hd: 30.31, 30.23
- Operating interest, $/hd: 2.65, 2.74
- Fixed costs, $/hd: 15.56, 15.56

**Total, $/hd**: 48.51, 48.53

### Returns to Marketing 270 lb Finished Pig

- Total Costs, $/hd: 125.43, 125.54
- Breakeven price, $/live cwt: 46.46, 46.49
- Breakeven price, $/carcass cwt: 61.94, 61.99
- Selling price, $/live cwt: 47.11, 43.89
- Selling price, $/carcass cwt: 62.81, 58.52
- Sales value, $/hd: 127.19, 118.50
- Less death loss, $/hd: 4.89, 4.65
- Profit (loss), $/hd: -3.13, -11.69
- Manure credit, $/hd: 2.67, 2.75
- Total profit (loss), $/hd: -0.46, -8.94

¹ Costs of producing 270 lb finished pig on a per finished pig basis and returns to marketing 270 lb finished pig on a per finished pig basis.