## Estimated Returns to Finishing Yearling Steers, Iowa

### Production Period

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### 750 lb Feeder Steer

- **Purchase price, $/cwt**: 146.25 147.35
- **Purchase cost, $/hd**: 1096.89 1105.16

### Costs of Producing 1,300 lb Finished Steer

#### Feed costs
- **Corn, $/hd**: 161.00 177.83
- **Modified distiller grain, $/hd**: 88.25 98.17
- **Hay, $/hd**: 33.32 33.78
- **Supplement & mineral, $/hd**: 21.15 21.54
- **Total, $/hd**: 303.72 331.33

#### Nonfeed costs
- **Variable costs, $/hd**: 70.88 71.18
- **Operating interest, $/hd**: 28.34 28.83
- **Fixed costs, $/hd**: 33.22 33.22
- **Total, $/hd**: 132.43 133.23

### Returns to Marketing 1,300 lb Finished Steer

- **Death loss, $/hd**: 13.45 13.95
- **Total Costs, $/hd**: 1546.50 1583.67
- **Breakeven price, $/live cwt**: 118.96 121.82
- **Selling price, $/live cwt**: 109.69 114.07
- **Sales value, $/hd**: 1425.97 1482.91
- **Profit (loss), $/hd**: -120.53 -100.76
- **Manure credit, $/hd**: 6.23 6.98
- **Total profit (loss), $/hd**: -114.30 -93.78

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1/ Costs of producing 1,300 lb finished steer on a per finished steer basis and returns to marketing 1,300 lb finished steer on a per finished steer basis.