

Custom Rates: Selected Farming Operations, Pennsylvania, 2012-2013

Job	Basis of Charge	2013 (Dollars)				2012
		Mountain Section	Valley Section	Range ¹	State	State (Dollars)
Planting & Drilling						
Planting Corn. With Fertilizer:						
Conventional-Till	Acre	22.90	20.20	13.00-26.00	20.80	19.50
Minimum-Till	Acre	23.50	21.10	15.00-26.00	21.60	20.50
No-Till	Acre	24.70	21.30	17.00-27.00	21.90	21.00
Planting Corn. Without Fertilizer:						
Conventional-Till	Acre	22.70	18.80	12.00-25.00	19.70	19.00
Minimum-Till	Acre	23.30	19.10	15.00-23.00	19.80	19.50
No-Till	Acre	24.60	19.60	15.00-25.00	20.20	19.90
Planting Soybeans. Without Fertilizer:						
Conventional-Till	Acre	21.00	19.40	12.00-23.00	19.70	19.20
Minimum-Till	Acre	NA ¹	19.70	17.00-24.00	20.30	19.40
No-Till	Acre	23.60	20.00	15.00-25.00	20.50	19.80
Drilling	Acre	NA ¹	19.60	15.00-22.00	19.90	19.60
Drilling Small Grain. Without Fertilizer						
Conventional-Till	Acre	20.00	17.60	10.00-22.00	18.30	17.20
Minimum-Till	Acre	NA ¹	18.20	15.00-30.00	19.00	18.40
No-Till	Acre	23.00	18.50	11.00-22.00	19.10	18.50
Seeding Alfalfa. Clover. Etc.	Acre	19.70	17.60	10.00-22.00	18.20	18.60
Broadcast Seeding (On Grain Fields)	Acre	14.80	14.90	10.00-30.00	14.90	11.90
Cleaning Grain Seed:						
With Treatment	Bu.	NA ¹	1.40	0.65-2.10	1.30	1.30
Without Treatment	Bu.	NA ¹	1.05	0.75-1.60	1.00	0.92
Spraying:						
Ground Equipment:						
Spraying for Weed Control Excl. Material ...	Acre	13.80	10.40	8.00-15.00	11.20	10.70
Spraying for Corn Borer	Acre	NA ¹	10.70	7.00-15.00	11.30	10.90
Spraying for Spittle Bug or Alfalfa Weevil ...	Acre	NA ¹	10.80	8.00-15.00	11.10	10.30
Miscellaneous:						
Grain Hauling:						
Local	Bu.	0.22	0.23	0.14-0.30	0.22	0.21
Long Distance	Bu.	0.51	0.33	0.20-0.50	0.36	0.36
Local	Mile	NA ¹	2.20	1.50-3.00	2.25	2.50
Long Distance	Mile	NA ¹	2.30	1.00-2.75	2.30	2.65
Grain Storage	Bu./Month	0.06	0.06	0.03-0.15	0.06	0.05
Stalk Shredding. P.T.O.	Acre	16.00	16.70	8.00-23.00	16.60	15.60
Bushhoading	Acre	29.00	28.30	12.00-50.00	28.60	25.20
Spreading Bulk Fertilizer:						
Dry	Acre	9.60	11.30	4.00-18.00	10.70	10.00
Liquid	Acre	NA ¹	11.20	8.00-14.00	11.30	10.70
Side Dressing	Acre	NA ¹	12.00	9.50-15.50	12.60	10.70
Lime	Acre	12.50	13.00	8.00-20.00	12.90	13.60
Grinding Feed:						
Corn. Oats or Barley	Cwt.	0.97	1.20	0.25-1.90	1.10	1.00
Corn & Cobs	Cwt.	NA ¹	1.00	0.70-1.87	1.05	0.98
Cobs	Cwt.	NA ¹	1.00	0.70-1.80	1.00	0.81
Additional Charge for Mixing	Cwt.	NA ¹	0.60	0.41-0.73	0.57	0.56
Machine Tilling (No Tile)	Foot	NA ¹	1.10	0.80-1.35	1.05	0.95
Back Hoe	Hour	59.40	64.70	40.00-80.00	62.70	61.20
Sawing Wood. Chain Saw	Hour	22.40	29.40	15.00-45.00	27.50	27.40
Post Hole Digging	Hole	5.20	4.55	1.50-10.00	4.80	4.30
Manure Loading. Solid	Hour	41.50	50.90	21.50-85.00	48.30	46.10
Manure Spreading. Solid	Hour	35.30	61.00	30.00-85.00	54.20	56.70
Manure Pumping	Hour	NA ¹	29.50	17.00-50.00	30.50	31.10
Manure Spreading. Liquid	Hour	NA ¹	87.80	70.00-110.00	88.80	84.60
Bulldozing	Hour	76.30	84.60	50.00-100.00	81.60	79.90
Average Size	HP	73.10	101.60	55.00-140.00	91.00	102.00
Tractor Rental Rates:						
Less than 80 HP	Hour	33.90	29.80	15.00-50.00	30.50	33.70
80 to 120 HP	Hour	46.60	35.40	15.00-60.00	37.00	36.10
120 to 160 HP	Hour	NA ¹	42.40	25.00-65.00	42.60	42.80
Greater than 160 HP	Hour	NA ¹	57.30	32.00-70.00	56.30	55.50

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