

Cost to Produce Pork, 2014 to 2017¹

Items	2014	2015	2016	2017 Est.
Number of Farms	12	13	10	
Tillable Acres	553	398	632	
Number of Litters	494	583	492	
		<i>-----Per 100 Pounds Produced-----</i>		
Total Returns	\$74.52	\$46.96	\$46.63	\$51.41
Cash Costs				
Feed	\$38.59	\$31.71	\$29.54	\$30.43
Operating Expenses				
Maintenance and Power ²	\$6.10	\$4.55	\$5.17	
Livestock Expense	5.28	4.63	5.21	
Insurance, Taxes, and Overhead	<u>1.18</u>	<u>1.40</u>	<u>1.47</u>	
Total Operating Expenses	\$12.56	\$10.59	\$11.85	\$11.70
Total Cash Costs	\$51.15	\$42.30	\$41.39	\$42.13
Other Costs				
Depreciation ³	\$1.74	\$1.38	\$1.75	
Labor	5.49	5.94	6.05	
Interest Charge on All Capital	<u>1.59</u>	<u>1.34</u>	<u>1.51</u>	
Total Other Costs	\$8.82	\$8.66	\$9.31	\$8.64
Total Nonfeed Costs	\$21.38	\$19.25	\$21.16	\$20.34
Total All Costs	\$59.97	\$50.96	\$50.70	\$50.77
Return above All Costs	\$14.55	(\$4.00)	(\$4.07)	\$0.64

¹ Special Summary of Illinois Farm Business Records.

² Includes utilities, machinery, equipment and building repairs, machine hire, and fuel.

³ Includes machinery, equipment, and building depreciation.

