

APPENDIX A

Farm Startup Costs WORKSHEET

This worksheet is for a fictional farm business. Use it to get started calculating the startup costs for your own farm. Change or add expense categories to fit your farm. Enter one time and monthly charges in the appropriate columns. Total funds required are the total estimated amount for most costs for a farm in Year 1.

One Time Expense	Budget
Purchase Land	
Land Improvements	
Buildings (construction)	
Buildings (renovations)	
Fencing	
Infrastructure – Water (Home & Buildings)	
Infrastructure – Water (fields and stock tanks)	
Infrastructure – Sewer	
Infrastructure - Heat	
Infrastructure – Electricity	
Infrastructure – Internet, Telephone	
Infrastructure – Other	
Farm Equipment	
Supplies	
Tools	
Total One Time Expenses	

Monthly expenses	Budget
Bank payment	
Property insurance	
Crop insurance	
Utilities	
Health Insurance	
Life Insurance	
Accounting	
Legal	
Repairs & Maintenance	
Vehicle payment(s)	
Vehicle gas	
Vehicle licensing, repairs and maintenance	
Livestock Vet	
Livestock Feed	
Livestock Other	
Crop Seeds	
Crop Fertilizer	
Crop Pest Control	
Crop Other	
Equipment rental	
Hired labor	
Total Monthly Expenses	

Total One Time Expense	
Total Monthly Expenses	
Total Startup Expenses	

