

Table A-3. Cabbage: Summary of preharvest labor costs in the Hastings area, 1997-98.

Operation	Hours per acre	Dollars per acre
<b>CULTURAL LABOR</b>		
Part Time Labor	2.08	16.22
Full Time Labor	6.64	75.70
Total cultural labor	8.72	91.92
Total tractor labor	7.83	89.21
<b>TOTAL LABOR COST</b>		<b>181.13</b>

Table A-4. Cabbage: Summary of machine use and costs in the Hastings area, 1997-98.

Description	Hours per acre	Dollars per acre		
		Fixed	Variable	Total
<b>TRACTORS</b>				
70 hp	0.63	2.21	3.78	5.99
125 hp	4.61	27.40	48.30	75.70
140 hp	1.02	6.57	11.82	18.38
<b>IMPLEMENTS</b>				
13 ft. heavy disc	0.60	1.51	0.46	1.97
V-ditcher	1.60	1.48	1.14	2.62
8 row chopper	0.42	1.85	0.62	2.47
Lister	0.10	0.57	0.28	0.85
8 row bedder	0.47	1.54	0.47	2.01
8 row cross ditcher	0.17	1.09	0.18	1.27
Boom Sprayer	0.63	4.60	3.40	8.00
Side mower	1.33	2.23	1.75	3.98
Bulk spreader	0.41	0.71	0.63	1.34
4 row transplanter	0.50	0.94	1.73	2.67
<b>MISCELLANEOUS</b>				
10 hp electric pump	24.10	3.03	25.94	28.97
<b>TOTAL MACHINERY COST</b>		<b>55.75</b>	<b>100.49</b>	<b>156.24</b>