

Economic Feasibility of a Small Acreage Meat and Milk Goat Farm in South Texas

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This study is an economic analysis of small livestock production. Nubian and Boer goat are considered in an analysis of Investment costs and profits from the sale of milk, meat and kids.

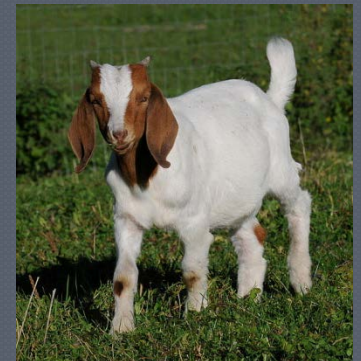
Initial Investment Costs	Operation Costs*
Fencing \$1500.00	Feed \$220.00
**Shelter \$1300.00	Water \$120.00
***Water Pump \$1000.00	
Misc. \$200.00	
Total: \$3,860.00	Total: \$360.00

Profits from Boer Goats:

- Sell meat per pound
- Sell kids
- Holidays

Profits from Nubian Goats:

- Milk
- Sell kids



*Yearly

** 20x20 shelter using wooden posts and sheet metal

***May or may not be necessary. Price of water pump will vary