Understanding your Income Statement/Financial Ratios

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Importance of Financial Analysis

"The manager's ability to analyze the financial situation of the farm or ranch operation contributes to the ability of that operation to succeed. For this reason, accurate financial statements are an integral part of farm and ranch management. They are a tool the manager can use to help monitor the financial progress of the business and to compare current performance with past performances."-Farm and Ranch Business Management-John Deere Company



2004 Financial Analysis Executive Summary					
Income Statement			Financial Standards Measures		
Crop sales	22,626		Liquidity	Beg	End
Crop inventory change	-9,954		Current ratio	1.28	1.98
Gross crop income		12,672	Working capital	22,212	59,514
Livestock sales	227,160		Working capital to gross revenues	7.8 %	20.9 %
Livestock inventory change	18,015				- 1
Gross livestock income		245,175	Solvency (market)	Beg	End
Government payments		13,341	Debt to asset ratio	51 %	42 %
Other cash farm income		9,144	Debt to equity ratio	1.05	0.73
Change in accounts receivable		4,050			- 1
Gain or loss on hedging accts		-	Profitability	Cost	Market
Change in other assets			Net farm income	101,220	122,614
Gain or loss on breeding lyst		95	Rate of return on assets	20.6 %	18.4 %
Gross farm income		284,476	Rate of return on equity	29.4 %	28.4 %
			Operating profit margin	44.6 %	54.4 %
Cash operating expense	159,993				
Change in prepaid exp and supplies	-4.812		Repayment Capacity		- 1
Change in growing crops -		Term debt coverage ratio (farm only)		2.44	
Change in accounts payable -1,722		Replacement margin coverage ratio		2.44	
Depreciation	epreciation 8,464				
Total operating expense		161,923	23 Efficiency		Market
		Asset turnover rate	46.0 %	33.7 %	
Change in accrued interest	-241		Operating expense ratio		53.9 %
Total interest expense 20,834		Depreciation expense ratio		3.0 %	
Total expenses		182,757	Interest expense ratio		7.3 %
			Net farm income ratio		35.8 %
Net farm income from operations		101.720			
Gain or loss on capital sales		-500	Other		- 1
Net farm income		101,220	Term debt coverage (farm+personal)		2.44
			Term debt to EBITDA		1.16
Other Measures					
			Information Accuracy		I
Total crop acres		290	•		I
Dairy Cows		53	Cash discrepancy		0
Farrow-Fin Litters		56	Liability discrepancy		0
Fin Yearling sold or transferred out		37	Cash discrepancy to gross revenue		0 %
Change in earned net worth	61,115	24 %			
Change in market value net worth	82,509	25 %			

Parts of the Income Statement-Income Side

- Crop Sales
- +Crop Inventory Change (Accrual)
- = Gross Crop Income
- Livestock Sales
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- +Government Payments
- +Other Cash Farm Income
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- +Change in other assets
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Parts of the Income Statement-Expense Side

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- +Change in growing crops
- +Change in accounts payable
- +Depreciation (Cost Value)
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- Interest paid
- +Change in accrued interest
- =Total Interest expense
- Total Expenses=Total Operating Expenses+Total Interest Expense
- =Net Farm Income from Operations
- +Gain or loss on capital sales
- =Net farm income

Other Measures

- Total Crop Acres
- Livestock Numbers
- Change in Earned Net Worth-\$ and %
- Change in market Value Net Worth-\$ and %

Total crop acres 290 Dairy Cows 53 Farrow-Fin Litters 56 Fin Yearling sold or transferred out 37 Change in earned net worth 61,115 24 % Change in market value net worth 82,509 25 %

Financial Standards Measures/Scorecard

- These 21 ratios are used to evaluate farm management. We will discuss how they are calculated, what function they have in evaluating your farm as well as the scorecard values for strong to vulnerable scores.
- These 21 ratios are split into 5 main categories
- 1. Liquidity-The ability of a business to pay bills in short term-<1 year
- 2. Solvency (Market)-The ability of all assets to cover all debts
- 3. Profitability (Cost)-They show how efficient a business is in generating a profit from the use of the land, labor, management, and capital resources.

Financial Standards Measures/Scorecard

- 4. Repayment Capacity (Accrual)-They show the ability of the farm to meet debt requirements as well as replace assets on a regular basis.
- 5. Financial Efficiency-They measure how effective the business is in generating revenue from the production and management decisions.

Liquidity Ratios

Current Ratio

- Current Assets divided by Current Liabilities
- It's the ability of the farm's current assets to meet short term liabilities.
- Strong=>2.0
- Vulnerable= <1.3

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Working Capital

- Current Assets-Current Liabilities
- Actual dollars available to meet short term debt needs.

Liquidity Ratios

Working Capital to Gross Revenue Working Capital to gross revenues

- Working Capital divided by Gross Revenue expressed as %
- Shows working capital in a % of typical gross revenue compared to just a dollar amount in WC
- Strong=>30%
- Vulnerable=<10%





Solvency Ratios

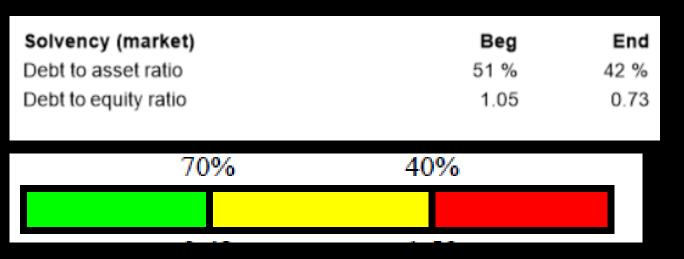
Farm Debt/Asset Ratio

- Total farm liability divided by total farm assets.
- It measures what percentage of assets of the farm is owed to creditors.
- Strong=<30%
- Vulnerable=>60%





Solvency Ratios



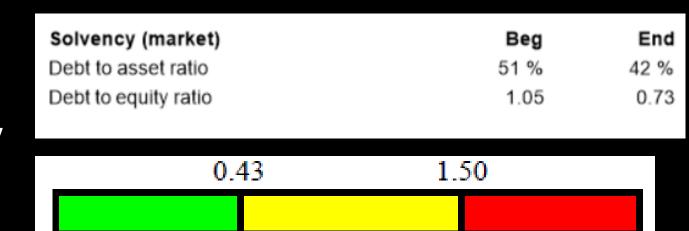
Farm Equity/Asset Ratio

- Total farm equity divided by total farm assets.
- It measures the percent of total farm assets financed by owner's equity capital.
- Strong=>70%
- Vulnerable=<40%

Solvency Ratios

Farm Debt/Equity Ratio

- Total Farm Liabilities divided by total farm equity.
- It measure the relationship between debt financing and equity financing the farm.
- Strong=<0.43
- Vulnerable=>1.50



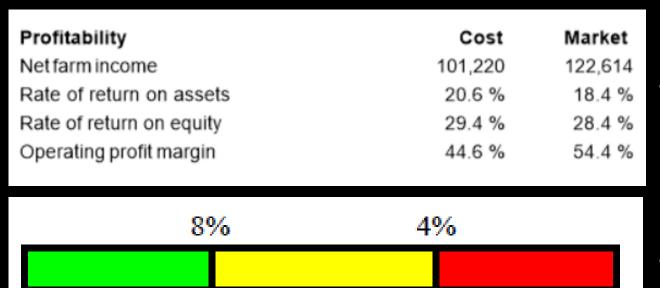
Net Farm Income

• Total Revenue minus total expenses is net farm income from operations (NFIFO), while net farm income is NFIFO plus any gain or loss on sale of capital items such as land or machinery

• It is expressed in dollars.

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Gain or loss on capital sales	-500
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Profitability	Cost	Market
Net farm income	101,220	122,614
Rate of return on assets	20.6 %	18.4 %
Rate of return on equity	29.4 %	28.4 %
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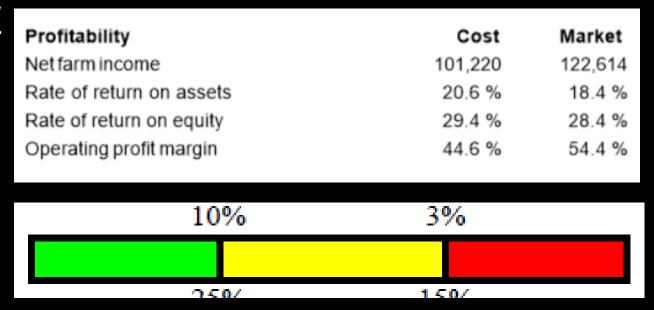


Rate of Return on farm assets

- NFIFO plus interest minus the opportunity cost of unpaid operator and labor divided by average total assets
- Used to evaluate profitability on usage of assets
- Strong=>8%
- Vulnerable=<4%

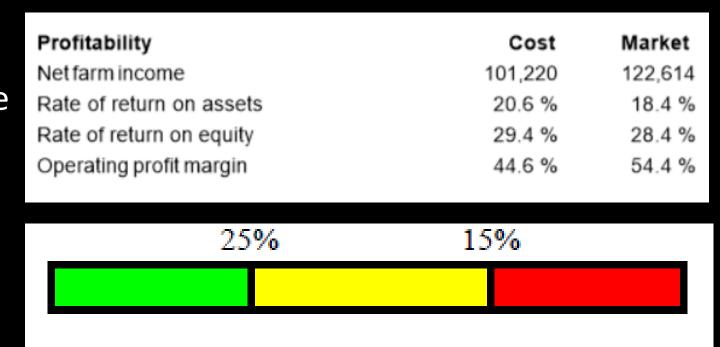
Rate of return on farm equity

- NFIFO minus opportunity cost of unpaid operator and family living divided by average total farm equity
- Used to evaluate profitability of equity on farm
- Strong=>10%
- Vulnerable=<3%



Operating Profit Margin

- NFIFO plus interest minus the opportunity cost of unpaid operator and family living divided by total revenue
- Measures profitability as percent of the total revenue generated.
- Strong=>25%
- Vulnerable=<15%



EBITA (Earnings before Interest, Taxes, Depreciation, and Amortization)

	Profitability Measures		Cost	Market
(A)	Net farm income from operations		101,720	123,114
	Rate of return on assets	(E/F)	20.6 %	18.4 %
	Rate of return on equity	(G/H)	29.4 %	28.4 %
	Operating profit margin	(E/I)	44.6 %	54.4 %
	Asset turnover rate	(I/F)	46.0 %	33.7 %
	EBITDA		131,017	152,411

- NFIFO+Interest
 Expenses+Depreciation
 Expenses+Amortization
 Expenses
- Measure the profitability that examines the repayment capacity of the business.
- It is expressed in dollars.

Capital Debt Repayment Capacity

- Measures the amount of funds generated from the Farm and nonfarm sources that can be used to pay debt on time.
- Capital Debt Repayment Capacity = Net Income + Depreciation Expense + Non-Farm/Business Income – Family Living Expenses & Income Taxes + Interest Expense on Term Loans.
- It is expressed in dollars.

	Repayment Capacity			
	Net farm income from operations		101,720	
	Depreciation	(+)	8,464	
	Personalincome	(+)	17,158	
	Family living expense	(-)	46,956	
	Income taxes accrued	(-)	21,057	
	Interest on term debt	(+)	11,978	
(N)	Capital debt repayment capacity	(=)	71,307	
(0)	Scheduled term debt payments		29,279	
(P)	Capital debt repayment margin	(N-O)	42,028	
(Q)			· -	
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- Measures the dollars that remain after all of the operating expenses, taxes, family living costs, and debt payments have been paid. This is the true cash amount that is left after paying all of the bills that a business/farm and the owner has. This left over amount of money is what is available to purchase new/additional assets.
- Capital Debt Repayment Margin = Capital Debt Repayment Capacity — Scheduled Principal & Interest on term loans and leases.
- It is expressed in dollars.

Replacement Margin

- Measures the dollar value of income that remains following the payments for principal and interest on term loans and any purchased capital assets paid for in cash.
- Replacement Margin = Capital Debt Repayment Margin – Unfunded (Cash) Capital Replacement Allowance (10% of beginning machinery cost value + 15% of beginning titled vehicles value - beginning principal due on intermediate debt)
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Term-Debt Coverage Ratio

- Measures whether or not a business or farm had the capability to pay all of its intermediate and long-term debts on time.
- A 1.0 means you have \$1.00
 available to pay every 1.00 of
 debtTerm Debt Coverage Ratio =
 Capital Debt Repayment
 Capacity / Scheduled Principal
 and Interest Payments on Term
 Loans and Leases
- Strong=>1.75
- Vulnerable=<1.25

Replacement margin ratio

- Measures whether or not a business or farm had the capability to pay all of its term debts on time and purchase needed capital assets solely on income vs. the requirement of additional debt.
- Replacement Margin Coverage Ratio = Capital Debt Repayment Capacity / (Scheduled Principal & Interest on term loans and leases + and cash used to purchase replace capital assets or its replacement allowance)
- Strong=>1.5
- Vulnerable=<1.10

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Depreciation expense ratio		3.0 %
Interest expense ratio		7.3 %
Net farm income ratio		35.8 %



Asset-turnover rate (Market)

- Gross Revenue divided by average total assets.
- Measure the operational efficiency by indicating the level of revenue generated per dollar of assets owned by the business.
- Asset Turnover Rate = Value of Production / Average Assets
- Value of Production = Gross Cash Income + or – Inventory Change of Crops, Market Livestock, Breeding Livestock, & Other income items – Feeder Livestock Purchased – Purchased Feed
- Average Assets = (Beginning Total Asset Values + Ending Total Asset Values) / 2
- Strong=>45%
- Vulnerable=<30%

Operating Expense ratio-with the next three ratios will add up to 100% of revenue

- Total operating expenses minus depreciation divided by total revenue.
- Measures the proportion of income that is being used to cover operating expenses not including the principal and interest of loans
- Operating-Expense Ratio = (Total operating expense not including interest depreciation) / gross income
- Strong=<60%
- Vulnerable=>80%

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Depreciation expense ratio

- Measures the amount of income that is required to maintain the capital being used by the business or farm.
- Depreciation-Expense Ratio = Depreciation / Gross Income
- Strong=<5%
- Vulnerable=>10%

Interest Expense Ratio

 Measures the amount of gross income that is being spent to pay the interest on borrowed money.

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5%	10%	

Cost

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Market

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Efficiency

Asset turnover rate

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Net Farm Income Ratio

- Measures the percentage of income left following the payment of all expenses, with the exception of unpaid labor and management.
- Net Income ratio = Net Farm Income / gross income
- Strong=>20%
- Vulnerable=<10%

Information on Accuracy

- Cash Discrepency-\$ (Needs to be less than \$5,000)
- Liability Discrepency-\$ (Needs to be less than \$300)
- Net Worth Discrepency-\$ (Needs to be less than 1% of gross income or \$5,000)
- Cash discrepancy to gross revenue-% (Needs to be less than 1% of gross income)