Financing Herd Rebuilding

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Cash Flow: 2011 versus 2012

Cash Inflows

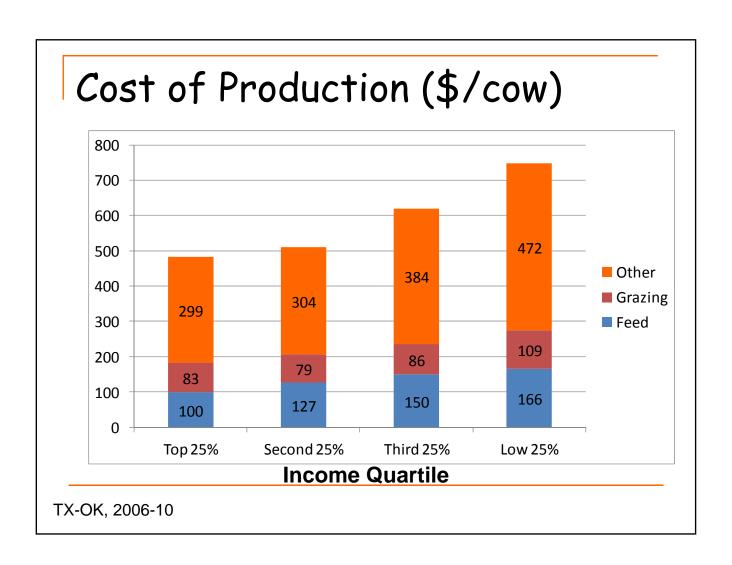
- Operating receipts
 - □ Crop and livestock sales, government payments, other farm income
- Capital sales
- Contributed capital

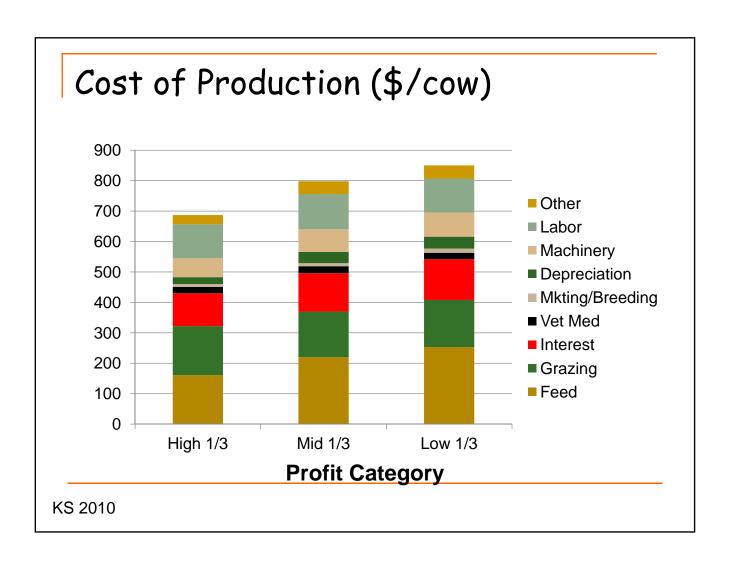
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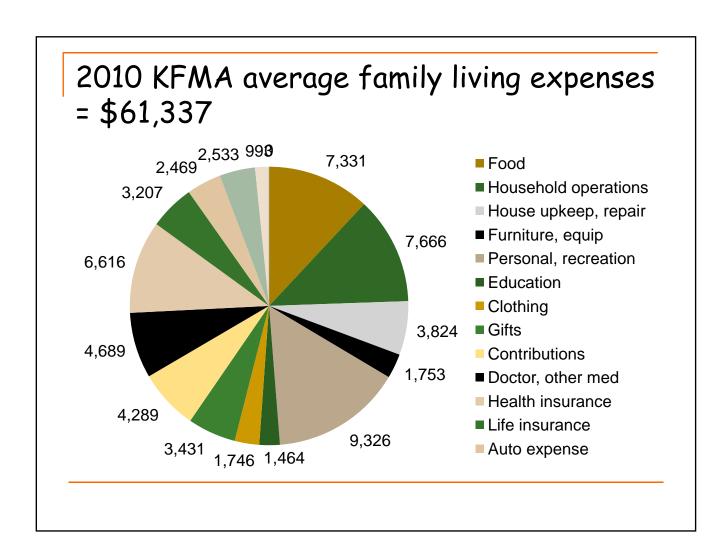
- Operating expenses (feed, fertilizer, etc.)
- Capital purchases
- Family living and other withdrawals

The Financial Challenge in Rebuilding

- Depends on
 - Drought response
 - ☐ How long the drought lasts
 - Cash flow
 - Cost management
 - Off farm income/family living needs
 - ☐ Risk tolerance
 - Initial debt/equity position
 - Tax strategies
 - Market changes







Initial Debt/Equity Position

Annual per acre payments: 20 year loan

	Interest rate			
Amount financed	5%	6%	7%	
\$800/a	65	71	77	
\$1,000/a	81	88	96	
\$1,200/a	97	106	115	
\$1,400/a	113	124	135	

What Can I Afford to Pay for a Cow?

Net Present Value of the Investment (\$)							
	Cow C	Cow Operating Cost per Year					
Cow/calf Purchase Price	\$500 \$550 \$600 \$650						
\$1,750	1,034	688	332	(19)			
\$2,000	769 428 7 (284						
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\$2,500	238	(113)	(464)	(815)			

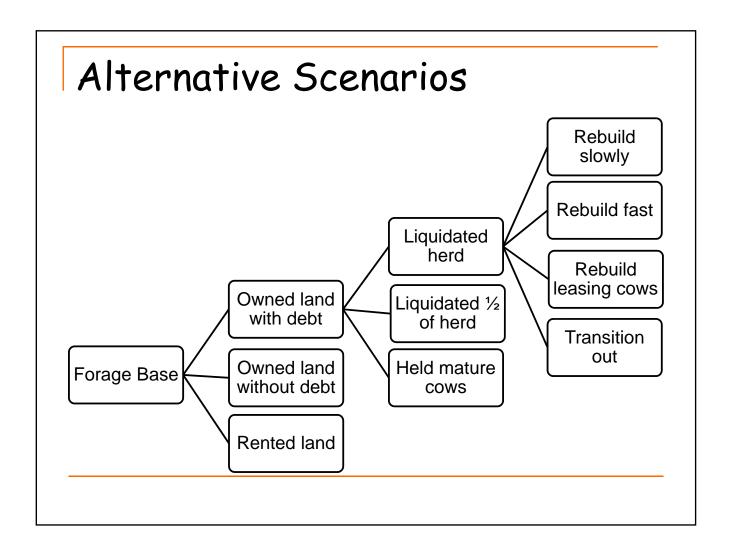
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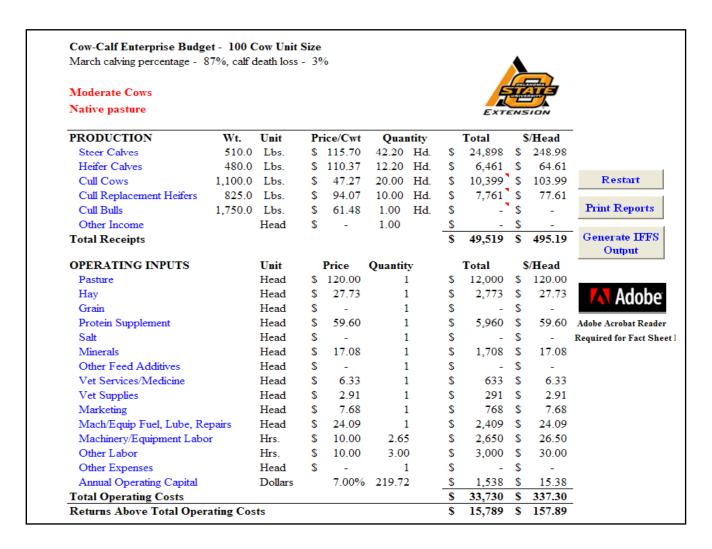
Loan Payments for a \$2,000 Cow Purchase at 6% Interest

	Repayment Period				
Down Payment	3 years 4 years 5 year				
20% = \$400	600	463	381		
40% = \$800	450	350	286		
60% = \$1,200	300	231	190		

Average Net Cash Flow Per Cow Comparisons

	Cow Cash Operating Cost Per Year					
Loan Payments Per Cow	\$450 \$550 \$650					
100	207	107	7			
200	107	7	-93			
300	7	-93	-193			





Cow/calf Enterprise Assets

	No.	Units	\$/Unit	Ranch Total (\$)
Cows (moderate size)	85	head	900	76,500
Bred heifers	15	head	900	13,500
Replacement heifers	15	head	900	13,500
Bulls	3	head	2,500	7,500
Vehicle & trailer	1		42,000	42,000
Tractor	1		30,000	
Equipment			15,000	
Introduced pasture	320	acres	1,400	448,000
Native pasture	1,000	Acres	1,100	1,110,000
Barn			35,000	35,000

Assumptions Related to Pasture Type

	Introduced Pasture	Native Pasture
Forage	160 a of fescue 160 a of Bermuda	1,000 a
Stocking rate	3.2 a/head	10 a/head
Rent	\$22/a for fescue, \$17/a for Bermuda	\$12/a
Fertilizer	\$70/a	
Land purchase price	\$1,000/a	\$800/a
Land market value	\$1,400/a	\$1,100
Initial loan for ½ of land purchase price in scenarios with debt	\$160,000	\$400,000
Annual loan payment	\$13,950	\$34,874

Assumptions re- 2011 versus Normal Year: Introduced Pasture

	2011	Future years
Cull cow price	\$65/cwt	
Cull bull price	\$80/cwt	
Weaned heifer weight & price	340 lbs, \$140/cwt	475 lbs, \$175/cwt to 2014, \$170 in 2015
Weaned steer weight and price	380 lbs, \$155/cwt	525 lbs, \$175/cwt to 2014, \$170 in 2015
Replacement heifer weight and price	825 lbs, \$117/cwt	900 lbs
Prairie hay	\$100/ton	\$58/ton
Bermuda hay	\$130/ton	\$72/ton
Purchase cow/calf pairs		\$2,000
Purchase bulls		\$3,000

Supplement on Introduced Pasture

Supplementation	2011	Normal year
Protein: 20% cubes		
Cows kept full year	2 lbs./hd/day for 125 days	2 lbs./hd/day for 75 days
Breeding females culled mid-July	2 lbs./hd/day for 75 days	n.a.
Weaned heifers (OctDec.)	Sold	2 lbs./hd/day for 23 days
Bred heifers	Sold	2 lbs./hd/day for 75 days
Bermuda hay		
Cows kept full year	24 lbs/hd/day for 150 days	24 lbs./hd/day for 75 days
Breeding females culled mid-July	24 lbs/hd/day for 45 days	n.a.
Weaned heifers (OctDec.)	Sold	13 lbs./hd/day for 75 days
Bred heifers	Sold	19 lbs./hd/day for 75 days

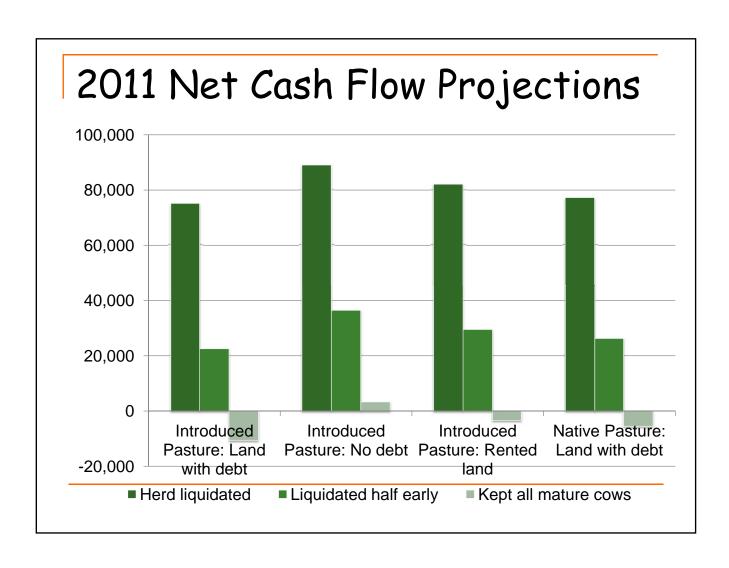
Supplement on Native Pasture

Supplementation	2011	Normal year
Protein: 38% cubes		
Cows kept full year	1.5 lbs./hd/day for 240 days	1.5 lbs./hd/day for 150 days
Breeding females culled mid-July	1.5 lbs./hd/day for 100 days	n.a.
Weaned heifers (OctDec.)	Sold	1.5 lbs./hd/day for 23 days
Bred heifers	Sold	1.5 lbs./hd/day for 75 days
Prairie hay		
Cows kept full year	24 lbs/hd/day for 150 days	24 lbs./hd/day for 30 days
Breeding females culled mid-July	24 lbs/hd/day for 45 days	n.a.
Weaned heifers (OctDec.)	Sold	13 lbs./hd/day for 30 days
Bred heifers	Sold	19 lbs./hd/day for 30 days

2011 Financial Projections: Income

	Herd liquidated	Liquidated half early	Kept all mature cows
Livestock sales	44,938	44,938	44,938
Government payments	6,176	6,176	6,176
Capital sales (breeding stock)	79,454	40,904	14,479
Cash inflow	130,568	92,018	65,593

2011 Budget	Owned land with debt			
Estimates: Introduced Pasture	Herd liquidated	Liquidated half early	Kept all mature cows	
Cash inflow	130,568	92,018	65,593	
Cash farm expenses	41,105	54,669	61,100	
Debt service payments	13,950	13,950	13,950	
Operating interest	500	816	1,018	
Net cash flow from beef operations	75,102	22,582	(10,474)	
Line of credit: avg. balance	7,697	12,553	18,473	
Line of credit: max. balance	22,811	33,895	40,616	
Line of credit: end balance			10,543	
Debt to asset ratio (%)	14.9	15.0	18.7	
Interest expense %	13.0	13.6	14.0	



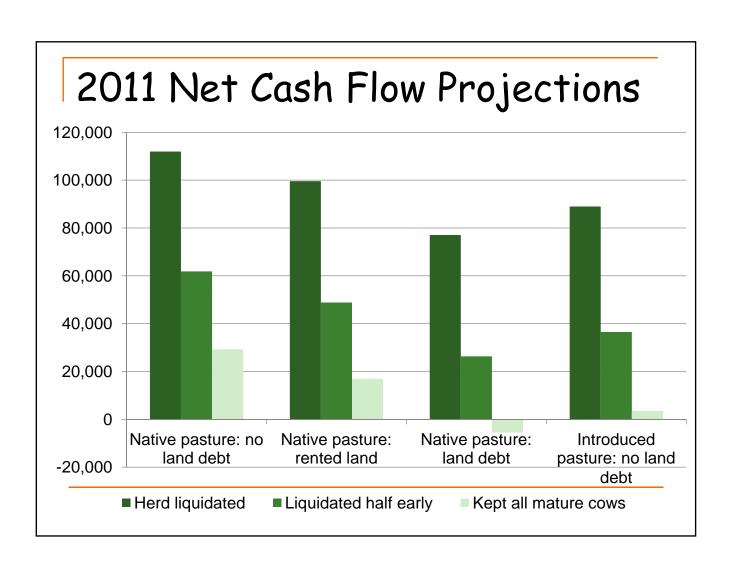
2011 Budget Estimates: Introduced Pasture	Cash inflow	Cash expense	Debt service	Oper. interest	Net cash flow
Owned land with deb	ot				
Herd liquidated	130,568	41,105	13,950	500	75,012
Liquidated half early	92,018	54,669	13,950	816	22,582
Kept all mature cows	65,593	61,100	13,950	1,018	(10,474)
Owned land with no	debt				
Herd liquidated	130,568	41,105		500	88,962
Liquidated half early	92,018	54,669		816	36,532
Kept all mature cows	65,593	61,100		1,018	3,476
Rented land					
Herd liquidated	130,568	47,825		702	82,040
Liquidated half early	92,018	61,389		1,018	29,611
Kept all mature cows	65,593	67,820		1,219	(3,446)

2011 Budget Estimates: Introduced Pasture	Credit line average balance	Credit line max balance	Credit line ending balance	Debt to asset ratio (%)	Interest expense %
Owned land with del	ot				
Herd liquidated	7,697	22,811		14.9	13.0
Liquidated half early	12,553	33,895		15.0	13.6
Kept all mature cows	18,473	40,616	10,543	18.7	14.0
Owned land with no	debt				
Herd liquidated	7,697	22,811			1.0
Liquidated half early	12,553	33,895			1.6
Kept all mature cows	15,655	40,616			2.0
Rented land					
Herd liquidated	10,799	29,531			1.4
Liquidated half early	15,654	40,615			2.0
Kept all mature cows	19,403	47,336	3,446	1.9	2.4

2011 Budget	Owned land with no debt					
Estimates: Native Pasture	Herd liquidated	Liquidated half early	Kept all mature cows			
Cash inflow	130,568	92,018	65,593			
Cash farm expenses	18,224	30,181	35,467			
Debt service payments						
Operating interest	392	659	827			
Net cash flow from beef operations	111,952	61,836	29,299			
Line of credit: avg. balance	6,029	10,145	12,719			
Line of credit: max. balance	14,625	24,102	29,679			

2011 Budget Estimates: Native Pasture	Cash inflow	Cash expense	Debt service	Oper. interest	Net cash flow
Owned land with deb	ŧ				
Herd liquidated	130,568	18,224	34,873	392	77,079
Liquidated half early	92,018	30,181	34,873	659	26,304
Kept all mature cows	65,593	35,467	34,873	827	(5,574)
Owned land with no c	lebt				
Herd liquidated	130,568	18,224		392	111,952
Liquidated half early	92,018	30,181		659	61,836
Kept all mature cows	65,593	35,467		827	29,299
Rented land					
Herd liquidated	130,568	30,224		752	99,592
Liquidated half early	92,018	42,181		1,019	48,817
Kept all mature cows	65,593	47,467		1,187	16,939

2011 Budget Estimates: Native Pasture	Credit line average balance	Credit line maximum balance	Credit line ending balance	Debt to asset ratio	Interest expense %
Owned land with deb	ot				
Herd liquidated	6,029	14,625		18.6	30.9
Liquidated half early	10,145	24,102		18.6	31.4
Kept all mature cows	14,276	29,679	5,574	19.0	31.7
Owned land with no	debt				
Herd liquidated	6,029	14,625			0.8
Liquidated half early	10,145	24,102			1.3
Kept all mature cows	12,719	29,679			1.6
Rented land					
Herd liquidated	11,567	26,625			1.5
Liquidated half early	15,684	36,102			2.0
Kept all mature cows	18,258	41,679			2.3



Expected Forage Availability in Future Years

	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
Forage availability		50%	75%	100%	100%



Plan for Rebuilding Slowly from Total Liquidation

	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016
Cow/calf	85			25	45	95
Bred heifers	15			20	25	5
Raised heifers	15		20	25	5	15
Purchases						
Cow/calf pairs			25	25		
Bulls			1	2		
Stocker heifers – 120 days		78				
Stocker heifers – 270 days		22	25			
Stocker steers		172	215	146		
New Term Debt			\$53,000	\$36,000		

Stocker Enterprise Budget - 172 Steers

April purchase - 500 lbs., August sale - 750 lbs

Summer Stocker Steers

Native pasture with 60% of acreage charged to steers

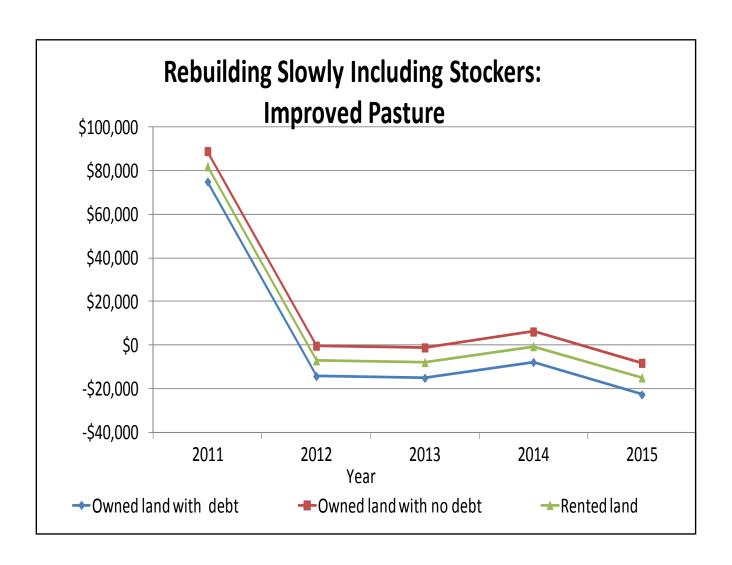


PRODUCTION:	Wt.	Unit	Pr	ice/Cwt	Quantity		\$/Head		
Stockers	750	Lbs.	\$	150.00	0.985 Hd.	\$	1,108.13		
Other Income		Head	\$	-	0.985 Hd.	\$	-		
Total Receipts						\$	1,108.13		
OPERATING INPUTS:	Wt.	Unit		Price	Quantity		\$/Head		
Stockers	500	Lbs.	\$	170.00	1 Hd.	\$	850.00		
Pasture		Head	\$	41.86	1	\$	41.86		
Hay		Head	\$	-	1	\$	-		
Grain		Head	\$	-	1	\$	-		
Protein Supplement		Head	\$	-	1	\$	-		
Salt		Head	\$	0.13	1	\$	0.13		
Minerals		Head	\$	0.17	1	\$	0.17		
Other Feed Additives		Head	\$	-	1	\$	-		
Vet Services/Medicine		Head	\$	3.88	1	\$	3.88		
Vet Supplies		Head	\$	0.72	1	\$	0.72		
Marketing		Head	\$	7.86	1	\$	7.86		
Mach/Equip Fuel, Lube, I	Repairs	Head	\$	13.00	1	\$	13.00		
Machinery/Equipment Lab	oor	Hrs.	\$	10.25	1.00	\$	10.25		
Other Labor		Hrs.	\$	10.25	1.25	\$	12.81		
Other Expenses		Head	\$	-	1	\$	-		
Annual Operating Capital		Dollars		6.50%	316.86	\$	20.60		
Total Operating Costs						\$	961.28		
Returns Above Total Ope	rating	Returns Above Total Operating Costs							

Financial Projections for Rebuilding Slowly: Introduced Pasture with No Land Debt

	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
Cash inflow	130,568	274,150	261,866	197,215	57,969
Cash farm expenses	41,105	269,873	258,782	175,598	45,057
Debt service payments					
Operating interest	500	4,624	4,252	2,618	567
Capital purchases			53,000	36,000	
Net cash flow	88,962	(347)	(1,168)	6,160	(8,216)
Line of credit: avg. balance	7,697				
Line of credit: max.	22,811				
Line of credit: end balance					
Debt to asset ratio (%)	0	0	7.2	10.1	7.9

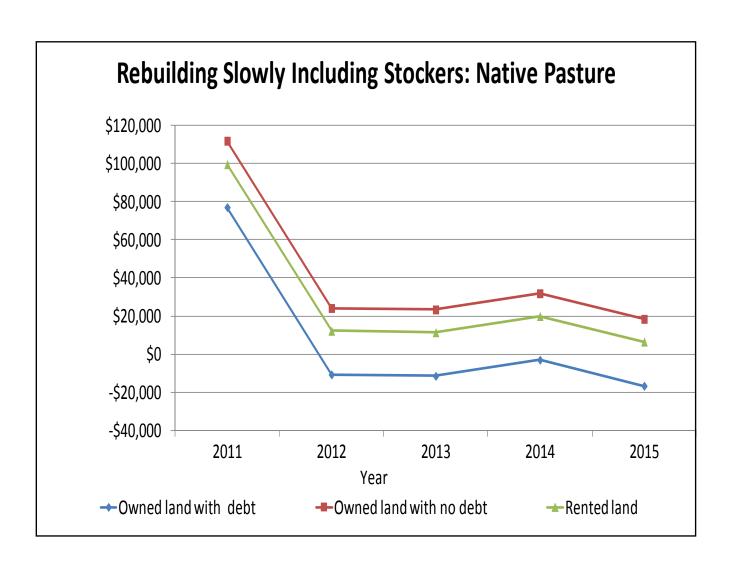
Rebuilding Slowly: Introduced Pasture	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
Owned land with debt					
Net cash flow	75,012	(14,297)	(15,118)	(7,854)	(22,734)
Debt to asset ratio (%)	14.9	13.4	18.6	20.0	16.4
Interest expense %	13.0	3.8	3.6	5.4	20.0
Owned land with no de	ebt				
Net cash flow	88,962	(347)	(1,168)	6,160	(8,216)
Debt to asset ratio (%)	0	0	7.2	10.1	7.9
Rented land					
Net cash flow	82,040	(7,067)	(7,888)	(580)	(14,950)
Debt to asset ratio (%)	0	0	18.3	23.7	18.5



Financial Projections for Rebuilding Slowly: Owned Native Pasture with No Land Debt

	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
Cash inflow	130,568	274,150	261,866	197,215	57,969
Cash farm expenses	18,244	245,394	234,233	150,209	18,406
Debt service payments					
Operating interest	392	4,624	4,252	2,585	272
Capital asset purchases			53,000	36,000	
Net cash flow	111,952	24,132	23,381	31,869	18,435
Line of credit: avg.	6,029				
Line of credit: max.	14,625				
Line of credit: end balance					
Debt to asset ratio (%)	0	0	3.7	5.3	4.1

Rebuilding Slowly: Native Pasture	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
Owned land with debt					
Net cash flow	77,079	(10,741)	(11,492)	(3,034)	(16,709)
Debt to asset ratio (%)	18.6	16.8	18.4	18.1	15.0
Interest expense %	30.9	6.9	6.6	9.0	32.5
Owned land with no de	ebt				
Net cash flow	111,952	24,132	23,381	31,869	18,435
Debt to asset ratio (%)	0	0	3.7	5.3	4.1
Rented land					
Net cash flow	99,592	12,132	11,381	19,869	6,435
Debt to asset ratio (%)	0	0	15.4	19.5	14.5



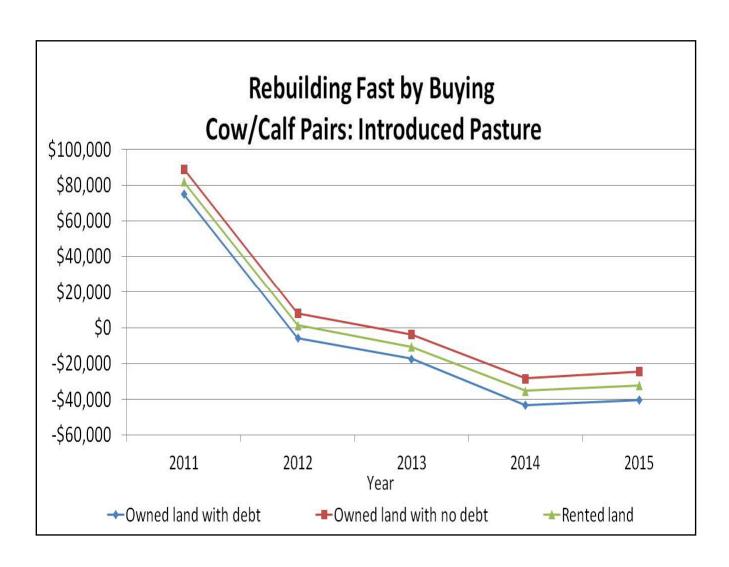
Plan for Rebuilding Fast from Total Liquidation

	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
Cow/calf	85		50	80	100
Bulls	3		2	2	3
Bred heifers	15				
Raised heifers retained	15				
Purchases					
Cow/calf pairs		50	30	20	
Bulls		2		1	
New Term Debt (\$)		106,000	60,000	43,000	

Financial Projections for Rebuilding Fast: Introduced Pasture with No Land Debt

	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
Cash inflow	130,568	42,438	62,383	55,374	70,807
Cash farm expenses	41,105	34,331	41,058	44,246	45,045
Debt service payments					
Operating interest	500		39	679	2,375
Capital purchases		106,000	60,000	43,000	
Net cash flow	88,962	8,106	(3,839)	(28,280)	(24,250)
Line of credit: avg. balance	7,697				6,095
Line of credit: max. balance	22,811				26,187
Debt to asset ratio (%)	0	14.6	19.2	20.7	16.1

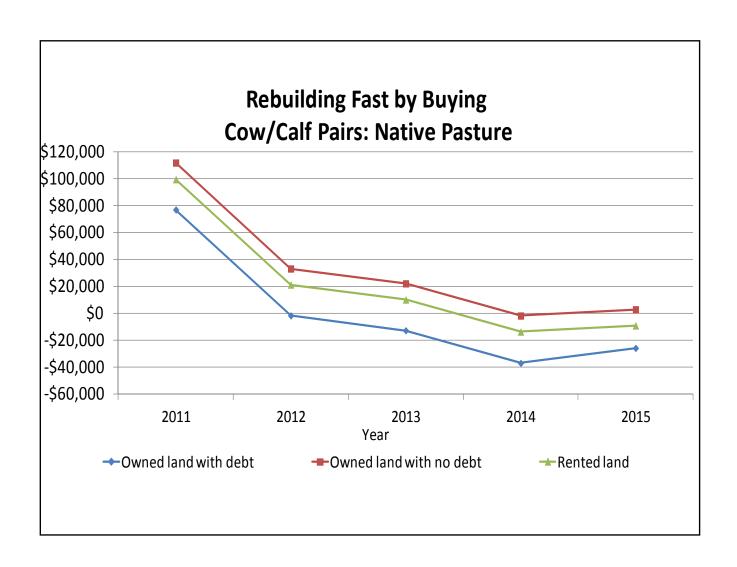
Rebuilding Fast: Introduced Pasture	2011	2012 106,000	2013 60,000	2014 43,000	2015			
Owned land with debt								
Net cash flow	75,012	(5,844)	(17,287)	(42,909)	(40,179)			
Debt to asset ratio (%)	14.9	27.4	30.9	31.7	29.6			
Interest expense %	13.0	13.4	18.6	25.6	25.2			
Owned land with no de	ebt							
Net cash flow	88,962	8,106	(3,839)	(28,280)	(24,250)			
Debt to asset ratio (%)	0	14.6	19.2	20.7	16.1			
Rented land								
Net cash flow	82,040	1,386	(10,559)	(35,122)	(31,988)			
Debt to asset ratio (%)	0	37.4	46.5	50.8	43.0			



Financial Projections for Rebuilding Fast: Owned Native Pasture with No Land Debt

	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
Cash inflow	130,568	42,438	62,383	55,374	70,807
Cash farm expenses	18,224	9,190	15,049	17,672	18,272
Debt service payments					
Operating interest	392			370	1,613
Capital purchases		106,000	60,000	43,000	
Net cash flow	111,952	33,248	22,170	(1,706)	2,919
Line of credit: avg. balance	6,029				
Line of credit: max.	14,625				
Line of credit: end balance					
Debt to asset ratio (%)	0	7.6	10.1	10.7	8.0

Rebuilding Fast: Native Pasture	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015			
Owned land with debt								
Net cash flow	77,079	(1,625)	(12,703)	(36,949)	(25,802)			
Debt to asset ratio	18.6	24.0	24.9	24.2	20.5			
Interest expense %	30.9	33.5	31.0	37.7	33.7			
Owned land with no de	ebt							
Net cash flow	111,952	33,248	22,170	(1,706)	2,919			
Debt to asset ratio (%)	0	7.6	10.1	10.7	8.0			
Rented land	Rented land							
Net cash flow	99,592	21,248	10,170	(13,706)	(9,081)			
Debt to asset ratio (%)	0	33.2	39.5	40.9	31.8			



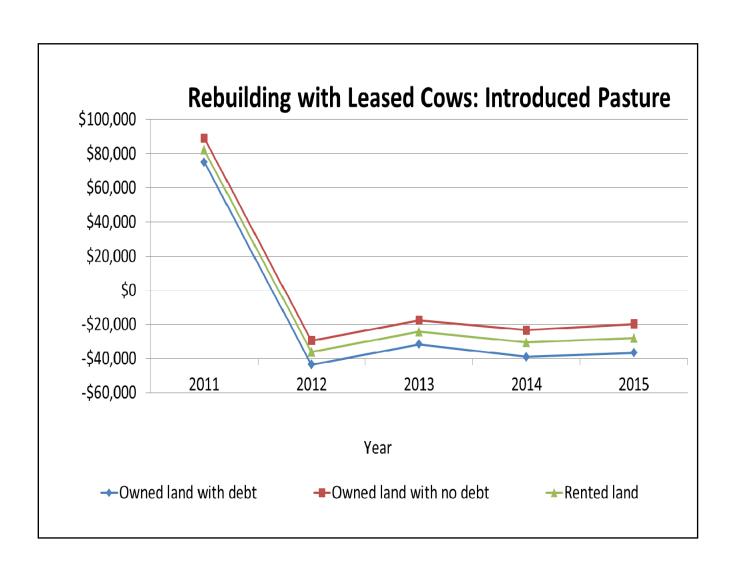
Plan for Rebuilding Using Leased Cows

	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
Cow/calf	85				13
Bulls	3				
Bred heifers	15			13	21
Raised heifers retained	15		14	23	25
Leases					
Cows		50	80	86	66
Bulls		2	2	3	3

Financial Projections for Leasing Cows: Introduced Pasture with No Land Debt

	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
Cash inflow	130,568	12,863	20,580	23,301	23,204
Cash farm expenses	41,105	36,436	38,170	43,661	42,867
Debt service payments					
Operating interest	500			7	251
Net cash flow	88,962	(29,573)	(17,590)	(23,367)	(19,915)
Line of credit: avg. balance	7,697			100	4,037
Line of credit: max.	22,811			1,304	20,129
Debt to asset ratio (%)	0	0	0	0	0.2

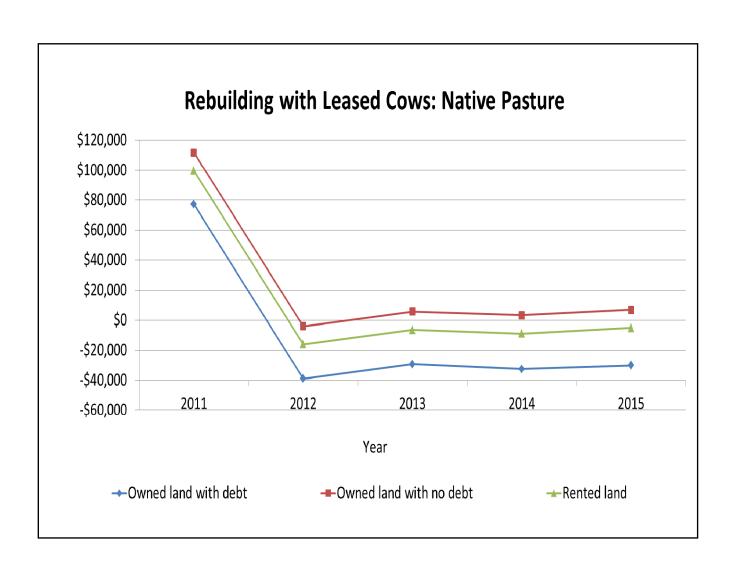
Rebuilding w/ Leased Cows: Introd. Pasture	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015				
Owned land with debt									
Net cash flow	75,012	(43,523)	(31,729)	(39,021)	(36,657)				
Debt to asset ratio	14.9	14.4	13.4	17.5	20.7				
Interest expense %	13.0	44.3	26.2	28.5	33.5				
Owned land with no deb	Owned land with no debt								
Net cash flow	88,962	(29,573)	(17,590)	(23,367)	(19,915)				
Debt to asset ratio (%)	0	0	0	0	0.2				
Rented land									
Net cash flow	82,040	(36,293)	(24,310)	(30,636)	(28,088)				
Debt to asset ratio (%)	0	0	0	5.2	17.6				

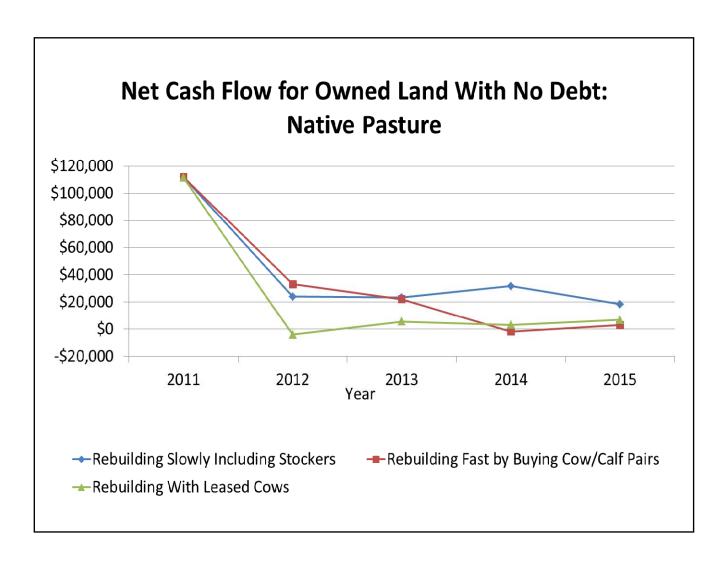


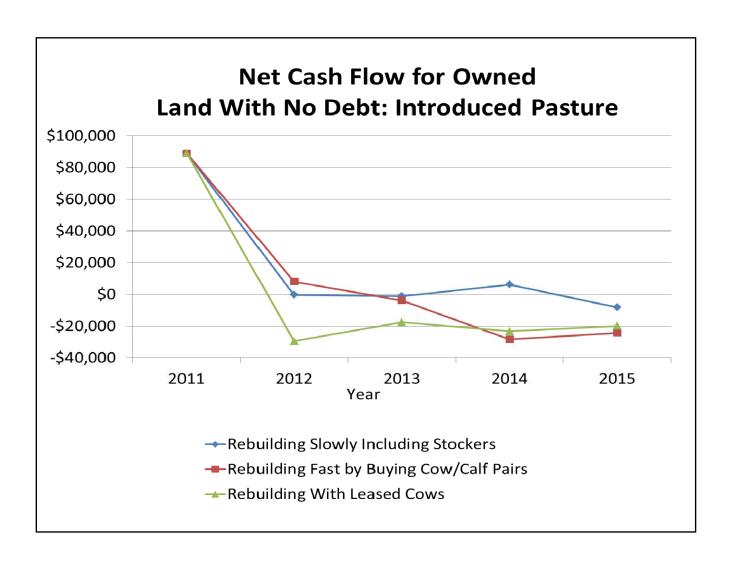
Financial Projections for Leasing Cows: Owned Native Pasture with No Land Debt

	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
Cash inflow	130,568	12,863	20,580	23,301	23,204
Cash farm expenses	18,224	10,917	15,055	17,161	16,439
Debt service payments					
Operating interest	392				
Net cash flow	111,592	(4,054)	5,525	3,139	6,764
Line of credit: avg. balance	6,029				
Line of credit: max.	14,625				
Debt to asset ratio (%)	18.6				

Rebuilding w/ Leased Cows: Native Pasture	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015				
Owned land with debt									
Net cash flow	77,079	(38,927)	(29,478)	(32,668)	(30,200)				
Debt to asset ratio	18.6	17.4	15.9	15.6	15.6				
Interest expense %	30.9	110.6	63.8	56.4	57.9				
Owned land with no deb	ot								
Net cash flow	111,592	(4,054)	5,525	3,139	6,764				
Debt to asset ratio (%)	0	0	0	0	0				
Rented land									
Net cash flow	99,592	(16,054)	(6,475)	(8,861)	(5,236)				
Debt to asset ratio (%)	0	0	0	0	0				







To Meet the Financial Challenge

- Monitor cash flow carefully and measure/monitor profitability
 - Keep good records
 - Monitor withdrawals
 - Control costs
 - Change asset ownership
 - Equity infusions?
 - Increase returns
 - Change enterprise mix
- Risk management
- Forward planning
 - Short term
 - Long term
- Communicate with lenders
- Consult with your tax preparer
- Get help if you need it!

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Resources

- Records
 - □ agecon.okstate/edu/quicken
 - http://agrisk.tamu.edu/agrisk/quickbooks/index.php
- Budgets
 - □ agecon.okstate.edu/budgets
 - □ http://agecoext.tamu.edu/resources/
- Beefextension.com

