

You Do the Math!

A Financial Comparison Between Raising A Market Pig & Raising Succulents

Market Swine SAE

* Cost of Pig	\$300.00
* Feed	\$250.00
* Insurance	\$20.00
* Vet Expenses	\$50.00
* Show Supplies	\$25.00
* Entry Fee	\$10.00
Total Expenses	\$655.00

Succulent SAE

* Cost of Succulents	\$587.79
311 Plants- Home Depot \$1.89 for 2" Pots	
* 4" Dura Pots	\$21.77
311 pots at \$0.07 ea.	
* Transplant Mix, 1 Cu. Ft.	\$19.53
36 4" Pots= 1 Cu. Ft. of Transplant Mix at \$2.17	
* Labels	\$6.22
311 labels at \$0.02 ea.	
* Propagation Flats	\$20.40
20 flats at \$1.02 ea.	
Total Expenses	\$655.71

Project Sale

Sold Pig	\$780.00
260 lbs sold at \$3.00/lb	

Project Sale

Sold Succulents	\$1,088.50
311 plants sold at \$3.50/4" Pot	

Project Profit

Profit minus Expenses	\$125.00
\$780.00-\$655.00	

Project Profit

Profit minus Expenses	\$432.79
\$1,088.50-\$655.71	

*This is an estimate of your expenses and receipts. Prices can vary!
This is a conservative budget on the receipt side and a fairly thorough budget for expenses. You may not
need to make all purchases if you borrow them from school.*