

Result data examples

Our farm result data bases for beef and sheep are available in comprehensive Excel-files which allow to watch preset results as well as redesigning data and charts with your tailor-made settings. The beef data base is split into cow-calf and beef finishing. All three result data bases have identical structure and functions. We show you the most important features taking the beef finishing data base as an example.

The sheet **Data** forms the basis for all other sheets and has the typical farms on the top and the variables on the left hand side. Let's zoom in a bit for better visibility.

The variables are structured in the following sections:

1. Economic situation on whole farm level – mainly returns, costs and profits for the whole farm including all relevant enterprises
2. The beef production system – livestock numbers and performance indicators
3. Feed data, based on crop and forage production and feed rations
4. Market returns, subsidies as well as livestock and output prices
5. Total cost with a detailed breakdown into approximately 50 different cost items as well as prices, quantities and productivities for labour, land and capital
6. Profitability on different levels
7. Additional variables

The sheet **Standard Charts** holds almost 100 charts which are fed by the **Data** sheet. On the top of the sheet, there is a list of charts which have the same order as the **Data** sheet. For easy navigation you can use the blue pattern cells left of the chart headers.

- Clicking on the cell will take you to the chart.
- Clicking on the blue cell next to the header of the chart will take you back to the content list.
- Clicking on the yellow cell on the right-hand side of the charts will bring you to the data in the sheet **Data**.

The sheets **Tables 1** and **Tables 2** provide an overview of the farms.

- **Tables 1** shows the region, the type and number of animals sold, the origin of the animals and other enterprises, if there are any.
- **Tables 2** shows the name of the production system, main feedstuffs used and a number of performance indicators like ages, weights and daily weight gains.

The sheet **StandardCharts_Ranking** shows a number of charts where farms were sorted by production system and then ranked for selected variables. You can choose your own variables for ranking.

The sheet **Farm Select** allows you to select a subset of farms. For that, you have to put an "x" next to the farm to be selected and display them in sheet **Standard Charts** using a macro-button.

Sheet **WF_Profit** provides a whole-farm profit and loss account for the farm you select through the dropdown. You can also apply a manual exchange rate and the currency name.

Finally, there are two sheets with spider charts. **Spider 1** shows for a selected farm and a selected variable where the farms sit in the distribution of all farms. **Spider 2** allows you to select up to 4 farms (for visibility) and a set of variables. To make your life easier when selecting variables, we have predefined variables sets starting in row 68. From there, you can copy the variable numbers from rows F or J to the variable field in cells F9:F17.

Further options in the **Ctrl** sheet allow you to change the language (if specified), the units and the currency of the results and charts. Note that the changes only become active if you push the button **COPY**.