

Organic Beef Example Purchase

Initial Cost:

1,000 lb Steer @ \$1.65/Pound (live weight):	1,000 lbs	\$1,650.00
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Calculate The Hanging Weight:

Average is Approximately 55% of The Live Weight	550 lbs
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Butchering Cost:

Butcher		\$45.00
Processing & Packing @ \$0.65/lb (hanging weight)		\$357.50
Total Butchering/Processing Cost		<hr/> \$402.50

Total Cost for Organic Beef Purchase		\$2,052.50
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Calculate The Take Home Weight:

Average is Approximately 45% of The Live Weight	450 lbs
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Example of Average Cost per Pound for Organic Beef*		\$4.56
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*Prices subject to change. Percentages are approximate and may vary.