





Kansas Feedlot Performance and Feed Cost Summary* Justin Waggoner, Extension Beef Systems Specialist, Kansas State University

October, 2022 Closeout Information

		In	Final	Avg. Days	Avg.	Feed/Gain	%	Avg. Cost	Projected Cost of Gain
Sex	No	Weight	Weight	on Feed	Daily Gain	(Dry Basis)	Death Loss	of Gain/Cwt.	Current Month's Placed Cattle
Steers	15799	782	1439	176	3.66	6.02	1.55	\$135.92	\$146.20
				(156 - 200)	(3.14 - 4.10)	(5.44 - 6.54)		\$124.15 - \$149.24	\$136.00 - \$160.00
Heifers	24943	744	1326	167	3.33	6.30	2.24	\$142.65	\$152.40
				(149 - 196)	(2.96 - 3.59)	(5.66 - 7.03)		\$132.42 - \$159.67	\$149.00 - \$160.00

Current Feed Inventory Costs: M	id-October, 2022	Range	No. Yards
Corn	\$8.66 /bu	\$8.32-\$8.89	7
Ground Alfalfa Hay	\$271.80 /ton	\$216.40 - \$363.27	7

^{*}Appreciation is expressed to these Kansas Feedyards: Brookover Ranch Feed Yard, Deseret Cattle Feeders, High Choice Feeders, Hoxie Feedyard, HyPlains Feed Yard, Kearny County Feeders, Poky Feeders, and Pratt Feeders.

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^{**}Closeout figures are the means of individual feedyard monthly averages and include feed, yardage, processing, medication, death loss and usually sold FOB the feedlot with a 4% pencil shrink. Interest charges normally are not included.