





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

July, 2023 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	28197	738	1402	195	3.33	6.34	2.41	\$143.26	\$125.75
				(157 - 278)	(2.85 - 3.69)	(5.99 - 6.81)		\$133.68 - \$153.22	\$111.00 - \$145.00
Heifers	23345	691	1268	189	2.97	6.76	2.35	\$154.14	\$133.00
				(158 - 270)	(2.48 - 3.33)	(6.27 - 7.56)		\$140.67 - \$170.47	\$115.00 - \$162.00

Current Feed Inventory Costs: M	id-August, 2023	Range	No. Yards
Corn	\$7.21 /bu	\$6.61-\$7.71	6
Ground Alfalfa Hay	\$276.74 /ton	\$210.00 - \$304.48	6

^{*}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.