





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

August, 2019 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	27501	773	1407	177	3.54	6.15	1.61	\$82.47	\$77.50
				(128 - 268)	(3.15 - 3.89)	(5.78 - 6.63)		\$75.00 - \$92.50	\$75.00 - \$80.00
Heifers	13137	713	1255	170	3.16	6.42	1.92	\$87.65	\$81.50
				(137 - 259)	(2.81 - 3.46)	(6.11 - 6.87)		\$80.48 - \$98.55	\$80.00 - \$83.00

Current Feed Inventory Costs: M	id-September, 2019	Range	No. Yards
Corn	\$4.15 /bu	\$3.75-\$4.52	5
Ground Alfalfa Hay	\$155.75 /ton	\$110.00 - \$209.04	5

^{*}Appreciation is expressed to these Kansas Feedyards: Brookover Ranch Feed Yard, Deseret Cattle 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.