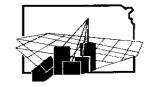
## Focus on Feedlots





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

February, 2020 Closeout Information

Sex	No	In Weight	Final Weight	Avg. Days on Feed	Avg. Daily Gain	Feed/Gain (Dry Basis)	% Death Loss	Avg. Cost of Gain/Cwt.	Projected Cost of Gain Current Month's Placed Cattle
Steers	25695	785	1439	175	3.67	6.26	1.61	\$83.90	\$78.00
				(162 - 195)	(3.38 - 3.93)	(5.73 - 6.54)		\$73.95 - \$92.24	\$76.00 - \$80.00
Heifers	18406	738	1319	171	3.35	6.52	1.47	\$89.15	\$80.75
				(151 - 193)	(3.12 - 3.77)	(5.98 - 6.83)		\$78.31 - \$99.76	\$79.00 - \$82.50
Current Feed Inventory Costs: Mid-March, 2020						Range			No. Yards
Corn	n \$4.04 /bu				\$3.75-\$4.33			6	
Ground Alfalfa Hay			\$143.11 /ton			\$105.00 - \$171.09			6

\*Appreciation is expressed to these Kansas Feedyards: Brookover Ranch Feed Yard, Deseret Cattle Feeders, Hoxie Feedyard, HyPlains Feed Yard, Kearny County Feeders, Poky Feeders, Pratt Feeders, and Supreme Cattle Feeders.

\*\*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.

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