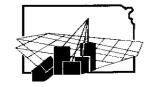
## Focus on Feedlots





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

November, 2019 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	22189	821	1461	167	3.78	6.10	1.55	\$83.05	\$82.75
				(154 - 176)	(3.56 - 4.04)	(5.59 - 6.48)		\$72.58 - \$94.98	\$82.50 - \$83.00
Heifers	21264	744	1313	166	3.38	6.28	1.63	\$88.09	\$85.50
				(155 - 179)	(3.24 - 3.56)	(5.69 - 6.55)		\$76.70 - \$96.00	\$85.00 - \$86.00
Current Feed Inventory Costs: Mid-December, 2019						Range			No. Yards
Corn	Sorn \$			\$3.95	95 /bu		\$3.75-\$4.20		6
Ground Alfalfa Hay			\$147.77 /ton			\$120.00 - \$174.66			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, and Pratt 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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