



Kansas Feedlot Performance and Feed Cost Summary*
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March, 2001 Closeout Information**

Sex	No.	Final Weight	Avg. Days on Feed	Avg. Daily Gain	Feed/Gain (Dry Basis)	% Death Loss	Avg. Cost of Gain/Cwt.	Projected Cost of Gain April-Placed Cattle
Steers	16,548	1,196	157 (139-196)	2.97 (2.43-3.42)	6.34 (5.73-7.20)	1.97	\$50.69 (45.24-55.03)	\$46.60 (43.00-50.00)
Heifers	19,296	1,107	148 (119-187)	2.83 (2.33-3.22)	6.46 (5.95-7.20)	1.47	\$51.50 (46.08-55.81)	\$48.40 (45.00-53.00)

Current Feed Inventory Costs: mid-April Avg. Prices	Range	No. Yards
Corn	\$ 2.28/bu	7
Ground Alfalfa Hay	\$ 96.87/ton	7

*Appreciation is expressed to these Kansas Feedyards: Brookover Ranch Feed Yard, Decatur County Feed Yard, Fairleigh Feed Yard, Hy-Plains Feed Yard, Kearny County Feeders, Pawnee Valley Feeders, and Supreme Cattle 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.