## Kansas Feedlot Performance and Feed Cost Summary
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### October, 2006 Closeout Information**

<table>
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<tr>
<th>Sex</th>
<th>No.</th>
<th>Final Weight</th>
<th>Avg. Days on Feed</th>
<th>Average Daily Gain</th>
<th>Feed/Gain (Dry Basis)</th>
<th>% Death Loss</th>
<th>Avg. Cost of Gain/Cwt.</th>
<th>Projected Cost of Gain Nov - Placed Cattle</th>
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<tr>
<td>Steer</td>
<td>16,216</td>
<td>1,340</td>
<td>157</td>
<td>3.55</td>
<td>5.90</td>
<td>0.98</td>
<td>$54.82</td>
<td>$69.63</td>
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<td>(133 - 204)</td>
<td>(2.95 - 4.05)</td>
<td>(5.42 - 6.43)</td>
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<td>( $51.28 - $58.88)</td>
<td>($65.00 - $75.00 )</td>
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<td>Heifers</td>
<td>27,926</td>
<td>1,217</td>
<td>148</td>
<td>3.19</td>
<td>6.16</td>
<td>0.66</td>
<td>$58.41</td>
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<td>(127 - 173)</td>
<td>(2.73 - 3.44)</td>
<td>(5.52 - 7.05)</td>
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<td>( $53.06 - $64.42 )</td>
<td>($66.00 - $77.00 )</td>
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<th>Current Feed Inventory Costs:</th>
<th>mid-Nov 2006 Avg. Prices</th>
<th>Range</th>
<th>No. Yards</th>
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<tr>
<td>Corn</td>
<td>$3.37/bu</td>
<td>$3.00 - $4.00</td>
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<td>Ground Alfalfa Hay</td>
<td>$129.11/ton</td>
<td>$110.00 - $150.00</td>
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*Appreciation is expressed to these Kansas Feedyards: Brookover Ranch Feed Yard, Decatur County Feed Yard, DM and M Feedyard, Fairleigh Feed Yard, HRC Feed Yards Inc, Hy-Plains Feedyard, Kearney County Feeders, Poky Feeders Inc, 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.