

Kansas Feedlot Performance and Feed Cost Summary* Gerry Kuhl, Extension Feedlot Specialist, Kansas State University

November, 1999 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 December-Placed Cattle
Steers	14,128	1,232	123 (117-131)	3.58 (3.40-3.95)	6.02 (5.63-6.55)	.63	\$42.04 (40.26-44.10)	\$41.60 (41.00-42.00)
Heifers	23,471	1,141	128 (105-139)	3.28 (3.05-3.63)	6.03 (5.63-6.58)	.68	\$43.27 (42.29-44.54)	\$43.40 (43.00-44.00)
Current Feed Inventory Cost: December 15 Avg. Prices Range								No. Yards
Corn			\$ 1.94/bu			\$ 1.80-2.05		6
Ground Alfalfa Hay \$ 59.44/ton					\$50.00-70.00			6

^{*}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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**6 Yard Summary 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.