



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

August, 2009 Closeout Information

		In	Final	Avg. Days	Avg.	Feed/Gain	%	Avg. Cost	Projected Cost of Gain
Sex	No	Weight	Weight	on Feed	Daily Gain	(Dry Basis)	Death Loss	of Gain/Cwt.	Current Month's Placed Cattle
				160	3.56	5.87		\$76.08	\$72.25
Steers	23229	763	1340	(128 - 202)	(3.16 - 3.77)	(5.48 - 6.49)	1.18	\$67.92 - \$85.30	\$65.00 - \$80.00
				150	3.16	6.18		\$81.38	\$75.00
Heifers	23720	724	1209	(129 - 181)	(2.84 - 3.35)	(5.63 - 6.77)	1.33	\$74.44 - \$94.81	\$67.50 - \$80.00

Current Feed Inventory Costs: mid-Sep	tember 2009	Range	No. Yards
Corn	\$3.81/bu	\$3.35 - \$4.60	9
Ground Alfalfa Hay	\$122.20/ton	\$90.00 - \$170.00	8

^{*}Appreciation is expressed to these Kansas Feedyards: Brookover Ranch Feed Yard, Decatur County Feed Yard, DM&M Feed Yard, Fairleigh Feed Yard, Hoxie Feedyard, HRC Feedyard, HyPlains Feed Yard, Kearny County Feeders, Poky 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.