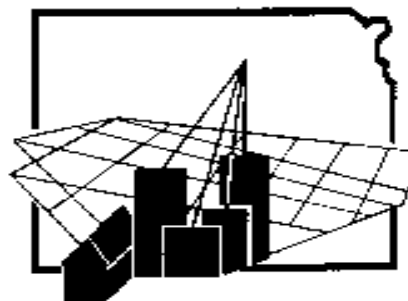


Focus on Feedlots



Kansas Feedlot Performance and Feed Cost Summary*

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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	28722	823	1364	150 (142 - 156)	3.52 (3.30 - 3.79)	6.26 (5.72 - 6.62)	1.10	\$89.24 \$84.11 - \$98.77	\$99.75 \$99.00 - \$100.00
Heifers	41064	753	1235	146 (119 - 159)	3.21 (2.93 - 3.65)	6.47 (5.90 - 7.00)	1.39	\$93.54 \$88.87 - \$110.32	\$104.75 \$102.00 - \$107.00

Current Feed Inventory Costs: Mid-March, 2011		Range	No. Yards
Corn	\$6.27 /bu	\$5.52-\$6.73	8
Ground Alfalfa Hay	\$129.24 /ton	\$110.00 - \$148.71	7

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

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