

Kansas Feedlot Performance and Feed Cost Summary* Chris Reinhardt, Extension Feedlot Specialist, Kansas State University

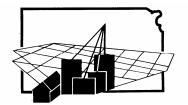
January , 2008 Closeout Information

		Final	Avg. Days	Avg.	Feed/Gain	%	Avg. Cost	Projected Cost of Gain
Sex	No	Weight	on Feed	Daily Gain	(Dry Basis)	Death Loss	of Gain/Cwt.	Current Month's Placed Cattle
Steers	17059	1322	153	3.44	6.26	1.10	\$74.11	\$84.50
			(137 - 163)	(3.02 - 3.68)	(5.91 - 6.63)		\$69.87 - \$77.62	\$84.00 - \$85.00
Heifers	30766	1213	172	2.98	6.70	0.90	\$78.26	\$88.00
			(142 - 249)	(2.34 - 3.48)	(6.18 - 7.88)		\$73.64 - \$83.69	\$86.00 - \$90.00

Current Feed Inventory Cost	s: mid-February 2008 Avg Prices	Range	No. Yards
Corn	\$4.80 /bu	\$4.25-\$5.10	7
Ground Alfalfa Hay	\$121.13 /ton	\$100.00 - \$140.00	6

*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, Hy-Plains 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.