

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

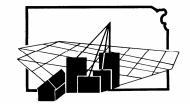
March , 2008 Closeout Information

		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 2	21370	1294	177	3.17	6.21	1.97	\$78.58	\$92.33
	21370		(145 - 252)	(2.58 - 3.63)	(5.60 - 6.78)		\$70.55 - \$90.03	\$85.00 - \$100.00
Heifers	29866	1226	163	3.11	6.42	1.43	\$81.20	\$94.67
	29000		(138 - 245)	(2.53 - 3.51)	(6.05 - 6.87)		\$77.19 - \$86.72	\$85.00 - \$102.00

Current Feed Inventory Costs	s: mid-March 2008 Avg Prices	Range	No. Yards
Corn	\$5.18 /bu	\$4.60-\$5.70	9
Ground Alfalfa Hay	\$129.71 /ton	\$100.00 - \$165.00	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, 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.

January February February March March April April May May June June July July August September August September October October November November December December January

