

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

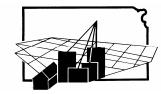
September, 2008 Closeout Information Revised

		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	13273	1370	148	3.69	5.94	1.09	\$91.89	\$82.00
Sieers	13273	1370	(143 - 158)	(3.47 - 4.12)	(5.37 - 6.53)	1.09	\$82.99 - \$103.21	\$80.00 - \$86.00
Heifers	22002	1218	147	3.25	6.21	1.18	\$97.35	\$87.00
Hellers	22002	1210	(128 - 166)	(2.90 - 3.49)	(5.66 - 6.90)	1.10	\$92.48 - \$110.31	\$85.00 - \$88.00

Current Feed Inventory Costs	s: mid-October 2008 Avg Prices	Range	No. Yards
Corn	\$6.04 /bu	\$4.94-\$7.38	8
Ground Alfalfa Hay	\$120.20 /ton	\$1.25 - \$160.00	7

^{*}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.