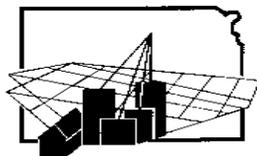


# Focus on Feedlots



## Kansas Feedlot Performance and Feed Cost Summary\*

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### December, 2025 Closeout Information

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	21177	871	1569	179 (150 - 207)	3.88 (3.30 - 4.51)	6.43 (5.88 - 6.95)	1.48	\$102.11 \$88.11 - \$114.42	\$103.00 \$102.00 - \$105.00
Heifers	15052	782	1394	177 (146 - 200)	3.38 (2.96 - 3.89)	6.74 (5.96 - 7.21)	1.98	\$109.75 \$92.22 - \$125.81	\$107.00 \$105.00 - \$110.00

Current Feed Inventory Costs: Mid-January, 2026		Range	No. Yards
Corn	\$4.51 /bu	\$4.45-\$4.58	5
Ground Alfalfa Hay	\$171.71 /ton	\$135.00 - \$253.35	5

\*Appreciation is expressed to these Kansas Feedyards: Brookover Ranch Feed Yard, Deseret Cattle Feeders, High Choice Feeders, Hoxie Feedyard, HyPlains Feed Yard, Kearny County Feeders, Poky Feeders, and Pratt 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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