





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

October, 2025 Closeout Information

		ln	Final	Avg. Days	Avg.	Feed/Gain	%	Avg. Cost	Projected Cost of Gain
Sex	No	Weight	Weight	on Feed	Daily Gain	(Dry Basis)	Death Loss	of Gain/Cwt.	Current Month's Placed Cattle
Steers	14389	857	1551	186	3.64	6.40	1.49	\$104.69	\$102.33
				(151 - 215)	(3.15 - 4.18)	(5.73 - 6.82)		\$89.14 - \$112.39	\$100.00 - \$106.00
Heifers	15406	775	1378	177	3.37	6.59	1.61	\$109.87	\$107.00
				(146 - 206)	(3.08 - 3.61)	(6.15 - 7.12)		\$97.92 - \$116.95	\$100.00 - \$111.00

Current Feed Inventory Costs: M	id-November, 2025	Range	No. Yards
Corn	\$4.55 /bu	\$4.45-\$4.65	5
Ground Alfalfa Hay	\$137.33 /ton	\$110.00 - \$170.00	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.

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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.