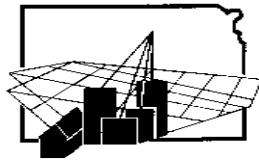


# Focus on Feedlots



## Kansas Feedlot Performance and Feed Cost Summary\*

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### December , 2017 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	47131	799	1415	167 (150 - 209)	3.74 (3.29 - 3.97)	6.06 (5.50 - 6.60)	1.51	\$76.35 \$66.49 - \$86.36	\$75.50 \$75.00 - \$76.00
Heifers	27423	722	1292	168 (139 - 195)	3.49 (3.14 - 3.81)	6.27 (5.70 - 6.79)	1.76	\$78.68 \$69.98 - \$89.21	\$78.25 \$77.50 - \$79.00

Current Feed Inventory Costs: Mid-January, 2018			Range	No. Yards
Corn		\$3.60 /bu	\$3.45-\$3.85	7
Ground Alfalfa Hay		\$129.87 /ton	\$100.00 - \$150.00	7

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