





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

## March, 2015 Closeout Information

		In	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.	<b>Current Month's Placed Cattle</b>
Steers	21491	798	1367	162	3.43	6.38	1.37	\$89.45	\$80.50
Sieers	21491	190	1307	(140 - 199)	(3.03 - 4.01)	(5.86 - 6.87)	1.37	\$78.25 - \$98.27	\$75.00 - \$87.00
Heifers	20069	700	1241	175	2.99	6.63	1 72	\$93.18	\$85.00
пенего	20009	708	1241	(139 - 217)	(2.64 - 3.54)	(6.24 - 7.24)	1.73	\$84.12 - \$101.86	\$80.00 - \$94.00

<b>Current Feed Inventory Costs: M</b>	/lid-April, 2015	Range	No. Yards
Corn	\$4.26 /bu	\$4.00-\$4.53	7
Ground Alfalfa Hay	\$145.70 /ton	\$115.00 - \$160.62	6

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

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<sup>\*\*</sup>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.