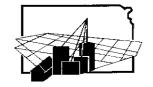
Focus on Feedlots





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

March , 2020 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	23571	788	1444	178	3.60	6.31	1.44	\$83.41	\$74.00
				(165 - 193)	(3.43 - 3.79)	(5.88 - 6.60)		\$76.34 - \$93.41	\$73.00 - \$75.00
Heifers	12078	722	1297	174	3.22	6.52	1.71	\$87.56	\$76.50
				(148 - 201)	(2.89 - 3.50)	(6.11 - 6.92)		\$79.88 - \$102.16	\$76.00 - \$77.00
Current Feed Inventory Costs: Mid-April, 2020							Range		No. Yards
Corn	1 \$3.94 /bu				/bu	\$3.70-\$4.10			5
Ground Alfalfa Hay				\$138.71 /ton			120.00 - \$150.	5	

*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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