

## Kansas Feedlot Performance and Feed Cost Summary\*

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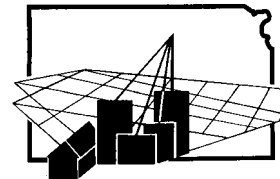
### May, 2003 Closeout Information\*\*

Sex	No.	Final Weight	Avg. Days on Feed	Avg. Daily Gain	Feed/Gain (Dry Basis)	% Death Loss	Avg. Cost of Gain/Cwt.	Projected Cost of Gain June-Placed Cattle
Steers	12,481	1,232	152 (126-199)	3.29 (2.64-3.56)	5.70 (5.28-6.24)	1.07	\$52.60 (50.04-57.58)	\$50.80 (\$48.00-53.00)
Heifers	25,720	1,113	154 (140-190)	2.97 (2.66-3.15)	5.92 (5.47-6.12)	1.44	\$56.35 (54.52-58.43)	\$53.20 (50.00-55.00)

Current Feed Inventory Costs: mid-June 2003 Avg. Prices	Range	No. Yards	
Corn	\$ 2.80/bu	\$2.65-3.25	6
Ground Alfalfa Hay	\$ 96.14/ton	\$80.00-115.00	6

\*Appreciation is expressed to these Kansas Feedyards: Brookover Ranch Feed Yard, Decatur County Feed Yard, Fairleigh Feed Yard, Hy-Plains Feed Yard, Kearny County Feeders, Pawnee Valley Feeders, and Supreme Cattle 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.