

## Kansas Feedlot Performance and Feed Cost Summary\*

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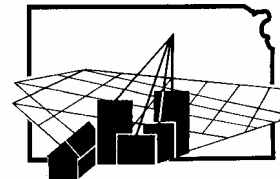
### May, 2004 Closeout Information\*\*

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	15,791	1,228	167 (137-189)	3.08 (2.88 – 3.29)	5.93 (5.52 - 6.29)	2.39	\$57.54 (\$51.23-62.52)	\$59.00 (\$58.00 - 60.00)
Heifers	16,598	1,118	158 (139-177)	2.77 (2.60 – 2.95)	6.35 (5.87 -6.70)	2.46	\$61.39 (\$55.92 – 66.80)	\$61.00 (\$60.00-62.00)

Current Feed Inventory Costs: mid-June 2004 Avg. Prices	Range	No. Yards	
Corn	\$ 3.32/bu	\$3.10 - \$3.55	6
Ground Alfalfa Hay	\$ 77.78/ton	\$65.00 - \$90.00	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.