



## Kansas Feedlot Performance and Feed Cost Summary\*

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### August, 1999 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 September-Placed Cattle
Steers	20,893	1,247	133 (114-151)	3.47 (3.21-3.69)	5.89 (5.54-6.26)	.84	\$43.15 (39.81-46.03)	\$42.17 (41.00-43.00)
Heifers	27,407	1,111	148 (113-184)	3.00 (2.65-3.43)	6.13 (5.68-6.44)	1.32	\$45.17 (43.06-47.53)	\$43.83 (43.00-45.00)

Current Feed Inventory Cost: September 15 Avg. Prices		Range	No. Yards
Corn	\$ 2.01/bu	\$ 1.90-2.12	7
Ground Alfalfa Hay	\$ 60.59/ton	\$53.00-70.00	7

\*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.