

## Kansas Feedlot Performance and Feed Cost Summary\* Chris Reinhardt, Extension Feedlot Specialist, Kansas State University

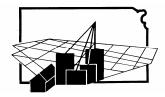
February , 2008 Closeout Information

		Final	Avg. Days	Avg.	Feed/Gain	%	Avg. Cost	Projected Cost of Gain
Sex	No	Weight	on Feed	Daily Gain	(Dry Basis)	Death Loss	of Gain/Cwt.	Current Month's Placed Cattle
Steers	20602	1307	160	3.21	6.47	2.04	\$76.83	\$88.00
	20002		(138 - 203)	(2.49 - 3.77)	(6.00 - 7.26)		\$71.27 - \$84.83	\$86.00 - \$90.00
Heifers	30959	1197	163	3.02	6.49	1.47	\$76.99	\$95.50
			(128 - 243)	(2.51 - 3.52)	(6.16 - 7.40)		\$72.38 - \$80.51	\$93.00 - \$98.00

<b>Current Feed Inventory Costs</b>	: mid-March 2008 Avg Prices	Range	No. Yards
Corn	\$5.11 /bu	\$4.80-\$5.79	8
Ground Alfalfa Hay	\$124.91 /ton	\$110.00 - \$140.00	6

\*Appreciation is expressed to these Kansas Feedyards: Brookover Ranch Feed Yard, Decatur County Feed Yard, DM&M Feed Yard, Fairleigh Feed Yard, Hoxie Feedyard, HRC Feedyard, Hy-Plains Feed Yard, Kearny County Feeders, Poky 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.