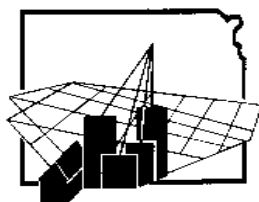


Focus on Feedlots



Kansas Feedlot Performance and Feed Cost Summary*

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April , 2010 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	26375	733	1275	170 (142 - 234)	3.11 (2.60 - 3.28)	6.28 (5.93 - 6.72)	2.46	\$75.84 \$70.84 - \$80.06	\$69.50 \$69.00 - \$70.00
Heifers	32242	709	1182	155 (141 - 180)	2.99 (2.79 - 3.17)	6.48 (6.02 - 7.05)	1.25	\$78.27 \$72.89 - \$82.14	\$73.00 \$70.00 - \$76.00

Current Feed Inventory Costs: Mid-May, 2010	Range	No. Yards
Corn	\$3.68 /bu \$3.45-\$3.88	8
Ground Alfalfa Hay	\$119.41 /ton \$100.00 - \$135.28	7

*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, 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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