

KSU FOCUS ON FEEDLOTS, JULY 1997 ISSUE

Kansas Feedlot Performance and Feed Cost Summary*

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June 1997 Closeout Information**

Sex/ No.	Final Weight	Avg. Days on Feed	Daily Gain	Feed/Gain (Dry Basis)	% Death Loss	Avg. Cost of Gain/Cwt.	Projected Cost of Gain June-Placed Cattle
Steers: 22,637	1,204	142 (119-168)	3.31 (3.12-3.65)	6.03 (5.69-6.29)	1.28	\$54.72 (51.60-58.18)	\$50.50 (47.00-55.00)
Heifers: 22,763	1,080	157 (130-195)	2.85 (2.53-3.40)	6.31 (5.59-6.63)	1.44	\$58.14 (53.61-62.42)	\$52.29 (49.00-56.50)

Current Feed Inventory Costs: July 15 Average Prices

	Range	No. Yards
Corn	\$2.70-2.97	7
Milo	\$4.45-4.50	2
Ground Alfalfa Hay	\$92.00-115.00	6

* Appreciation is expressed to these Kansas Feedyards: Brookover Feed Yards, Brookover Ranch Feed Yards, Decatur County Feed Yard, Fairleigh Feed Yards, Kearny County Feeders, Pawnee Valley 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 are not normally included.

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