

## LUCKY 7 ANGUS FEEDER CLOSEOUT DATA

(Project to test Lucky 7 Angus influenced genetics in feedlots 2015-2018)

**6605** Head, **57** Pens

**97.17%** choice and better (8 pens were 100% choice and better)

**14%** Better Feed Efficiency (Based on cost/lb/gain)

**4** pens gapped up for feed efficiency

(means no other cattle in that feeding period could match their cost of gain)

**\$75.60/head** Premium for Feed Efficiency

(Based on a 600lb in weight and a 1350lb out weight, & \$0.72/lb cost of gain)

**\$46/head** Carcass Premium

**\$121.60/head** Total Premium in the Feedlot

**Conclusion:** There was a \$121.60/hd advantage on all 6605 hd of Lucky 7 Angus influenced cattle over feedlot average. Not one pen that was less than 50% lucky 7 influenced made this average return. Only 1 of the 8 pens that smoked 'em, or did better than any other cattle in the feedlots for feed efficiency and carcass, were less than 100% Lucky 7 genetics.

### 2017 feeder calves fed at our Grow yard

**1113 total head** grown out for an average of 78 days. 62% were 100% Lucky 7 Angus genetics top and Bottom. The other 38% were 33-67% Lucky 7 Influenced genetics. Conclusion: The 100% Lucky 7 Angus calves ate **15-27%** less and gained more. They also had a **65%** less death loss and **84%** less sickness. On average the 100% Lucky 7 Angus calves were **\$54.32/hd** more profitable than the others in a grow lot for 115 days.