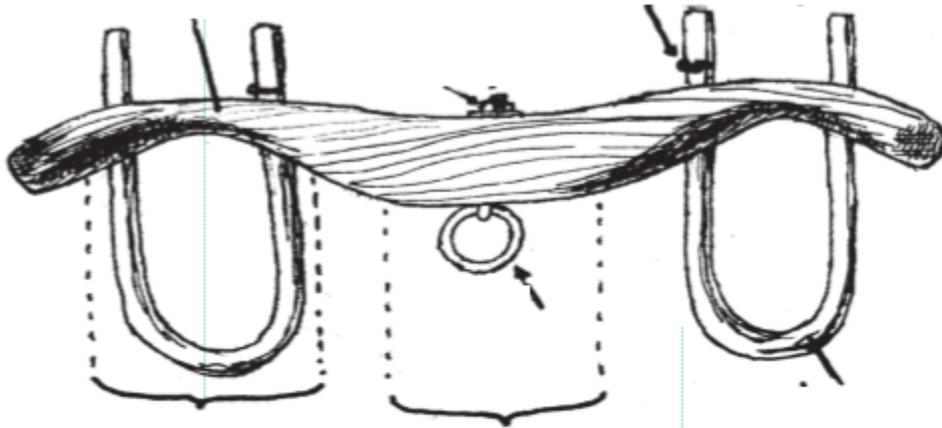




# Working Steer Activity Sheet

## Page 1



Can you identify the parts of the yoke(7)?

Use the word bank below!

Yoke

Staple

Belly

Bow

Neck

Ring

Pin or Key

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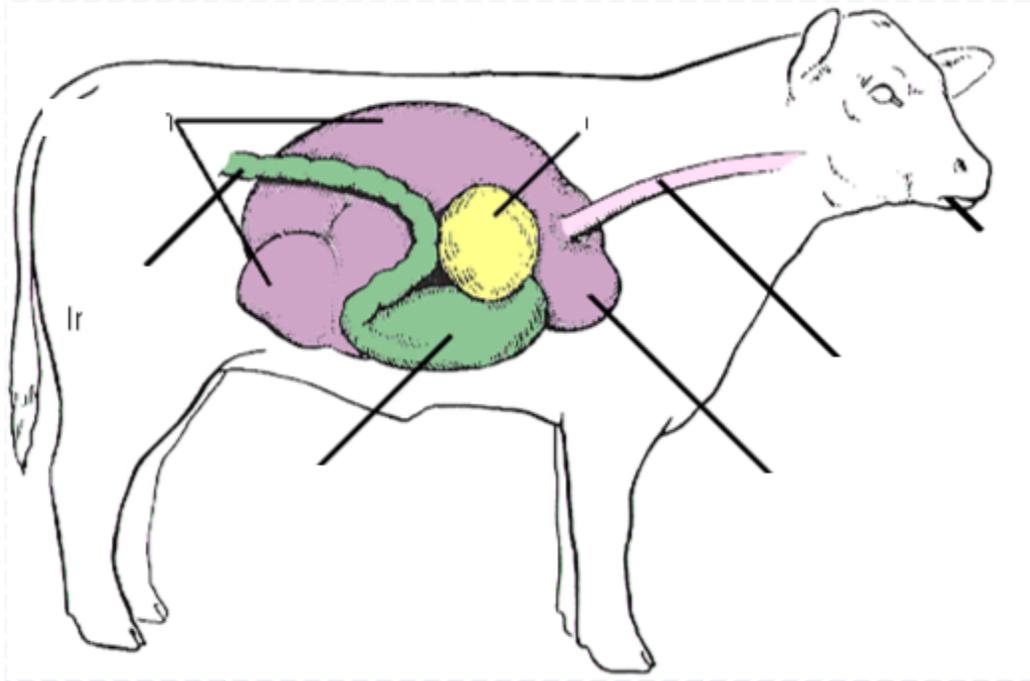


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### Parts of the Digestive Tract



Using this word bank, identify the parts of the Digestive tract:

Reticulum

Esophagus

Rumen

Omasum

Abomasum

Mouth

Small Intestine

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What are the five Major Nutrients?

Fill in the missing letters!

\_\_\_ N \_\_\_ R \_\_\_ Y

P \_\_\_ T \_\_\_

\_\_\_ A \_\_\_ E \_\_\_

\_\_\_ I \_\_\_ A \_\_\_ I \_\_\_

M \_\_\_ R \_\_\_ S

Cattle feeds are typically divided into two types: roughages and concentrates. Roughages include hay, silage, straw, pasture, corn stalks and other crop residue. Roughages are high in fiber and typically lower in energy than concentrates. Concentrates include grains (corn, oats, etc.) and the by-products from processing other foods like wheat bran, distillers waste, etc. These feeds are high in energy and sometimes high in protein (soybean meal, cottonseed meal). Concentrates tend to be higher priced feeds than roughages.

*From Page 8 of the NH 4-H Working Steer Manuel*

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# Working Steer Activity Sheet

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### About your Team!

What kind of wood is your yoke/bows made out of? \_\_\_\_\_

What do you feed your team? \_\_\_\_\_

What breed is your team? \_\_\_\_\_

Where does the breed (s) originate from? \_\_\_\_\_

How much does your team weigh? \_\_\_\_\_

What is the expected mature weight of your team? \_\_\_\_\_

How old is your team? \_\_\_\_\_

It is your responsibility to monitor the growth rates of your team. Make sure each steer gets adequate amounts of grain and hay. Separate your team at feeding if one steer is more aggressive in eating all the feed. If the horns on your cattle grow in different directions, you may correct them. *From the NH 4-H Working Steer Manual*



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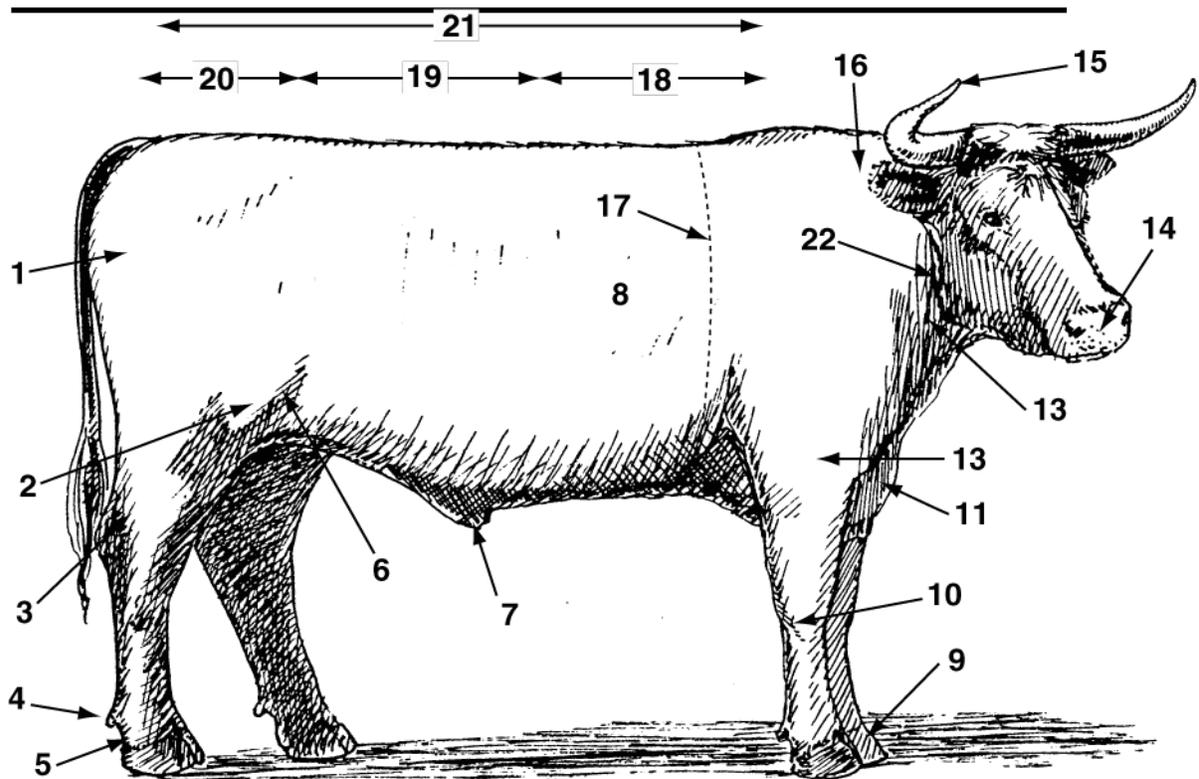
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Parts of a Steer



- |    |     |     |
|----|-----|-----|
| 1. | 9.  | 17. |
| 2. | 10. | 18. |
| 3. | 11. | 19. |
| 4. | 12. | 20. |
| 5. | 13. | 21. |
| 6. | 14. | 22. |
| 7. | 15. |     |
| 8. | 16. |     |

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## 4-H Working steer

C	N	X	I	H	R	G	C	G	M	G	N	I	S
L	Y	V	A	O	I	S	E	O	E	N	I	I	S
E	O	E	N	O	B	K	R	A	I	I	S	E	A
A	K	L	I	V	G	O	S	N	R	H	M	U	L
N	E	P	A	E	N	S	W	E	O	C	A	N	C
L	R	E	H	S	M	I	T	S	R	T	H	I	T
I	H	E	C	A	N	S	G	S	G	I	R	F	R
N	O	T	H	O	M	R	A	H	O	H	U	O	A
E	R	S	O	A	S	V	N	E	X	O	D	R	C
S	N	E	E	I	W	O	D	H	P	S	I	M	G
S	S	T	C	L	I	P	P	I	N	G	E	I	N
C	E	T	N	E	M	P	I	U	Q	E	E	T	I
G	O	O	N	O	I	T	I	D	N	O	C	Y	R
T	U	M	A	T	C	H	E	D	P	A	I	R	O

- CART CLASS
- TEAMSTER
- CLIPPING
- UNIFORMITY
- STEEPLE
- HITCHING
- HORNS
- BOWS
- CLEANLINESS
- DURHAMS
- HOOVES
- CONDITION
- MATCHED PAIR
- CHAIN
- HAW
- NIGH
- EQUIPMENT
- YOKE
- OXEN
- RING

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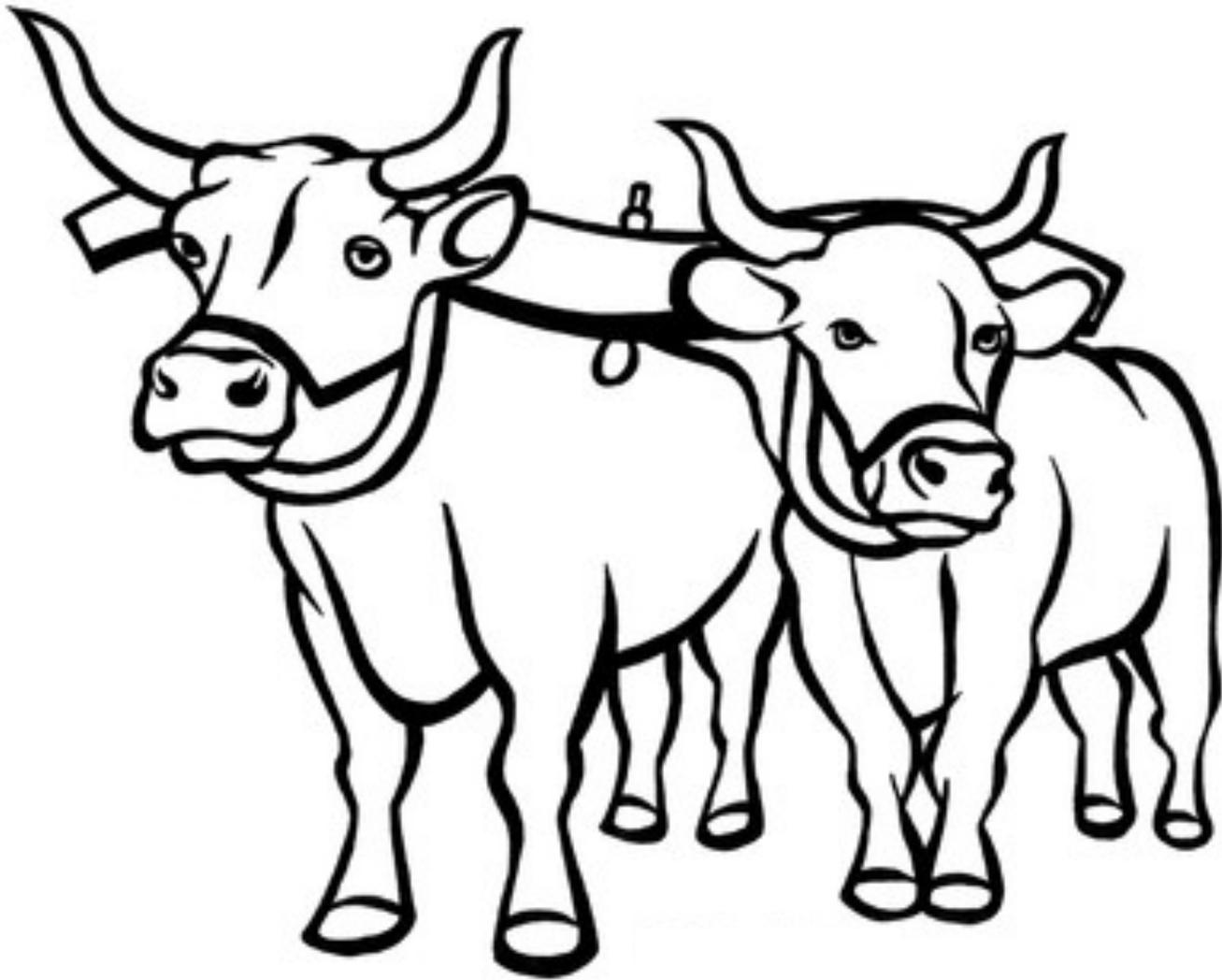
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## Page 7



Color the Team!

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