

Answer Key

Each question is worth 5 points each.

1. Top bulls can sire up to how many calves?
100,000
2. A semen tank can hold up to how many semen straws?
100,000
3. **Steers** are bulls that have been castrated.
4. Seed stock ranches have what goal in mind?
Improving genetics
5. What state is home to one of the largest U.S. ranches?
Hawaii
6. The average American farmer has less than how many head of cattle?
100
7. Ranch comes from what Spanish word?
Rancho
8. What was the most popular form of identification for cattle in the 1800's?
Branding
9. What challenges face the meat industry?
Disease, vegetarianism, and animal rights activists
10. What percent of the carcass is used commercially?
99%