



## “All About Beef” Answer Key

Grade Level: 3<sup>rd</sup>-5<sup>th</sup> (easily adaptable)

Answers:

Page 3 – “Its time to feed” Feed ration problems

- Adult cattle can eat 22 pounds of hay and 7 pounds of corn per day. How many pounds of food is this?  
    29 pounds
- One bovine was given 35 pounds of food but only ate 21 pounds. How much food was left in the food trough? 14 pounds
- Beef cattle typically gain two pounds each day depending on their feed ration. How much weight could one cow gain over a two week period? 28 pounds

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Down

1. Feed yard
3. Cow calf
4. Protein
5. Packing plant
7. Beef
10. Diet

Across

2. Breed
6. Agriculture
8. Environment
9. Byproduct
11. One million