Places, Spaces and Stories about Beef Cattle Farming and Ranching in Alberta

Alberta has the most beef cattle of any province in Canada.

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Cattle are raised on farms and ranches.



Alberta farmers and ranchers meet the needs of the cattle they raise. Cattle need food, water and fresh air.

Finding Alberta Beef

Finding Places and Stories

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Grass and pasturelands provide most of the feed needed by cattle.

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Farmers and ranchers also feed hay and grains to cattle. Cattle farms and ranches can be found in grasslands.



Trees found on the land can be used for shelter for cattle. Cattle graze on land. (

Cattle eat plants that people cannot digest.

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Cattle provide a source of protein for people who choose to eat beef. The environment is important to Alberta cattle farmers and ranchers.

