

# Traditional Uses of the Buffalo

## Tanned Hide

Backrests  
Bags  
Beds  
Belts  
Blankets  
Bridles  
Caps  
Cradles  
Doll Mittens  
Dresses  
Leggings  
Moccasin Tops  
Pillows  
Pouches  
Ropes  
Shirts  
Sweatlodge Covers  
Tapestries  
Tipi Liners  
Tipi Covers  
Winter Robes

## Hair

Bracelets  
Braided Ropes  
Doll Stuffing  
Hair Pieces  
Headdresses  
Horse Halters  
Medicine Balls  
Moccasin Lining  
Ornaments  
Pad Fillers  
Pillow Fillers

## Scrotum

Containers  
Rattles

## Dung

Diaper Powder  
Fuel

## Hide Leg Skin

Preshaped Moccasin

## Meat

Immediate Use  
Dried Meat/Jerky  
Pemmican  
Sausages

## Bladder

Food Pouches  
Medicine Bags  
Water Container

## Gall

Yellow Paints

## Liver

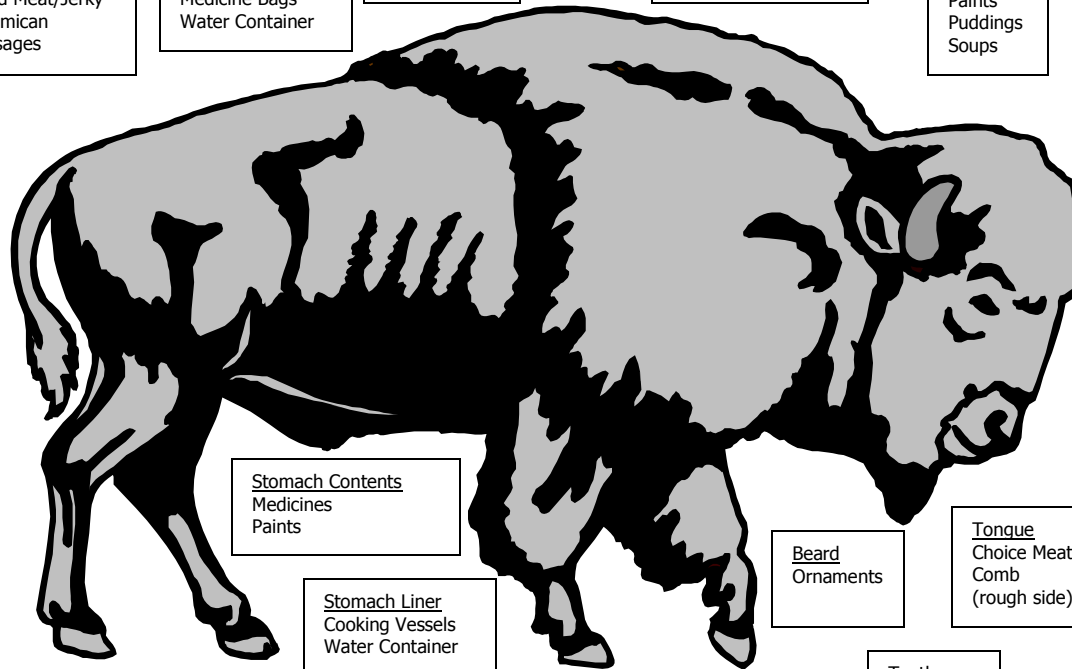
Food, Tanning Agent

## Blood

Paints  
Puddings  
Soups

## Skull

Altar  
Dehairing Tool  
Sun Dance



## Stomach Contents

Medicines  
Paints

## Stomach Liner

Cooking Vessels  
Water Container

## Beard

Ornaments

## Tongue

Choice Meat  
Comb  
(rough side)

## Brains

Food  
Hide Preparation

## Horns

Arrow Points  
Cups  
Fire Carrier  
Headdresses  
Ladles  
Medication  
Ornaments  
Powderhorn  
Signals  
Spoons  
Toys

## Bones

Arrowheads  
Awls  
Eating Utensils  
Fleshing Tools  
Game Dice  
Jewelry  
Knives  
Painting Tools  
Pipes  
Quirts  
Saddle Trees  
Scrapers  
Shovels  
Sleds  
Splints  
Toys  
War Clubs

## Tail

Decorations  
Fly Brush  
Knife Sheaths  
Medicine Switch  
Whips

## Hoofs & Dewclaws

Containers  
Glue  
Rattles  
Spoons  
Wind Chimes

## Tendons & Muscles

Arrow Ties  
Bowstrings  
Cinches  
Glue Preparation

## Foot Bones

Teething Toys  
Toy Horses

## Teeth

Ornaments

## Fat

Cosmetic Aids  
Filled Pipe Sealer  
Hair Grease  
Soaps  
Tallow  
Tanning

## Heart

Special Ceremonies

## Paunch Liner

Basins  
Buckets  
Canteens  
Collapsible Cups  
Wrappings (meat)

## Rawhide

Parfleche	Horse-water Trough	Buckets
Masks	Moccasin Soles	Caps
Cinches	Containers	Drums
Ornaments	Quivers	Rafts
Rattles	Ropes	Saddles
Sheaths	Shields	Shrouds
Snowshoes	Splints	Straps
Trunks	Lariats	

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