



Technique

- Palpate the lateral edge of the frontal crest. The point halfway between the lateral canthus of the eye and the base of the horn is the needle insertion point
Insert the needle (without the syringe attached) through the skin just under the frontal crest. The depth of insertion may vary from 1 cm (0.5 inches) in small subjects to up to 3 cm (1.5 inches) in large bulls.
Attach the syringe and infuse 5 to 10 ml of 2% lidocaine.
Continue infusing while directing the needle in a ventral and medial direction; keep as close to the frontal bone as possible.
Repeat the procedure on the opposite cornual nerve.
Allow 5 to 10 minutes for anesthesia.