

AQHA Categories for All Arounds and High Points

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Category I	Halter/Performance Halter
Category II	Reining
	Working Cow Horse
	Western Riding
	Ranch Trail
	Trail
Category III	Team Penning
	Ranch Sorting
	Barrel Racing
	Pole Bending
	Stake Race***
	Cowboy Mounted Shooting
Category IV	Jumping
	Working Hunter
	Hunter Hack
Category V	Western Pleasure
	2-Year-Old Western Pleasure*
	Hunter Under Saddle
	Pleasure Driving**
	Ranch Riding
	Working Western Rail
Category VI	Tie-down Roping
	Breakaway Roping
	Dally Team Roping-Heading
	Dally Team Roping-Heeling
	Cutting
Category VII	Showmanship at Halter***
	Western Horsemanship***
	Hunt Seat Equitation***
	Equitation Over Fences***

* Open division only

** Open and amateur divisions only

*** Amateur and youth divisions only