

**MARKING SCHEME**  
**AGRICULTURE FORM 3 PAPER 2**

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1. Apiculture is keeping of bees in a beehive while aquaculture is rearing of fish in fish ponds.  
(1 x 1 = 1 mk) Mark as a whole
2.
  - Fencing around the fish pond using strong wire mess.
  - Providing a screen above the pond to guard against birds. (  $\frac{1}{2} \times 3 = 1 \frac{1}{2}$ mk)
3.
  - a) Brown ear tick - E.C.F (  $\frac{1}{2}$  mk)
  - b) Tsetse fly - Trypanosomiasis. (  $\frac{1}{2}$  mk)
4.
  - a) It's a preventive treatment that gives the animal immunity against certain disease. (  $\frac{1}{2}$  mk)
  - b) Application of chute at the belly of a ram to check for fertility of the animals. (  $\frac{1}{2}$  mk)
5. Water / Mud snail. (  $\frac{1}{2}$  mk)
6.
  - To fertilize the queen.
  - Control temperature of the hive / cool the hive. (  $\frac{1}{2} \times 2 = 1$  mk)
7. Carifornia white.
  - Earlops
  - Flemish giant.
  - Chinchilla
  - New Zealand white. (  $\frac{1}{2} \times 4 = 2$ mks)
8.
  - Grow fast and well enough to reach maturity quickly
  - To have a longer economic and productive life
  - Give maximum production / performance since they maintain high productivity
  - To produce good quality products thus fetching high market value
  - Not to spread diseases to either other animals or human beings
  - Are economical and easy to keep. (  $\frac{1}{2} \times 4 = 2$ mks)
9.
  - Orally through the mouth.
  - Through the cloaca.
  - Inhaling through the nose.
  - Internal injection. (  $\frac{1}{2} \times 4 = 2$  mks)
10.
  - Water availability.
  - Flowers availability
  - Sheltered place.
  - Away from human beings and livestock.
  - Away from disturbance e.g. loud noise. (  $\frac{1}{2} \times 4 = 2$  mks)
11.
  - Mites
  - Spiders
  - Ticks (1 x 2 = 2 mks)

12.

- Lack humps.
- Have low tolerance to high temperatures.
- Highly susceptible to tropical diseases.
- Have fast growth rates leading to early maturity.
- Good producers of both meat and milk.
- Have short calving interval.

( $\frac{1}{2} \times 4 = 2$  mks)

13.

- They protect the farmer and livestock from predators.
- They help to control livestock diseases and parasites.
- Provide shelter against extreme weather conditions.
- Provide storage of farm produce and other variable inputs.
- Increase efficiency of production and management in the farms. ( $\frac{1}{2} \times 4 = 2$  mks)

14.

- Obstruction of oesophagus due to bulky food particles.
- Abnormal pressure exerted on the oesophagus by a swelling in the wall of the chest.
- Indigestion due to paralysis of the rumen and valve at entrance. ( $1 \times 2 = 2$  mks)

15.

- Guernsey
- Jersey
- Arshire
- Friesian

( $\frac{1}{2} \times 4 = 2$  mks)

16.

- High carbohydrates content.
- Low protein content.
- High fibre content.
- They are bulky.
- From plant origin.

( $\frac{1}{2} \times 4 = 2$  mks)

17.

- Physical causes.
- Nutritional causes.
- Chemical causes.
- Pathogens causes.

( $\frac{1}{2} \times 4 = 2$  mks)

18.

- Sharpening tools after use
- Cleaning tools after use

( $1 \times 2 = 2$  mks)

19. a) Scalpel.

( $1 \times 1 = 1$  mk)

b) Cold chisel

( $1 \times 1 = 1$  mk)

20.

a) Hoof-trimming

( $1 \times 1 = 1$  mk)

b)

- Facilitate easy movement
- Control foot rot
- Easy mating

( $1 \times 2 = 2$  mks)

c)

- Hoof clipper/cutter
- Trimming knife
- Hoof rasp

( $1 \times 2 = 2$  mks)

21. a)
- Temporary storage of food.
  - Moistening of food . (1 x 1 = 1mk)
- b) Produces gastric juices which contain enzymes and Hydrochloric Acid. (1 x 1 = 1mk)
- c)
- Has tough muscles which slide sideways to grind food into paste.
  - Has girt / sand which help in grinding of food. (2 x 1 = 2mks)
- d) Debeaking. (1 x 1 = 1mk)
22. a) Barbed wire fence. (1 x 1 = 1mk)
- b)
- A - Intermediate posts (Standards)  
 B - Dropper  
 C- Strainer / struts.  
 D - Diagonal wire brace (1 x 2 = 2mks)
- 23.a) P - Adjustable spanner.  
 M - Pipe wrench (½ x 2= 1mk)
- b) Can be adjusted to fit any nut or bolt. (1 x 1 = 1mk)
- c)
- M - for holding, tightening and loosening metallic pipes.  
 N - Used for cutting P.V.C pipes. (1 x 2 = 2mks)
- d)
- Store properly after use.
  - Oil moving part. (½ x 2 = 1 mk)
- 24.
- a)
- One bull may serve many cows thereby increasing usefulness of a bull.
  - Prevents spread of breeding diseases rej. Diseases only.
  - Possible to make use of a bull that cannot serve naturally due to injuries or too heavy.
  - Reduces expenses to a farmer because does not have to own a bull.
  - Easy to control inbreeding.
  - Semen can be stored for a long time even after death of the bull.
  - Easy to control breeding.
  - Eliminates dangerous bulls from the farm.
  - Useful research tool in studying large number of daughters from a single sire.
  - Prevent large bull from injuring small cows
  - Reduce expenses of keeping a bull on pasture veterinary bills. (1x10= 10mks)
- b) Restlessness
- Enlarged or swollen vulva
  - Clear mucus discharge from the vulva
  - Slackening of the pelvic muscles or the relaxing of hip muscles
  - Full and distended udder
  - Thick milky fluid comes out of teats
  - Water bag appears and bursts, just before lambing (5 x 1 = 5mks)
- c)
- They cause anaemia
  - Deprive the host of food
  - Cause injury / damage to body tissues

- Cause irritation as they migrate from one organ to another
- Cause obstruction of internal organs
- Emaciation
- Pot bellies
- Staring coat (1 x 5 = 5mks)

25

a)

- Ensure they are fed with creep feed.
- Spray with appropriate insecticide to control external parasites.
- Deworm with appropriate anthelmintics to control internal parasites.
- Provide plenty clean water.
- Cut the tail.
- Vaccinate against apparent diseases.
- Isolate and treat the sick.
- Keep proper records.
- Carry out teeth clipping.
- Control anaemia by iron injection.
- Ensure they suck colostrums immediately after birth.
- Remove and dispose after birth / still births.
- Place the piglets under warm conditions.
- Provide furrowing crate.
- Weigh each piglet and record the birth weight.
- Ensure they are breathing properly.
- Tie, cut and disinfect the navel cords of the piglets. (1x10 = 10mks)

b)

- Brown tick.
- Red legged tick.
- Large bont legged tick.
- African bont legged tick. (1x2 = 2mks)

c)

- Eggs hatch on the ground into larvae;
- Larval climbs onto the first host; sucks blood;
- Get engorged; and moult into nymphs;
- Nymphs on the same host sucks blood; get engorged; and fall on the ground.
- On the ground nymphs moults into adults;
- Adults climbs the second host; the adult sucks blood;
- Get engorged; mates;
- The adult female drops to the ground to lay eggs. (1x8 = 8mks)

26. a)

- A cow is restrained in a crush
- A bull is brought to the teaser cow
- The bull mounts the cow and directs the penis to the vulva
- The farmer grabs the penis immediately and directs it into the artificial vagina
- The bull ejaculates into the artificial vagina and semen is collected (5x1 = 5mks)

b)

- Spraying livestock against external parasites
- Identifying animals
- Vaccination of animals
- Administration of prophylactic drugs to livestock
- Treating sick animals
- Dehorning
- Pregnancy test
- Artificial insemination
- Taking body temperatures
- Hoof trimming
- Milking

- c)
- Collection of semen (7x1 = 7mks)
  - Proper feeding and nutrition
    - It avoids deficiency diseases and makes animal strong and able to resist disease
    - A balanced diet prevents nutritional or metabolic disorders and ensures vigour and greater resistance to disease
  - Proper breeding and selection
    - Healthy animals should be selected for breeding
    - Animals that are susceptible to diseases should be culled
    - Appropriate breeding policies and programmes should be employed to avoid transmission of congenital diseases
  - Proper housing and hygiene
    - Houses should be constructed such that they meet the necessary requirements for particular animals
    - Livestock houses should be regularly cleaned and disinfected
  - Isolation of sick animals
    - Sick animals should be separated and confined in their own structures for treatment to avoid the spread of diseases
  - Imposition of quarantine
    - In the event of an outbreak of a notifiable disease, movement of animals and their products from and into the area with the outbreak should be restricted
  - Taking prophylactic measures
    - Use of prophylactic drugs
    - Carrying out vaccination
    - Control of vectors
    - Treatment of sick animals
  - Slaughtering of affected animals
    - Animals attacked by highly infectious and contagious should be killed and disposed off by burning or burying 6 feet under
  - Use of antiseptics and disinfectants kill disease causing organisms thereby preventing disease attack (8x1 = 8mks)