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**INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES**

- \* Write your name and admission number in the spaces provided above.
- \* This paper consists of three sections **A, B** and **C**
- \* Answer **ALL** the questions in section **A** and **B** in the spaces provided.
- \* Answer any **TWO** questions in section **C** in the spaces provided at the end of the section.

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Section	Question	Maximum score	Score
A	1 - 18	30	
B	19 - 23	20	
C		20	
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<b>Total score</b>		<b>90</b>	

**SECTION A : (30 MARKS)**

**Answer all the questions in the spaces provided.**

1. State four reasons for maintaining farm tools and equipment in good working conditions. (2 marks)

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2. Give four dairy characteristics possessed by a typical Friesian / Holstein cow. (2 marks)

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3. State the origin of the following pig breeds.

- a) Duroc Jersey .....
- b) Wessex Saddleback .....
- c) Landrace .....
- d) Berkshire .....

4. Mention four signs of ill health in livestock. (2 marks)

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5. Name three insect parasites that attack livestock. (1½ marks)

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6. State four roles of vitamins in livestock diet. (2 marks)

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7. Outline four factors considered when selecting a breeding stock in pig production. (2 marks)

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8. Give two factors to consider when establishing an apiary. (1 mark)

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9. Identify two methods used in selection other than mass selection. (1 mark)

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10. State three management practices carried out to a doe during gestation period in goats. (1½ marks)

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11. Give two structures that can used to control livestock diseases and parasites on a farm. (1 mark)

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12. Study the table below and fill in the missing words. (3 marks)

Description	Cattle	Pigs	Poultry
Young from birth / hatching to weaning			Chick
Young female before first parturition / laying		Gilt	
Mature male for breeding	Bull		

13. State four viral disease that attack cattle.

(2 marks)

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14. Name four workshop tool and equipment that can be used for measuring distances.

(2 marks)

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15. Give three reasons for flushing in sheep management.

(1½ marks)

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16. Name a breed of goat kept for hair production.

(½ mark)

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17. State two functions of purlings in a roof.

(1 mark)

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18. List four factors that predispose livestock to diseases.

(2 marks)

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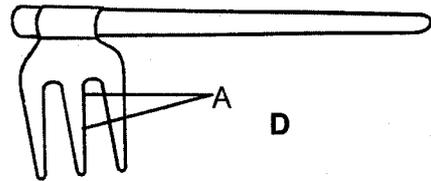
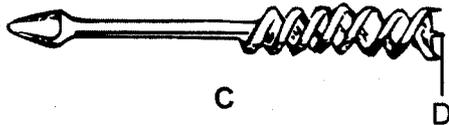
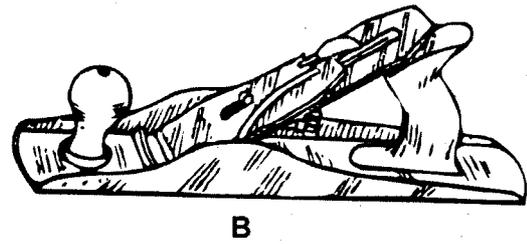
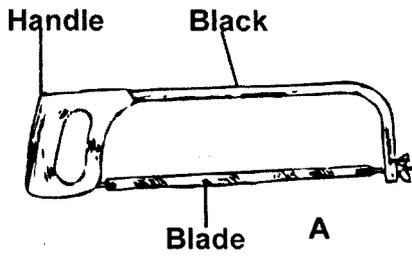
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**SECTION B : (20 MARKS)**

Answer all the questions in this section in the spaces provided.

19. Study the following tools and equipment and answer the questions that follow.



a) Identify the tools labelled B and C. (2 marks)

B .....

C .....

b) State the function of the tool labelled E above. (1 mark)

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c) Name the parts labelled A and D. (1 mark)

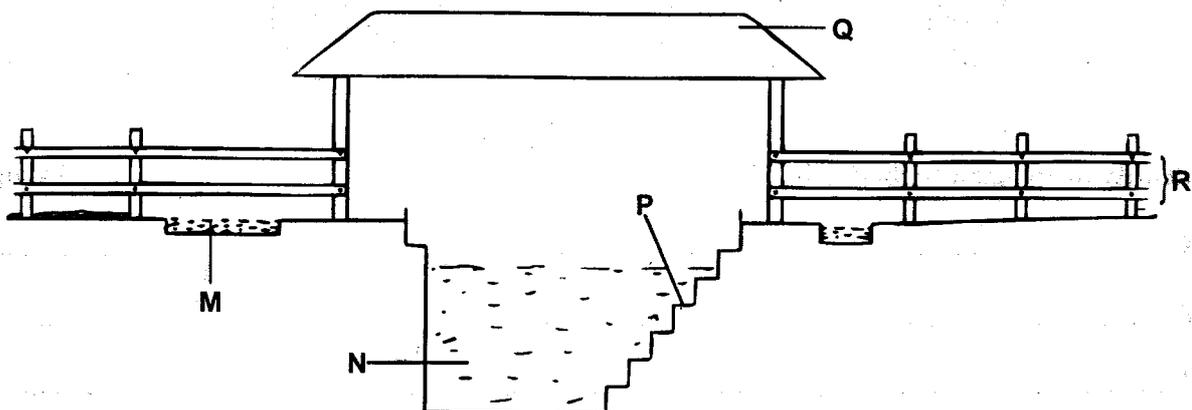
A .....

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d) Give one maintenance practice carried out on tool A (1 mark)

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20. The diagram below is a livestock handling structure. Study it to answer the questions that follow.



a) Identify the structure above. (1 mark)

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b) Name the parts labelled M, N, P, Q (2 marks)

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N .....

P .....

Q .....

c) Give one importance of parts labelled M and P (2 marks)

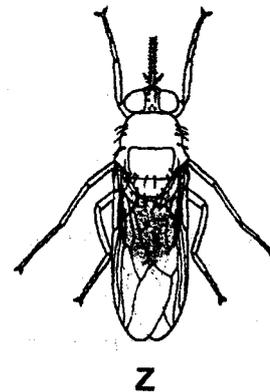
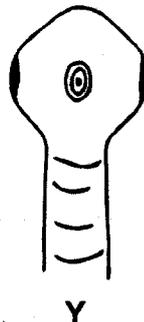
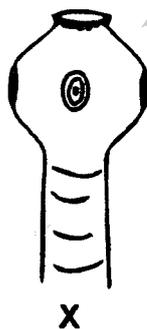
M .....

P .....

21. A farmer would like to prepare 600kg ration for layers containing 20% DCP using a mixture of maize, 10% DCP and cotton seedcake containing 40% DCP. Using Pearsons square method calculate how much of maize and cotton seed cake will be needed. (4 marks)

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22. Below are diagrams of the scolex of two tapeworm species and an insect parasite to livestock labelled X, Y and Z. Use them to answer the questions that follow.



a) Identify the parasites labelled X, Y and Z (1½ marks)

X .....

Y .....

Z .....

b) Name the intermediate hosts of each of the species X and Y above. (1 mark)

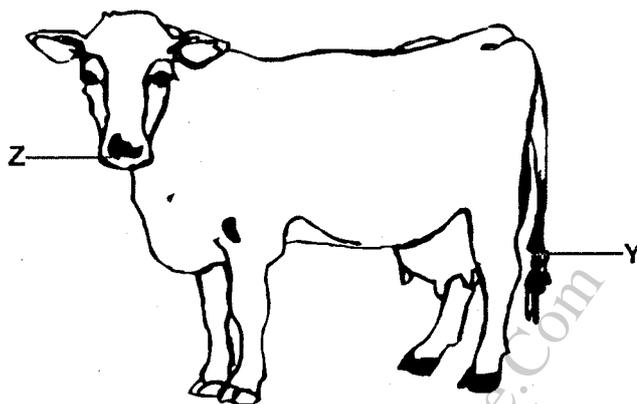
X .....

Y .....

c) State one effect of the parasite labelled Z in livestock. (½ mark)

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23. Below is a sketch of a livestock. Study it and answer the questions that follow.



a) Identify the type of cattle represented by the diagram above. (1 mark)

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b) Give a reason for your answer in (a) above. (1 mark)

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c) Name the parts labelled Y and Z (1 mark)

Y .....

Z .....

**SECTION C : (40 MARKS)**

Answer any two questions in the spaces provided after question 26.

24. a) Explain seven factors considered when selecting materials for construction of a pigsty. (14 marks)

b) Outline six symptoms of attack by roundworms Ascaris spp.

25. a) Outline the signs of farrowing in a sow. (4 marks)

b) Describe the lifecycle of a one host tick. (6 marks)

c) Explain five factors that influence digestibility of a feed. (10 marks)

26. a) Explain the importance of keeping livestock healthy. (10 marks)

b) Give reasons for breeding in livestock. (6 marks)

c) Outline four practices carried out on fish before preservation. (4 marks)

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