

SECTION A

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Q1. a) Hutch is a rabbit house or cage which protect them from harm it can be even used to the chicken. /2 marks

buck & doe
he rabbit she

b) Out door Colonies is a type of hutch which provide for rabbits fresh air allowing them to feel as if they are living in the wild and give them freedom to dig and grow. /1.5

Indoor Colonies: is a type of hutch where rabbits are placed inside house or other building, they feel more secured. /1.5

5 marks

Q2: the main environmental elements that interact with the rabbits welfare are:

- Ventilation
- Rabbit need a secure living environment /1
- Rabbit need a large space enough for all exercises /1
- Rabbit need opportunity to hop, jump, without ears touching the roof /1
- Rabbit need hazards free environment /1
- Ecological Condition.
- Rabbit need stand fully upright on his back legs /1
- Rabbit need stretch out fully when lying down /1
- A dry and dustless environment /1
- A calm environment /1

Q3. Criteria which should be considered for selecting the rabbit hutch construction materials

- Availability in local environment /0.5
- Cost of materials /0.5
- Have insulating materials against heat and cold. (vermin protection) /0.5

4 marks

- High Hygen of materials (easy to clean) /0.5
- strength of " /0.5
- Durability of " /0.5
- safety of " /0.5
- Degradation of " /0.5

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Consider any six

3 marks

Q4: Any five benefits of nest in rabbit farming

- Facilitate the Doe for preparing bedding /1
- Candling take place in nest and nurse kindles /1
- Protect young rabbit against dirty /1
- Protect young rabbit against cold /1
- No risk of yound while candling /1
- Prevent dampness from the animal urine /1
- Keep the young from leaving the nest too early /1

Consider any five

5 marks

Q5. 4 conditions to be fulfilled for facilitating the welfare of pigs are:

- The pen should be of favorable dimensions (1/1)
- The pen should provide ventilation /1
- Proper feeding and drinking /1
- Good hygein in pig house and control of disease /1
- Good favorable t° (between 15-30°C) is provided /1
- orientation

Consider any four

4 marks

Q6. a) Ecto-parasites are parasites found on the outside of animals (skin) /1

b) Systematic deworming: is a regular provision of the dewormer / wormicides for an animal without considering illness //

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c) Endo-parasites: Are parasites found inside of the animals //

3 marks

Q7. The six characteristics of the local pig breeds

- Body length = 75 - 92 cm / 0.5
- Height = 46 - 54 cm / 0.5
- The jaw is relatively long and sharp, similar to wild pig / 0.5
- The size of ears is medium and straight / 0.5
- The skin is black but some of them have white or pink spots. / 0.5
- The hoof color is mainly white / 0.5
- Litter size of 7 - 8 piglets / 0.5
- Live weight of adult is 100 kg in national farms / 0.5
- Small size / 0.5
- Potential productivity: it gives meats of 75% of liveweight. / 0.5

Consider any six

3 marks

Q8: a) Two way in which foot/ mouth disease is controlled are:

- Vaccination //
- Control of movement of livestock and livestock product (Quarantine) //
- Destroy all affected animals //

Consider any two.

b) Area of 5 Boars

1 Boars require a pen of area $9 - 9,3 \text{ m}^2$ / 2 marks

5 boars require a pen of area

$$= 9 \times 5 \text{ to } 9,3 \times 5$$

$$= 45 \text{ m}^2 \text{ to } 46,5 \text{ m}^2$$
 / 1 mark

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Q9: Measures to be taken in order to maintain good hygien in pig house.

- Pen should be kept free of manure at all time / 1
- Avoid any cracks in the floor or walls / 1
- when a group of pig vacates a pen should be cleaned out thoroughly with a pressure hose or brush / 1

Consider any three

3 marks

Q10: The condition which should be followed to
a) feed correctly layers are:

- feed the layers with enough feed / 1 mark
- provide feed which contains enough vitamins A to increase yellowing coloration of egg / 1 mark
- Feed layers with a ration which contains enough Ca to facilitate the hardness of outer shell of a eggs. / 1 mark

b) Calculation of Feed Conversion rate (FCR) =

Data: Quantity of feed consumed = 10800 kg
Total weight of ^{live} stocks = 4650 kg

$$FCR = \frac{\text{Total weight consumed}}{\text{Total weight of livestock}} = \frac{10800}{4650} = 2.32$$

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5 marks

Q11: All in all out in hygiene management

- Get out all birds and put them in other poultry house or fenced compound. /1
- Put out all poultry equipment /1
- Clean the poultry house and its equipment correctly /1
- Let the chicken house dry /1
- Put the new litter in the house /1
- Return birds in their shelter. /1

Consider any four

4 marks

Q12: steps to follow, in order to apply correctly ear to too are:

- Choose piglet of 2-3 weeks old. /1
- Take the equipment which consist of pliers and digits (0-9) and tattoo ink. /1
- place the proper digits in the pliers /1
- Apply pressure to the piglet ear until the digit marks are visible. /1
- Proper disinfection of wound /1
- Smear ink on the digit marks /1
- shine a flash light from behind ear to make it easier to read the numbers. /1

Consider any four

4 marks

Q13. Compare local rabbit with Dutch rabbit.

Local rabbit.

- Color = white with chocolate, bluish, lilac gray, /1

- Eyes = black, red; / 1 mark
 - Conformation = look like good / 1 mark
 - Preference $t^{\circ} = 17^{\circ} - 20^{\circ}C$ / 1 mark
 - Potential productivity = ~~set~~ (1-3kg) at adult age / 1 mark
 - Indigenous breed. / 1 mark
 - Dutch rabbit / 1 mark
- Consider any two

- Color = pattern black - white / 1 mark
 - Body weight = 1.5 - 2.5 kg. (Its front is white. / 1 mark)
 - Short fur / 1 mark (Lower part is black, grey)
 - Erect ears and short / 1 mark
 - originated from netherlands. / 1 mark
 - eye = dark brown eyes / 1 mark
- Consider any two (4 mark)

Imp. necessity of biosecurity measures (quarantine, disposal of dead animals and fencing)

* Quarantine

- Government regulation for preventing transmission of infection diseases / 1 mark

* Disposal of dead animals

Dead livestock are buried or incinerated in order to stop the disease proliferation / 1 mark

Fencing : serves to avoid contamination between herds / 1 mark

(3 mark)

Q.15. General conditions for rabbit rearing success are:

- some breed are not productive. / 1 mark
- Use of improved breeds / 1 mark
- Construct a good hutch with standards dimension / 1 mark
- Proper feeding the rabbits and Allow good ventilation
- Ventilation to evacuate ^{use biological diet & gas required} harmful gases and entering / 1 mark
- Apply correctly the hygienic conditions : to prevent disease
- Treat correctly the diseased animals / 1 mark
- Apply good reproduction rhythm = respect interval b/w / 1 mark
- ~~Use~~ To avoid too heavy noise. / 1 mark

t° plays critical role in survival.

- light = ~~is~~ required at optimum level / 1 mark
 - orientation = consider direction of wind and circulation of fresh air in room / 1 mark
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SECTION B

Q 16) How to manage the situation when sow dies during farrowing or fail to produce milk

- Fostering (gutsindim) / 2 mark
- Hand feeding would be necessary / 1 mark
- Cow's milk is the best substitute of sow milk / 1 mark

b) Any (10) management practices that are applied to keep pig health are:

- Follow strict sanitation / 0.5
- Follow any All in All out production system / 0.5
- Proper care and nutrition at weaning / 0.5
- use fewer gilts in relation to elder sow / 0.5
- Make sure that new breeds animals are not infected. / 0.5
- Avoid over crowding pigs / 0.5
- keep pigs of different ages separately / 0.5
- Reduce stress of cold and darkness / 0.5
- Adequate ventilation / 0.5
- use specific pathogen free breeding stock / 0.5

c) Any 2 activities to be done for proper use of disinfectant in Piggery / 2 marks

- Remove all portable equipment for cleaning outside the home or pen / 1 mark
- Provide vaccine / 1 mark

~~10 marks~~

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- clean the house and Equipment / 1 mark
 - Thoroughly apply disinfectant to all surface / 1 mark
 - wait at least 30 min before entering animals and equipment / 1 mark
- Consider any two

10 marks

Q 17. a) The tangible reasons / facts are:

- Environment of clean drinking water / 1 mark
 - Environment which contain enough feeds / 1 mark
 - Environment should be able to cool off in summer / 1 mark
 - Environment with good ventilation / 1 mark
- Consider three

b) The use of the following elements:

- Mass selection = selection based on external characteristics: It is used when considering inheritable characteristics / 1 mark
- Contemporary Comparison = selection based on comparison of animals of the same age is used on large herd / 1 mark
- Progeny testing = selection based on performance of offsprings / 1 mark
 ⇒ It is common when selecting breeding boar

c) The problem occurred is Anaemia (3 weeks crisis)
- It is result of lack of Iron (Fe) in milk of sow /1mark
- Lack of iron (Fe) because of high number of piglets /1mark

Control:-
- Use of iron injection /1mark
- Swab the udder of the sow with iron solution /1mark
- Place red sterile soil in the creep area of the piggery /1mark
- Let sows and piglets out to graze in pasture /1mark
Consider any two

10mark

Q18: a) The performance of large white:

- Provide very good quality meat /1mark
- Resist and adapt to various climate and environment /1mark
- Is more prolific 11-12 piglets /1mark

Performance of Landrace

- It is a "butcher" breeds /1mark
- Little resistance, demanding flesh environment /1mark
- Little size 10-12 piglets /1mark

Recommendations:

The large white is more recommended than Landrace /1mark

b) Efficiency of the three (3) basic ;

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- Extensive farming - local breeds are used
and low quantity feeds lead to
poor productivity

- Semi-intensive = It is when managed the
performance will be as well as
those managed in intensive farming

- Intensive farming : the growth rate is high
and high production is found

10 marks

Q19. The kind of solution that can be applied
for improving the growth of pigs

- Rear the breed which show resistant to bad
condition of t^o such as large white

- Construct a pig house which have different
pens according to the type of categories of
pigs

- Improve feeding by use of crop residues left
over and commercial feed

- Apply good husbandry practices

- Respect of hygiene and diseases control

b) cross breeding =
Suppose that =

A (♀) local breed X B (♂) Landrace.

50% AB 50% (1st generation) X B /1mark

25% AB 75% (2nd generation) X B /1mark

12.5% AB 87.5% (3rd generation) X B /1mark

6.25% AB 93.75% (4th generation) X B /1mark

3.125% AB 96.875% (5th generation) X B /1mark

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Q20: Reaction of chick on the temperature:

- At high t° , chicken stops feeding and run away to the sides /1mark
- At low t° , they will crowd around the heat source /1mark
- At ideal t° , chickens will be distributed in the brood /1mark
- At draft - the chickens are located in one side /1mark

consider only Two

b) Any six (6) indicators of well cleaned poultry house.

- wall and ceiling well ~~swept~~ swept /1mark
- floor not crosed and clean /1mark
- All equipment washed /1mark

- Outside cleaned /1mark
- All manure removed /1mark
- There is new litter (dry, non dusty) /1mark
- Two weeks passed without any entrance to break disease cycle. /1mark

Consider any six

c) The necessity of light for layers are:

- Increase the time for eating / feed intake increased /1mark
- Increase heat /1mark
- It influence the start of laying of eggs /1mark
- Permit early laying of eggs after a rest period /1mark
- Layering rate is increased /1mark

Consider any two

10 marks

Q21: a) The necessity of elements given =

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- * Soil: It should be well drained /2marks
- * Accessibility = where find infrastructure such as water, electricity, Road for transport of farming products, market etc /2marks

- Distance from other farms: 150m away from the nearest poultry house and should have its own entrance. /2marks

b) Any four (4) conditions for proper natural incubations

- Broody hen /1mark
- Regular changing of eggs (done by hen) /1mark
- Ventilation /1mark
- Proper humidity / the hen wet its self /1mark
- Provide clean nest /1mark
- Provide the hen with enough food and drinking water. /1mark

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10marks

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