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## Instructions to candidates.

- (i) Write your **name** and **index number** in the spaces provided.
- (ii) This paper consists of three sections **A, B** and **C**.
- (iii) Answer **ALL** the questions in section A and B and any two questions in section C.
- (iv) All answers must be written in the spaces provided.
- (v) Do not remove any pages from the question paper.

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Section	Questions	Maximum score	Candidates score
A	1-18	30	
B	19-22	20	
C		20	
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	Total Score	90	

**SECTION A (30 marks)**

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

1. Give two uses of the roof of cattle dip tank. (1mk)

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2. State two causes of soft shelled eggs. (1mk)

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3. Give four signs of farrowing in a sow. (2mks)

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4. Outline four causes of cannibalism in a flock of layers in the deep system. (2mks)

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5. State four maintenance practices carried out on a Jack plane. (2mks)

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6. State three uses of solar power on the farm. (1½ mks)

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7. Name four types of layer breeds of chicken. (2mks)

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8. Give the distinguishing characteristics of Essex and Wessex Saddle back breed of pigs.(1mk)

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9. Give four symptoms of brucellisis in cows. (2mks)

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10. State four reasons why inbreeding may be useful in livestock production. (2mks)

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11. Give two effects of Tsetse flies on livestock. (1mk)

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12. Name two types of rabbit houses. (1mk)

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13. List four types of vaccines used in livestock production. (2mks)

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14. Name four types of pests that affect bees.

(2mks)

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15. Outline three reasons why farmers dehorn cattle.

(1<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>mks)

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16. (a. Differentiate between cropping and harvesting as used in fish production.

(1mk)

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b. Name two species of fresh warm water fish.

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17. Give four reasons for steaming up dairy cattle.

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18. List four post milking practices.

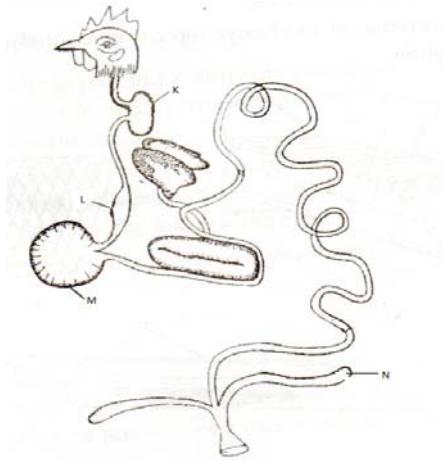
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**SECTION B (20 Marks)**

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

19. The diagram below shows the digestive system of a chicken. Study it and answer question that follow.



(a) . Identify the parts labeled **K,L,M** and **N** above. (2mks)

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(b) . Give the function of the part labeled **M** that makes it efficient in digesting food. (2mks)

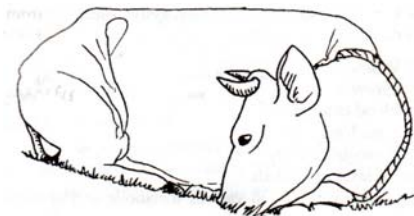
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(c) . Give two characteristics of the part labeled **M** that make it efficient in digesting food.(1mk)

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20. Study the illustration below showing an animal suffering from a disease. Study it and answer question that follow.



(a) . Identify the disease the animal is suffering from. (1mk)

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(b. What causes the disease shown above?

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(c. Give three symptoms shown by a cow suffering from the disease above.

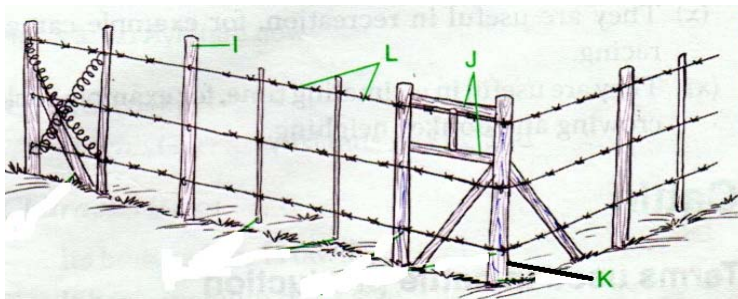
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21. Study the farm structure shown below and answer questions that follow.



(a). Identify the structure shown above.

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(b) . Name the parts labeled **I,J,K** and **L**. above.

(2mks)

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(c) . Give two disadvantages of using the structure above in pasture fields.

(1mk)

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22. The diagram below shows a stir up pump. Study it and answer questions that follow.



(a. Name the parts labeled **A,B,C** and **D**. (2mks)

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B.....

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(b. State two maintenance practices that should be carried out on the equipment illustrate above (2mks)

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(c. State one disadvantage of using the equipment above in controlling ticks. (1mk)

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**SECTION C (20 Marks)**

*Answer any TWO questions in this section in the spaces provided.*

23. (a) .Describe Newcastle disease under the following sub headings

(i) Causal organism (1mark)

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(ii) Symptoms (6marks)

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(iii) Control measures (3marks)

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(b) State and explain the requirements of a deep litter home in poultry (10marks)

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24. (a) . Describe the procedure of training a calf to take milk from a bucket in artificial calf Rearing. (5marks)

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(b). Outline seven factors considered when selecting eggs for incubation. (7marks)

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(c ) Describe management practices that would ensure clean milk production in a dairy farm. (8marks)

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25. (a). Describe the symptoms of livestock infection in livestock (6marks)

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(b) Explain the rearing of chicks from 1 day old to 8 weeks old. (14 marks)

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