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UNNASE MOCK EXAMINATIONS

Uganda Advanced Certificate of Education

PRINCIPLES AND PRACTICES OF AGRICULTURE

PAPER 3

2 HOURS

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES:

- *Answer all questions writing your answers in spaces provided.*

| EXAMINER'S USE | | |
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| QUESTIONS | MARKS | EXAMINER'S INTIAL |
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| TOTAL | | |

1. You are provided with specimens A,B and C which are milk samples
(a) Describe the condition of each specimen. (1½ mark)

A

B

C

- (b) Suggest the cause of the condition of each specimen. (1½ marks)

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B.....

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C.....

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- (c) (i) How can the condition of sample B and C be avoided during milking

condition of B: (2marks)

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condition of C:

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- (d) (i) Tests specimen C with both red and blue litmus paper and record your observation in space below. (1mark)

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- (ii) Give explanation for your results. (1mark)

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- (e) From your results of the tests state two differences between specimen A and C.

| Specimen A | Specimen C |
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2. You are provided with specimens F,G and H that are used in agriculture.

- (a) Observe specimen F and describe how it is able to survive in its habitat. (3marks)

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- (b) Specimen G and H are used extract F from its habitat describe how the specimens are used. (2marks)

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- (c) (i) Describe the suitability of G to its function. (2marks)

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(ii) What general name is given to specimen H (1mark)

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(d) Give two disadvantages of using specimen G in fishing farming. (2marks)

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3. Specimen D is a fertilizer

(a) Using the reagent provided, carry out the test in the table to identify the ions in the specimen.
Record your observations and deductions. (4marks)

| TEST | OBSERVATIONS | DEDUCTIONS |
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| (i) To spatula endful of E in a test-tube add 4m ³ of water, shake to dissolve and divide the solution into two parts. To the first part, add 5 drops of dilute sodium hydroxide solution & heat. Test the gas given off with litmus paper. | | |
| (ii) To the second part add 1cm ³ of dilute nitric acid followed by 1cm ³ of barium nitrate solution. | | |

(ii) State the ions present in D. (1mark)
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(b) From the tests in (a) suggest the identity of specimen D (½mark)
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(ii) Suggest the macro nutrient present in D. (½mark)
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(c) State four ways in which the nutrient named in b(i) is important to plants. (4marks)
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4. You are provided specimen I,J,K& L which are used in construction.
(a) Give the ratios in which the specimens are mixed for each of the following construction tasks
(i) Binding bricks in wall construction

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(ii) Making concrete blocks (1mark)
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(b) What general name is given to the product in a(i) (½mark)
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(ii) Give three (3) other uses of the mixture in a(i) (1 mark)

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(c) (i) What name is given to a mixture of I,J,K and water (½mark)

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(ii) Describe the procedure of making the mixture named in (c)(i) above. (3marks)

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(d) Describe how specimen L is used in construction. (1mark)

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(ii) State the suitability of the specimenL to its function. (1mark)

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5. (a) Specimens H₁ H₂ H₃& H₅ are plants found in a grazing land. Classify them into suitable groups and give the name of each group. (3marks)

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(b) State the economic importance of specimen H₄ and H₅ to a dairy farmer
H₄

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(c) Giving a reason state how specimen H₄ is dispersed. (2marks)

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(d) What are the advantages of having H₁ and H₃ in a grazing land? (3marks)

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