

## **MAASAI MARA UNIVERSITY**

## REGULAR UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS 2018/2019 ACADEMIC YEAR SECOND YEAR SECOND SEMESTER

## SCHOOL OF TOURISM AND NATURAL RESOURCE MANAGEMENT BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN ANIMAL HEALTH AND PRODUCTION

**COURSE CODE: AHP 2207** 

**COURSE TITLE: PRODUCTION AND MANAGEMENT** 

**OF EMERGING LIVESTOCK** 

DATE: 29<sup>TH</sup> APRIL, 2019 TIME: 0830 – 1130HRS

**INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES** 

Answer **ALL** questions

## PRODUCTION AND MANAGEMENT OF EMERGING LIVESTOCK (100 MARKS)

1. a) Name five kinds of animals that constitute emerging livestock

(5 marks)

- b) Outline the economic importance of emerging livestock. (5 marks)
- c) List the types of wildlife utilization.

(5 marks)

d) Give the stepwise procedure for wildlife utilization permitting.

(5 marks)

2. a) Outline the opportunities in sericulture.

(10 marks)

b) Briefly describe properties of silk.

(10 marks)

- 3. a) Discuss the various stages of production in sericulture. (10 marks)
  - b) Describe briefly the rearing and brooding of keets. (10 marks)
- 4. a) Briefly describe the process of collection, handling and care of ostrich eggs. (10 marks)
  - b) Outline the content of the ostrich management plan. (5 marks)
  - c) Mention the factors to consider for successful incubation of poultry eggs. (5 marks)
- 5. a) Describe the dietary requirements of chameleons. (10 marks)
  - b) Describe briefly the features and potentials of chameleon markets. **(4 marks)**
  - c) Outline the lighting and temperature requirements for chameleons. **(6 marks)**

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