



**MAASAI MARA UNIVERSITY
REGULAR UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS
2019/2020 ACADEMIC YEAR
THIRD YEAR FIRST SEMESTER**

**SCHOOL OF NATURAL RESOURCES &
ANIMAL SCIENCES**

**BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN ANIMAL HEALTH
AND PRODUCTION**

COURSE CODE: AHP 3101

**COURSE TITLE: ANIMAL HEALTH APPLIED
SKILLS**

DATE: 02-12-2019 TIME: 2 Hrs

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

Answer **ALL** questions

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Answer ALL questions.

ANIMAL HEALTH APPLIED SKILLS [100 Marks]

1. In the context of ethology, discuss types of learned behaviour (20 Marks)

2.
 - a. Discuss briefly, three objectives of restraining animals. (10 Marks)
 - b. Briefly outline three major types of restraint used on animals. (6 Marks)
 - c. Name four tools that make up a farriery kit. (4 Marks)

3.
 - a. Discuss briefly, reasons for castrating farm animals. (6 Marks)
 - b. Discuss briefly, the reasons farm managers dehorn calves. (10 Marks)
 - c. State the complications that may arise after castrating a calf. (4 Marks)

4. Discuss in detail the sequential process of conducting a clinical examination on a sick animal. (20 Marks)

5.
 - a. Discuss briefly, five methods used for identification of farm animals. (10 Marks)
 - b. In the context of vaccine management, explain briefly what is meant by *conditioning* of icepacks giving its significance. (3 Marks)
 - c. What alternative is ideally employed where ice pack *conditioning* is not possible? (1 Mark)
 - d. Name the key reason for conducting necropsy. (1 Mark)
 - e. Outline five categories of lesion description commonly used in necropsy reporting. (5 Marks)

