

Livestock CDE Individual Sheep Activity

Select the most correct answer for each question. There are 17 questions worth 2 points each.

Record your answers on the Class 13: Written Examination section of your e-scansheet.

1. The biggest problem of raising sheep is the loss caused by:
 - A. internal parasites
 - B. Blue tongue
 - C. Overeating disease
 - D. External parasites

2. The class of sheep that are evaluated more on the quality of their fleece than other sheep are known as:
 - A. Long-wool breeds
 - B. Medium-wool breeds
 - C. Fine-wool breeds
 - D. Mutton breeds

3. The mating of animals of different family lines within the same breed is:
 - A. crossbreeding
 - B. in breeding
 - C. outcrossing
 - D. linebreeding

4. Scrapie is a disease of both sheep and goats that affects the:
 - A. lungs
 - B. skin
 - C. brain
 - D. digestive tract

5. EPD stands for:
 - A. express package delivery
 - B. expected progeny difference
 - C. extra production difference
 - D. expected product differential

6. External fat on a lamb carcass is measured between which two ribs?
- A. 12 and 13
 - B. 1 and 2
 - C. 9 and 10
 - D. 3 and 4
7. The removal of all or part of the tail from sheep is referred to as:
- A. notching
 - B. castration
 - C. dehorning
 - D. docking
8. The most important wholesale cut of lamb is:
- A. rib
 - B. leg
 - C. foreshank
 - D. shoulder
9. Tetanus is a _____ disease.
- A. nutritional
 - B. bacterial
 - C. viral
 - D. fungal
10. The most prevalent breed of sheep in the world is the:
- A. Suffolk
 - B. Hampshire
 - C. Merino
 - D. Columbia
11. Sheep and cattle both have multiple-compartment stomachs referred to as a(n):
- A. ruminant
 - B. colon
 - C. intestine
 - D. omasum

12. The most important factor when formulating a ration for livestock is:
- A. size of the animal
 - B. total digestive nutrients
 - C. feed cost
 - D. availability of feed
13. Feed additives used to control worms and other internal parasites are:
- A. Anthelmintics
 - B. Probiotics
 - C. Coccidiostats
 - D. Antimicrobials
14. Which Medium Wool breed of sheep have a white face?
- A. Shropshire
 - B. Suffolk
 - C. Dorset
 - D. Hampshire
15. The normal body temperature of sheep and swine is:
- A. below 97 degrees F
 - B. 100 degrees F
 - C. above 102 degrees F
 - D. 98.6 degrees F
16. The natural waviness of wool fiber is called:
- A. Crimp
 - B. Kemp
 - C. Staple length
 - D. Braid
17. Range production accounts for _____ percent of the total sheep production in the United States.
- A. 50
 - B. 70
 - C. 30
 - D. 10