081106T4DDARY FARM MANAGEMENT LEVEL 6 DA/OS/FM/CR/01/6/B Layout Dairy Farm March/April 2025



TVET CURRICULUM DEVELOPMENT, ASSESSMENT AND CERTIFICATION COUNCIL (TVET CDACC)

PRACTICAL ASSESSMENT

INSTRUCTIONS TO ASSESSOR

- 1. Assess the candidate as the practical progresses observing the critical areas
- 2. You are required to Mark the practical as the candidate perform the tasks
- 3. You are required to take video clips at critical points
- 4. Ensure the candidate has a name tag and registration code at the back and front

OBSERVATION CHECKLIST

Marks	Marks	
Allocated	Awarded	Comments
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(Award 1 Mark for each activity or 0)		
5. Measured and Marked the positions of holes using pegs 4	4	
meters apart for standing posts and 1 meter apart for gate pass		
as per workplace procedures.		
(Award 2 Marks for each activity or 0)		
6. Dug the holes 60 cm deep based on the requirements of the	6	
job.		
(Award 2 Marks for correct measurements, 1 Mark for digging		
each hole or zero for the activity or 0)		
7. Applied preservative on the lower part of the post using paint	2	
brush based on the requirements of the job.		
(Award ½ Mark for applying each post or 0 for the activity)		
8. Placed posts, making sure they are aligned and are 2 m in	2	
height above the soil based on the requirements of the job.		
Placed the post and ensured that the post was		
straight		
• 2 m height above the ground		
(Award 1 Mark for each activity or 0)		
9. Constructed a narrow gate in accordance with job	2	
requirements.		
(Award 2 Marks or 0)		
10. Made concrete mixture 5 parts ballast, 3 parts sand and 1 part	2	
cement based on the requirements of the job.		
(Award 2 Marks for correct mixing or 0)		
11. Poured the concrete mixture in the holes, in small bits and	2	
ramming each time to fill the holes based on the requirements		
of the job.		
(Award 2 Mark for the activity or 0)		
12. Heaped concrete around the base of the post in accordance	2	
with job requirement		
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(Award ½ Mark for each post heaped or 0)				
13. Held barbed wire using U-nails on the first post and stretched	4			
with a wire strainer to get good tension based on the				
requirements of the job.				
(Award 2 Marks for each activity or 0)				
14. Fixed the first strand of barbed wire about 30cm above the				
ground based on the requirements of the job.				
(Award 2 Marks for the activity or 0)				
15. Used the first strand to guide in fixing of 2 nd , 3 rd and 4 th	3			
strand about 30cm from each other based on the requirements				
of the job.				
(Award 3 Marks for the activity or 0)				
16. Fixed droppers appropriately and fastened with binding wire				
as per job requirement.				
(Award ½ Mark for fixing and fastening each dropper or 0)				
17. Cleaned and stored the tools, equipment and materials as per				
Livestock Production Manual.				
(Award 1 Mark for cleaning and 1 Mark for storing or 0)				
18. Adhered to occupational safety and health guidelines	1			
Handled tools and equipment with care				
(Award 1 Mark or zero)				
19. Managed wastes materials as per NEMA guidelines.	2			
(Award 2 Marks or 0				
Total	48			
ASSESSMENT OUTCOME	•	1		
The candidate was found to be:				
Competent Not yet competent				
(Please tick as appropriate)				
(The candidate is competent if the candidate obtains at least 50%)				
Feedback from candidate:				

Feedback to candidate:		
Candidate's Signature	Date	
Assessor's Signature	Date	

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