## FORM FOUR CLUSTER KCSE MODEL13

## AGRICULTURE PAPER 1 QUESTIONS

## SECTION A (30 Marks)

- Name TWO types of metal pipes. 1.
- 2. State THREE methods of treating water.
- (a) Name THREE methods of farming. (1<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> marks) 3. (b) State THREE disadvantages of intensive farming. (11/2 marks)
- (a) State THREE effects of low temperature on crop farming. (1½ marks)
  (b) Apart from temperature, name TWO other environmental factors that affect farming in Kenya. (1 mark) 4.
- 5. (a) What is prunning? (1 mark)
- (b) State THREE reasons why prunning is considered an important practice in crop farming.  $(1\frac{1}{2})$ marks)
- (a) State THREE qualities of a good grain store that will facilitate safe storage of the produce. (11/2 6. márks)

(b) State THREE factors that determine the stage at which a crop can be harvested.  $(1\frac{1}{2} \text{ marks})$ 

- 7. State atleast ONE reason why the following records are kept on the farm.
  - (a) Labour records. (1 mark)
  - (b) Milk marketing records. (1 mark)
- 8. State THREE harmful effects of pests on maize in the filed.
- 9. (a) State FOUR objectives of the million acre scheme. (2 marks) (b) Give THREE examples of settlements under the million acre scheme.  $(1\frac{1}{2} \text{ marks})$
- (a) Distinguish between intensity of defoliation and frequency of defoliation in pasture utilization. 10 (1 mark)
  - (b) State THREE effects of very early defoliation of pasture. (1<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> marks)
- 11. (a) Distinguish between soil structure and soil texture. (1 marks)(b) State FOUR practices that you would advise farmers to carry out to improve soil structure. (2 márks)
- 12. State TWO physical agents of weathering.
- State THREE factors likely to determine the number of times secondary cultivation can be done on 13. a field of land.
- 14. State THREE methods of applying fertiliser in a field of crops.

## SECTION B (20 Marks)

- 15. State the deficient nutrients element in plants showing the following symptoms.
  - (a) Purpling of leaves, stunted growth, slended stalks and lateral buds remain dormant. (1/2 mark)

  - (b) Stunted growth, dying back of plant tips and blossom endrot in tomatoes. ( $\frac{1}{2}$  mark) (c) Yellowing of leaves appears first on the lower leaves, leaves turn brown and fall prematurely and stunted growth. ( $\frac{1}{2}$  mark)
  - (d) Leaf curling, yellowing of leaves, tips and edges are scorched and have small mottles. ( $\frac{1}{2}$ mk)

The diagrams labeled R and S below illustrate some methods of water draining in the fields.
 Study them carefully and answer the questions that follow.

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17. The diagrams labeled M and N below illustrate some field diseases. Carefully study them and answer the questions that follow.



- (a) Identify the diseases illustrated in diagrams M and N. (2 marks)
- M.....N.
- (b) Name the causative agents of the diseases illustrated in diagrams M and N. (1 mark)
- (c) Name ONE crop attacked by disease M apart from tomatoes. (1 mark)
- (d) State TWO cultural methods that can be used to control both disease M and N. (1 mark)

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