BINDURA UNIVERSITY OF SCIENCE EDUCATION

FACULTY OF AGRICULTURE AND ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE

AGA 230

Department of Animal Science BSc. Agricultural Science (Honours) Part II Examination

Applied Animal Physiology

3 HOURS (100 Marks)

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E JUN 2024 Answer any FOUR questions. Each question carries 25 marks.

1. Complete the following table:

Source	Hormone	Major functions	Marks
	Oxytocin		[3 Marks]
	Antidiuretic		[3 Marks]
	Hormone (ADH)		
Testis	Testosterone		[4 Marks]
	Progesterone		[3 Marks]
	Gastrin	,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,	[4 Marks]
Ovary	Relaxin	.,,	[4 Marks]
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2. Discuss how pre-slaughter stress affects meat quality.

[25 Marks]

3. Discuss thermoregulation in caprine testis.

[25 marks]

- 4. Explain how Cortisol concentration and Creatine Kinase level provide measures of [25 Marks] stress in slaughter animals.
- 5. With the aid of a diagram discuss the role of the kidney in urine excretion.

[25 Marks]

6. Describe the role of blood in animals.

[25 Marks]

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