

The Open University of Sri Lanka Faculty of Engineering Technology Degree in Industrial Studies (Agriculture)

Final Examination - 2012/2013

## **AEI6239 Animal Husbandry and Production**

Date

: 14 - 08 - 2013

Time

: 0930 - 1230 hours

Duration

: Three (03) hours

## **SECTION II**

- 1. (i) Explain the process of selecting eggs for hatching.
  - (ii) Write a brief account on hatchery sanitation.
- 2. (i) Explain the process of poultry meat production.
- 3. (i) Explain the management practices applicable for minimizing the Silage losses.
  - (ii) Name the method available for pasture preservation and explain one (01) of them.
- 4. (i) Discuss the reasons for failing forage seeding.
  - (ii) How does "mixed grazing" utilizes pasture to a maximum level.
- 5. (i) Discuss the importance of artificial insemination over natural insemination.
  - (ii) List the disadvantages of artificial insemination.
  - (iii) Explain the heat signs of a cow to be bereaved at different intervals.
- 6. (i) State the special practices involved in pigling management.
  - (ii) Explain the constrains and potentials of integrated livestock and fish farming in Sri Lanka.