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Course: Small Ruminant Production (773)
Level: M.Sc (Hons)/M.Phil Livestock Management

Semester: Autumn, 2013
Total Marks: 100
Pass Marks: 50

ASSIGNMENT No. 1
(Units: 1–4)

- Q. 1 Describe the characteristics of thin tailed sheep breeds of Punjab. (20)
- Q. 2 Describe the characteristics of goat breeds of Sindh. (20)
- Q. 3 How would you analyze the current trend of goat farming in Pakistan? (20)
- Q. 4 Discuss artificial insemination in small ruminants and its reasons of low usage. (20)
- Q. 5 Write in detail about mineral deficiency among small ruminants in your area and generally in Pakistan. (20)

ASSIGNMENT No. 2

Total Marks: 100

(Units: 5–9)

Pass Marks: 50

- Q. 1 Prepare feasibility report for 100 goat's farm. (20)
- Q. 2 What points will you consider while selecting sheep and goat for wool, mutton and milk? (20)
- Q. 3 What are the most common diseases of goat in your area? Discuss their symptoms, treatment and prevention strategies. (20)
- Q. 4 Discuss the reasons for low production and export of wool from indigenous breeds. (20)
- Q. 5 Enlist market places for live animals of sheep and goats in Pakistan. Discuss briefly the products of goat. (20)