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# **UNIVERSITY OF SWAZILAND**

# SUPPLEMENTARY EXAMINATION PAPER

PROGRAMME: BSC. IN AGRICULTURAL EDUCATION IV

**BSC. IN ANIMAL SCIENCE IV** 

COURSE CODE:

**APH 407** 

TITLE OF PAPER: PIG AND RABBIT PRODUCTION

TIME ALLOWED: TWO (2) HOURS

INSTRUCTIONS: ANSWER ANY FOUR (4) QUESTIONS

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#### Question 1

Discuss how Kikuyu grass hay is digested by a rabbit. **marks**)

(25

### Question 2

What are the important aspects one has to consider during the growing and finishing phases in pigs?

(25 marks)

### **Question 3**

Mr. Simelane is not sure whether to wean his piglets early (2 – 6 days old) or wean them late when they are four weeks. Discuss why you would recommend that he weans his piglets at four weeks old.

(25 marks)

## **Question 4**

Discuss the management of rabbits from mating until weaning.

(25 marks)

### **Question 5**

Describe a sound feeding system of a sow through out its productive life for improved reproductive performance.

(25 marks)