



SAM HOUSTON STATE UNIVERSITY
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CHAPTER AGRICULTURAL
AREA QUIZ D - MASTER

TRUE AND FALSE - SECTION 1 - [Each answer is worth 1 point!]

Instructions: Use a #2 pencil on the scan sheet form. Erase cleanly any answer you wish to change. Mark "A" if your answer is TRUE or YES. Mark "B" if your answer is FALSE or NO.

FFA MANUAL

1. Attendance at the National FFA "Victory Convention" was 12,500.
2. The month following the 1968 National FFA Convention, Richard Nixon was elected president of the United States.
3. In 1996, FFA announced its decision to move the national FFA convention from Kansas City, Missouri, to Louisville, Kentucky in 1999
4. The FFA member networking site, FFA Nation (now defunct), launched in 2008.
5. In 2016, FFA, Discovery Education and AgCareers.com partner to create AgExplorer, a career website to help students explore unique careers in agriculture.
6. The emblem and the letters "FFA" are protected by trademark registration in the U.S. Patent Office and by Public Law 105-225, 105th Congress.
7. The fifth paragraph of The FFA Creed begins with "*I believe that American agriculture...*"
8. To properly conduct the salute, face the United States flag, place the right hand over the left part of the chest, and holding it there, repeat the following pledge: "I pledge allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America and to the Republic for which it stands, one Nation under God, indivisible, with liberty and justice for all."
9. No more than three medals should be worn on the jacket. These should represent 1.) the highest degree earned, 2.) the highest office held and 3.) the highest award earned by the member.
10. To be eligible for active membership in a chartered FFA chapter, a student must be enrolled in a secondary agricultural education program.
11. To be eligible to receive the Chapter FFA Degree from the chapter, a member must have a satisfactory scholastic record.
12. To be eligible to receive the State FFA Degree from the state association, a member must demonstrate leadership ability by performing 5 procedures of parliamentary law.

13. During the “Discovery FFA Degree Ceremony” the vice president welcomes the candidates.
14. Printable versions of the FFA ceremonies featured in this manual are available on FFA.org/member resources.
15. The bronze pin of the Chapter FFA Degree and the golden charm of the State FFA Degree await those who earn them.

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16. If the motion to postpone fails, then the chapter would continue to discuss the motion on the floor.
17. Unfinished business is business that was not on the agenda and was not completed at the last meeting, unless it was made a special order.
18. A “Mass Meeting” is a meeting that that is held for a special reason by a group of people having a common interest.
19. The chapter must adopt the recommendation(s) from committees that were given the power to act if the committee has acted or if the committee has not yet acted.
20. If the proposer of a motion modifies the motion in any way after it receives a second, the seconder may request permission to withdraw the second and that permission is approved by the chapter with a majority vote.
21. Two incidental motions require a second.
22. Because the principles of parliamentary procedure are so important to our democratic form of government and to the development of good citizenship, teachers may well justify the allocation of several days of school time to teaching parliamentary procedure.
23. It is proper, and essential, for the president to state whether the motion is debatable, amendable, unamendable, and the vote required.
24. The presiding officer may use any of the types of voting without a motion from the membership, however, any member may order a rising or counted vote simply by presenting a privileged main motion to that effect.
25. The member offering the motion to refer to a committee may specify whether it is to go to a standing or special committee.
26. If the president is in doubt as to the vote required on a motion, he/she may ask the chapter for a ruling. In this case there can be no appeal.
27. Written rules of parliamentary procedure may be proposed and adopted by an assembly or group relate to the orderly transaction of business in regular meetings or the duties of officers with those duties.

28. Sometimes, an error is made by offering the motion “to close nominations and elect by acclamation.” This is not correct because it combines two motions requiring different votes into one motion. To perform these two procedures correctly, nominations should first be closed, either by a two-thirds vote or by unanimous (general) consent, and then the nominee can be voted upon.

29. During an FFA meeting, the closing ceremony should be performed because adjourning affects only the business session.

30. Once a committee has been discharged and the assembly wishes to again take up the motion that had been put to the committee, the motion must be presented again since discharging the committee also discharges the item of business that was given to the committee.

LEADERSHIP GUIDE

31. Although the relationship of the TEA and FFA has changed in recent years, the program director remains actively engaged in the leadership of the Texas FFA as an ex-officio officer of the board of directors and as a member of the executive board.

32. The Texas FFA Association has seven employees: executive director, student scholarship coordinator; leadership development coordinator; membership services coordinator; and SAE/Validation coordinator are full-time Texas FFA Association employees.

33. Along with articles and pictures, the Texas FFA News Online hosts videos, links, and other interactive content. Sharing stories and spreading content is now easier with the social media integration of Facebook, LinkedIn, Twitter, Instagram, and the ability to email articles to other readers.

34. The My Texas FFA Mobile App was launched the summer of 2016 that will give you more unprecedented access to inside information, corporate sponsor offers, peeks behind the scenes as well as an easy way for you to help spread the word about how great you think Texas FFA is.

35. Leadership for the Texas FFA Foundation’s activities is provided by a board of directors, and managerial leadership is administered by an executive director.

36. The ATAT was established in 1940 and chartered in 1951 to provide a voice for Agriculture, Food and Natural Resources teachers in the educational policy-making process, recognition for educator achievements and professional services.

37. The “year” referenced in this policy is a membership year which begins August 1 and ends on July 31.

38. School superintendents must approve and certify in writing out of district students to participate in the junior FFA program(s) of their district.

39. As part of the Texas FFA Effective Chapters Doctrine the chapter provides leadership training for chapter officers and other recognized leaders.
40. Developing proactive, external communications strategies which promote positive public perception of agricultural education and FFA and highly effective internal communications networks which reach students, teachers, volunteers and other stakeholders and supporters is the Public Relations section of the Texas FFAs six strategic priorities.
41. Ryan Mott was the Texas State Vice President in 1997-1998 and was from Area IV, and the Quanah FFA chapter.
42. Scholarships candidates are selected on a competitive basis applying the following criteria: unweighted grade average, SAT or ACT scores, Agriculture, Food and Natural Resources and related instruction, LDE, CDE and other FFA participation, FFA leadership, SAE, financial need and interview performance.
43. After delivering their 30-minute-long extemporaneous speech, contestants are asked questions about their speech and topic.
44. The spring 2024 Wildlife and Recreation Management event will be hosted by Region V.
45. During the Floriculture event members apply their classroom knowledge and skills that are applied as students identify and evaluate cut flowers, house plants, flowering plants, floral designs and complete an exam that tests their knowledge of floral design, propagation as well as preparation of floral and foliage products for sale.

FARM FACTS

46. Today, people the world over rely on the Haber-Bosch process to produce carbon fertilizer which helps raise food. Without the Haber-Bosch process, we would not be able to feed our global population—Haber's discovery has helped feed countless millions of humans.
47. Eli Whitney was born December 8, 1765, and died January 8, 1825.
48. In 1934 Henry A. Wallace published a book about the economic turbulence of the depression and it's repercussions on farmers, "New Frontiers".
49. The Elm-Ash-Cottonwood bottomland forests are dominated by those trees but also contain many other species, such as willow, sycamore, and maple.
50. The USDA's Economic Research Service reports that the nursery and greenhouse industry comprise the fastest-growing segment of U.S. agriculture.
51. Pulses are nutritionally dense, edible seeds of legumes including black beans, pinto beans, legumes, some blackberries, and peanuts.
52. Florida, California, Arizona, Georgia, and New York have the most acreage growing vegetables for the fresh market.

53. 98% of pistachios are mostly grown in California with Arizona, New Mexico, Texas, and Utah combined for the remaining 2%.
54. As a by-product of the meat industry, the demand for meat and dairy consumption is the primary driver behind the supply and availability of hides and skins for leather production, rather than the consumption needs of the leather sector.
55. When the Nueces Strip area was finally ceded to the U.S. in 1748, these horses and others in the surrounding areas were rounded up and trailed north and east, resulting in the near elimination of mustangs in that area by 1870.
56. Angora goats were first imported in the U.S. in the late 17th century and the earliest importation of officially recognized dairy goat breeds occurred in the late 18th century and early 19th century.
57. Thomas Jefferson grew watermelon at Monticello, and by the early part of our nation's history, it was being grown by Native Americans from the Mississippi Valley south to Florida.
58. Onions come in three distinct colors: white, yellow and red. The varieties can be classed into three important groupings: short day, intermediate day and long day varieties.
59. The 1600s saw the spread of potatoes through Spain, Italy, Belgium, Holland, Switzerland, Austria, France, Germany, Ireland, and Israel, but people were hesitant to cook with them.
60. European explorers first discovered peanuts in Brazil. Peanuts were grown as far north as Mexico when the Spanish began their exploration of the new world.

AG ISSUES & BRIEFS

61. SB 725 requires entities with eminent domain power to disclose to the property owner any and all current and existing appraisal reports produced or acquired by the entity that relate specifically to the owner's property and were used in determining the entity's opinion of the value.
62. The Appeals Court believed that the Hlavinka's use of a price per rod factor was improper, and his valuation testimony was irrelevant.
63. According to the Appeals Court, "An appraisal method is valid only if it produces an amount that a willing buyer would actually pay a willing seller."
64. Congress should allow undocumented farmworkers who have recently come to the U.S. to adjust to a legal status on a short-term basis.
65. In 2019, about 258,000 immigrant workers were granted temporary H-2A visas, up from 48,000 positions certified in 2005, but less than 4% of the total number of workers that are needed for food production.
66. COVID-19 pandemic forced employers to keep workers at home and restricted access to foreign-born workers.

67. The American Farm Bureau Federation estimates that, in total, U.S. agriculture needs 1.5 to 2 billion hired workers each year.
68. Representatives Zoe Lofgren (R-CA) and Dan Newhouse (D-WA) introduced the Farm Workforce Modernization Act (H.R. 1603).
69. Under the U.S.-Australia FTA, agricultural exports to Australia increased from \$410 million in 2004 to \$1.4 billion in 2013.
70. Storm surges push water from the sea to the shore with forceful winds.
71. Meeting the living wage draws the line between “the financial independence of the working poor and the need to seek out public assistance or suffer consistent and severe housing and food insecurity.”
72. Victor Murphy believes it is very easy being a producer to have high and consistent yields with this kind of weather whiplash of extremes.
73. The drought resulted in failed crops, low yields for farmers and diminished grazing, which forced ranchers to cull their cattle and led to the highest amount of livestock sales — nearly \$2.7 million — in more than a decade.
74. Climate-economic research shows that the total cost from untreated climate change is negative but moderate, likely equivalent to a 6.4% reduction in total GDP.
75. The Texas Supreme Court’s opinion in *Hlavinka v. HSC Pipeline P’ship*, released May 27, was spoken as “a huge victory for landowners” there.

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MULTIPLE CHOICE – SECTION 2 - [Each answer is worth 1 point!]

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1. How many candidates from each state is(are) allowed to apply for the American Star in Agriscience award?
 - a. one
 - b. two
 - c. three
 - d. four
 - e. as many as qualify

2. Which of the following encourages members to develop specialized skills that will apply to a future career?
 - a. SAE Grants
 - b. Proficiency Awards
 - c. Star Awards
 - d. Leadership Awards
 - e. Career Development Events

3. Which organization has approved the national convention and expo?
 - a. the National Education Administration
 - b. the National Association of Superintendents
 - c. the National Career & Technology Association
 - d. the National Association of Secondary School Principals
 - e. the National Association of School Administrators

4. Although the _____ is charged directly with keeping the community informed of FFA activities, keep in mind that every member has the responsibility to represent agriculture education and FFA.
 - a. President
 - b. Vice President
 - c. Reporter
 - d. Student Advisor
 - e. Historian

5. Which of the following will not ensure parliamentary procedure is observed?
- Courtesy is extended to everyone.
 - The majority rules.
 - The rights of the minority are protected.
 - The officers are unbiased.
 - One item is addressed at a time.
6. How are reports of special (select or ad hoc) committees that were established for a specific project should present their findings during a meeting?
- in the order they are listed in the bylaws
 - in the order aligned with the POA
 - in the order the committees were appointed
 - in the order decided upon by the vice president
 - In reverse order as listed in the bylaws
7. Which of the following is not included in officer team preparations for FFA chapter meetings?
- Placing the meeting schedule on the school's activity calendar before the start of the school year.
 - Posting the minutes several days prior to the meeting to give all members a chance to prepare for discussion and encourage attendance.
 - making sure officer and committee reports are written and ready to present.
 - Assigning all responsibilities for special guests, programs, recreation, and refreshments.
 - Having one to two officers visit with each class prior to the meeting to share the agenda and generate discussion and encourage attendance.
8. During the ceremony for installing officers, which officer states: "*... your duties include welcoming our friends, caring for the meeting rooms and FFA equipment and providing for the comfort of our members and guests. It is also your duty to assist in conducting meetings and ceremonies.*"
- Retiring President
 - Retiring Reporter
 - Retiring Sentinel
 - Retiring Treasurer
 - Retiring Secretary
9. During the Opening Ceremony the Treasurer states, "I keep a record of receipts and _____ just as Washington kept his farm accounts—carefully and accurately. I encourage thrift among the members and strive to build up our financial standing through savings and investments. George Washington was better able to serve his country because he was financially independent."
- expenditures
 - finances
 - expenses
 - disbursements
 - expendables

10. To be eligible for the American FFA Degree a student must after entering agricultural education must have earned at least \$10,000 and productively invested at least \$7,500 or earned and productively invested _____ and worked 2,250 hours in excess of scheduled class time.

- a. \$1,000
- b. \$1,500
- c. \$2,000
- d. \$2,500
- e. \$3,000

11. Which of the following is not something a student must do to become an active member and retain membership?

- a. While in school, be enrolled in at least one agricultural education course during the school year and/or follow a planned course of study. Either course must include a supervised agricultural experience program, the objective of which is preparation for a career in agriculture.
- b. Earn and successfully invest at least \$50 per year as part of their agricultural experience program.
- c. Show an interest in the affairs of the organization by attending meetings, striving for degrees of membership, and participating in other organized activities of the chapter.
- d. Pay all current state and national dues by the date determined by the chapter.
- e. Display conduct consistent with the ideals and purposes of the National FFA Organization.

12. To properly conduct the salute, face the _____, place the right hand over the left part of the chest, and holding it there.

- a. United States flag
- b. Sentinels station
- c. Shield of Friendship
- d. Reporters station
- e. Texas flag

13. The fourth paragraph of the FFA Creed ends with the phrase “_____.”

- a. *“I cannot deny.”*
- b. *“from the struggles of former years.”*
- c. *“product of our toil.”*
- d. *“whose happiness depends upon me.”*
- e. *“in that inspiring task*

14. Which of the following items of historical note, did not occur in 1969?

- a. The delegate body of the National FFA Convention established the alumni class of membership as part of the constitution
- b. The Washington Conference began
- c. Ken Dunagan was named the first American Start in Agribusiness
- d. Richard Nixon spoke at the National FFA Convention
- e. FFA opens membership to females

15. To bring the last line of our motto “Living to Serve” into focus, FFA chapters across the country have _____ annual opportunities to serve their local communities and share their impacts.

- a. two
- b. three
- c. four
- d. five
- e. six

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16. Which of the following are all Incidental Motions?

- a. Appeal, Point of Order, Suspend Standing Rules and Rescind
- b. Suspend Standing Rules, Appeal, Close Nominations and Parliamentary Inquiry
- c. Parliamentary Inquiry, Reopen Nominations, Division and Discharge a Committee
- d. Close Nominations, Reopen Nominations, Make Nominations and Reconsider
- e. Close Nominations, Reconsider, Lay on the Table, and Previous Question

17. Which of the following motions cannot be reconsidered nor can it interrupt a speaker?

- a. Take from the Table; Lay on the Table; Close Nominations; Make Nominations, Suspend the Rules; Reconsider; Amend
- b. Make Nominations; Amend; Lay on the Table; Take from the Table; Suspend the Rules; Discharge a Committee; Reconsider
- c. Reconsider; Take from the Table; Make Nominations; Close Nominations; Suspend the Rules; Lay on the Table
- d. Suspend the Rules, Adjourn [unqualified]; Take from the Table, Discharge a Committee; Reconsider.
- e. Close Nominations; Make Nominations; Suspend Rules, Reconsider; Adjourn [qualified]; Discharge a Committee; Lay on the Table; Take from the Table; Rescind.

18. Which of the following is not a characteristic of the motion to Postpone to a Certain Time (definitely)?

- a. It may not interrupt a speaker
- b. The affirmative vote can be reconsidered
- c. It is debatable
- d. A second is required
- e. It is amendable to time and place

19. When may a motion to rescind be amended?

- a. it may not be amended
- b. when the assembly wishes to cancel the motion
- c. it may only be amended once the main motion is being discussed
- d. only if previous notice is given
- e. if the motion contains multiple parts

20. It is necessary to offer the motion to reconsider on the day the vote [on the original motion] was take or on the next _____day.

- a. meeting
- b. calendar
- c. assembly
- d. business
- e. official

21. When can a motion be reconsidered if the vote was by ballot?

- a. it can be made by any member at any time before action is taken that cannot be undone
- b. it must be made by a member who voted on the prevailing side and at any time before action that cannot be undone is taken
- c. it can be made on the next calendar day or on the same day by any member
- d. it can be made on the same day or on the next calendar day by any member who voted on the prevailing side
- e. it must be made on the same day or on the next calendar day by any member who voted on the prevailing side and before any action is taken that cannot be undone

22. In discharging the committee, the chapter also does away with the motion referred to the committee. If the chapter wants to discuss that motion, _____.

- a. a motion to reconsider must be made.
- b. it must be re-offered or remade
- c. a motion privileged motion must be made.
- d. cannot be again discussed.
- e. a motion to postpone definitely should be made – then it can be discussed again at the time designated.

23. Which of the following motions can be identified as having the following characteristics?

- Only a negative vote can be reconsidered.
- It is debatable and amendable.
- A majority vote is required if previous notice of the proposed action was given; otherwise, a two-thirds vote is required.
- It may not interrupt a speaker.
- A second is required.
- It cannot be applied to action that cannot be reversed.

- a. Lay on the Table
- b. Take from the Table
- c. Reconsider
- d. Refer to Committee
- e. Rescind

24. Which of the following is FALSE about the motion to take from the table?

- a. It is unamendable
- b. It can be reconsidered.
- c. It is undebatable
- d. A majority vote is required.
- e. A second is required.

25. Which of the following is a pertinent fact of the motion to withdraw a motion?

- a. it may not interrupt a speaker, it is undebatable and unamendable, a majority vote is required, only the negative vote can be reconsidered, and a motion cannot be withdrawn after voting has commenced.
- b. it may interrupt a speaker, it is debatable and amendable, a majority vote is required, only the negative vote can be reconsidered, and a motion cannot be withdrawn after voting has commenced.
- c. it may interrupt a speaker, it is undebatable and unamendable, a majority vote is required, only the negative vote can be reconsidered, and a motion cannot be withdrawn after voting has commenced.
- d. it may interrupt a speaker, it is debatable and amendable to time only, a majority vote is required, only the negative vote can be reconsidered, and a motion cannot be withdrawn after voting has commenced.
- e. it may interrupt a speaker, it is undebatable and unamendable, a majority vote is required, only the negative vote can be reconsidered, and a motion cannot be withdrawn before voting has commenced.

26. Which of the following motions is described by the pertinent facts shown below?

- It is unamendable
- A vote is not required
- Recognition is not necessary
- It is undebatable
- It cannot be reconsidered

- a. Adjourn [qualified]
- b. Make Nominations
- c. Parliamentary Inquiry
- d. Take from the Table
- e. Reconsider

27. _____ is used when during the nominating process when the exact number of candidates that you are electing is nominated.

- a. General Consent
- b. An Incidental Motion
- c. A Plurality Vote
- d. Consensus
- e. Election by acclamation

28. How are candidates for an election voted upon?

- a. They are voted upon in reverse order in which they were nominated.
- b. They are voted upon in alphabetical order using the candidate's last name.
- c. They are voted upon in a random order as selected by the president.
- d. They are voted upon in the order in which they were nominated.
- e. They are voted upon using a secret ballot.

29. Which of the following is FALSE about a division of the assembly?

- a. It may interrupt a speaker
- b. A vote is not necessary
- c. It can be reconsidered
- d. It is undebatable and unamendable
- e. A second is not required

30. What happens to unfinished business when a meeting is adjourned and the business at hand was not completed?

- a. unfinished business resulting from adjournment becomes unfinished business at the next meeting and the secretary should document such in the minutes so the member can restate their motion for continued discussion and consideration.
- b. unfinished business resulting from adjournment becomes unfinished business at the next meeting and should be taken up where it was interrupted.
- c. unfinished business resulting from adjournment is treated as a motion that has been tabled and a motion to “take from the table” must be accepted for the unfinished to again be considered.
- d. unfinished business resulting from adjournment is considered to have failed. To again consider the question, the motion to reconsider the motion is required.
- e. unfinished business resulting from adjournment becomes new business at the next meeting and is taken up immediately following opening ceremonies and before any reports or other business can be properly brought before the assembly.

LEADERSHIP GUIDE

31. When does the FFA member year expire?

- a. August 1
- b. July 31
- c. August 31
- d. July 1
- e. December 1

32. State and area leadership development programs are geared to strengthen local chapters through which members learn to function as part of an effective team, plan and implement strategies, lead, and serve on committees and _____ responsibility.

- a. fiduciary
- b. leadership
- c. management
- d. public relations
- e. community

33. Each year, _____ from across the state of Texas attend the State Leadership Conference held in early June.

- a. delegates
- b. members
- c. chapter representatives
- d. area officers
- e. district officers

34. An application process for the Ford Leadership Scholars program begins in January and includes a reading assignment followed by _____, and a face-to-face behavioral interview.

- a. a presentation
- b. a test
- c. an exam
- d. a presentation
- e. an interpersonal interview

35. This will be the first time to hold consecutive conventions in a single location since _____, when the FFT/FFA held five successive conventions in conjunction with the State Fair of Texas in Dallas.

- a. 1933-38
- b. 1928-32
- c. 1929-33
- d. 1931-36
- e. 1930-35

36. During which month do Texas FFA members to come to the state capitol to learn about the legislative process.

- a. January
- b. February
- c. March
- d. April
- e. May

37. Through their involvement, members gain real-life, hands-on experience in the operations of the current _____.

- a. FFA activities
- b. public relations
- c. broadcasting
- d. media trade
- e. production

38. How often does the Texas FFA Association Board of Directors meet?

- a. monthly
- b. yearly
- c. twice monthly
- d. quarterly
- e. every 2 months

39. Which of the following individuals was a prominent Dallas-area nurseryman?

- a. Steve Mosley
- b. Tammy Glasscock
- c. Jim Prewitt
- d. Gwenn Cain
- e. Richard Wallrath

40. In which year did the Texas FFA Foundation Capital Campaign kick off?

- a. 2000
- b. 2001
- c. 2002
- d. 2003
- e. 2004

41. A _____-member advisory committee provides input to the Board of Directors concerning policies and procedures regarding award and degree selection.

- a. 17
- b. 19
- c. 28
- d. 9
- e. 24

42. The selection criteria for the Justin Boot Company award are based upon the individual's integrity, _____, helpfulness, perseverance, grades, and school attendance.

- a. service
- b. patriotism
- c. charisma
- d. honesty
- e. helpfulness

43. Where was C.T. Heath from?

- a. Willis
- b. Henderson
- c. San Augustine
- d. New Waverly
- e. Winters

44. Which event has a five-minute question-answer period?

- a. FFA Quiz
- b. Agricultural Issues Forum
- c. Agricultural Advocacy
- d. Junior Chapter Conducting
- e. Public Relations

45. The first known Texas competition was a livestock judging contest was hosted in _____ at an event call "Smith-Hughes Day."

- a. April, 1920
- b. May, 1920
- c. June, 1920
- d. March, 1920
- e. August, 1920

FARM FACTS

46. Which of the following was an author of Employment Opportunities for College Graduates in Food, Agriculture, Renewable Natural Resources and the Environment, United States, 2020-2025.

- a. J. Marcos Fernandez
- b. Sid Miller
- c. David Scott
- d. Tom Vilsack
- e. Debbie Stabenow

47. Which of the following was a botanist by training?

- a. James D. Watson
- b. George Harrison Shull
- c. Charles Darwin
- d. Thomas H. Morgan
- e. Dian Fossey

48. Other forest types found in East Texas include small acreages of Mesquite, Exotic Hardwoods, _____, and unproductive lands that are considered forested but do not meet stocking requirements.

- a. Maple
- b. Sweetgum
- c. Oaks
- d. Cypress
- e. Red Cedar

49. How does fresh fruit rank in agriculture exports.

- a. 9th
- b. 1st
- c. 2nd
- d. 10th
- e. 7th

50. Where did beans originate?

- a. America
- b. Africa
- c. Spain
- d. Mexico
- e. China

51. The vegetables industry can be split into _____sectors.

- a. 2
- b. 5
- c. 4
- d. 3
- e. 7

52. Which state leads the nation in peanut production?

- a. Oregon
- b. Georgia
- c. Texas
- d. Iowa
- e. Hawaii

53. Texas is the _____largest producer of pecans in the United States.

- a. 5th
- b. 4th
- c. 3rd
- d. 2nd
- e. 1st

54. In 2016, 2.3 million _____were produced.

- a. pig skins
- b. cattle hides
- c. sheepskins
- d. rabbit pelts
- e. deer hides

55. Which of the following breeds of go was imported into the United States in the late 20th century.

- a. Spanish
- b. Lamancha
- c. Angora
- d. Cashmere
- e. Kiko

56. What percentage of the potatoes are grown in Texas are in the High Plains region of Texas is located north and south of Lubbock?

- a. 20%
- b. 30%
- c. 40%
- d. 50%
- e. 60%

57. How many peanuts are needed to make an 18 oz. jar of peanut butter?

- a. 850
- b. 100
- c. 500
- d. 355
- e. 235

58. Which city became known as Porkopolis in the mid-1800s?

- a. Milwaukee
- b. New York City
- c. Cincinnati
- d. Annapolis
- e. Chicago

59. Presidents Washington and Jefferson were both inaugurated in suits made of _____.

- a. American cotton
- b. American fibers
- c. American linen
- d. American wool
- e. American mohair

60. When did the Illinois people get horses?

- a. as early as 1665
- b. as early at 1670
- c. as early as 1675
- c. as early as 1680
- d. as early as 1685

AG ISSUES & BRIEFS

61. Which of the following is not one of the five bills that were signed by the governor?

- a. HB 2720
- b. HB 4107
- c. SB 721
- d. SB 725
- e. SB 726

62. The Hlavinka case was sent to the ____ due to several issues.

- a. President
- b. District Court of Appeals
- c. Supreme Court
- d. Judicial Court
- e. Executive Branch

63. Which of the following is false about Attorney Brian McLaughlin?

- a. he is based at Midland Texas
- b. private counselor
- c. chairman of the Texas & Southwestern Cattle Raisers Association's Property Rights and Tax Committee
- d. chairman of the Texas & Southwestern Cattle Raisers Association's Legal Advisory Committee
- e. chairman of the Texas & Southwestern Cattle Raisers Association's Land Owners Advisory Group

64. Which of the following individuals is a Senior Editor for Progressive Farmer?

- a. Jayme Lonzano
- b. Victoria G. Myers
- c. Tyler Jones
- d. John G. Murphy
- e. Zoe Lofton

65. The overall contribution of the agriculture sector to GDP is larger than this because sectors related to agriculture—forestry, fishing, and related activities; food, beverages, and tobacco products; textiles, apparel, —forestry, fishing, and related activities; food, beverages, and tobacco products; textiles, apparel, and _____ products; food and beverage stores; and food service, eating and drinking places—rely on agricultural inputs in order to contribute added value to the economy.

- a. meat
- b. leather
- c. wool
- d. food
- e. clothing

66. Which of the following cannot participate in the H-2A system?

- a. Pecan producers
- b. Dairy producers
- c. Beef producers
- d. Rice producers
- e. Berry producers

67. What percentage of California farmers reported being unable to find all the workers they needed over the last five years?

- a. 54%
- b. 55%
- c. 56%
- d. 57%
- e. 58%

68. Which of the following individuals is from California?

- a. Loftin
- b. Lipzan
- c. Lofgren
- d. Lozian
- e. Longria

69. SPS chapters like the one in the _____ “encourage the development and adoption of science-based international standards, guidelines, and recommendations” and aim to “advance science-based decision making.”

- a. NAFTA
- b. HR 725
- c. Farm Bill
- d. USMCA
- e. SB 2730

70. What is the approximate population of China?

- a. 1.5 billion
- b. 1.4 billion
- c. 1.3 billion
- d. 1.3 billion
- e. 1.1 billion

71. U.S. agricultural exports to Costa Rica, the Dominican Republic, El Salvador, Guatemala, Honduras, and Nicaragua doubled from \$1.9 billion in _____ to \$3.8 billion in 2013.

- a. 2005
- b. 2006
- c. 2007
- d. 2008
- e. 2009

72. Arguments for devastation typically claim that extreme weather (like droughts, floods, wildfires, and hurricanes) is already worsening because of climate change. This is mostly misleading and inconsistent with the _____.

- a. scientific literature
- b. USDA reports
- c. UN Committee on Climate
- d. IPCC literature
- e. U.S. public media outlets

73. What percentage did the death risk from extreme weather decline over the last 18 years?

- a. 99%
- b. 75%
- c. 47%
- d. 28%
- e. 12%

74. What will the global cost of hurricanes decline to by the year 2100?

- a. 0.03% of GDP
- b. 0.002% of GDP
- c. 0.02 % of GDP
- d. 0.01% of GDP
- e. 0.04% of GDP

75. The IPCC's two best future scenarios are the _____.

- a. "sustainable" SSP1 and the "fossil-fuel driven" SSP5.
- b. "sustainable" SSP4 and the "fossil-fuel driven" SSP3.
- c. "fossil-fuel driven" SSP1 and the "sustainable" SSP5.
- d. "fossil-fuel driven" SSP4 and the "sustainable" SSP3.
- e. "sustainable" SSP3 and the "fossil-fuel driven" SSP2.

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