QUIZBOWL



SENIOR QUIZBOWL Environment

1. What is the difference between mechanical and natural ventilation?

Mechanical ventilation relies on fans to move air through a room. Natural ventilation depends on wind and convection.

2. Pennsylvania's Nutrient Management Act requires producers with over ____ animal units per acre to submit a nutrient management plan.

2 animal units

- <u>True</u> or False. Manure haulers and brokers must become certified before accepting payment for hauling manure.
- 4. Which odor source has the largest potential for odor complaints from neighbors?
 - A. Buildings
 - B. Manure storage
 - C. Manure application
 - D. Compost
- 5. Name two weather factors that should be taken into account before spreading manure.

 Wind direction, time of day, impending

rainfall, relative humidity, frozen ground

6. A single 100-pound finishing pig produces approximately how much manure each day?

A. 2 quarts

B. 1 gallon

C. 1.5 gallons

D. 10 gallons

7. True or <u>False</u>. Drafts are a desirable component of wintertime ventilation - especially for baby pigs.

- 8. Which would NOT be observed in a poorly ventilated room in the winter?
 - A. Condensation on walls and ceiling
 - B. Wet slats
 - C. High humidity
 - D. High temperature
- 9. Name the three major nutrients found in swine manure.

Nitrogen, Phosphorus, Potassium

- 10. True or **False.** A negative pressure ventilation system pushes air into a building.
- <u>True</u> or False. Dead pigs can be successfully composted in a mixture of sawdust so that even the bones mostly disappear.
- 12. <u>True</u> or False. Dust accumulation on fan blades and louvers can reduce the amount of air the fan moves.
- <u>True</u> or False. Injection or immediate incorporation (disking in) of manure reduces odors associated with spreading manure.
- 14. <u>True</u> or False. Tunnel ventilation moves air down the length of a barn and serves to increase air speed and animal comfort in warm weather.
- 15. Why would manure be injected into the ground?
 - A. Increase phosphorus absorption in pigs
 - B. Increase odor
 - C. Cost benefit
 - D. Decrease chance of runoff

